

Penalty for hauling from float through fishery

ally hauled over by any shore fishery, and any person violating this section shall for each offence pay a fine of twenty-five dollars, and for every hour such float or other device shall remain thus anchored or located after notice shall be given by the owner or occupier of such shore fishery requiring him to remove, he shall pay an additional fine of twenty-five dollars.

Id s 11  
1841, c 326, s 3  
Penalty for placing obstructions in fishery

**12.** If any person shall wilfully and maliciously put any stake, log, stone or other obstruction in the usual haul of any floating battery, he shall pay a fine of twenty dollars.

POTOMAC.

1870, c 205  
Fishing season in Potomac

**13.** The fishing season for shad and herring in the waters of the Potomac river shall begin the fifteenth day of March and end the first day of June in each year

Art 41, s 13  
1854, c 172, s 2  
Penalty for fishing out of season

**14.** If any person shall haul, drift, anchor, or stake in the Potomac river, or any of its tributaries in this State, any gill-nets or seine of any description (except those commonly called market seines for summer and winter fish, and sturgeon nets with eight inches mesh), at any time not within the period fixed by the preceding section, he shall forfeit all the boats, seines, and fixtures then in his possession, and be fined for each offence not less than fifty nor more than one hundred dollars.

1870, c 205  
Fishing in haul of shore fishery

**15.** No person shall haul, drift, or fish any seine or gill-net within the water bounds, or berths of any regularly hauled fishing landing, nor opposite to any part of the shore of the owner or occupier of any such landing, within hauling distance from such shore, between the fifteenth day of March and the first day of June in each year, without the permission of the owner or occupier of such fishing landing, and any person so offending shall be subject to the forfeiture and fine prescribed by the last preceding section.

Penalty.

Art 41, s 15  
1860, c 104, s 3  
Arrest.

**16.** The owner or occupiers of the regularly hauled fishing landings are authorized to render any sheriff or other officer assistance necessary to arrest any person violating any of the provisions of the two preceding sections; and the said officer shall seize all boats, seines, and fixtures in possession of such person, and carry the person so arrested before some justice of the peace, to be dealt with as herein directed; and the said officer may summon the *posse comitatus* to aid him in making arrest or seizure authorized by this article, and may for that purpose also press, at the expense of the State, any steamboat or other vessel belonging to any citizen of this State not actually engaged in carrying the United States mail.

Posse may be summoned

Id s 17  
1845, c 148, s 2  
Penalty for obstructions to fisheries.

**17.** If any person shall, during the months mentioned in the preceding sections, place any boat, vessel, or other obstruction or hindrance in the way of laying out or hauling any seine used in any lawful fishery on said river or its tributaries, or otherwise obstruct or hinder such laying out or hauling, and he or his agents shall fail or refuse forthwith to remove such obstruction or hindrance, on being required to do so by the person so obstructed or hindered, he shall pay a fine not less than twenty nor more than one hundred dollars.