provisions of this section shall be fined two dollars for each and every bird proved to have been shot, killed or in any way taken, trapped. caught or destroyed by him.

<center>1886, ch. 181.</center>

2. It shall be unlawful for any person in said county to shoot, kill, take, trap or in any manner destroy or catch, in said county, woodcock, between the first day of February and the fifteenth day of June; plovei or sandpipers, partridges and quail, between the first day of January and the first day of November; wood or summer ducks, between the first day of January and the tenth day of September; squirrels, between the fifteenth day of February and the first day of September; rabbits, between the fifteenth day of February and the first day of November; minks, otters and musk-rats, between the fifteenth day of March and the fifteenth day of December; and every person violating the provisions of this section shall be fined ten dollars for each and every woodcock, plover or sandpiper, partridge, quail, duck, squirrel, rabbit, mink, otter or musk-rat so killed, taken, trapped, shot or destroyed within said specified times; and possession of any of the within-named birds or game, dead or alive, within any of the specified times, by any person in said county, shall be deemed unlawful, and be punishable by a fine of ten dollars for each and every such bird or animal.

<center>1880, ch. 472.</center>

3. The possession by any person of any of the birds, ducks or game mentioned in the preceding sections, during the time when the shooting, killing, taking, trapping, catching or destruction of them is therein prohibited, shall be deemed *prima facie* evidence of the guilt of the person possessing the same; provided, however, that nothing contained in said sections shall be construed so as to prevent any person from killing the birds herein mentioned when found upon his own premises.

<center>Ibid.</center>

4. No person shall at any time wilfully destroy, in Wicomico county, any egg or nest of any of the birds mentioned in sections 1 and 2, under a penalty of five dollars for each and every violation of this section.