

61. The judge of said court shall hold a court every Saturday during the year, on which day no petit jury shall be in attendance, unless such jury has been empanelled, and the case before it not concluded.

62. All commitments and recognizances for all felonies, crimes, offences and misdemeanors committed within said city, shall be returned from time to time by any justice of the peace taking the same before said court, and shall be lodged with the clerk of said court on the day next preceding the day appointed for holding the said court.

63. The said court shall have concurrent jurisdiction with the Superior Court of Baltimore city, in all cases of controversies between masters, servants, and including petitions for freedom.

64. In all cases of misdemeanor, which may be prosecuted in said court, at the instance of any person, if the party or parties so prosecuted shall be acquitted, all the legal costs and expenses attending the prosecution shall be paid by the person at whose instance such prosecution was commenced, unless the court shall certify that there was probable cause for the prosecution.

65. The same process may be issued for the recovery of the costs and expenses of such prosecution against the person who may become liable therefor under the last preceding section, as could be issued against the party prosecuted, if he, she or they had been convicted.

66. Whenever the grand jury shall find any presentment against any person for a misdemeanor, they shall endorse on the presentment the name of the person at whose instance such presentment is made, who shall be deemed and taken to be the person at whose instance such prosecution was commenced.

67. If any security in any recognizance shall request to deliver up the principal, the said court, or the judge thereof in the recess, may accept such surrender, and may require and take other recognizance, or commit the principal to jail until he gives such security as the law requires.

68. If any person convicted in said court shall have a child or children under the age of twenty-one years, and shall not have property sufficient to maintain such child or children, the said