

hand and seal, to be filed and recorded in the clerk's office of the county where the lands lie, a certified copy of which, under the hand of the clerk and the seal of his office, shall be evidence of the right to fish in the waters opposite the shores described thereon, to non-residents of said counties, the privilege of fishing in or opposite their shores during the fishing season, hereinbefore limited and fixed, under all the restrictions hereinbefore provided, and, further provided, that the right to take fish with hook and line shall be allowed to all persons at all times.

Privileged to fish with hook and line.

Docket a case.

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That upon the information of any citizen of either of said counties, that he knows or verily believes that any person or persons have violated any of the provisions of this act, before any justice of the peace of Queen Anne's county, if the offence occurred in Eastern bay or its tributaries, within the jurisdictional limits of Queen Anne's county, or if the offence occurred in Chester river or any of its tributaries, before a justice of the peace of either of said counties, the said justice of the peace shall docket a case in the name of the State of Maryland against such person or persons so charged by oath as offending, and issue a warrant at once to some one of the constables or sheriff of such county, for the arrest of the party or parties charged in said oath with the violation of this act, to be brought before such justice for trial, and said constable or sheriff shall seize the boat, tackle, nets and other equipments owned by or in the possession of such person or persons so charged with the violation of this act, when such violation occurred, or at the time of such arrest, and safely keep such property so taken during the time pending the trial for such offence so charged, and if upon such trial the justice of the peace shall enter judgment for the state, such person or persons as against whom such judgment shall be rendered, shall be fined not less than twenty nor more than fifty dollars for each and every offence, in the discretion of the said justice of the peace; one-half of which fine shall be paid to the informer, the other half to the

May seize boat, &c.

Fine—disposal of.