

viction before any court having jurisdiction in this State, shall be fined not less than two hundred dollars nor more than five hundred dollars for each offence, or shall be also imprisoned, in the discretion of the court trying the same.

59. At the beginning of each oyster season the five general measurers and inspectors of oysters for the city of Baltimore, Districts. shall meet in said city and divide it in five oyster districts, to be known as the first, second, third, fourth and fifth districts of the city of Baltimore, so as to include all the territory where oysters are landed from boats or vessels in said city; and the general measurers and inspectors of oysters shall weekly change districts so that no general measurer and inspector of oysters shall act the second time in any one district until he has acted once in every other district.

60. It shall be the duty of said *general measurers and inspectors* of oysters to see that the licensed measurers and inspectors are licensed as required by law, that they shall properly measure and inspect the oysters, and that the law in reference to the measurement and inspection of oysters be strictly complied with; and the general measurers and inspectors of oysters shall have the authority at all times to enter all places and all vessels where oysters are being measured and inspected in the shell, and to inspect all the measurements or instruments used in measuring oysters, and to see that the inspection laws are properly enforced; and if the measures are incorrect the said general measurer and inspector of oysters shall take possession of the incorrect measures; and the said general measurers and inspectors of oysters are authorized, directed and required to arrest any person or persons violating any of the provisions of this article; and it shall be the duty of the judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the city of Baltimore, or the judge of the Circuit Court for any of the counties of this State, upon petition of any of the general oyster measurers and inspectors of oysters, alleging that any licensed measurer and inspector of oysters has been convicted of violating any of the provisions of this section in reference to the measurement and inspection of oysters, and the production of the record of a copy thereof of the court, or justice of the peace where such conviction was had, to suppress the license of such licensed measurer and inspector; and no license shall be granted to him for the remainder of the oyster season. It shall be the further duty of the general measurers and inspectors of oysters, under oath, to return to the Duties of general measurers.