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An Ordinance to Prevent Sketching, etc., by unauthorised Persons upon the Peninsula and Garrison of the Colony of Sierra Leone. 5 of 1889.
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1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Fortifications Sketching Ordinance. Short title.

2. It shall not be lawful for any unauthorised person whatsoever, whether a British subject or an alien, to make any survey of any portion of the peninsula of Sierra Leone, other than private property situated therein, or any sketch, photograph, drawing, picture or painting of any battery, fortification, or work or defence of any kind situated upon the said peninsula or of any portion of such battery, fortification, or work of defence thereon. Prohibition of sketching on peninsula.

3. Any person offending against the provisions of this Ordinance shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds or to imprisonment with or without hard labour for any period not exceeding three months and all such surveys, sketches, drawings, photographs and paintings shall, at the discretion of the Magistrate, be liable to forfeiture. Penalty. Forfeiture of sketches.

4. Any unauthorised person found in the immediate vicinity of any battery or field-work in the peninsula aforesaid and with sketching, drawing, photographic or painting materials or Intention to evade Ordinance.

apparatus in his possession, with the intention of evading the provisions of this Ordinance shall be liable, upon conviction, to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds sterling and in default of payment to imprisonment for any period not exceeding thirty days; and such sketching, drawing, photographic or painting materials or apparatus shall be confiscated.

Liability to penalty of trespassers on naval or military areas.

5. Any person not authorised in writing under the hand of the Officer Commanding the Troops of the Colony for the time being, found trespassing on any portion or within the boundary of any battery, fortification, or work of defence of any kind, or in or upon any places set apart for naval or military operations or purposes upon the said peninsula, shall be liable upon conviction to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds sterling and in default of payment to imprisonment for any period not exceeding one month.

Recovery of penalties.

6. All penalties imposed by this Ordinance shall be recoverable in a summary manner and all offences hereby made cognisable shall be enquired into, dealt with, heard and determined by a Magistrate.
