

said fine and costs the offender shall be committed to the county jail for twenty days; the one-half of all fines so imposed under this section shall be paid to the informer, and the remainder to the Board of County School Commissioners of said county for the use of the public schools of said county; provided, that nothing in this section shall prevent the owners of land in Montgomery county from giving written permission to non-residents to hunt upon their own lands in said county.

SEC. 56. Any person who shall permit his dog or bitch to run at large during the closed season and pursue or kill game, or destroy the eggs, nests or young thereof, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof before any justice of the peace of said county be subject to a fine of not more than five dollars for each and every offense, one-half to go to the informer, the other one-half to go to the county school fund, and any person who shall harbor or permit any dog or bitch to remain on or about his premises shall be deemed the owner of such dog or bitch for the purposes of this section.

SEC. 57. All game wardens and the State Game Warden are hereby empowered to make arrests without a warrant of any person or persons upon their seeing or knowing of any violation of any of the foregoing sections, and are hereby expressly exempted from any liability because of any arrest he or they may make while in the performance of their duties.

SEC. 57A. Every person who is an actual resident of Montgomery county shall be entitled to an allowance from the county of forty cents for every hawk taken and killed by him within the limits of said county, and if any person killing any hawk shall produce the same before some justice of the peace of said county, and make oath that the said hawk was taken and killed within the limits of Montgomery county, within six days then preceding, then the justice shall thereupon give such person a certificate wherein he shall set forth the said oath, and shall at the same time cut off the beaks from the heads of said hawks so as to prevent a second allowance, and the said justice shall be entitled to a fee of ten cents to be paid by the county; provided, however, that this section shall not be construed as being mandatory, but its enforcement shall be left entirely within the discretion of the County Commissioners of said county; provided, further, if at any time the said commissioners determine to avail themselves of the power given to them by this section, they shall give notice of the same by publication in at least one newspaper published in said county.