

P. G. L., (1860,) art 50, sec. 11. 1798, ch 94.

**15.** The several courts of this State shall at all times have power to direct talesmen to be summoned to serve on juries, where, without such talesmen, there would not be twenty of the original panel, exclusive of the jury charged, from whom a jury can be formed; or may direct such tales to be summoned whenever, by challenging or otherwise, a sufficient number of jurors cannot be had to try the case, either civil or criminal.

Ibid. sec. 12. 1798, ch. 94.

**16.** If the parties or their counsel agree, the drawing of a panel of twenty jurors in any cause may be dispensed with.

Ibid. sec 13. 1802, ch. 69. 1809, ch 138, secs. 13-14.

**17.** The provisions of the four preceding sections shall apply to all criminal cases where the right of peremptory challenge is not allowed, and the State's attorney for the county or city, or the attorney prosecuting for the State, shall strike for the State.

*Hamlin v. State*, 67 Md 336.

Ibid sec. 14. 1789, ch. 22, sec. 5. 1809, ch. 138, sec. 15.

**18.** Any alien, denizen or foreigner who may be indicted for any offence committed within this State, shall be tried by a jury of the county in the same manner as the citizens thereof, and there shall be no challenge either to the array or the polls for the want of foreigners on the panel or jury that may be returned.

Ibid. sec. 15. 1816, ch. 45. 1841, ch. 162. 1872, ch. 40.

**19.** The right of peremptory challenge shall be allowed to any person who shall be tried on presentment or indictment for any crime or misdemeanor, the punishment whereof, by law, is death or confinement in the penitentiary, and to the State on the trial of such indictment or presentment; but the accused shall not challenge more than twenty, nor the State more than four jurors, without assigning cause.

*Turpin v. State*, 55 Md. 464. *Hamlin v State*, 67 Md. 336.

Ibid. sec 16. 1816, ch. 193, sec. 9. 1854, ch. 28. 1865, ch. 78. 1880, ch. 441.

**20.** Jurors shall receive two dollars and a half per day, for each and every day they shall attend the several courts of this