

SEC. 8. *And be it enacted*, That Cecil, Somerset, Calvert, Washington, Prince George's, St. Mary's, <sup>Exempted</sup> Caroline, Carroll, Queen Anne, Dorchester, Wicomico, Montgomery, Allegany and Worcester counties, and Baltimore city, and all cities, towns or boroughs in which dogs are taxed by municipal ordinance, be and they are hereby exempted from the operations of the provisions of this act.

SEC. 9. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take <sup>In force</sup> effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 11th, 1874.



CHAPTER 508.

AN ACT to protect partridges and grouse in Somerset county.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That no person shall shoot, trap, or in any manner catch or kill any partridge between the first <sup>Partridges.</sup> day of February and the first day of November in each year, within the limits of Somerset county.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That no person shall shoot, trap, or in any manner kill any grouse in said <sup>Grouse.</sup> county before the first day of November in the year eighteen hundred and seventy-nine.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That any person violating <sup>Violating.</sup> either of the preceding sections shall pay a fine of five dollars for each and every offence, to be recovered before a justice of the peace in and for said county, and to be applied to the public school fund of said county.

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