

they are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, and that seven new sections be and they are hereby added to said Article, said new section to be known as Sections 370A, 370B, 373A, 374A, 374AA, 374AAA and 374B, to follow immediately after Sections 370, 373 and 374, respectively, and all to read as follows:

370. In addition to the Justices of the Peace hereinbefore mentioned, there shall be appointed by the Governor, by and with the consent of the Senate, and if the Senate shall not be in session, by the Governor, for Allegany County at large an additional Justice of the Peace to be known as the Magistrate for Juvenile Causes, who shall receive a salary of two thousand seven hundred and sixty dollars (\$2,760), per year, payable monthly, two-thirds by the County Commissioners for Allegany County and the other one-third by the Mayor and City Council of Cumberland, Maryland, and the jurisdiction and powers of such Justice shall be as follows: (1) He shall possess the general powers of a Justice of the Peace and also of the Justice of the Peace who is selected to sit at the Police Court in the City of Cumberland as the same are now or may hereafter be defined; (2) He shall have full power and jurisdiction over and with respect to delinquent, neglected, dependent and feeble-minded children under the age of eighteen years, and of any person causing, encouraging or contributing towards delinquency, neglect or dependency of any such child; he shall have exclusive jurisdiction in all cases of trial or commitment for trials or commitment to any juvenile institution of any minor under eighteen years of age where jurisdiction is given to any Justice of the Peace; (3) He shall sit each weekday for the discharge of his duties from nine o'clock A. M. to twelve o'clock Noon and from one o'clock P. M. to three-thirty o'clock P. M., with the exception of Saturday when he shall sit from nine o'clock A. M. to twelve o'clock Noon; and at such proper places as may be provided by the Board of County Commissioners for Allegany County; (4) He shall have power at any stage of the proceedings in the case of a child who is charged with the commission of any crime or whose care, commitment or custody is involved before said Magistrate for Juvenile Causes, to suspend sentence, to suspend final judgment or order further proceedings for such period of time or for an indefinite period of time as may be deemed necessary, and place such child on probation in the care of and under the supervision and direction of the Probation Officer hereinafter provided for, and at the time of suspension of certain or further proceedings or subsequent thereto, the said Magistrate for Juvenile Causes may im-