

St. Marys County:

W. W. Clarke.....Ridge
 Jos. Allen Henderson.....St. George's Island
 Robert E. Pogue.....Bushwood

Talbot County:

Wm. M. Colburn.....Oxford
 Geo. A. Cummings, Jr.....Fairbanks
 John Francis Mansfield.....St. Michaels
 Howard T. Sinclair.....Tilghman
 Henry V. Trippe.....Newcomb
 Samuel A. H. Phillips.....Claiborne

Wicomico County:

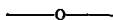
Alfred Fisher.....Nanticoke
 Virgil P. Roberts.....Quantico

Special Warden:

Kenneth T. Burkins, Fish Warden.....Castleton
 Walter Smith, Special Fish Warden.....Baltimore

Biologists:

Dr. R. V. Truitt.....College Park
 David H. Wallace, Assistant.....Solomons



DEPARTMENT OF GAME AND INLAND FISH

Chapter 508—Acts of 1941.

Garner Wood Denmead, Chairman.1943..... Baltimore
 S. Scott Beck.....1942..... Chestertown
 J. H. Gambrell, Jr.....1945..... Frederick
 A. Gordon Fleet.....1944.....Edgewater, Md.
 Fulcher P. Smith.....1946..... Cumberland, Md.

The Game and Inland Fish Commission is hereby created with the personnel powers and duties of the present Maryland State Game and Inland Fish Commission, as now constituted under Article 99 of the Code. Uhereever in the Code the name Maryland State Game Inland Fish Commission occurs, the name Game and Inland Fish Commission shall be substituted.

This Department of the State acts as an agency for the enforcement of game and fresh water fish laws, and the propagation of game and fresh water fish in captivity, and is supported entirely through receipts from the sale of hunters' and anglers' licenses, which receipts are credited to the State Game Protection Fund. The General Treasury does not appropriate a single penny to the support of this Department.

The original State Game Department was consolidated with the Conservation Commission by Chapter 683, Acts of 1916, when said Commission was created. Prior to 1916 the General Assembly appropriated \$2600.00 every two years for the support and maintenance of the State Game Department. With only one salaried officer; namely, the State Game Warden, it was impossible for him, no matter how ambitious he may have been, to make a scratch on the surface in the enforcement of the game and fish laws, and of course no funds were provided for the propagation of game or the restocking of our covers.