

trary to law, as may be necessary for the purpose above specified, but they shall incur no expense beyond the revenue derived from said licenses and fines.

95. The clerk of the circuit court for Somerset county, upon application of any citizen of Somerset county, the owner of a canoe or any other vessel, shall issue a license to such citizen, authorizing him to take or catch oysters within the waters of said county, subject to such regulations and designations as may be made by the county commissioners relating thereto, with scoop, drag or dredge, for one year from the date of said license, specifying therein the kind of vessel to be used, the number thereof, and the name, if any, of the canoe or other vessel on which the said license is to be used, and he shall pay for said scraping or dredging license at the rate of two dollars per ton for the vessel so to be employed, and the tonnage of vessels under five tons shall be ascertained in such manner as may be prescribed by said county commissioners, but no vessel above ten tons burthen shall be licensed or employed in taking oysters with scoop, drag or dredge within the waters of Somerset county unless, at the time of applying to the clerk for license as aforesaid, the owner thereof shall produce to the clerk a state license in force authorizing said owner to employ the said vessel in taking oysters in the waters of this State, in which case it shall be the duty of the clerk to issue said license to the said owner, authorizing him or the said master thereof to employ the said vessel in the waters of Somerset county for one year, subject to the regulations and designations of said county commissioners upon his complying with all the provisions of this law, and no canoe or other vessel shall be employed in taking oysters with scoop, drag or dredge within the waters of Somerset county unless the owner thereof shall have first obtained a license as above provided, and the said license shall not allow or authorize the taking of oysters at any time when by the general oyster law of this state it may be unlawful to take oysters with scoop, scrape, drag or dredge; and if at any time hereafter the said state law may be changed, then it shall not be lawful to take oysters at any time that it may be unlawful to take the same under said state law; and the possession of any oyster in the shell by any person within

Clerk issue license.

Cost of license.

Produce state license.

First obtain license.