

1872, ch. 264.

**443.** Every gauger so licensed shall be entitled to demand and receive from the person at whose request he shall gauge any cask the following fees, to wit: for gauging casks not exceeding forty gallons, ten cents per cask; for casks of larger size, fifteen cents.

Ibid.

**444.** Any person not being properly licensed, who shall act as gauger, or being so licensed shall act as said gauger outside of the limits of the said city, shall forfeit and pay to the sheriff of the city the sum of three hundred dollars; said penalty to be imposed as a fine by the criminal court, on presentment and indictment by the grand jury and conviction in due course of law, and one-third of the penalty shall be paid by the sheriff to the informer, and the residue shall be accounted for by the sheriff to the treasury as other fines; if any person so licensed shall be guilty of a fraud by reason of collusion with any parties, he shall be deemed guilty of misdemeanor, and shall, on presentment and indictment therefor, and conviction thereof, forfeit and pay a fine of not less than five hundred dollars or more than one thousand dollars for every such offence, or be imprisoned, in the discretion of the court, for a time not exceeding three years, or both, and shall also be liable in damages at the suit of the party aggrieved.

GRAIN.

1872, ch. 244.

**445.** The governòr, by and with the advice and consent of the senate, shall biennially appoint one weigher-general and five assistant weighers of grain in and for the city of Baltimore, who shall hold their office for the period of two years from the first Monday in May next ensuing their appointment and qualification, and until their successors are duly qualified.

Ibid.

**446.** Every weigher of grain appointed under the provisions of the preceding section, before he proceeds to act as such, shall, under a penalty of five hundred dollars, take and subscribe the following oath, in addition to the oath required by the consti-