

and other obstructions arising from any ancient wier or wiers in Barren, Rewastico, Quantico and Wetipquin creeks and their several branches, and to levy the expenses thereof upon the assessable property of the said county.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be the duty of each and every person or persons, who shall hereafter set, or be concerned in any wier or wiers, in the waters of the said county, to remove the same, and every part thereof, within sixty days after the expiration of twelve months from the setting of any such wier or wiers.

Removal of wiers directed.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That if any person or persons shall violate the preceding section, the same shall be liable to a fine of one hundred dollars, to be recovered with costs, by indictment in the county court, one half thereof, when received, to be for the benefit of the informer, and the other half to the public treasury of the state, to be collected and paid as other fines are collected and paid.

Penalty for neglect.

CHAPTER 101.

*An act to authorise the Levy Court of Caroline County, to make sale of part of the Public Land in the village of Denton, in said County.*

Passed March 4, 1828.

WHEREAS, The citizens of the village of Denton are at the present, and have for a long time been laboring under great inconvenience for the want of a public landing place, whereon to erect a public wharf on which to build a granary or warehouse, on the waters of the great Choptank river, adjoining the said village, and wherea's the northeasterly or water end of front street, in said village, would be a convenient place for the purposes aforesaid: Therefore,

Preamble.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the levy court of Caroline county, be, and they are hereby authorised and empowered (after having given ten days notice at the court house door of Caroline county, and at such other public places as they judge most effectual,) to sell and dispose of to the highest bidder, at public vendue, all that part of the northeasterly or water end of front street, in said village of Denton, which shall be found to lie within, or is described by the following meets and bounds, viz: Beginning for the out lines thereof, at the south west corner of lot No. 8, of the said village of Denton, as are expressed in the general plot of the said village, filed among the records of Caroline county court, reference thereunto being had, will appear, and from thence run directly across said front street, at right-angles, until it comes opposite the south east corner of lot No. 1, of said village, then running by and with the said lot No. 1, north easterly to Choptank river, then running up said river to the aforesaid lot, No. 8, then with the same, straight to the aforesaid place of beginning, containing one fourth of an acre of land, be the same more or less.

Levy court authorised to sell N. E. end of Front st.