

taries in Dorchester county, usually known or used as a haul-seine reach or shore, or in any other manner or way prevent a *bona fide* owner of a shore, or his agent or tenant, from using or fishing such shore, or to haul a seine in said waters, upon the shore of any owner, occupant or tenant of said shore, without the consent of said owner, occupant or tenant first had and obtained; and any person hauling a seine without said consent, or who shall wilfully or maliciously place any obstructions as aforesaid, shall, upon conviction by the circuit court for said county, upon indictment or by justice of the peace of said county, be fined not less than ten dollars or more than fifty dollars and costs, and stand committed until fine and costs are paid.

1876, ch. 218.

**181.** Upon default in the payment of such fine, the seine or boat, or both, shall be liable to seizure, and upon ten days' notice being given shall be sold, and a sufficiency of the proceeds of the sale shall be appropriated to the payment of the fines and costs, and the balance, if any, shall be paid over to the owner of said seine and boat; provided, however, that an appeal to the circuit court shall in all cases be allowed if demanded by the defendant within ten days from the date of judgment; and upon the filing of an approved appeal bond at the time of praying such appeal, execution upon such judgment shall be stayed as in ordinary cases before justices of the peace.

1872, ch. 170.

**182.** It shall not be lawful for any non-resident of the State to take or catch fish in any manner or way in the waters of the Nanticoke river without first obtaining from the clerk of the circuit court of either Wicomico or Dorchester county, a license therefor, which license shall be granted upon the payment of twenty dollars to said clerk, for the use of the State of Maryland; said license shall be in force for one year from its date, and shall be confined to the boat or vessel therein named; any person not a resident of the State violating this section shall, upon conviction before any justice of the peace of the State, be subject to a fine of not less than fifty nor more than one hundred dollars, and forfeit the boat or vessel, and all nets, seines or tackle so used in taking fish; the