

spectively officers of registration, shall thereupon record in its proper column in each of the proper duplicate registries of voters for the election precinct or election district of which they are respectively officers of registration, and in which the person applying to be registered may have his legal residence, in the proper alphabetical place of the surname of the applicant, first, the exact name of such person, recording the surname and the first christian name of the said applicant in full; second, the color of the applicant; third, they shall next administer to such person an oath or affirmation that he will make true answers to such questions as they, the said officers of registration may propound to him touching the right of said applicant to be registered, and to vote in the election precinct or the election district in which he has applied to be registered, and shall enter in the proper column opposite the name of the applicant the fact that such applicant has been so sworn or affirmed; they shall next enter in the proper column in each of said duplicate registries, opposite to the name of the applicant after making full inquiry the following particulars, namely: fourth, the age of the applicant; fifth, the place of his birth; sixth, the place of his residence or domicile, recording the street, square, avenue, road or lane, on or near which he may so reside, and giving the number of his dwelling-house, if it has any number, or such description as shall be sufficient to identify with certainty, such place of residence or domicile and enable it to be readily found; seventh, the time such applicant has resided in the city of Baltimore, and in the election precinct and ward in which he applies to be registered, or in the county and in the election district of the county, or election precinct of such district if it be so divided in which he applies to be registered; eighth, if naturalized, the date of his final papers or certificate of naturalization and a minute of the court by which the same was issued; ninth and tenth, if it is found upon such examination that the applicant possesses, or before the day of the election next ensuing, will possess the requisite qualifications under the constitution of Maryland and the laws made in pursuance thereof, that is to say, that he is of the age of twenty-one years or upwards, or that he will be of the age of twenty-one years on or before the day of the election next ensuing, and that he has been a resident of the State for one year, and of the legislative district of Baltimore city or of the county in which he may offer to vote for six months next preceding the election, and that he is not disqualified under the provisions of the second and third sections of the first article of the constitution of this State, and that the said person has not been registered under the provisions of this article in any other election precinct or election district of this State, the said applicant shall be entered forthwith by said officers of registration in the presence of said applicant as a qualified voter by recording his name in the same manner in which it was first recorded in the proper column

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