

of Baltimore city, and the names selected by the said judges shall be inscribed upon ballots, which shall be of equal size, color and appearance, and shall be closely folded, and shall be placed in a box prepared for that purpose by the clerks themselves. And the sheriff of Baltimore city, or such of his deputies as he shall designate, shall attend before the said clerks, and it shall be the duty of the said sheriff, or his deputy as aforesaid, in the presence of the said clerks and such other persons as may choose to attend in said court, to draw, one by one, all the ballots contained in the said box, and as the said ballots are drawn, the names appearing thereon, shall be duly recorded in the order in which they shall be drawn by the said clerks, or under their personal direction and inspection, by some person to be appointed by the judges aforesaid.

Sheriff or his
deputies to at-
tend.

Their duties.

In force from March 10, 1865.

1861, c. 51 further amends said section 603 as follows :

603. Any officer, deputy or person whatsoever, who shall fraudulently mark, or designate, or open, or leave open, or cause or knowingly permit to be marked or designated, or opened or left open, any ballot or ballots for jurors, which shall be prepared for the purpose of being drawn under this article, or who by any fraudulent contrivance, device or collusion whatsoever, shall prepare, or arrange; or cause or knowingly permit to be prepared or arranged any ballot or ballots aforesaid, so that the same or any thereof may be known or recognized in the drawing thereof, or for the purpose of their being so known or recognized; and any person or persons who shall in any way fraudulently or collusively deal, or conspire, or contrive to deal with the ballots aforesaid, or any of them, or the drawing thereof, or with the preparation or folding of said ballot or ballots, or with the wheel aforesaid, so that the fair operation and lawful and impartial execution of the provisions

1861, c 51, ss. 2-3
Penalty for
frauds relating
to drawing.