

(i) Provided, however, that all persons owning a sink box or sink boat or sneak boat must before using same procure a license from the Clerk of the Court of the County in which they are a resident in the same manner as is provided in this sub-title for the licensing of booby, brush and stake blinds. The Clerk of the Court shall collect from each person making application for license for a sink box the sum of Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) and for a sneak boat the sum of Five Dollars (\$5.00) and in addition thereto shall collect and retain in lieu of all other compensation the sum of Fifty Cents (50c) from each licensee for the issuance of same. And, any person to whom such license may be granted, shall be required to paint the number or name of his sink box, sink boat or sneak boat on some prominent part thereof to correspond with the number or name in the said license. Provided, however, it shall be unlawful for any person in or over all waters herein defined where sink box or sink boat is legalized (except on the Susquehanna Flats and the Elk River) to place same within five hundred yards of any shore or within five hundred yards of any licensed booby, brush or stake blind without the owner, licensee or lessee of said shore or said blinds permission.

(j) Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction before any Justice of the Peace of this State, shall be fined not less than Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) nor more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) for each and every offense and each wild duck, goose, swan or brant so shot at, killed or had in possession shall constitute a separate offense under this section.

1927, ch. 568, sec. 38.

39. It shall be unlawful, purposely or unnecessarily, to disturb in the waters of this State, or to hunt any water fowl in or from any boat of any description within the limits of the State of Maryland, or to hunt or gather any wounded or dead ducks, geese, swan or brant in any boat propelled by or equipped with sail or engines of any kind within the said limits.

(a) It shall be unlawful for the owner of any boat propelled by or equipped with sail or engines of any kind, or of any share or interest in such boat, to use or permit the use of such boat for any of the acts above prohibited, or to loan or hire such boat at any time to any person without making due inquiry into the purpose of those applying for the use of such boat and becoming satisfied that those applying for the use of such boat intend to use the same exclusively for other purposes than the violation of the provisions of this Section, and that such persons are not equipped with and do not place in such boats any guns or ammunition suitable for shooting water fowl.

(b) If any such power boat impelled by sail or engines of any description be found in or near the waters where water fowl are then and there using or bedding, having on board guns or other paraphernalia commonly employed in the hunting of water fowl, or if any shots shall be fired from any such boat at or in the vicinity of water fowl where bedded in the