

counties, the registry of voters and poll-books for the election district for which he was appointed an officer of registration, or the registries of voters and poll-books for the election precincts of the election district for which he was so appointed, if such election district is so divided, which respective registries and lists or poll-books, it shall be the duty of the said respective clerks to deliver forthwith to the said respective proper officers of registration, who are applicants therefor, upon the proper receipt of said respective officers of registration. For the same purpose the several officers of registration in each election precinct in Baltimore city shall demand from the clerk of the superior court, between said days in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, and each alternate year thereafter, the registry of voters and poll-books of each election precinct in the city of Baltimore of which they are officers of registration; which respective registries and poll-books it shall, in like manner, be the duty of said clerk of the superior court to deliver to said officers of registration upon their proper receipt.

1882, ch. 22, sec 20. 1888, ch. 155, sec. 7.

19. Said officers of registration, when sitting at their respective sittings, in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, and in each year thereafter in the counties, and in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, and each alternate year thereafter, in the city of Baltimore, as is in this article provided for the purposes in this article before mentioned, shall proceed in all particulars in relation to persons applying to them to be registered, in the manner directed by section 14 of this article; at each of said sittings they shall strike from the registries or register of voters, and from the lists or list of qualified and registered voters of the election district or election precincts of which they are in charge as officers of registration, the names of all persons in such election district who are personally known to them, or who shall be satisfactorily proved to them by the oath or affirmation of a competent witness or of competent witnesses, to be then dead, or to have removed from the election precinct or election district in which their names are registered, and to have acquired a residence elsewhere, or who may have become, or may be disqualified under the provisions of the second or third sections of the first article of the constitution of this State, and such names shall be so stricken from such registries or lists in such manner as to