

SURVEYOR.

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 18, sec. 252. 1860, Art. 17, sec. 154.

414. All surveys of land in said county, done by authority of law, may be performed by the surveyor of the county and his deputies, except where he has a personal interest in the survey.

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 18, sec. 253. 1860, Art. 17, sec. 155.

415. All warrants, writs and orders issued from the courts of said county, under which lands are to be surveyed in said county, may be directed to and executed by the county surveyor.

THISTLES.

1892, ch. 555.

416. Hereafter it shall be unlawful for any person or persons owning or occupying lands in Queen Anne's County, Maryland, to suffer or permit the weed or plant known as "The Canada Thistle," to grow upon said land until it comes to bloom or flowers, but it shall be the duty of every such person or persons to have said weed or plant dug up or cut down before it comes to bloom or flowers and any and all persons violating the provisions of this law shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable on conviction by a fine of not less than five nor more than ten dollars for each and every offence, triable before a justice of the peace of said county with right of appeal, one-half of the fine to go to the informer, the other half thereof to the public schools of the county.

TRESPASS.

1894, ch. 30.

417. Whenever the owner or occupant of any land within the borders of Queen Anne's county, shall find trespassing upon his, her or their premises, any dog or dogs not in company with the owner of said dog, which permission in such case must be first had and obtained from the owner, owners, occupant or occupants, as the case may be, said dog found trespassing, and with suspicious intent, the owner or occupant of said land may shoot or otherwise kill or have killed said dog or dogs, and the owner of said dog or dogs shall not be permitted to bring action of damage to recover against the said owner or occupant of said lands in a court of law; provided, that this law is not to apply to fox hounds in or returning from the chase.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 18, sec. 254. 1864, ch. 120.

418. The county commissioners shall appoint annually, in the month of April, one judicious, discreet citizen of said county, as keeper of stand-