

battery or other contrivance or device for the purpose of hunting or killing of Elk or Deer except as permitted by this Act.

(b) It shall be unlawful for any person to kill more than one buck deer, with two or more points to one antler, during open season, said open season applying only to Allegany County and to any game preserve in Washington County enclosed by a fence not less than seven feet high, and in Garrett County. It shall be unlawful to shoot, trap, pursue or kill, or gun or hunt for, any fawn or female deer at any time within the limits of this State.

(c) Any person violating any of the provisions of Section 73, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction before any Justice of the Peace of this State, shall be fined three hundred (\$300) dollars and costs for each and every offense. Any person who fails to pay the fine so imposed shall stand committed to jail until the fine and costs shall have been paid, but such imprisonment shall not exceed ninety days for any one offense.

Any person other than the State Game Warden, Deputy Game Warden, or officer receiving compensation from the Conservation Department of Maryland who shall procure the conviction of any person violating any of the provisions of Sections 60, 61, 62 and 73 shall receive one-half of the fine recovered, the remaining one-half shall be paid to the State Game Warden or to the State Comptroller to be placed to the credit of the State Game Protection Fund to be used as provided by law.

If any clause, sentence, paragraph or section of Sections 60, 61, 62 and 73 shall, for any reason, be adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional and invalid, such judgment shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remainder thereof, but shall be confined in its operation to the clause, sentence, paragraph, or section thereof, so found unconstitutional and invalid.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That all laws or parts of laws of the State of Maryland, general or local, inconsistent with the provisions of this Act, be and the same are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1931.

Approved April 17, 1931.