

be so construed as to prevent any person from killing the birds mentioned herein when found upon his own premises.

1872, ch 341.

12. The possession by any person within the county of any of the above named birds, shot, trapped, killed or otherwise destroyed, shall be *prima facie* evidence of a violation of the preceding section.

Ibid.

13. No person shall at any time during the year wilfully destroy the eggs or nests of any of the above-named birds within the county, under the penalty of two dollars for each and every offence.

Ibid.

14. The said fines shall go, one-half to the use of the school fund of the county, and the other half to the use of the informer; and if the offender, after being convicted, shall refuse to pay the said fines, he shall be committed to the jail of the county for every such offence for the space of ten days; provided, however, that such conviction shall be made within sixty days after the commission of the offence.

Ibid.

15. It shall be the duty of the constables and bailiffs of the several election districts of the county, to arrest all persons whom they see violating sections 11, 12, or 13, and take them before the nearest justice of the peace, to be dealt with according to law.

#### CIRCUIT COURT.

1865, ch. 2.

16. The terms of the circuit court for Carroll county shall commence and be held at Westminster on the second Monday in May and the second Monday in November, respectively, and writs of process shall be made returnable accordingly.

P. L. L., (1860,) art. 7, sec. 8.

17. The judges of the circuit court may, in their discretion, appoint intermediate terms for the transaction of equity or other business, not requiring a jury, to which process may also be returnable.