directly south of Clark Point); Darkhead Creek (except in that portion lying north of a line drawn from Clark Point on the west shore directly across said creek to Sharp Point on Bull Neck shore); Stansbury's Creek (except in that portion lying northwest of a line drawn from Wilson Point on south shore to Strawberry Point on north shore); Frog Mortar Creek (except in that portion lying northerly of a line drawn from Strawberry Point on the west shore to Weiskettle's Landing on the east shore); Seneca Creek (except in that portion lying northwest of a line drawn from Gun Point on the north shore directly south to Blackberry (or Flying) Point on the south shore); Seneca River; Saltpeter Creek; Dundee Creek; and in the waters of their tributaries.

It shall be unlawful to fish with nets or rod, hook and line, from any boat or float of any kind, or fish with nets of any kind within five hundred yards of any occupied duck blind two days prior to the open season or seasons as promulgated by the Department of Interior, for the hunting of wild waterfowl, and running through and until the day following the closing of such season or seasons, as so promulgated from year to year, in the waters of Gunpowder River lying within Baltimore County, in Bird River, and in the waters of their tributaries lying within Baltimore County.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1969.

Approved April 23, 1969.

CHAPTER 385

(House Bill 961)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 20(j) of Article 36 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1965 Replacement Volume), title "Fees of Officers," subtitle "Justices of the Peace"; and to add a new Section 21(e) to Article 36 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1968 Supplement), title "Fees of Officers," subtitle "Justices of the Peace," to follow immediately after Section 21(d) thereof; increasing the fees in civil and criminal actions in Washington County.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 20(j) of Article 36 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1965 Replacement Volume), title "Fees of Officers," subtitle "Justices of the Peace," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments; and that new Section 21(e) be and it is hereby added to said Article and subtitle, and all to read as follows:

20(j).

In Washington County, notwithstanding any other provision of this section a flat fee of [\$2.50] \$5.00 \$4.00 shall be paid upon the filing of any civil suit in the magistrate's court which said fee shall constitute the entire costs in the proceedings for both the Sheriff or constable and the magistrate, provided that poundage fees as now