

hereby, added to article II of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Anne Arundel County," sub-title "Oysters," to be designated as section 188 A, and section 188 B, and to read as follows :

New sections.

188 A. Any resident of Anne Arundel County desiring to use any canoe or other boat in catching, or taking oysters for sale, or for any other purpose, with rakes or tongs, in any of the waters of said county, shall first obtain a license therefore by application to the clerk of the Circuit Court for said county, and such license shall have effect from the fifteenth of September in the year of its issue to the twentieth day of April inclusive next succeeding ; provided, however, that such license shall not authorize the use of said canoe or boat in taking or catching oysters on the natural bed or beds in the waters of Severn River, nor in any creek, cove, arm or inlet of Severn River in said county, above a line drawn in a northeasterly direction from the wharf of the United States Ship Lantee at the United States Naval Academy to the north bank of said river immediately opposite said wharf ; for the period of two years from the first day of September 1892, and provided further that all such licenses shall be granted in the same manner and upon the same terms and conditions as provided in article seventy-two of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, title "Oysters," sub-title "Tonging."

License to take oysters.

188 B. If any person shall use any canoe or boat not licensed as required upon the same terms and conditions, as provided in article seventy-two of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, title "Oysters," sub-title "Tonging."

188 B. If any person shall use any canoe or boat not licensed as required by the preceding section in taking or catching oysters with rakes or tongs in the waters of Anne Arundel County or if any person having such license, shall take or catch any oysters with rakes or tongs on the natural beds or bars in the waters of Severn River or of any creek, cove, arm or inlet thereof, above the said line drawn from the Lantee's Wharf to the opposite bank of the Severn River as provided in the preceding section, he shall, upon conviction thereof before any justice of the peace of said county, or in the Circuit Court for said county, be fined not less than twenty dollars nor more than one hundred dollars, and in case of refusing to pay said fine and cost of prosecution, the said party shall be confined in the Maryland House of Correction for three months ; and in all cases under this section the accused shall have a right of appeal from the justice of the peace to the Circuit Court for the said county, provided that nothing in this act shall be construed to prevent per-

Fine.

Proviso.