

or taken agreeably to the direction of the writ or other process under which the same shall have been levied, seized or taken; and shall also keep and detain in safe custody all and every person committed to his custody, or by him taken in execution, or which shall be committed for want of bail, without suffering them to escape or depart from his custody, and shall also satisfy and pay all judgments which be rendered against him as coroner, and shall also well and truly execute and perform the several duties required of or imposed upon him by the laws of the State; and the said bond shall immediately after the execution thereof be recorded in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court for Allegany County.

SEC. 3CC. The provisions of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland in relation to the return of process in the hands of a sheriff upon his death or removal shall apply to process in the hands of the coroner for Allegany county upon the happening of the like event.

SEC. 4DD. The coroner for Allegany county shall not summon or hold any jury of inquest over the body of any deceased person where it is known that the deceased came to his death by accident, mischance, or in any other manner, except where said person died in jail, or where there are such circumstances attending the death or case as to amount to a strong probability or reasonable belief that the deceased came to his death by violence or by felony.

SEC. 5EE. Whenever a jury shall be convened by the coroner for Allegany county, or a justice of the peace acting as coroner, on the body of any person found dead, or supposed to have died from violence, within said county, whereon any marks of violence shall appear, the jurors after being sworn, and also the coroner or justice, may require the attendance of a physician practicing within the said county, to inform himself, by due examination of the deceased, of the cause of death, and to testify and give evidence before the said jury and coroner, or justice, in the premises, but no physician shall be required to appear and make such examination unless there be reasonable cause to believe, from marks of violence and otherwise on the body of the deceased, that the deceased did not come to his death from accident or natural causes. If any physician summoned on a coroner's inquest shall neglect or refuse to attend or to make the examination required, or to give evidence as aforesaid, he shall be fined as any other witness.

SEC. 6FF. The said coroner or justice, in the account of expenses rendered to the County Commissioners for holding such inquest, shall include such sum for said physician as said coroner or justice and jurors shall deem just, not to exceed the