

of such wharf, the said harbor master shall have full authority to cause said steamer, vessel or other craft to be removed, and to employ assistance therefor, and every person violating the provisions of this section, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, before any Justice of the Peace of said county, shall be fined ten dollars and costs for each offense, and stand committed until such fine and costs are paid, and when the said harbor master shall have been obliged to employ assistance in removing such steamer, vessel or other craft the expense of the same shall be added to such costs, the fine to be paid into the Public School Fund of said county.

Employ assistance

Penalty.

Costs to be added.

SEC. 10. *And be it enacted*, That on or before the first day of January, in the year eighteen hundred and seventy-nine, the County Commissioners of Dorchester county shall appoint some suitable person as Harbor Master, in pursuance of the preceding section, to serve for one year from the said first day of January, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine to the first day of January, in the year eighteen hundred and eighty, and shall make a like appointment annually thereafter, the harbor master for each year to hold over until his successor is appointed according to law, and the said County Commissioners are hereby authorized and required to levy the sum of fifty dollars per annum to and for the use of the harbor master so to be appointed by them as compensation for his services.

Shall appoint Harbor Master.

Term of office.

Authorized to levy. Compensation.

SEC. 11. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage. In force.

Approved March 13, 1878.