

only such persons admitted as have a direct interest in the case;

(9) No adjudication by the Magistrate for Juvenile Causes upon the status of any child shall operate to impose any civil disabilities, nor shall any child be deemed a criminal by reason of such adjudication. The proceedings with reference to a child or any evidence given before the Magistrate for Juvenile Causes shall not be admissible as evidence against the child in any case or proceedings in any other court, unless it be upon an appeal from the Magistrate for Juvenile Causes;

(10) He shall have original, exclusive jurisdiction concerning any child who is dependent, delinquent, neglected or feeble-minded;

(11) He shall have original, exclusive jurisdiction to try, subject to the right of trial by jury unless waived, any parent, guardian, adult or other person causing, encouraging or contributing towards the dependency, delinquency or neglect of any child as hereinafter defined.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1949.

Approved April 29, 1949.

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CHAPTER 525

(House Bill 169)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sub-section (a) of Section 37B of Article 87 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1947 Supplement), title "Sheriffs", sub-title "Compensation and Duties", relating to the compensation of the sheriff of Allegany County.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Sub-section (a) of Section 37B of Article 87 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1947 Supplement), title "Sheriffs", sub-title "Compensation and Duties", be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

37B.

(a) The Sheriff of Allegany County shall receive an annual salary of \$4,000.