

exceed the sum of five dollars, and in all misdemeanors not punishable by confinement in the penitentiary, which may be committed within their respective jurisdictions; and shall have jurisdiction in all prosecutions or proceedings for the recovery of any penalty for doing or omitting to do any act, the doing of which, or the omission to do which, is made punishable under the laws of this State, within their said jurisdiction by any pecuniary fine or penalty or by imprisonment in jail or in the Maryland House of Correction; all of which acts or omissions are hereby declared to be criminal offences; and the said justices shall have power to issue all process and to do all acts which may be necessary to the exercise of their said jurisdiction, and may try and determine all cases whereof they may have jurisdiction, and may pronounce judgment and sentence therein in the same manner and to the same extent as the Circuit Court for said counties could in such cases, if such cases were tried before them without the intervention of a jury; provided, however, that if any person, when brought before any such justice having jurisdiction of the case, shall before trial for the alleged offense pray a jury trial, or if the State's Attorney for said county shall, before the trial of such alleged offense, pray a jury trial on the part of the State, it shall be the duty of any such justice to commit such alleged offender for trial in the Circuit Court for the county in which the offense was committed at its then session, if it be then in session, or at its next session, if it be not then in session, and to return said commitment or recognizance, with the names and residences of the witnesses for the prosecution endorsed thereon, forthwith to the clerk of the said court; and the justice before whom the case is tried shall inform the person charged of his right to a jury trial.

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 6, sec. 190. 1884, ch. 510. 1920, ch. 719.

360. The Constables of Caroline County shall be entitled to charge for their respective services in both criminal and civil cases the following fees:—For serving State warrant, and return, seventy-five cents and ten cents a mile for each mile traveled; for serving search warrant, seventy-five cents; for serving summons in civil suit and return, seventy-five cents; for serving summons for witnesses and return, each witness, fifty cents; for levying *feri facias* and return, one dollar; for delivering a person committed over to the jailor, seventy-five cents and ten cents for each mile traveled; for summoning jury of inquest, each juror, twenty cents; for serving writ of replevin and return, seventy-five cents; for serving distraint warrant one dollar; for summoning and swearing appraisers, twenty-five cents each; for serving an attachment in the hands of each garnishee, seventy-five cents; for poundage fees on any distraint replevin, attachment or *feri facias*, 8 per cent. on the first \$25.00, 3 per cent. on the residue; for taking each and every person committed to the Maryland House of Correction or other institution, ten dollars and all traveling expenses for both officer and prisoner or prisoners; and the justices of the peace of Caroline County shall be entitled to charge for their respective services in both civil and criminal cases the following fees: For docketing and index-