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OYSTERS.

Chap. Sec.

- as to be distinctly defined, the said location, described in writing, under oath, and have the same recorded in the office of the clerk of the county; *And provided also*, such location shall not obstruct navigation &c, 87 1
- Proprietors of the adjacent shores shall have right of preemption for one acre of superficies extending along shore from low water mark &c. subject to the foregoing limitations; *And provided* the location be selected and completed before the 1st January next, 87 2
- No person other than the citizens of the county &c. shall be entitled so to stake out, locate &c, " "
- Any proprietor into whose land a creek, cove or inlet may make, which at its mouth does not exceed one hundred yards in width, shall have the exclusive use of such creek, cove or inlet, for the depot of, &c, " "
- No exclusive use or selections of any oyster bar or bars, shall be authorised or allowed by this act, " "
- Catching or taking &c. from any such depot, declared a misdemeanor; *Provided*, the proprietor thereof, shall annually deposit a sufficient quantity thereon, 87 3
- His neglecting so to deposit, deemed a non-user and any other person authorised to adopt said depot, " "
- None of the foregoing sections of this act shall be deemed to extend in any manner whatever, to the waters of the Western Shore, 4
- Penalty of \$50 for catching &c. any oyster &c. that may have been planted or deposited on the bed of any of the bays, rivers, creeks &c. of the Western Shore, without the consent of the person who planted &c, 5
- Proprietors may join depots of, not exceeding two acres each, providing the hauling of seines shall not be thereby obstructed &c, 5
- Proprietor into whose land any creek inlet &c. may make, not exceeding 100 yards wide at its mouth, entitled to the exclusive right to use the same, provided the navigation is not obstructed, 8