

ble property of said county, and said pension shall be paid to W. D. Harrington.

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

Approved April 13, 1910.

CHAPTER 697.

AN ACT to prohibit the use of haul seines, drag nets, scrapes, etc., in certain portions of Cox's creek and Kent Island Narrows, in Queen Anne's County.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons under any pretext whatsoever to employ the use of haul seines, drag nets, scrapes or any other contrivance in the taking or catching of fish or terrapin (fikes, gill nets and hook and line excepted), in the waters of a portion of Cox's creek, in Queen Anne's County, and its tributaries, north of a line drawn from the wharf of what is known as Palmer's Oyster House, in Cox's Neck, on Kent Island, westerly, till it strikes the shore of John M. Cockey, on the opposite side of the creek, at what is known as Jones' Hole, and in the waters of that portion of Kent Island Narrows in Queen Anne's County aforesaid lying south of a line drawn from Ferry Point, on the west side, to Long Point, on the east side, and north of a line drawn from Buck Horn Point, on the west side, to Cedar Point, on the east side. Any person or persons violating this section shall, upon conviction before a Justice of the Peace of said county, be fined a sum not less than \$25, nor more than \$100, and costs of prosecution, and, unless said fine and costs are paid, shall be committed to the county jail for a period of 60 days, or until said fine and costs are paid; provided, the party convicted shall have the right of appeal if taken within 10 days from date of conviction.

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

Approved April 8, 1910.

CHAPTER 586.

AN ACT to authorize, empower and direct the County Commissioners of Queen Anne's County to grant a pension of fifty dollars annually to James H. Sparks, of said county,