

any deputy game warden, constable or other person who shall procure the conviction of any person or persons violating the provisions of Section 20 shall receive one-half of the fine collected, and the remaining one-half of the fine shall be paid over to the State Treasurer to be credited to the account of the State Game Protection Fund. Provided, that any person who fails to pay any fine so imposed shall be committed to jail for not less than twenty-five nor more than sixty days.

See notes to sec. 28.

An. Code, sec. 22. 1904, sec. 15. 1888, sec. 15. 1862, ch. 43. 1878, ch. 460. 1898, ch. 206.

**23.** No person shall shoot or in any manner catch or kill in this State any wild duck, black head duck, wild goose, wild swan or wild brant between the tenth day of April and the first day of November in each and every year, under a penalty of not less than one (\$1) dollar nor more than ten (\$10) dollars for each of the aforesaid birds so shot, caught or killed; provided, that in Charles county it shall not be lawful to shoot or in any manner catch or kill any acorn or genuine duck between the tenth day of April and the first day of October in each and every year; and provided further, that this section shall not apply to Worcester county; and provided further, that nothing contained in this sub-title is intended to interfere with or in any manner repeal the public local laws of Cecil and Harford counties, regulating the shooting of wild fowl in those parts of the waters of the Susquehanna river, Chesapeake bay, commonly called the Susquehanna flats.

See notes to sec. 28.

An. Code, sec. 23. 1904, sec. 16. 1898, ch. 206, sec. 15B.

**24.** No person shall shoot or in any manner catch or kill in this State any doves between the twenty-fourth day of December and the fifteenth day of August following, under a penalty of not less than one (\$1) dollar nor more than two (\$2) dollars for each dove so shot, caught or killed.

See notes to sec. 28.

An. Code, sec. 24. 1904, sec. 17. 1898, ch. 206, sec. 15C.

**25.** No person shall shoot or in any manner catch or kill in this State any snipe or plover between the first day of May and the fifteenth day of August in each and every year, under a penalty of not less than one (\$1) dollar nor more than two (\$2) dollars for each such bird so shot, caught or killed; provided, however, that this section shall not apply to Worcester county.

See notes to sec. 28.

An. Code, sec. 25. 1904, sec. 18. 1898, ch. 206, sec. 15D. 1924, ch. 433.

**26.** No person shall shoot or in any manner catch or kill in this State any water-rail or ortolan or reed-bird, rail-bird, or rice-bird between the first day of November and the first day of September following, under a penalty of not less than one (\$1) dollar nor more than two (\$2) dollars for each such bird so shot, caught or killed. It shall be unlawful for any person, during the month of August, to carry or fire off or discharge a gun