

SEC. 270s. Before separating on the last day said board of registry shall make out a list with the registered address of all those who have been registered as qualified voters, whom either one of the officers of registration suspects not to be qualified voters, or against whom any voter of the city may have made complaint, as above provided. If said board of registry shall, however, know that any person so complained of is a qualified voter, then such name need not be put upon the list of suspected persons. The officers of registration shall, on or before the Saturday next following, sign a notice and send the same through the mail duly stamped to the address as given in the registry, of each person who is upon such suspected list, requiring such person to appear before the board of registry upon the Tuesday following, giving the time of such session, and show cause why his name should not be erased from such registers; proper blanks and postage stamps shall be furnished for this purpose by the city register. A similar notice shall also be served by one of said officers upon such person before the following Tuesday, and if he cannot be found at the place designated upon such registers, the notice shall be left there if such place can be found. Any officer of registration, or other person acting temporarily as such, as hereinafter provided, who willfully neglects to perform his duty shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction shall be imprisoned in jail not less than thirty days nor more than sixty days. In case of temporary disability on the part of any officer of registration, the city register may appoint a temporary officer and administer to him the usual oath of office, and said temporary officer of registration shall perform all the duties of the office, until the disability of the regular officer is removed, and it shall be the duty of the officers of registration, so far as may be in their power, to inform themselves as to all the persons whose names may be on such suspect list.

SEC. 270v. Any person who feels aggrieved by the action of any board of registry in refusing to register him as a qualified voter, or in erasing or misspelling his name, or that of any other person on the registry or in registering or in failing to erase the name of any fictitious, deceased or disqualified person, may at any time, either before or after the last session of the board of registry, but not later than the Saturday next preceding the election, file a petition, verified by affidavit, in the Circuit Court for Frederick County, setting forth the ground of his application, and asking to have the registry corrected. The Court shall forthwith set the petition for hearing and direct summons to be issued requiring the board of regis-