Chester river and its tributaries lying within the counties of Kent and Queen Anne," in this State, be and the same is hereby repealed, amended and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

Section 1. That it shall not be lawful for any person or persons to take, capture or destroy fish in the waters of Chester river or its tributaries in Kent and Queen Anne counties, by seines, drag nets, set nets, fish baskets, fish pots, weirs, pound nets, fykes, or any other means or contrivances whatsoever which are now known or used in the capturing or destroying fish, or which may hereafter be invented for that purpose, from the first day of June to the first day of September, except with hook and line; provided however that seines or nets may be used for the taking of taylors and mackerel fish, provided the meshes of such nets or seines are in the bar not less than one and seven-eighths inches, or in the mesh less than three and three-quarter inches.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act be and the same are hereby repealed, and that this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved May 3, 1882.

Chapter 334.

AN ACT to refund to Joseph O. McCauly, late sheriff of Howard county, the sum of twenty-five dollars, for money erroneously paid by him into the Treasury.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue his warrant upon the treasurer to pay Joseph O. McCauly, late sheriff of Howard county, the sum of twenty-five dollars, being the amount erroneously paid by him into the Treasury for and on account of fines and forfeitures in State cases in said county.

How unlawful.

Size of meshes.

Inconsistent acts repealed.

Directed to issue warrant.