

ments of said force, and report monthly to the board of public works. The said commander shall be permitted to have a clerk at a salary not exceeding seven hundred dollars per annum; said clerk shall remain at the office in Annapolis and issue, by power, all orders necessary for the proper maintenance and supply of said force; he shall, as often as practicable, hold consultations with said commander, and take orders from him for the duties which he is to perform, and in the absence of said commander he shall, as required by the said commander, report fully to the board of public works.

Locating Oyster Lots.

1900, ch. 380.

46A. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons or corporation to locate or appropriate any natural bar or bed of oysters by certificate, as provided in section 46 of this article, and such unlawful location is hereby declared a misdemeanor, and upon conviction before a court of competent jurisdiction or justice of the peace, there shall be a fine of not less than fifty dollars or imprisonment for not more than three months, or both fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the court.

General Measurers and Inspectors.

1900, ch. 380.

57. The Governor, at each session of the General Assembly, shall appoint five persons for the city of Baltimore, two persons for Annapolis, two for Oxford, one for Tilghman's Island, one for St. Michael's, three for Cambridge, one for Nanticoke and one for Crisfield, to be known as general measurers and inspectors of oysters for the city, town or port and adjacent waters for which they shall respectively be appointed. Each general measurer and inspector of oysters for the city of Baltimore shall give bond to the State of Maryland in the sum of three thousand dollars, and all other measurers and inspectors shall give bond to said State in the sum of fifteen hundred dollars for the faithful performance of their duties; and the general measurer and inspector of oysters shall have the same power and authority over oysters sold in the waters