

partridge, lark, dove or robin, or any insectivorous bird of any kind whatsoever, or any rabbit or squirrel, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be liable to presentment and indictment therefor by the grand jury of said county, and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined not less than five or more than fifty dollars, to be imprisoned in the jail of said county not less than one month or more than three months, or be both fined and imprisoned as aforesaid, in the discretion of the court before which said presentment or indictment shall be tried; provided, that the owner or possessor of the land trespassed upon shall have forewarned all persons from hunting with dog or gun thereupon, by notice through some newspaper published in Dorchester County, or by posters placed in at least five of the most conspicuous places upon said land, and that the person presented or indicted shall not have afterwards obtained the permission of said owner or possessor so to hunt or gun.

1890, ch. 60, sec. 1.

516. Any person or persons who shall wilfully and maliciously enter upon the enclosed lands of another with intent to annoy or disturb, or provoke to a breach of the peace the owner or owners, occupant or occupants thereof, or who shall wilfully enter upon or cross the enclosed land of another after being forewarned by the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of said land, from entering upon or crossing the same, by notice either in person or by written or printed posters placed in at least five conspicuous places upon said land, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof before a justice of the peace, or in the Circuit Court for Dorchester County, shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than one dollar nor more than twenty-five dollars and the costs of prosecution, and to stand committed to the jail of said county until such fines and costs are paid, or for a term therein not exceeding thirty days, in the discretion of the court or justice trying the same.

1890, ch. 60, sec. 2.

517. Any person or persons who shall wilfully or maliciously leave open any private or farm gate by which any growing crop or crops become exposed to damage by the entrance of stock of any kind thereon, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction before a justice of the peace or in the Circuit Court for Dorchester County, shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than fifty dollars and the costs of the prosecution, and stand committed to the jail of said county until such fines and costs are paid, or for a term therein not exceeding sixty days, in the discretion of the court or justice trying the same.

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 10, sec. 190. 1870, ch. 167. 1927, ch. 662.

518. Any person found trespassing upon the lands or marshes of another in said county with the intention of catching, trapping or shooting any muskrats, otters or minks without the permission of the owner of said lands or marshes, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on