

JEWS.

Declaration
by Jews.

1824, *ch.* 205.—**SEC. 1.** Every citizen of this state professing the Jewish religion, and who shall hereafter be appointed to any office or public trust under the state of Maryland, shall in addition to the oaths required to be taken by the constitution and laws of the state, or of the United States, make and subscribe a declaration of his belief in a future state of rewards and punishments, in the stead of the declaration now required by the constitution and form of government of this state.

RIGHT OF SUFFRAGE.

Every free
white male
citizen
above 21
years of
age, &c.
to vote.

1809, *ch.* 83.—**SEC. 1.** Every free white male citizen of this state, above twenty-one years of age, and no other, having resided twelve months within this state and six months in the county, or in the city of Annapolis or Baltimore, next preceding the election at which he offers to vote, shall have a right of suffrage, and shall vote, by ballot, in the election of such county or city, or either of them, for electors of the president and vice-president of the United States, for representatives of this state in the congress of the United States, for delegates to the general assembly of this state, * * * * and sheriffs.

TAXES.

No tax to
be imposed
for the sup-
port of
religion.

1809, *ch.* 167.—**SEC. 1.** It shall not be lawful for the general assembly of this state to lay an equal and general tax, or any other tax, on the people of this state, for the support of any religion.

LOTTERY.

Lottery
grants, &c.
forbid.

1834, *ch.* 219.—**SEC. 1.** After the expiration of existing lottery grants, the legislature of Maryland shall not pass any law authorizing the drawing of any lottery, or the traffic or dealing in lottery tickets, or schemes or devices in the nature of lotteries, or the distribution of money or property by chance.

CLERKS AND REGISTERS.

Governor
to nominate
and by ad-
vice of the
senate
appoint.

1836, *ch.* 224.—**SEC. 1.** From and after the confirmation of this act the governor shall nominate, and by and with the advice and consent of the senate, shall appoint the clerks of the several county courts, the clerk of the court of appeals for the western shore, the clerk of the court of appeals for the eastern shore, the clerk of Baltimore city court, the register of the high court of chancery, and the registers of wills throughout the state, and that the persons so appointed shall continue in office for and during the term of seven years, from the date of their respective appointments; *Provided nevertheless*, that the persons who shall

Term seven
years.