pens to be at the time of the acknowledgment," or before any justice of the peace or Judge of the Orphans' Court of the county or city in which the vendor resides. And if acknowledged before a justice of the peace out of the county or city in Official char- which the vendor resides, the "official character" acter of justice shall be certified by the Clerk of the tice certified. Circuit Court of the county in which said acknowl-Circuit Court of the county in which said acknowledgment is made, or by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Baltimore city if acknowledged in said city.

In force.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 27, 1878.

CHAPTER 140.

AN ACT to provide for the appointment of an additional justice of the peace for election district number three in Harford county.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly Governor of Maryland, That the Governor be and he is hereby authorized to authorized and empowered to appoint an additional appoint addiappoint addi-tional justice of the peace for election district number three of peace. in Harford county. of peace.

In force.

Section 2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 27, 1878.