

so summoned, and refusing to appear or to be sworn, or to answer, shall be liable to prosecution therefor, and upon conviction before a justice of the peace, shall be fined not exceeding thirty dollars for each offence, said fine to be paid into the county treasury to the credit of the public school fund; and every summons issued under this section shall be returnable on the day named therein, and shall be directed to the sheriff of the county, who shall receive the same fees, and be liable to the same penalties as are now received or incurred by him in the service of summons or citations issued by the orphans' court.

1884, ch. 171.

114. The pay of witnesses for attendance before the county commissioners shall be the same as for attendance before the circuit court, and shall be regulated in the same manner.

1880, ch. 110. 1888, ch. 289.

115. The county commissioners shall, before making their annual levy in each and every year, contract for printing and publishing, for the period of one year from the date of making such contract, all matters required by law to be published, except the public local laws which may be passed at each session of the general assembly, in two newspapers of opposite political parties, and not more than two; which papers shall be, respectively, of largest circulation, each of its own party, published in Cecil county; provided, said contract shall not allow for compensation for such printing and publication a sum exceeding in the aggregate twelve hundred dollars.

Ibid.

116. If they shall not succeed in effecting such contract with the two newspapers of largest circulation and representing the opposite political parties as aforesaid, then they are authorized to contract with any other two papers representing the opposite political parties, and published in Cecil county, who will agree to do the said work for a sum not exceeding in the aggregate the sum of twelve hundred dollars.

Ibid.

117. They shall cause to be published in the two newspapers representing opposite political parties, having largest circulation,