

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 8-A be hereby added to Chapter 338 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Baltimore County," sub-title "Birds and Game," to read as follows:

Section 8-A. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That a closed season of two years from June 1st, 1918, shall be had on Ring Neck or English Pheasants. Said closed season to extend until the opening of the regular season following this closed period. And during said closed period it shall be unlawful to catch, or kill, or hunt, or shoot, or have in possession, or sell, or offer for sale any such Ring Neck or English Pheasants in Baltimore County. This not to apply, however, to the possession of live birds for propagation purposes. Any person or persons, or corporation violating the provisions of this Section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00) for the first bird taken or had in possession in violation of the provisions of this Section, and the sum of twenty dollars (\$20.00) for each and every bird killed or had in possession in violation hereof, after said first bird.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That all Laws or parts of Laws both general or local inconsistent with the provisions of this Act shall be and the same are hereby repealed.

Approved April 10th, 1918.

CHAPTER 398.

AN ACT to provide for the punishment of any person who wilfully damages or destroys any game pen, fence or other enclosure, or who wilfully poisons, kills, wounds, destroys, removes or steals any game birds or game animals, their young or their eggs while kept or maintained in any game pen, fence or other enclosure used for the purpose of raising and propagating of game birds and game animals without the consent of the owner of the land on which the same may be located.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to wilfully damage or destroy any game pen, fence or other enclosure used for the purpose of raising and propagating of game birds and game animals, constructed or maintained upon