

XI. And be it enacted, That no warden shall sit in judgment in the execution of this act, or any of the powers herein contained, where he is anywise interested or concerned.

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No warden to sit in judgment when interested, &c.
Wardens may make rules, &c.

XII. And be it enacted, That the said wardens, or a majority of them, shall, and they are hereby authorized to make such rules, regulations, and ordinances, from time to time, respecting wharves and wharfage, and the keeping them in repair, so as to prevent their injuring the harbour or bason, and for preventing vessels from casting out filth or ballast, or any other cause, whether from vessels, wharves, or the land or earth, or soil, contiguous to the bason or harbour, being thrown into the same, that may serve to fill up the said harbour or bason, or obstruct the navigation thereof; and to impose fines for every breach of said rules, regulations, or ordinances, not exceeding fifty pounds, to be recovered before a magistrate, as in debts not exceeding five pounds; and all fines, penalties, or awards, the recovery of which is not specially mentioned, to be recovered in same manner as in cases of debts not exceeding five pounds.

XIII. Provided always, That no rules, regulations, or ordinances, directed to be made by this act, be repugnant to the laws of this government, and provided said rules, regulations, or ordinances, be published in the Baltimore news-paper.

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XIV. And, for the greater security of the subject, Be it enacted, That if any person or persons shall conceive him or themselves aggrieved by any judgment given in consequence of this act, it shall and may be lawful for such person or persons to appeal to the next county court, which said appeal shall be allowed by the wardens or magistrate, upon sufficient security given for prosecuting the same.

Persons aggrieved may appeal, &c.

XV. And be it enacted, That the wardens may choose a treasurer, who is hereby empowered and required to receive all monies arising in virtue of this act, and to keep an account of all monies received and paid by virtue of said act; and the treasurer is hereby required to give a bond, with one or more sufficient sureties, to be approved of by said wardens, to the said wardens, in the penalty of three thousand pounds, with condition for the payment of all such monies as shall come to his hands by virtue of this or any other act; and said treasurer shall yearly, or oftener if required, bring in a state of his accounts, and settle the same with the wardens, which account, so settled and approved of by said wardens, shall be published annually in the Baltimore news-paper.

Wardens may choose a treasurer, &c.

XVI. And be it enacted, That the wages of said wardens, a commission to the treasurer, which commission shall be six-pence in the pound on all monies received in virtue of this act, the salary of the clerk, and all other expences necessarily arising out of this act, may and shall be paid out of the monies raised by virtue of this act.

Wages, &c. to be paid out of monies raised, &c.