

Chapter 424.

AN ACT to prohibit the sale of "Deadly Weapons to Minors."

Cartridge toy
pistol.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons within the State of Maryland to manufacture or to sell, barter or give away the cartridge toy pistol to any one whomsoever.

Prohibiting
selling to mi-
nors.

SEC. 2. *Be it enacted*, That it shall be unlawful for any person, be he or she licensed dealer or not, to sell, barter or give away any firearm whatsoever or other deadly weapons, except shot gun, fowling pieces and rifles, to any person who is a minor under the age of twenty-one years. Any person or persons violating any of the provisions of this act shall, on conviction thereof, pay a fine of not less than fifty nor more than two hundred dollars, together with the cost of prosecution, and upon failure to pay said fine and cost, be committed to jail and confined therein until such fine and costs are paid, or for the period of sixty days, whichever shall first occur.

Effective.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved May 3, 1882.

Chapter 425.

AN ACT to authorize the Commissioners of Talbot county to open water courses through private property in said county to secure the proper drainage of the public roads therein.

Open water
course.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That whenever any supervisor or contractor of the public roads in Talbot county shall find it necessary to open a water course through private property in said county, to secure the proper drainage of any public road therein, he shall forthwith so inform the County Commissioners of Talbot county, and if the owner or owners of said