

published each year in order that they may, in the discretion of the Commission, conform to the federal migratory bird regulations adopted annually by the Secretary of the Interior.

Kind of Game

Open Season

Squirrel, *grouse* and wild turkey

October 5 to [January 5,] *May 31*, inclusive. [Provided further, that a landowner, residing on his farmlands, or a tenant, of said farmlands, may kill any squirrel if said squirrel is destroying corn on said farmlands between August 15 and October 1, inclusive. And in Baltimore City, where squirrels are damaging personal property the owner or tenant of said property may kill said squirrel or squirrels at any time.]

[Partridges (quail)] *Quail*

November 15 to February 15, inclusive.

[Male English Ringneck, Mongolian or melanistic mutant pheasant or any other imported species, ruffed grouse,] *Pheasant*, rabbit or hare.

November 15 to February 15, inclusive [.] . [except ruffed grouse which shall not be hunted in Allegany and Garrett counties after January 5. It shall be unlawful to hunt any upland game in any manner in Garrett and Allegany counties during the open season for the hunting of deer.]

Blackbirds and grackles

May be hunted for a period to be fixed annually by the Commission.

Bear

During regular male deer season only, if prescribed by the Commission.

Male deer with two or more points to one antler, provided male deer with an antler three or more inches long, with the points measuring from the top of the skull as the deer is in life.

May be hunted [, pursued or killed] for a period *to be fixed annually by the Commission*. [of eight hunting days beginning on that Friday immediately following Thanksgiving in each and every year.]

Antlerless deer

The Commission may prescribe an open season for antlerless deer, by special permit [,] *when deemed advisable*, at such times and in such counties as the Commission shall in its discretion prescribe by regulation. [said antlerless deer season to be concluded on the third Saturday in December and the Commission may consider, among other factors, the deer population