

Appeal.

owners fail to appear after notice herein required to be given ; and in all cases arising under this act, an appeal shall be made to the circuit court for Saint Mary's county, subject to the same laws and rules that govern in other cases of appeal from the decisions of justices of the peace.

Ibid. s. 7.
Proceedings
when owner
is unknown.

129. If the sheriff or constable making the seizure of property under this act, does not know the name of the owner or person having charge thereof, he may describe him in the notice he is required to give, as the owner of the property, without naming him ; and the justice, if he does not know the name of the owner, may condemn the property as the property of a person guilty of violating the law, without naming such person.

Ibid. s. 8
Proceeds of
sale, how dis-
tributed.

130. The proceeds of the sale of any property forfeited as aforesaid, with all fines imposed and collected under this act, shall, after paying the expenses of the seizure, condemnation and sale, be divided, one-fourth to the sheriff or constable making the seizure, one-fourth to those aiding in making the arrest and seizure, and the remaining one-half to the board of school commissioners for Saint Mary's county, for the use of the primary schools for said county.

Approved and in force March 2, 1870.

MANURES.

1870, c. 356 entitled an act for the benefit of agriculture by securing the vendors of manures, (limited, by sec. 7 of the Act, to St. Mary's county,) enacts the following :

1870, c. 356, s 1.
Crops may be
pledged for
manures.

131. Whenever any of the farmers and planters of this state shall purchase for the purpose of manuring their farms, any of the guanoes or manufactured concentrated manures, including ground bones, on credit, it shall be lawful for such purchaser or purchasers of any of said manures to pledge to the person or persons from whom they are purchased, as security for the price of said manures, with interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum until paid, all the crops which may be made or gathered, or such portion thereof as may