

the limits of this State, and without the body of any county thereof, and all aiders, abettors, comforters and accessories thereof and thereto, may be indicted and tried in any court of this State having jurisdiction of similar crimes, offenses and misdemeanors, of the county in which he may be arrested, or into which he may be first brought.

Taylor v. State, 79 Md. 135.

1888, art. 27, sec. 281. 1880, ch. 485.

433. Any person who may commit any indictable offense on a steamboat or railroad train within the State of Maryland may be presented, indicted, tried and convicted in any county or city from, to or through which the said boat or train may run, and on arrest be taken before, and in case of bailable offenses, be held to bail by any justice of the peace in any such county or city; but such presentment, indictment and trial shall be in the same county and city in which such justice of the peace shall be.

Ibid sec. 282. 1860, art. 30, sec. 91. 1793, ch. 57. 1809, ch. 144. sec. 2.
1852, ch. 344.

434. Any person presented or indicted may, instead of traversing the same before a jury, traverse the same before the court, who shall thereupon try the law and the facts.

Davidson v. State, 77 Md. 395.

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Ibid sec. 283. 1860, art 30, sec. 79 1852, ch. 176, sec 1.

435. Whenever the misnomer of any defendant or defendants is pleaded in abatement to any indictment in any of the courts of this State having criminal jurisdiction, it shall be lawful for the State's attorney prosecuting the same, or other person prosecuting for the State, on application to the court, to amend the said indictment by inserting in the place of the name or names so erroneously set forth in the said indictment the true name or names of such party or parties, as disclosed in the said plea of abatement, and it shall be the duty of the clerk of the court to endorse the amendment, and to enter the said case upon the docket of the court, according to the true name or names of the party or parties so indicted.

Hammond v. State, 14 Md. 147.

Ibid. sec. 284 1860, art 30, sec. 80 1852, ch 176, sec 2.

436. Whenever it shall appear after a jury is sworn on any indictment, in any of the courts of this State having criminal