

property has been condemned in his absence may appear at any time before the sale of the property and have the case tried as if he had appeared at the return of the warrant.

1888, art. 27, sec. 237. 1860, art. 30, sec. 166. 1824, ch. 53, sec. 3.

374. The provisions of the two preceding sections shall not apply to any licensed tavern-keeper, merchant, shop-keeper, farmer or other person, in the usual and lawful transaction of his ordinary business in the usual place of transacting such business, or to any person having permission in writing from the supervisor of such meeting to sell such articles as may be named in such permission.

Ibid. sec. 238 1860, art. 30, sec. 167. 1824, ch. 53, sec. 5.
1827, ch. 29, sec. 2 1849, ch. 195. 1882, ch. 116.

375. Whosoever shall wilfully interrupt or disturb any religious congregation, society or meeting, by blowing horns, exploding firearms, horse-racing, noisy, riotous or disorderly conduct or conversation shall, on conviction before a justice of the peace in the county wherein such offense shall be committed, be fined not less than one dollar nor more than twenty dollars, and be committed to jail until the fine and costs are paid.

Ibid. sec. 239. 1860, art. 30, sec. 168. 1824, ch. 53, sec. 2. 1849, ch. 195.

376. All fines imposed and collected under this sub-title for disturbing religious meetings shall be paid to the county, and nothing in the four preceding sections shall prevent the courts of record from exercising their common law jurisdiction in all cases for disturbing public worship. And the party convicted under any of the preceding sections relating to religious meetings shall have the right to appeal to the next circuit court for the county where the conviction is had upon giving bail for his appearance at court, and upon such appeal shall be entitled to a trial by jury.

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Ibid. sec. 240. 1860, art. 30, sec. 170. 1734, ch. 16, sec. 2 1747, ch. 13.
1774, ch. 18. 1870, ch. 44. 1872, ch. 58

377. If any ballast, ashes, filth, earth, soil, oysters or oyster shells be taken, unladen or cast out of any ship, steamboat, scow, punga or other vessel on any pretense whatever in Chesapeake bay above "Sandy Point" or in the waters of