

ated hereby to be expended within the waters of the Wicomico river.

Establish,  
keep, etc.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That whenever the said fish commissioners shall have any hatching apparatus for the propagation of fish in any of the waters of this state they are hereby directed and required to establish, keep and maintain in connection therewith, and in said waters, eel pots and all such other devices as aforesaid within their power, as required by section one of this act.

Keep account.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be the duty of the said fish commissioners, their said employes, and all persons who are required to carry out the provisions of this act, to keep a strict account of the number of eels caught under the provisions of this act, and the manner by which they are so caught, a return of which number, manner of catching, and the most effective way to catch eels in the opinion of said fish commissioners, shall be made by them to the next General Assembly of Maryland.

Prepare for  
market and  
sell.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be the duty of said fish commissioners, their employes, and all other persons engaged in enforcing the provisions of this act, to kill and destroy all eels which may be caught as aforesaid, and prepare for market, and cause to be sold at the greatest possible price, all such eels so as aforesaid caught; an account of which sales they shall keep accurately and fully, and apply the proceeds thereof in devising the most effective ways and means in their best judgment in catching, destroying and preparing for sale as aforesaid all eels which may be caught as hereinbefore directed; and if there should be any surplus after said allowance and expenses, the same shall be retained and kept by the said fish commissioners in part payment of their respective salaries under the laws of this state; a full report of which said sales, allowances and expenses, and together with the amount so retained by them, they shall make to the next General Assembly of Maryland.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That if the said fish commissioners or their said employes should refuse to carry out and enforce the provisions of