

**Power to commit.** the time of the seizure, and shall have power and authority to commit to the jail of said county such offender or offenders so convicted, until such fine or fines so imposed shall be fully paid and satisfied.

**Impose fine.** **Right of appeal.** SEC. 6. *And be it enacted,* That the justice of the peace before whom any such offender or offenders shall be tried and convicted, shall impose a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars nor more than two hundred dollars, or shall decree a forfeiture of the canoe or canoes, boat or boats, vessel or vessels used in such violation, together with all the apparel, tackle and property found on board, and he is hereby authorized to order any constable, sheriff or military officer, to sell the property so seized, on five days' notice, to the highest bidder for cash, subject to an appeal in all cases to the Circuit Court of Wicomico county; and after the payment of the expenses attending the arrest and prosecution in any such case, the officer making the arrest shall retain one fourth of the balance himself, distribute one-fourth among the parties assisting in making the arrest and seizure, and pay over the remaining half to the State treasury, to be placed to the credit of the school fund for said county; provided if such seizure is made by the officers or crew of the Fishery Force of the State, then such portion as would accrue to them under the provisions of this act shall be paid into the treasury of the State and placed to the credit of the school fund for said county.

**Seize canoe or boat** SEC. 7. *And be it enacted,* That any person or persons on board of any canoe or canoes, boat or boats, vessel or vessels, engaged in violating any of the provisions of this act, and shall flee to avoid an arrest, the officer endeavoring to make such arrest shall seize such canoe or canoes, boat or boats, vessel or vessels used in such violation, and all property found on board, and the same proceeding thereupon shall be had as in all cases of seizure under other sections of this act.

**Duty of State Fishery force** SEC. 8. *And be it enacted,* That upon information given, under oath, of any violation of this act, the commander and deputy commanders of the State Fishery Force of this State, it shall be the duty of