

of the year. Any one snaring or looping any pheasants or partridges in said county shall be liable to a fine of ten dollars for each pheasant or partridge so snared or looped, to be recovered before any justice of the peace of said county in the name of the State of Maryland, the one-half of which fine shall go to the informer, and the balance to the school commissioners of Frederick county; and in default of the payment of said fine, and the costs, said offender shall be committed to the jail of Frederick county for thirty days.

1884, ch. 209. 1888, ch. 419.

56. If any one who has been adjudged guilty by a justice of the peace of a violation of any of the provisions of sections 45, 46, 47 or 55, feels himself aggrieved by said judgment he may appeal therefrom, and have the same tried in the circuit court for Frederick county, as other appeals from judgments of justices of the peace are tried; and said court shall have power to impose the penalties provided in section 48, but sentence shall not be stayed on said judgment unless a bond in the penalty of fifty dollars, with good security, to prosecute said appeal, be given by the party so convicted.

1882, ch. 417.

57. Every person who is an actual resident of said county shall be entitled to an allowance from the county of thirty-five cents for every hawk or large owl taken and killed by him within the limits of said county.

Ibid.

58. The person killing any of the birds of prey mentioned in the preceding section shall produce the head of the same before some justice of the peace for said county, and make oath that the said bird of prey was taken and killed within the limits of Frederick county within six days then preceding; and the justice shall thereupon give such person a certificate wherein he shall set forth the said oath, for which he shall charge five cents as compensation in full thereon, and no more; and shall at the same time cut off the beaks from the heads of said birds of prey, so as to prevent a second allowance.

1884, ch. 198.

59. It shall not be lawful for any person to shoot or trap gray or fox squirrels from the twentieth day of December to the fif-