

from the end of Hill's point to the end of Cook's point; or in the waters of Cook's point bay or cove, inshore of a straight line drawn from the end of Cook's point to the end of Todd's point, or in the waters of Todd's point bay, inshore of a straight line drawn from the end of Todd's point to the end of Castle Haven point; or in the waters of Lecompte's bay, inshore of a straight line drawn from the end of Castle Haven point to the end of Howis' point.

1872, ch. 339.

240. Upon information given upon oath to any justice of the peace for Dorchester county, of any violation of the provisions of the preceding section, the justice of the peace shall issue his warrant for the arrest of the offender, and the seizure of the canoe or boat in his possession, or used in the commission of the offence, together with the tackle, instruments, and all things on board at the time of the commission of the offence, or used or employed in the commission thereof, which warrant shall be directed to the sheriff or any constable of the county, and shall be returnable within five days from the issuing thereof

Ibid.

241. The justice of the peace before whom the warrant is returnable shall docket a case in the name of the State of Maryland against the person arrested and the property seized by virtue of the warrant; and if, upon the trial of the case, he shall be satisfied that the person so arrested is guilty of violating the provisions of section 239, he shall render a judgment, either imposing a fine upon each person so guilty, of not less than five dollars nor more than fifty dollars, or condemning the canoe or boat in possession of the offender, or used in the commission of the offence, together with the tackle, instruments, and all things on board at the time of the commission of the offence, or used or employed in the commission thereof, to be sold at public auction for cash by the sheriff or constable seizing the same, after ten days' public notice of the time, place, manner and terms of sale, by advertisement inserted in some newspaper published in said county, and also set up at the court-house door in the town of Cambridge.