

T. HOLLIDAY HICKS, ESQ., GOVERNOR. 1860.

the laws of this State now in force or hereafter to CHAP. 346. be enacted.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That this act shall In force. take effect from the date of its passage.

CHAPTER 346.

AN ACT to amend the seventh and ninth sections of article ninty-seventh of the Code of Public General Laws, relating to the preservation of Game, so as to extend the same to Harford county. Passed March 5, 1860.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That no person or persons shall trap, shoot or in any manner catch or kill any partridges between the first day of January, and the first day of October, nor any woodcock between the first of February and the tenth day of June, nor any pheasants between the first of February and the twelfth of August in each year. Protection of birds.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That any person violating either of the preceding sections of this article, shall pay a fine of five dollars to be recovered before a justice of the peace of the county, where the offence was committed; *Provided,* that no fine shall be imposed for killing, shooting or trapping any partridges, woodcock or pheasants in Charles, Caroline, Talbot and Worcester counties. Penalty. Proviso.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That sections seven and nine of the article of the code which forbid and punish the shooting or killing of partridges, woodcock and pheasants in the counties therein mentioned, be and the same are hereby repealed, and that this act shall take effect from its passage. Repealed. In force.