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Approved March 27th, 1896.

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CHAPTER 109.

AN ACT to repeal Section eleven (11) of Article thirty-five (35) of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Evidence," sub-title "Attendance and Pay of Witnesses," so far as the same applies to Washington county, and to re-enact the same with amendments, to be known as Section four hundred and twenty-five A, to follow Section four hundred and twenty-five, Code of Public Local Laws, title "Washington County," sub-title "Witnesses."

Repeal.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That section eleven (11) of Article thirty-five (35) of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Evidence," sub-title "Attendance and Pay of Witnesses," so far as the same applies to Washington county, be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments, to be known as section four hundred and twenty-five A, to follow section four hundred and twenty-five, Code of Public Local Laws, title "Washington County," sub-title "Witnesses," so as to read as follows:

New secti.n.

Pay of witnesses.

425 A. A witness summoned before a justice of the peace shall be allowed thirty-three (33) cents per day for each day's attendance, and in all criminal cases when the judgment is in favor of the defendant, the justice of the peace before whom the same are tried, shall certify the amount due each witness summoned and attending said trials on both sides; and in cases where the judgment is in favor of the State and the defendant is unable to pay the costs, he shall in like manner so certify the amounts due each witness summoned by the State therein and attending such trials; and upon presentation of such certificate, the County Commissioners shall pay to such witness the amount of fee so certified to by the justice of the peace.

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