

election district of Harford County before any justice of the peace, that he knows of any person or persons who have violated the provisions of this act, the justice of the peace before whom the complaint is made, shall docket a case in the name of the State of Maryland against such person or persons so charged on oath as offending, and shall issue his warrant to some one of the constables, or sheriff of said county, for the arrest of the party or parties, with the boat, nets, and other fixtures used in such violation of this act, to be brought before said justice, who shall be a resident of said election district, and upon conviction shall forfeit and pay the sum of twenty dollars and costs, or shall be committed to the county jail by said justice of the peace, for a period of not more than thirty days, and shall also forfeit the nets, boats and other fixtures used in such violation, and the boats, nets and other fixtures captured and condemned under the provisions of this act, shall immediately be advertised by printed or written hand-bills, and sold to the highest bidder for cash in ten days thereafter, and the money arising from said sale and fines, after deducting the legal costs, shall be paid, one-half to the informer and the other half to the school fund of said county, and in default of payment of such fine and costs such person or persons convicted, he or they, shall be sentenced to the county jail for not less than ten or more than thirty days, in the discretion of said justice of the peace; provided nothing herein contained shall prevent any person, who may feel aggrieved by the decision of the justice of the peace, from appealing to the Circuit Court of Harford County, if such appeal is taken and satisfactory bond filed of not less than one hundred dollars, for prosecuting said appeal with the justice of the peace, within five days after the fine is imposed, and the boats, nets and other fixtures are condemned.

Violation  
of this  
act.

Proviso.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Election.

Approved April 7th, 1892.

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#### CHAPTER 492.

AN ACT to repeal section 31 article 22 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "Washington County" sub-title "Birds and Game" and to re-enact the same with amendments.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That section 31 of article 22 of the Code of