

SECTION 29. *And be it further enacted*, That Sections 88(c), 88(d), 94, 467(c), 467(d), and 594D of Article 27 Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Replacement Volume) title and subtitle "Crimes and Punishments" subheadings, respectively, "Desertion of Wife or Child," "Receiving Stolen Goods, Money or Securities," and subtitle "Venue, Procedure and Sentence," subheading, "Personal Summons in Lieu of Arrest—Prince George's County," be and they are hereby repealed.

SECTION 30. *And be it further enacted*, That Sections 3,8,9,10, and 11 of Article 29 Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Replacement Volume) title "Currency" be and they are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

§ 3. Judgments, decrees, fines and penalties to be expressed in dollars and cents.

All judgments and decrees in suits and actions to be rendered and passed in any court [of law or equity or by any justice of the peace] in this State and all penalties, fines and forfeitures shall be rendered, given, made or imposed in dollars and cents.

§ 8. Same—Liberal interpretation.

The preceding sections in relation to the issuing or circulating of promissory notes, orders, bills, evidences of debt and other paper securities shall receive a liberal interpretation to suppress the mischief, and any note, bill, order or other writing designed or used as money or currency shall be considered a paper security within the meaning of the said sections; and the forfeitures imposed in said sections shall be recovered [before a justice of the peace] *in the District Court* as small debts [one half to the informer and the other half to the State].

§ 9. Foreign notes, scrip, etc., of less than five dollars denomination—Circulation prohibited.

It shall not be lawful for any person, firm or association of persons, corporation or body politic to pay out, circulate or receive in payment of any debt any bank note, promissory note or other obligation payable to bearer, or endorsed in blank or to bearer, or any other note, token, scrip or device whatsoever, devised or intended for circulation as currency issued without the limits of this State, of a less denomination than five dollars under a penalty of five dollars for each offense, to be recovered by an action of debt in the name of the State [before any justice of the peace of the State] *in the District Court*, and it shall not be lawful for any bank, savings institution, corporation, or body politic of this State, or for any person or association of persons, to make, issue or pay out any notice or device of the nature and character described in this section of a less denomination than five dollars under the penalty prescribed in this section for each offense, and to be recovered in the same manner.

§ 10. Same—Disposition of fine.

[One half of t] The penalty recovered in any case under § 9 shall go to the *State if recovered in the District Court, or if recovered in the circuit court for any county or the Criminal Court of Baltimore, it*