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SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That all persons offending Persons of against the provisions of this act, shall be proceeded against fending sub- by indictment in Harford county court, and Baltimore counject to indict- ty court, as for other misdemeanors; and if any person is seen in any of the waters aforesaid, in any boat, craft or vessel of less than thirty tons burthen, with a gun, during the season for shooting ducks, the evidence of such fact shall be prima facie evidence that such person is guilty of offending against the first section of this act.

Fine and imprisonment.

SEC. 3. And be it enacted, That any person who shall aid or abet in any manner, by furnishing a boat, vessel or craft, or gun or amunition to any one for the purpose of shooting ducks against the provisions of this act; or who shall purchase ducks from any one who has shot them contrary to the provisions of this act, knowing that they were so unlawfully shot, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction, on indictment in any county court, shall be fined and imprisoned, or either, at the discretion of the court.

Liable to prosecution.

Proviso.

SEC. 4. And be it enacted, That any person offending against this act, may be prosecuted for the same at any time before the sitting of the county courts; provided, that the provisions and penalties of this act shall not apply to persons gunning in the day time with small fire-arms, except where an individual guns in said boats immediately along the ducking shores of any person or persons living or owning lands on said waters.

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SEC. 5. And be it enacted, That the penalties and provining at night, sions of this act shall be confined exclusively to those persons paddling or gunning with either large or small firearms after night, except as is provided for in the fourth section aforesaid.

CHAPTER 261.

Passed Jan. An act to incorporate the Chesapeake Steam Saw Mill 26, 1842. Company.

Incorporated. Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That John C. Ely, William Harrison, Samuel E. Rice, John A. Robb, John Watchman and their associates, and all such other persons or bodies corporate as may hereafter become stockholders in the corporation hereby created, shall be and are hereby created and declared a body corporate by the name of the Chesapeake Steam Saw

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