

number of square fathoms of the seine or net to be used, and the other facts to be inserted in said license are strictly true, and that he or they will obey and comply with all the provisions of the laws of this State regulating fishing in the Potomac river, and for each and every outfit, whether of hauling seine or gill net, a license shall be required.

Id Sub-sec 4
Penalty for
fishing without
license.

23. If any person shall fish for shad or herring in the Potomac river, or its tributaries aforesaid, without having first obtained a license, as required in the preceding sections of this article, except fish caught for private use; and not for sale, he shall upon conviction thereof be fined not less than twenty nor more one hundred dollars, for the first offence, and for any second or subsequent offence be so fined, or in the discretion of the justice, or court, before whom tried, forfeit the seine, or net, boat and other outfit used in such fishing; or be both fined, and subject to the forfeiture aforesaid; one-half of such fine to be paid to the informer, and the residue to the comptroller of the treasury.

Id Sub-sec 5
Number of
license on bow
of boat.

24. Every person to whom such license shall be granted shall also be required to put the number of his license on each bow of his seine or gilling boat, outside between the water line and gunwale, to be painted with red oil paint on a white space, and each figure to be not less than three inches in height, and of proportionate width, and any one violating or refusing to comply with this provision, shall on conviction thereof before a justice of the peace of the county, in or opposite to which he may be fishing, pay a fine of not less than five nor more than ten dollars, one-half to be paid the informer, and the residue to the comptroller of the treasury.

Id Sub-sec 6
Justice of the
peace to issue
warrant for
arrest and
seizure.

25. Upon information given upon oath to any justice of the peace having jurisdiction, of any violation of any of the provisions of this article, he shall issue his warrant for the arrest of the offender, or offenders, and for the seizure of the seines, nets, boats, and other fishing outfit in cases when forfeiture of the same is provided, which shall be directed to the sheriff or any constable of the county, or other officer authorized to arrest under this article, to be dealt with according to law. And it shall be the duty of any sheriff, constable, or other officer so authorized under said article, with or without warrant, to arrest any person or persons violating the provisions of this article, and to seize any such seine, net, boat, or other fishing outfit, in cases where forfeiture of the same is provided, and found being used in violating any of said provisions, and to bring such offender or offenders before a justice of the peace most accessible or convenient, to be dealt with as herein provided.

Arrest without
warrant author-
ized

Id Sub-sec 7.
Sale of con-
demned prop-
erty

26. All vessels or other property condemned under the provisions of this article, shall be sold by the sheriff, or other officer, making the seizure, on ten days' notice, and the proceeds of sale, after deducting the expenses thereof, shall be paid over to the clerk of the Circuit Court of the county, to be disposed of as herein provided.