

scribed by law for returning the votes given for delegates to the general assembly, make a separate return of the votes given for the election of members of the said levy court, and the presiding judges when assembled at the court-house, shall in like manner ascertain the number of votes given to each person in the election of members of the said court, and shall make two separate returns thereof, in which the person residing in district No. 1, who shall receive the greatest number of votes in the county, and the persons in the other districts having in like manner the greatest number of votes, shall each be declared as duly elected, to serve as a member of the levy court for his respective district, and one of the said returns shall be deposited with the clerk of the county, and one with the clerk of the levy court, who shall continue to hold his office and discharge the duties thereof till suspended by the appointment of a new clerk.

President.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That the levy court then elected, shall choose one of their members to act as president, and if any member should remove out of the said county, or die, resign, or refuse to serve, or his seat from any other cause should become vacant, then the governor and council shall appoint a person, qualified as aforesaid, to fill such vacancy till the first Monday of the following October.

Vacancies,
how sup-
plied.

Case of a
tie.

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That if in the election of said levy court there should be a tie between the two highest candidates residing in the same district, then the governor and council shall appoint one of the persons thus having an equal number of votes to serve as a member for that district till the next election.

Period of
service;
powers and
duties.

SEC. 7. *And be it enacted*, That the levy court thus elected shall serve one year from the day of their election and hold and exercise all the power and discharge the duties that now belong to the levy court of Queen Anne's county.

A SUPPLEMENT to the ACT, entitled, an Act to provide for electing the Levy Court of Queen Anne's County by the People.—1833, ch. 109.

Draw lots
for terms
to expire.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That after the next election which shall take place for members of the levy court, in Queen Anne's county, and at the first meeting of the same, they shall write the numbers, one, two, three, four and five, on separate tickets, and deposite the same in a hat, and shall proceed each member to draw from the hat a ticket, and the member of said court who shall draw the ticket on which the number one is written, shall cease to be a member of said court after the first Monday of October, then next the one drawing ticket number two, to cease to be a member after the first Monday in October, eighteen hundred and