

them so to do shall be a misdemeanor punishable as hereinafter provided.

227 A. They shall also levy annually to said sheriff for carrying and conveying each person under sentence to the penitentiary or the house of correction, or to or from any of the jails of any of the other counties of the State, and the jails or station-houses of the city of Baltimore, or to or from any other place of confinement outside of Allegany county, under the sentence or final order of any authorized judicial authority, the sum of twenty-five dollars for one person so carried and conveyed, and for each additional person so carried and conveyed at the same time, fifteen dollars additional, and said compensation so specified shall be held to include all expenses incidental to the carrying and conveying of such person or persons; provided, that the said sheriff shall convey and shall be held and required to convey to each of such institutions or any of them, at one and the same time all persons sentenced to be so conveyed at the same term of court.

Convey-
ance fee

227 B. No other or additional fee, perquisite, allowance or compensation whatever shall be granted, allowed or levied for said sheriff, except such as are specified and allowed by the Code of Public General Laws relating to sheriffs, and such fee or fees so allowed shall be in full payment by the county to the sheriff for all labor, time and expense connected with, incidental to, or in any way arising from the full performance of said service or services for which said fee or fees are specified or allowed by said Code of Public General Laws relating to sheriffs, notwithstanding any custom to allow larger or other fees in the past.

No other
fee.

227 C. If said board of county commissioners shall levy and allow any other or greater, or additional fee or compensation for any service than that specified and allowed by the Code of Public General Laws relating to sheriffs, or shall knowingly violate any of the provisions of this act, or wilfully neglect or omit to do any of the things by this act by them required to be done, then and in such case each of the members of said board of county commissioners so voting to levy or allow such other, greater or additional fee or compensation to said sheriff, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of not less than one hundred dollars nor more than five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for not more than six months or both in the discretion of the court; and said county commissioners shall keep in their office a record of the vote of each member on each levy, and such vote shall be taken by "ayes" and "nays."

Misdemeanor

227 D. And it shall be the duty of the State's attorney for Allegany county, and he is hereby directed and required to examine and closely scrutinize each annual levy by the county commissioners to the sheriff as soon as the same is made, and to lay

Violations.