

the offense or charge to the said trustees, and so ordered by them to punish the offender; and any overseer or officer of said almshouse violating the provisions of this section shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not less than five dollars and not more than twenty-five dollars for each offense, and shall be dismissed from said almshouse.

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 2, sec. 22. 1894, ch. 445. 1914 Code, sec. 21. 1916, ch. 661, sec. 21.

**111.** Any two Trustees may, under their hands, in writing, appoint what poor shall be received into said County Home.

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 2, sec. 24. 1894, ch. 445. 1914 Code, sec. 22.

**112.** The penalties and forfeitures prescribed in Sections 93 and 99, may be recovered by action of debt, or by indictment in the Circuit Court for said county, for the use of the almshouse.

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 2, sec. 25. 1894, ch. 445. 1914 Code, sec. 23.

**113.** All sheriffs, bailiffs, constables and other officers, shall aid the said trustees, and the officers appointed by them, in the discharge of their respective duties.

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 2, sec. 26. 1894, ch. 445. 1914 Code, sec. 24.

**114.** If any person shall be sued or prosecuted for anything done in pursuance of this subtitle of this Article, or anything therein contained, he may plead the general issue and give the special matter in evidence, and if upon trial, verdict shall be found for the defendant, or the plaintiff be non-suited or discontinued, the defendant shall recover treble costs; and if the plaintiff shall be unable to pay them, they shall be paid by the attorney who brought or prosecuted the suit, unless the plaintiff shall give security for them, to be approved by the Court.

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 2, sec. 27. 1894, ch. 445. 1914 Code, sec. 25.

**115.** If any person, without the consent in writing of the Trustees or overseer of the almshouse, shall sell, give, dispose of or barter, any spirituous or fermented liquors to any pauper connected with or living at said almshouse, he shall on conviction before any court or justice of the peace of said county be fined not less than five nor more than twenty-five dollars for each offense, in the discretion of the justice, for the use of the almshouse.

1894, ch. 445. 1914 Code, sec. 26.

**116.** All persons or corporations having claims against "The Trustees of the Poor of Anne Arundel County" shall submit the same in writing to the Board of Trustees at some one of the stated meetings, for their examination; and the signatures of at least three members of the board shall be required as the evidence of examination and approval before the same is paid by the treasurer of said county.