

of Maryland, title "Oysters," sub-title "Tonging," as the same was enacted by Chapter 733 of the Acts of 1910, be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

7. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons who have obtained a license to take or catch oysters in the waters of the Patuxent River above or north of a straight line drawn from Sotterley Wharf, in St. Mary's County, through St. Leonard's Beacon to the shore line in Calvert County, with any implement or device other than ordinary rakes and tongs with wooden shafts, to be used entirely by hand, and without any ropes or hoisting gear whatever. Any person or persons violating any one of the provisions of this section shall be liable to the penalties prescribed in Section 5 for taking oysters with rakes and tongs without license; nothing in this section shall affect offenses committed in whole or in part before June 1, 1931, nor pending prosecution for past offenses.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect on June 1, 1931.

Approved April 17, 1931.

CHAPTER 294.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sections 1, 2, 9, 11 and 15 of Article 11 of the Annotated Code of the Public General Laws of Maryland, Edition of 1924, entitled "Banks and Trust Companies," sub-title "Bank Commissioner"; to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 20 of said Article, sub-title "Banks"; to repeal and re-enact, with amendments Section 25 of said Article, sub-title "Banks," as the said section was repealed and re-enacted by Chapter 273 of the Acts of Assembly of 1929; to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sections 26 and 27 of said last named Article and sub-title; to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sections 32, 35 and 41 of said Article, sub-title "Savings Institutions"; to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 42 of said Article, sub-title "Trust Companies," as the said section was repealed and re-enacted by Chapter 359 of the Acts of Assembly of 1929;