

hoops on the chime, and three on the bilge; *and provided, also*, that nothing contained in this law shall apply to fish in kegs of less than ten gallons.

Exportation. 305. The Inspector may require any cask to be filled up by the owner or owners, and by him or them, re-packed or re-pickled, and in all respects completed in such manner as they shall direct, for the purpose of having the same made fit for exportation, any owner or person by him employed, refusing or neglecting to comply herewith shall forfeit and pay five dollars for each offence.

Fraudulent packing. 306. If any herrings or other fish hereby required to be inspected, shall on examination thereof by the Inspector, prove to be falsely packed, that is to say, the fish in one part of the cask of different or inferior quality from the other, or packed with any improper or unfit substances, with intent to defraud, the owner or agent, shall forfeit and pay for each cask the sum of five dollars.

Penalty for non-inspection. 307. If any person shall export, or lade for exportation, from the port of Baltimore, or shall sell and deliver for exportation from the said port, any shad or herring before the same shall have been inspected and approved and branded and marked according to law, such person shall forfeit and pay for every cask thereof, so exported or laden or sold and delivered, one dollar.

Wrongfully marked. 308. If the Inspector shall place any mark or brand on any barrel or cask, other than its condition requires, he shall forfeit an amount equal in value to the barrel or cask thus wrongfully marked; *provided*, that nothing contained in this section shall hold such Inspector responsible for such forfeiture for a longer time than one month after such fish have been inspected.

Inspector restrained. 309. The inspector shall not purchase directly or indirectly, any salted fish by him condemned, or any other fish whatever, other than for his family use, nor shall he directly or indirectly, be concerned in making, rendering or furnishing any cask or casks, for the purpose of packing, re-packing or curing any fish brought to, packed in or exported from the city of Baltimore, nor shall he be concerned in the cooperage of any cask, containing fish that may be inspected in said city, nor shall he sell or furnish any salt for the curing