

thereto, indicating or stating a greater number of yards or larger quantity than is actually contained in such package or parcel; and any auctioneer, commission merchant or other dealer so selling, shall in each case forfeit and pay to the purchaser of each package or parcel, double the value of the quantity of goods which on actual measurement it shall be found there is wanting in such package or parcel to make up the number of yards or quantity marked thereon.

P. G. L., (1860,) art. 96, sec. 24 1849, ch. 94, sec. 2.

**25.** All sums not exceeding one hundred dollars forfeited and payable under the preceding section, shall be recoverable by the purchaser before a justice of the peace as other debts, and all sums exceeding one hundred dollars by action of debt in any court having jurisdiction thereof in the city of Baltimore or county where such sales were made.

#### **Grain.**

1868, ch. 445.

**26.** All charges for freight measurement, weighing, inspection, wharfage and commission on grain, shall be made on the number of bushels as ascertained by weight and not by the running measure; and any one found guilty of a violation of this section shall, on conviction thereof before a justice of the peace, be fined not less than five nor more than fifty dollars, one-half to the informer and the other half to the use of the State; provided, that any one feeling himself aggrieved by any such judgment shall have the right of appeal to the circuit court for the county or the Baltimore city court, as the case may be, on giving bond in the usual form to prosecute such appeal, and for the payment of the judgment and costs if such judgment should be affirmed.

#### **Charcoal.**

1884, ch. 42.

**27.** The standard measure of charcoal shall be two thousand seven hundred and forty-eight cubic inches for each and every bushel thereof, and when sold by weight, a bushel shall be twenty pounds (commercially dry.)