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Before registering make inquiry.

that said registered person does not possess, or will not possess said qualification, and that he is so disqualified, then said officers shall strike the name of such person from said list of qualified voters and said books of registration; but if it shall appear otherwise then such officer shall not strike the name of such person from said books of registration and from said list of qualified voters; and before registering as a qualified voter any person who has applied to said Officers of Registration to be registered as a qualified voter, said officer shall diligently enquire and accurately ascertain that such person possesses, or will possess before the election next ensuing, the requisite Constitutional qualifications to entitle him to be registered as a qualified voter, and that he is not disqualified under the provisions of the second and third Sections of the first Article of the Constitution; and if it shall appear that said person so applying possesses, or will possess before said day of election said qualifications, and is not so disqualified, then said Officers of Registration shall register the name of such person as a qualified voter, but they shall not register the name of any person who does not, or will not possess said qualifications, or is so disqualified.

and adminis. ter oath.

Sec. 8. In registering any person who shall ap-Record name ply to said Officers of Registration to be registered, said officers shall first record the name of such person in the proper column of said books of registration; and second, administer to him the oath as directed in this Article, and enter in the column of said books whether he has or not been sworn; third, his age; fourth, the place of his birth; fifth, his residence; sixth, the time he has resided in Baltimore City, or the county in which he applies to be registered; seventh, if naturalized, the date of his final paper or certificate of naturalization, and the Court, county and State where issued; eighth, if disqualified by non-age, non-residence, alienage or non compos mentis, or bribery, conviction of bribery, or larceny, or other infamous crime as described in the second and third Sections of the first Article of the Constitution, the cause of such disqualification; ninth, the name of the qualified voter, omitting from said ninth column