

within the city of Baltimore, within thirty days after such resignation, removal from office, or expiration of official term; and any justice of the peace who shall fail to deliver his docket as agreed, (in case the said docket shall not have been unavoidably lost or destroyed,) shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be subject to a fine ^{Penalty.} of two hundred dollars or to six months imprisonment in the jail of the county or city, at the discretion of the court.

10. If a justice of the peace dies, the delivery provided for in the preceding section shall be made by his administrator or other person in whose hands the said docket and papers may be, within thirty days after receiving the same; and such administrator or other person shall be subject to the same penalty for neglect or failure to make such delivery which is appointed in the last preceding section. In case of justice's death his representative to deliver same.

In force from February 18, 1864.

ARTICLE LII.

Keeper of Chancery Records.

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| 1. Commissioner of land office to have charge of chancery records, &c. | 2. Compensation. |
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1862, c. 208 repeals sections 1, 2 and 7 of this article and enacts the following in lieu thereof.

SEC. 1. The commissioner of the land office, shall have charge of the records of the court of chancery, and the anti-revolution papers now in the chancery office, and shall discharge the duties hereinafter specified. 1862, c. 208. Commissioner of land office to have charge of chancery records, &c.

2. He shall, for the performance of said duties, receive the sum of five hundred dollars per annum, payable quarterly out of the treasury. Compensation.

In force from January 28, 1862.