

mortgage, erroneously paid by them after the passage of the act of eighteen hundred and seventy, chapter three hundred and ninety-four; and to Woodbury Wheeler, (attorney of William De-Craux,) the sum of ninety-five dollars, being the amount of a fine erroneously paid into the Treasury, and to Isaac Scaggs, the sum of seven dollars and sixty cents, amount of State tax erroneously paid.

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

Approved April 11th, 1874.

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CHAPTER 392.

AN ACT for the protection of partridges in Anne Arundel county.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That it shall not be lawful for any person to shoot, trap, or by any other means to kill, destroy or catch any partridges within the limits of Anne Arundel county, before the first day of November, in the year eighteen hundred and seventy-five. Not lawful.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That after the said first day of November, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, and in each year thereafter, it shall not be lawful to trap any partridge within the limits of said county at any time, nor to shoot any partridge except between the first day of November and the thirty-first day of December inclusive, in each and every year. Not lawful, except.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That every person who shall be adjudged guilty of the violation of any provisions contained in the foregoing sections, before any justice of the peace of the said county, shall, for the first offence be fined the sum of five dollars, and for the second offence in the same year, shall be fined the sum of ten dollars; and the gunning and other shooting apparatus of the said party so convicted of a second offence shall be forfeited and sold, under Violating. Penalty.