

mitted; and if the offense shall be committed in the waters of the Gunpowder river, or in the waters of the Chesapeake bay, as aforesaid, the person so offending, and the articles seized, may be conveyed to either Baltimore or Harford county for trial and condemnation before a justice of the peace or the Circuit Court for either county.

447. Any person against whom any justice of the peace may render a judgment, under any of the sections of this sub-title of this article, either to pay a fine or of condemnation of property, may at any time within ten days from the rendition of such judgment appeal from such judgment to the Circuit Court for the county wherein the same may have been rendered; but no order of imprisonment or sale shall be stayed unless the party appealing shall give bond, with two sufficient securities, to be approved of by the justice, to the State of Maryland in double the value of the property condemned and of the fine imposed, as the case may be, with condition to prosecute such appeal with effect to the Circuit Court at its next session thereafter, and to pay the value of the property condemned and fine imposed, and all costs attending such proceedings, in case judgment shall be affirmed.

448. All articles hereinbefore enumerated, seized and condemned, under the provisions of any of the sections of this sub-title of this article, shall be sold by the constable or sheriff, or other officer of the county in which such condemnation may be made, at public sale, to the highest bidder for cash, after giving twenty days' notice of the time and place of such sale by advertisement in one newspaper in the county where such condemnation may be made, and by written or printed notice posted up at four of the most public places within two miles of the place of said sale; and the proceeds of such sale, after deducting all the legal expenses of seizure, condemnation and sale, shall be returned to the Commissioners of said county, for the use of said county; if among the articles so seized and condemned there shall be a big or swivel gun, the same shall not be sold, but shall at once be destroyed or rendered useless by the officer in custody thereof.

449. The Clerk of the Circuit Court shall make out annually, before the time of making the county levy, a list of the State's witnesses who have attended at said court, with the number of days they have attended thereon, and lay said list before the County Commissioners.

450. The County Commissioners shall, at the usual time of making the county levy, levy such sum of money as may