

119J. Any manufacturer or dealer who makes or sells, or offers to sell or dispose of, or has in his or her possession, with intent to sell or dispose of, any article of merchandise comprised of works or movements, and a case or covering applied or attached thereto, wholly or partially concealing said works or movements marked, stamped or branded with the words "coin" or "coin silver," unless said case or covering shall contain not less than nine hundred one-thousandths parts of pure silver, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Articles of works or movements, etc., stamped coin silver.

119K. Every person, firm, corporation or association guilty of a violation of any of the provisions of this Act shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined in any sum not exceeding five hundred dollars, or imprisonment in a common jail not exceeding one year, or both, at the discretion of the court.

Penalty for violation.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1900.

Approved April 7, 1900.

CHAPTER 399.

AN ACT to allow the Mayor and City Council to appeal to the Comptroller of the State Treasury and State Treasurer from decisions of the Tax Commissioners.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That if the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore claim to be aggrieved by any decision of the State Tax Commissioner upon any valuation and assessment, the said Mayor and City Council of Baltimore may appeal from said decision to the Comptroller of the Treasury and State Treasurer. If no such appeal be taken within thirty days from any decision of the Tax Commissioner, the said valuation and assessment shall be final; but if such appeal shall be taken within thirty days from any decision, there shall be stated in such appeal the reasons and grounds of such appeal; and said Comptroller and Treasurer shall consider the same, and if the Comptroller and Treasurer shall both be of the opinion that such valuation and assessment so made by the State Tax Commissioner is erroneous, and ought to be changed, they shall change the same accordingly, and the valuation and assessment so agreed upon by the Comptroller and Treasurer shall be final; but if either the Comptroller or Treasurer shall agree with the State Tax Commissioner as to the correctness of the valuation so made by him, then such appeal shall be dismissed, and the original valuation shall be and remain as the true valuation.

Mayor and City Council of Baltimore may appeal from decisions of State Tax Commissioner