

pared. Said ballot shall be printed on the same leaf, with a detachable stub or coupon one inch high and three inches wide, above the upper right hand corner of the ballot, and binding on the upper edge thereof, but separated therefrom by line running along the entire width of said coupon. Upon said coupon shall be printed the words "voter's name," with a line drawn thereunder for writing said name, and under the said line the words "number of voter," followed by a blank space for the insertion of number. Before distribution said ballots shall be so folded in marked creases that no part of the marks or printing thereon, excepting that upon the back and outside, and that upon the detachable stub or coupon, shall be visible, and so that the folded ballots shall be of uniform width and length and of proper width to be deposited in the ballot-boxes. All ballots, when printed, shall be folded as above provided, and fastened together in convenient numbers in packages, books or blocks, so that each ballot may be detached and removed separately. The said boards of supervisors of elections, respectively, shall, four days at least prior to the day of any election in their respective counties and in said city, cause to be conspicuously and securely posted in one or more public places in each voting precinct of their respective counties, or of said city, accurate sample copies of the ballots to be used in such district or precinct at the then approaching election; such sample copies shall be printed on light card board or heavy sized paper, and one of them at least shall be placed upon the exterior of each building in which the polls will be held, so that the same can be readily seen and examined by persons passing on the street or road.

1896, ch. 202.

53. The supervisors of elections shall provide for each election precinct in the several counties and in the city of Baltimore, two packages, each containing one hundred ballots for every one hundred or fraction of one hundred voters shown by the last preceding registration in said precinct, and shall cause each package to be sealed and clearly marked on the outside of its wrapper with the name of the precinct or polling place for which it is intended and the number of ballots enclosed. One of said two packages shall be delivered to the judges of elections,