

the said box containing the remaining ballots with the clerk of the said court, to be by him safely kept, free from any handling or interference by any person whatever, unless it be in the presence of the said judge, and by his direction, and then only in the manner herein directed; and if for the trial of any cause or causes, whether civil or criminal, in the said circuit court, a talesman or talesmen be required, the judge of the said court may order the sheriff to summon such talesman or talesmen, either from a list of names that shall be drawn from the said box containing the said ballots in the mode and manner as directed by the preceding section, and furnished to the said sheriff, or from the community at large, as heretofore practised.

Munshower v. State, 56 Md. 516.

1867, ch. 329, sec. 5. 1870, ch. 331. 1878, ch. 369.

10. Of the forty-eight jurors drawn and summoned, the court, at the beginning of the term for which they were drawn and summoned, shall select and appoint one who shall be the foreman of the grand jury, and shall direct the clerk of said court to legibly write upon ballots the names of the remaining forty-seven jurors, and after carefully folding said ballots separately, to place them in a box with a sliding top, and said clerk shall draw said ballots therefrom one at a time, without looking into said box, and the first twenty-two names drawn, with the foreman previously appointed, shall constitute the grand jury, and the remaining twenty-five names shall constitute the petit jury for said term of said court. This section shall not apply to Prince George's county.

Cooper vs. State, 64 Md. 45.

1867, ch. 329, sec. 6. 1870, ch. 410.

11. The name of no person disqualified or exempted by existing law from serving as a juror, or whom by existing law the sheriff is forbidden to summon as such, shall be selected and placed upon the panel or list from which the drawing is to be made as directed by this article; nor shall any person be drawn and summoned to two successive terms of court; but the selection or drawing of any person disqualified as a juror under this article, shall not invalidate the drawing or selection, but such error may be corrected by drawing another person from the box in place of the person