

other thing for the purpose of attaching seines or nets thereto, with the view of taking shad or fish of any description; this not to apply to any portion of said bay below Pool's island.

P. G. L., (1860,) art. 41, sec. 5. 1843, ch. 275, secs. 3-4.

6. Any person violating the preceding section shall forfeit the seine or nets attached as aforesaid, and the boats and materials used for fishing the same, and shall also for each offence pay a fine of fifty dollars.

Ibid. sec. 6 1820, ch. 199, sec. 1. 1841, ch. 326, secs. 1, 6.

7. No vessel, float of timber or plank, or of any other materials, or of any description or kind whatsoever, nor any boat of any description, unless compelled to do so by stress of weather or other unavoidable accident, shall be anchored or stayed in any fishery in the Susquehanna river, or at the head of the Chesapeake bay, at any time between the first day of April and the twentieth day of May in any year, and remain thus anchored for the space of half an hour, when the weather will admit of the departure of such vessel, float or boat, after being ordered to depart therefrom by the owner or occupier of such fishery; the usual haul of a seine from any floating battery anchored between Spesutia Island and Point Concord in the Chesapeake Bay, for the purpose of fishing, shall be to all intents and purposes considered as a fishery within the meaning of this section.

Ibid. sec 7. 1820, ch. 199, sec. 1. 1841, ch. 326, sec. 2.

8. Any person violating the preceding section shall pay a fine of twenty dollars for each offence; and every hour the vessel or other obstruction continues after the half hour mentioned in the preceding section, shall be considered a new and separate offence.

Ibid. sec 8 1820, ch. 199, sec. 1. 1843, ch. 234.

9. The skipper, the captain, owner or occupier of the vessel, float or boat referred to in the two preceding sections, shall be liable to pay said fine; and the vessel, float or boat so anchored or stayed as above mentioned, shall also be liable to be seized and sold to pay any fines imposed under the preceding section.