

the jurisdictional limits of Queen Anne's county, and enact the following sections in lieu thereof, regulating the taking, catching and capturing of fish within said waters.

SECTION 1. *And be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That sections one hundred and sixty-eight, one hundred and sixty-nine, one hundred and seventy-one, one hundred and seventy-two, one hundred and seventy-three and one hundred and seventy-four, of article eighteen, of the Code of Public Local Laws of Queen Anne's county, title "Queen Anne's county," sub-title "Fish and terrapins," so far as the same relates to the taking, catching and capturing of fish in the waters of the Eastern bay and its tributaries, within the jurisdictional limits of Queen Anne's county, be and the same are hereby repealed, and the following enacted in lieu thereof, to be numbered sections one hundred and seventy-one A, one hundred and seventy-two A, one hundred and seventy-three A, one hundred and seventy-four A, one hundred and seventy-five A, one hundred and seventy-six A, and one hundred and seventy-seven A, provided in the last named case, said person be a *bona fide* resident of Queen Anne's county, as hereinbefore provided. Repeal
In lieu.

SEC. 171 A. That it shall be lawful for *bona fide* residents of Queen Anne's county, and for no other persons to take, catch and capture fish in the waters of Eastern bay and its tributaries, within the jurisdictional limits of Queen Anne's county, with any kind of contrivance now used or that may be hereafter invented or used in the taking, catching and capturing of fish during any and all seasons of the year; provided, that the owner or possessor of any boat known or used as a seine boat, before using the same for such purpose shall first obtain from the clerk of the circuit court for Queen Anne's county a license to that effect, for which he shall pay a license fee of eight dollars; and, provided, that the owner of any boat used in taking, catching or capturing fish by means of a fyke, pound-net, gill-net or other contrivance of that or similar character, shall before using said boat obtain from said clerk a license to that effect, for which he shall pay a license fee of five dollars. Residents.
License.

172 A. That before a license shall be issued as hereinbefore provided, the owner or possessor of the boat so desiring to use same in the taking, catching or fish as aforesaid, shall make affidavit before the clerk of said circuit court authorized to issue the same, or before a justice of the peace of Queen Anne's county, (in which latter case the clerk is authorized to issue the said license on receipt of a certificate of the said justice of the peace that such affidavit has been made before him,) that he is at the time of making such affidavit and has been for the twelve months preceding the taking thereof, a *bona fide* resident of Queen Anne's county, and that he will not employ, or permit to be employed, Affidavit.