appointed whose duty it shall be to aid and assist the Democratic State Central Committee in carrying into effect the provisions of this article. The Democratic State Central Committee and each member of each Democratic District Executive Committee shall make oath or affirmation before some justice of the peace of the county, faithfully and diligently to perform his duty to the best of his ability, and in good faith to carry into effect the provisions of this article, and to endeavor to secure a fair election and to the Democratic District Executive Committee, shall be entrusted the duty of delivering to the judges of elections the ballots to be used in their respective districts at the primary election.

153 B. It shall be the duty of the Democratic State Central Committee, to have the ballots prepared and to issue instructions as to the manner of marking and using the same. And it shall be the duty of the Democratic District Executive Committee to have posted the sample ballot at the polling place in their respective districts, at the open-And when delegates for nominating coning of the polls. ventions for county offices are to be voted for and also delegates for other purposes on the same day the hours for holding the primary elections shall be as prescribed in section one hundred and forty-nine of this article for electing delegates to nominating conventions for county offices, and one set of delegates may be empowered to act in one or more capacities.

Ballots.

153 C. The ballots shall be prepared three days previous to any primary election, exclusive of the day of their preparation and the day of election, and the names of the various district candidates for the nominating or other convention shall be handed into the Democratic State Central Committee at least five days previous to the day of election in order that the ticket may be properly framed and prepared, and instructions issued as to its use. And in case of the absence of any delegate from death or otherwise from the convention his place may be supplied by the other members of the delegation.

153 D. The county supervisors of the general election are Ballot boxes, &c. authorized, empowered and directed to furnish the voting shelves and other furniture and ballot boxes used at the general elections to the several Democratic District Executive Committees of the several districts, to be used at the primary election, to be by them returned in good order, and the Democratic State Central Committee is authorized and empowered to assess and collect of the various candidates represented by the delegations to go on the ticket a sum sufficient to pay for preparation of ballots, room rent, and a