

viction thereof before any [justice of the peace] *District Court judge* of the county or city where the offense was committed, shall be fined not less than fifty dollars (\$50.00) nor more than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) for each and every offense [and shall stand committed to the county jail or the Baltimore City jail until such fine is paid, but such imprisonment shall not exceed thirty (30) days for each offense.]. *All fines and costs shall be paid in accordance with Article 38, § 4.*

Provided, however, if a person to whom a hunting license has been duly issued, through inadvertence, has not the same in his possession at the time of arrest, he may present same to the [justice or] court before whom he was convicted within five days after conviction and if the court [or justice] finds said license and tag were duly issued prior to the apprehension of said person then in that event at the discretion of said court [or justice] the fine imposed may be \$5.00 for each and every offense instead of the fines as herein prescribed for residents and the fines as herein prescribed for nonresidents.

Provided, however, that in Cecil County any person accused hereof shall be tried by the [trial magistrate] *District Court* geographically located nearest to the place wherein the alleged offense was alleged to have been committed.

§ 165D. Penalty for violations.

Any person convicted before any [justice of the peace of this State] *District Court judge* for violating any of the provisions of this subheading or any of the rules and regulations formulated in accordance with the provisions thereof, shall be fined not less than twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) nor more than fifty dollars (\$50.00) and costs for each and every offense.

§ 176. Fur dealer's license and report.

(p) Penalty.—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction before any [justice of the peace or] court of competent jurisdiction of this State shall be fined not less than twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) nor more than fifty dollars (\$50.00) for each and every offense and may be sentenced to thirty (30) days in jail, either or both at the discretion of the court [or justice of the peace], and in addition to said fine and imprisonment shall be fined five dollars (\$5.00) for each fur or pet or wild quadruped in possession in violation of the law. All such illegal furs, pelts or wild quadrupeds found in the possession of any person in this State shall be confiscated by the officer making the arrest and be delivered to the Director who may dispose of same as he may deem advisable for the best interest of the State.

§ 177. Resident State taxidermist and fur-tanning license.

(d) Penalty.—Any person or persons violating any of the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction before any [justice of the peace or a] court of competent jurisdiction shall be fined not less than twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) nor more than fifty dollars (\$50.00) for each and every offense and may be sentenced to thirty (30) days in jail, either or both, at the discretion of the court [or justice of the peace] before