

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

1888, ch. 518.

128. Whoever shall unnecessarily overdrive, overwork, overload, torture, torment, deprive of necessary sustenance, cruelly or unnecessarily beat, cruelly mutilate or cruelly kill, or cause or procure to be so unnecessarily beaten, mutilated or killed, any horse, ox or other animal, shall be punished by a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than twenty dollars, to be recovered on complaint of any person before any justice of the peace, or any court of competent jurisdiction in said county.

Ibid.

129. Every owner, driver or possessor, or person having charge or custody of a maimed, disabled or diseased horse, mule or other animal, who shall cruelly work the same when unfit for work, or cruelly abandon the same, shall be punished in the same manner as provided in the preceding section.

Ibid.

130. Any person who shall keep or use any bull, bear or dog for the purpose of fighting or baiting the same, or as a target to be shot at, either for amusement or as a test of skill in markmanship, or who shall be a party to or be present as a spectator at any such fighting, baiting or shooting of any bear, bull or dog, or any person who shall rent any room, shed, hall, ground or premises for the purpose of fighting, baiting or shooting any animal aforesaid, shall, upon conviction thereof, be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and be punished by a fine of not less than twenty dollars nor more than fifty dollars, or be imprisoned in the jail of Anne Arundel county for not less than thirty days nor more than ninety days, or be both fined and imprisoned, in the discretion of the court before whom such person may be tried and convicted.

ELECTION DISTRICTS.

P. L. L., (1860,) art. 2, sec. 89.

131. Anne Arundel county is divided into eight election districts, according to their present bounds and limits, and all