

act; and the sheriff, constables and commissioned militia officers of Cecil, Harford and Baltimore counties be and they are hereby constituted officers of this state and charged with the enforcement of the provisions of this act in each of said counties, and upon any waters to which the same apply.

SEC. 6. *And be it further enacted, &c.*, That the possession of any net or trap, used or contrived for purposes forbidden by this act, shall be *prima facie* evidence against its possessor of its being possessed for the purpose of violating this act. Evidence.

SEC. 7. *And be it further enacted, &c.*, That nothing in this act shall be constituted to prohibit the use, as now by law allowed, of what are known as hauling seines when laid out from and landed on the shore. Not prohibited.

Approved April 4, 1888.

Chapter 391.

AN ACT to authorize and empower the county commissioners of Baltimore county to levy a sum of money for the purchase of a fire engine and hose for the use of Reisterstown, in the fourth election district, Baltimore county.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the county commissioners of Baltimore county be and they are authorized and empowered to levy, at their next annual levy upon the assessable property of said county, the sum of three thousand dollars for the purchase of a fire engine and hose, such as are now in use by the Baltimore county fire department, for the town of Reisterstown, fourth election district, Baltimore county, if in their discretion they deem it necessary. Authority to levy tax.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage. Effective.

Approved April 4, 1888.