

## CHAP. 711

Not necessary  
to take out  
license for  
tonging  
oysters.

Section 112. It shall not be necessary for any holder of oyster land under this Act to take out any license for dredging, scraping or tonging oysters on any land so held by him, and oysters on such land may be taken in any manner and at such times as may be desired by the holder of such land as allowed by the existing laws of this State.

Penalty for  
violation of  
law.

Section 113. Any person who shall willfully and without authority take or remove oysters from any land leased under the provisions of this Act, or shall willfully injure or interfere with the oysters of such land in any manner, or injure the oysters thereupon situated, or remove, alter or interfere with the stakes, buoys or monuments marking the same, shall, upon conviction thereof, for the first offense, be sentenced to imprisonment in jail or in the penitentiary, in the discretion of the Court, for not less than three months and not more than two years, and for the second, or any subsequent offense, be sentenced to imprisonment in the penitentiary for not less than two years and not more than five years.

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Section 114. Any person who shall work a dredge, scrape or pair of tongs, or any other implement for the taking of oysters upon any land leased under the provisions of this Act without the consent of the lessee or owner, or who shall, while upon or sailing over any such ground or bed, cast, haul, or have overboard any such dredge, scrape or pair of tongs or other implement for the taking of oysters, under any pretense, or for any purpose whatever, without the consent of such lessee or owner, upon conviction thereof, shall, for the first offense, be fined not less than fifty dollars, nor more than two hundred and fifty dollars, or, in the discretion of the court, be imprisoned in jail or in the penitentiary for not less than three months, nor more than one year, or shall be both so fined and imprisoned, and for the second or any subsequent offense shall be sentenced to imprisonment in the penitentiary for not less than two years nor more than five years.

Unlawful to  
fasten boat  
to State  
buoy, etc.

Section 115. Any person who shall make his boat fast to a State buoy or remove the same, or in any manner interfere therewith, the same shall, in the discretion of the court, upon conviction thereof, be sentenced to the penitentiary for a term of not less than one year or more than two years.