

thereof, and for the space of one year from the date of the foaling of such progeny, the owner of said stallion shall have a lien upon said progeny for the amount of the service money aforesaid; and if the said owner of said mare, without the consent of the owner of said stallion first had and obtained in writing, shall remove such mare or foal out of the county where said contract is recorded, or shall secrete, destroy or sell the same, he shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon indictment therefor and conviction thereof, shall be fined or imprisoned, or both, in the same manner and to the same extent as provided for offenders against the provisions of section 111 of article 27 of the code of public general laws, title "Crimes and Punishments." This section shall apply only to the counties of St. Mary's, Worcester, Wicomico, Caroline and Anne Arundel.

1888, ch. 136, sec. 2.

108. If said service money shall not be paid, the owner of said stallion, upon applying to some justice of the peace of the State, in and for the county in which the owner of said progeny resides, and swearing to the correctness of his claim, shall have issued a writ of *fiery facias* upon the said progeny, which writ shall be directed to some constable or other officer, who thereupon shall seize said progeny and sell the same under the provisions of the code of public general laws regulating sales under execution from justices of the peace.

Ibid. sec. 3.

109. After the expenses attending such sale, and the amount of the lien upon said progeny have been satisfied, the balance, if any, shall be paid to the owner of such property sold.

STATE'S ATTORNEY.

1878, ch. 289.

110. The county commissioners may, in their discretion, allow the State's attorney for St. Mary's county additional compensation; but no additional compensation shall be allowed when the total appearance fees allowed by law to said State's attorney amount to or exceed, in any one year, the sum of one thousand