

and any person convicted of such wilful and corrupt false swearing shall suffer the penalty now provided by law to be imposed upon persons convicted of the crime of perjury.

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That the provisions of this act shall apply to all common law and statutory misdemeanors committed within the limits of Baltimore County which may by any law of this State now in force, or which may hereafter be enacted, be prosecuted by presentment or indictment in the Circuit Court for said county, and the said court shall have the power to impose the same fines and penalties upon conviction upon information under this act as are now provided by law, or may hereafter be provided by law, to be imposed upon conviction for such offenses upon presentment or indictment. To what cases applicable

SEC. 7. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage. Effective.

Approved March 10th, 1892.

CHAPTER 78.

AN ACT to prohibit the use of explosives in the waters of the Chesapeake Bay and its tributaries in the State of Maryland as a means of taking or catching fish.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That on and after the passage of this act it shall be unlawful to explode any dynamite or other substance of like explosive nature in the waters of the Chesapeake Bay, or any of the tributaries thereof, within the limits of the State of Maryland, for the purpose of taking or catching fish thereby. Not lawful to use explosives in Chesapeake Bay

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That any person violating the provisions of the foregoing section, upon indictment and conviction for the same in any Circuit Court for the county or Criminal Court of Baltimore City wherein the offense may have been committed, shall be fined not less than three hundred dollars and the cost of prosecution; and upon failure to pay the same shall be confined in the house of correction for not less than one year. Penalty

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That all fines collected under this act shall be paid one-half to the informer and the other half into the treasury of the State of Maryland. Effective.

Approved, March 10th, 1892.