

prima facie evidence of a violation of this section, but nothing in this Act shall be so construed as to prevent the killing of foxes at any time by any person while they are in pursuit or in the act of killing or carrying away of his, her or their poultry or within a reasonable time thereafter.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted,* That any person or persons violating the provisions of this Act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction before a Justice of the Peace shall be fined in a sum not less than ten dollars nor more than twenty-five dollars, one-half of such fine shall be paid to the informer causing the arrest and conviction and the remaining one-half shall be paid to the State Game Department to be credited to the State Game Protection Fund to be used as provided by law, and it shall be the duty of the several Deputy State Game Wardens in Cecil County to strictly enforce the provisions of this Act.

SEC. 5. *And be it further enacted,* That all laws or parts of laws applicable in Cecil County inconsistent with the provisions of this Act be and the same are hereby repealed.

SEC. 6. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1927.

Approved April 1, 1927.

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## CHAPTER 233.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments, Sections 130 and 132 of Article 16 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Montgomery County," sub-title "County Commissioners," as enacted by Chapter 410 of Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland 1922, such amendments being to provide a method for filling the office of Treasurer in certain cases and to authorize the appointment of Assistant Treasurers and an Acting Treasurer and to authorize the employment of additional clerical help for the County Treasurer.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Sections 130 and 132 of Article 16 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "Montgomery County," sub-