

eel pots and all such other devices as aforesaid within their power, as required by the preceding section.

1888, ch. 497, sec. 2.

84. It shall be the duty of the said fish commissioners, their said employees, and all persons who are required to carry out the provisions of sections 82 to 86, to keep a strict account of the number of eels caught under the provisions of said sections, and the manner by which they are so caught, a return of which number, manner of catching, and the most effective way to catch eels in the opinion of said fish commissioners, shall be made by them to the general assembly of 1890.

Ibid. sec. 4.

85. It shall be the duty of said fish commissioners, their employees, and all other persons engaged in enforcing the provisions of sections 82 to 86, to kill and destroy all eels which may be caught as aforesaid, and prepare for market, and cause to be sold at the greatest possible price, all such eels so as aforesaid caught; an account of which sales they shall keep accurately and fully, and apply the proceeds thereof in devising the most effective ways and means in their best judgment in catching, destroying and preparing for sale as aforesaid all eels which may be caught as hereinbefore directed; and if there should be any surplus after said allowance and expenses, the same shall be retained and kept by the said fish commissioners in part payment of their respective salaries under the laws of this State; a full report of which said sales, allowances and expenses, and together with the amount so retained by them, they shall make to the general assembly of 1890.

Ibid. sec. 5.

86. If the said fish commissioners or their said employees should refuse to carry out and enforce the provisions of sections 82-86, then it shall be the duty of the governor of this State to investigate the cause of said refusal, and if, after said investigation, the said governor should find the said refusal to be intentional, unreasonable and without cause, then it shall be the duty of the said governor at once to remove said officer or employee so refusing and appoint another who will enforce the provisions of said sections.