

and determine such cases when the parties arrested as tramps are brought before them, respectively, and to acquit such persons or to sentence them for such offense if convicted, unless such respective persons so charged, when so brought before them, respectively, and before they are respectively tried, as aforesaid, shall pray a jury trial. If any person charged with being a tramp, brought before a justice of the peace selected to sit at a station house in the city of Baltimore, shall pray a jury trial as aforesaid, it shall be the duty of the said justice of the peace to commit such person for trial, or to hold him to bail to appear before the criminal court of Baltimore, and to return the commitment or recognizance in such case to the clerk of the said court; and if any person charged with being a tramp, brought before a justice of the peace for any county in this State, shall pray a jury trial as aforesaid, it shall be the duty of the said justice of the peace to commit such person for trial or to hold him to bail to appear for trial before the circuit court for the county in which such person was arrested at the pending term of said circuit court, if it be then in session, or at the next term thereof if it be not then in session. Such respective justices of the peace shall endorse upon the commitment or recognizance of any such person so praying a jury trial the names and places of residence of the witnesses on behalf of the prosecution, and shall cause such respective witnesses to enter into recognizance for their respective appearance against such person in the court into which such commitment or recognizance for the appearance of the party charged is returned at the time prescribed for the appearance in such court of the person so charged. This section not to apply to Allegany county.

State v. Glenn, 54 Md. 600.

1894, ch. 481, sec. 276 A.

427. The officers and board of directors of the Friendly Inn of Baltimore City, and the officers and directors and managers of any other charitable corporation heretofore formed, or which may be hereafter formed, under either the general incorporation law of this State or by special act, for the charitable purpose, in whole or in part, of supplying food and lodging to the needy without demanding or receiving compensation in money therefor, may, and the said officers, directors and managers are hereby authorized and empowered to require any person applying to them for, and receiving from them, either food or lodging in any house, home or building maintained by