Affidavit thereon.

hands of whom it may be placed, shall cause the said constable so placing his docket in the hands of said chief justice, to endorse thereon the following affidavit: Maryland, Anne Arundel county, sct. personally appeared before me, chief justice of the magistrates' court for the --- election district in Anne Arundel county, A. B. one of the constables thereof, and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that the docket returned and placed in the hands of --- chief justice of the - election district in said county, is a true and faithful record of all proceedings and business placed in his hands during the year for which said docket has been kept.

Case of neglect of duties.

SEC. 4. And be it enacted, That if any constable or constables, appointed under the provisions of this act, shall fail, neglect or refuse to keep, return or place in the hands of the chief justice of the magistrates' court for the election district in which he is appointed, the said constable or constables so refusing, neglecting or failing to comply with the provisions of this act, shall forfeit and pay over to the said chief justice of the election district for which he may be appointed, the sum of fifty dollars, to be recovered as debts are now recovered before the magistrates' courts in said county, and applied or accounted for in the same manner as all other money is accounted for under the provisions of the law now regulating magistrates' courts in said county.

Liable to \$50 penalty.

121 cts. for docket entry.

SEC. 5. And be it enacted, That whenever any person or persons shall place or cause to be placed in the hands of any constable in any of the several election districts in said county, any account, bond, bill, note or other evidence of debt, or any warrant, writ or execution, or any process which said constable may be by the laws of this state authorized and obliged to serve, on taking or receiving a receipt therefor, shall pay to the said constable the sum of twelve and a half cents as a compensation for making docket entry and receipting therefor.

Constables' docket how disposed of.

SEC. 6. And be it enacted, That the constable's docket so filed and returned, to the chief justice of the magistrates' court for the district for which the said constable doth act, shall be kept by the said court for the purpose of giving or furnishing transcripts to any person or persons who may desire the same; and the said chief justice or either of the associate justices shall be allowed, and are hereby authorized to charge and receive.

121 cui for for a transcript given to any person or persons, the sum of transcripts. twelve and a half cents,