

Packing Oysters.

1900, ch. 380. 1906, ch. 188.

77. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to engage in the business of packing or canning oysters without first taking out a license to engage in such business by application to the clerk of the circuit court of the county in which the place of business of such applicant may be situated, or to the clerk of the court of common pleas, if the place of business of such applicant shall be in Baltimore city, and such applicant, at the time such license is issued to him by the said clerk, shall pay to the said clerk the sum of twenty-five dollars for such license, and said license shall have effect from the first day of September in the year in which it may have been obtained to the twenty-fifth day of April, inclusive, next succeeding; and all said moneys received for said licenses shall be paid over and accounted for by the several clerks of courts to the comptroller of the State, to be placed to the credit of the oyster fund, as provided by section 30 of this article.

Ibid.

78. If any person, firm or corporation shall engage or attempt to engage in the business of packing or canning oysters without first obtaining a license, as provided in the foregoing section he shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be fined not less than two hundred and fifty dollars, nor more than one thousand dollars for each offense. Nothing herein contained shall be construed to affect any prosecutions for violations of the existing law, or for offenses against the same committed before the first day of June, A. D. 1906, or affect the liability of any person, firm or corporation incurred under this existing law prior to the first day of June, A. D. 1906.

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Planting Oysters.

1906, ch. 711.

88. Any resident of Maryland shall have the right to plant and cultivate oysters in the waters of this State; such right shall be exercised in the manner prescribed in the following sections of this sub-title, and shall be subject to the regulations,