

Annual meeting. on or before the second Wednesday in the month May next, for the purpose of accepting or rejecting this Act and for other purposes, and a majority of the stockholders at said meeting shall have power to act; *provided, however*, that at least ten days

Notice given. notice of said meeting shall be published in one or more of the newspapers printed in Hagerstown.

In force. Sec. 4. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 4, 1870.

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CHAPTER 271.

AN ACT for the protection of rabbits in Prince George's County.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That no person shall trap, shoot or in any manner catch or kill any rabbits in Prince George's County, except between the fifteenth day of October and the first day of February in each year.

Time when prohibited.

Penalty. Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That any person or persons so violating this law, upon proof and conviction before a justice of the peace of said county, shall pay a fine of five dollars, to be collected by the usual process known to the Justices of the Peace of the State, which fine, when collected, shall be paid by the said justices to the County Commissioners for Prince George's County.

To whom paid

In force. Sec. 3. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 4, 1870.