

CHAP. 434. to be known as Sections 38 A, 38 B, 38 C, 38 D and 38 E of said Article.

New sections added.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That five additional sections be and the same are hereby added to section 38 of the Code of Public Local Laws of the State of Maryland, title "Cecil County," sub-title "Birds and Game," to be known as sections 38 A, 38 B, 38 C, 38 D and 38 E of said Article, and to read as follows:

Game law.

Section 38 A. That from and after passage of this Act it shall be unlawful for any person not a citizen of this county to hunt, kill, take or destroy, sell or expose for sale, or have in his or her possession after the same has been killed, any partridge, grouse, quail, woodcock, rabbit or hare, reed-bird, ortolon or railbird and summer duck, unless he shall have first obtained a license from the clerk of the Circuit Court of Cecil County; said license fee to be five dollars and fifty cents; five dollars of said fee to be turned into the county treasury and fifty cents to the clerk of the Circuit Court for Cecil County for issuing said license; provided, however, that if any land owner may extend the privilege of killing game upon his land to any person, then in such case no license will be required.

Game law.

Section 38 B. That from and after the passage of this Act it shall be unlawful for any person within the county to kill or destroy while the ground is covered with snow any partridge, grouse, quail or woodcock or have in his or her possession any bird or animal mentioned in this Act that has been killed or taken as aforesaid.

Penalty for violation.

Section 38 C. That if any person shall be found guilty of violating any of the provisions of this Act he shall be deemed guilty of a common nuisance, and upon conviction thereof before any justice of the peace in this State he or she shall be fined five dollars and costs for each and every offense, and be committed to the jail of the county until said fine and costs are paid.

Plenary jurisdiction.

Section 38 D. That the justices of the peace of this State shall have plenary jurisdiction of all offenses against the provisions of this Act, and upon the affidavit made, that a person has violated any of the provisions of this Act to forthwith issue his warrant directed to the sheriff or to any constable commanding him to arrest the person so charged, and to bring him or her forthwith before such justice for trial, and if upon such trial the said justice shall find that the person arrested has violated any of the provisions of any section of this Act and such person shall fail to pay forthwith the fine imposed by said