

"160. Persons appointed judges or clerks of primary elections shall each take and subscribe an oath substantially in the following form:

"I——do hereby solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will discharge faithfully the duties of judge or clerk of the primary election of the——political party for the ——precinct of the——ward or district.

Witness my hand this——day of——19——In the city of Baltimore this oath shall be taken and subscribed before the Board of Supervisors of Elections or some one of them, who shall certify to the same having been taken.

"In the counties this oath may be taken and subscribed before the Board of Supervisors, or a member thereof, or before any justice of the peace or notary public, and when taken before a justice of the peace or notary public shall be delivered to the inspector of the said primary election, and by him, at the close of the said primary election, returned to the Board of Supervisors of Elections at the same time he returns the ballot box, registries and tally sheets.

"All the oaths taken by the judges or clerks of primary elections shall be preserved by the Board of Supervisors of Elections for the space of one year at least, and may be preserved for a longer period if in the judgment of the said Board of Supervisors of Elections there is any reason for such longer preservation. The Board of Supervisors of Elections shall issue a commission to each primary election judge and clerk substantially in the following form:

"Know all men by these presents, That —— having been duly appointed and qualified as judge or clerk for the primary election of the —— political party to be held on the —— day of —— 19——, in the —— precinct of ——, district or ward of —— city or county, is hereby duly commissioned as judge or clerk of said primary election.

"Witness the seal of the Board of Supervisors of Elections this —— day of ——, 19——, and the hand of its president.

"The commissions in the city of Baltimore shall be delivered to the judges and clerks by the Board of Super-