when paid to go to the informer, and the residue to be paid into the treasury of the State.

48. Every person who shall sell, or offer, or expose for sale, or Id s 3 who shall cause or procure to be sold, or offered or exposed for sale, seller any article or substance required by section forty-six hereof to be marked, branded, stamped, or labelled, not so marked, branded, stamped or labelled, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on trial for such misdemeanor, proof of the sale or offer or exposure alleged, Proof of sale. shall be presumptive evidence of knowledge of the character of the article so sold.

ARTICLE XXXII.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

- 1 Standards
- 2 Appointment of keepers of standards
- 3 Bond of keeper
- 4 Weights and measures to be inspected, penalty for violation, how to be branded
- 5 None but branded to be used, penalty.
- 6 Scale-beams to be tried and branded. 7 When and where keepers shall attend to
- inspect, notice
- 8 Kecper to keep register
- 9 Penalty for refusing to have beams, etc., adjusted
- 10 Keeper to seize false measures
- 11 Penalty for using condemned, etc , weights and measures
- 12 Pay of keeper.

- 13 Additional compensation
- 14 Fine and forfeiture, how applied.
- 15 Not to apply to the city of Baltimore or private persons
- 16 Dried fruit, how to be measured
- 17 Oats, measure of, or weights.
- 18 Potatoes, to what counties not applicable.
- 19 Hay and straw
- 20 Size and dimensions of corn-barrel measure, etc , penalty
- 21 Articles sold by weights, ton.
- 22 Staves
- 23 Penalty for selling goods by false mark
- 24. Penalty, how recovered
- 25 Charges for freight, measurement, etc , of grain, penalty, right of appeal

MEASUREMENT OF OYSTERS.

- 26 Sale of oysters in the shell in Baltimore, Crisfield, or at oyster-packing establishments, dimensions of measure, licensed measure in Baltimore, license, fees, penalty.
- 27 Measures to be inspected and stamped, violation, penalty, exception
- 1. The standards for weights and measures in this State, except Art 96, s 1 as otherwise provided in this article, shall be such as are used at Standards 1825 , c 206 , s. 1. the custom-house in the city of Baltimore.
- 2. The county commissioners of each county shall, except where Id s 2 otherwise directed by the local law, on or before the first day of Appointment of May in each year, appoint some person as keeper of the standards standards of weights and measures, who shall safely keep and preserve the same, and when required, deliver them to the county commissioners, or to such person as they may appoint to receive the same, and who shall perform the several duties prescribed by this article.