

1882, ch. 22, sec. 10. 1888, ch. 155, sec. 3.

10. Each of the said officers of registration appointed for an election district in any county of this State shall endorse upon the back and write at the head of each registry of voters and of each poll-book delivered to him as aforesaid, the name of the county and the number or name of the election district, or the name of the county and the number or name of the election district and of the election precinct in such election district of such county of which he is an officer of registration, of which such books may be respectively the registry of voters and poll-books, and shall sit for the purpose of ascertaining and registering in the proper registry of voters and poll-books the persons qualified to vote in the election district or in each of the election precincts of such election district, if such election district be so divided, of which he is an officer of registration, daily for two successive days in the month of May, for three successive days in September, and for five successive days in October in every year in which an election shall be held in said counties; said sittings in May and September to commence on the second Monday of said months respectively, and the October sitting to commence on the first Monday in October. Said sittings shall in like manner be called the May, September and October sittings. The said respective officers of registration shall sit at said several sittings in the several counties with open doors, from eight o'clock A. M. until six o'clock P. M., on each day of their sessions, and their proceedings shall be public and open to free inspection, without any obstruction whatever. If the election district of which he is appointed an officer of registration is not divided into election precincts, he shall, at his sittings in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, and at his sittings in each year thereafter, sit for the purposes aforesaid in one or more places, not exceeding in all three in number, in his election district, convenient respectively to the residents of the different sections of said election district, and shall sit at each of said places on so many of the days designated by this section for his said respective sittings as will suffice to afford an opportunity for ascertaining and registering the qualified voters of said different sections of his said election district, and of his whole election district. If the said election district for which he is appointed an officer of regis-