

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That it shall and may be lawful for any justice of the peace, or any court having criminal jurisdiction, or any judge of any such court, upon complaint, on oath being made before such justice, court, or judge as aforesaid, that any room, building, arbor, booth, shed, tenement, boat, float, or other place, is used for making insurances or betting, or wagering, or receiving any consideration, money, or other thing, or making any promise or argument as aforesaid, to issue a warrant commanding any sheriff, constable or police officer, to whom the same shall be directed within the proper jurisdiction of such justice, court or judge as aforesaid, after demanding entrance, to break open and enter by day, or by night, any such place, and to seize and take into his possession all registers, lists, memorandums, books and papers, which he may find there, connected with the use of such place as aforesaid, and which may tend to prove such use, and hold the same to be produced on the trial of any offender against the provisions of this act, unless such justice, court or judge, as the case may be, shall be satisfied that the said place is not used for gambling, or that the things so seized and taken are not necessary to be produced on the trial of any such offender; and on conviction of any such offender, such justice, court or judge shall order the said things to be destroyed.

Implements  
to be destroyed.

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That if any person shall through invitation, or device, persuade or prevail on any person to wager or put at stake, his money or property on any fraudulent trick or game, or to visit any room, building, arbor, booth, shed, tenement, boat, float or place kept or used for the purpose of gambling, or playing fraudulent tricks, of any kind, he shall upon conviction thereof, be held responsible for the money or property lost by such person, so invited or persuaded by reason of such invitation, or device, and in addition thereto he shall be fined and imprisoned, according to the provisions of the second section of this act, and such person so invited shall not be a competent witness.

Persons inducing others to visit gambling houses liable for money lost.

SEC. 7. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be the duty of all sheriffs, police officers, or constables, to inform against all persons whom they shall have reason to believe offenders against this act, or any of its provisions; and on their refusal or failure so to do, they shall be held guilty of a misdemeanor, and be