

under summons; the pay of each bailiff and messenger to the court shall be two dollars per day; the *per diem* of each crier to said court shall be two dollars, and the same fees as are now allowed; and the certificate of the clerk of the circuit court, expressing the number of days any of the foregoing officers, jurors or witnesses, whose fees are properly chargeable against the county, may be entitled to for such attendance, shall be sufficient authority for the treasurer of said county to pay the amount therein specified on presentation.

**JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES.**

1872, ch. 155. 1876, ch. 299. 1882, ch. 404.

**82.** There shall be the following number of justices of the peace and constables for Charles county, to wit: for election district number one, one justice of the peace and two constables; for election district number two, two justices of the peace and two constables; for election district number three, three justices of the peace and two constables; for election district number four, three justices of the peace and two constables; for election district number five, two justices of the peace and two constables; for election district number six, three justices of the peace and two constables; for election district number seven, two justices of the peace and two constables; for election district number eight, four justices of the peace and two constables; and for election district number nine, two justices of the peace and two constables.

1870, ch. 484.

**83.** The justices of the peace in and for Charles, Carroll, Caroline, Dorchester, Harford, Kent, Prince George's, Queen Anne's, Worcester, Anne Arundel, and Calvert counties, shall have jurisdiction over and may take cognizance of all actions of assault and battery in which the damages claimed do not exceed the sum of one hundred dollars; and also criminal jurisdiction in all cases of assault and battery committed in said counties, unless it shall appear to the said justices of the peace, upon the hearing of the case, that the said assault and battery was committed with intent to kill.