

LAWS OF MARYLAND.

October, or any wood or summer duck, between the first day of January and the first day of September, or any wild goose, between the first day of April and the first day of November, or any rabbit, between the first day of January and the tenth day of November, or any squirrel, between the first day of December and the first day of September, or any muskrat, between the fifteenth day of March and the fifteenth day of December, in each and every year; or any pheasant, within three years after the passage of this Act, under penalty of five dollars; for hunting with dog or gun any of the aforesaid game, birds or animals, within the foregoing prohibited periods, and under a penalty of the same amount for each of the aforesaid game, birds or animals, so shot, caught, killed or had in possession, within the above prohibited periods; provided, that it shall be lawful to bring into the said county any live game, birds or animals, and have the same in possession at any time for purposes of propagation.

Penalty for violation.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That no person shall at any time wilfully destroy, in said county, the eggs or nests of any of the game, birds or animals, mentioned in the foregoing section, under a penalty of five dollars for each, on every violation of this section.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That no person shall trap, net or ensnare any partridge, quail, woodcock, pheasant or waterfowl, or have in possession any trap, net or snare, with the intent or purpose to capture or kill any such birds or waterfowl, so trapped, killed, netted or ensnared, and under a further penalty of twenty-five dollars for the having in possession any such traps, net or snare; and every such trap, net or snare shall be forfeited and destroyed.

Unlawful to trap, net or ensnare game.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That no person shall trace, track or hunt for any partridge, quail, woodcock, pheasant, rabbit or other game which may be tracked in the snow, while the fields or woods are covered with snow sufficient to permit such tracking; and whosoever shall be found traversing woods or fields with dog or gun, while the same are covered with snow, as aforesaid, shall be deemed *prima facie* guilty of a violation of this section, and shall pay a fine of ten dollars upon conviction thereof.

Shall not track or hunt game in the snow.

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That no person shall hunt for, shoot at or kill from boats or from the shore, with light in the night time, any muskrat, or shall hunt for, shoot at or kill at night with lights any partridge, quail or wild duck, under a penalty of five dollars for every such muskrat, bird or duck

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