

be returned to the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for said county, and shall be used for the first time in the November election of eighteen hundred and seventy-eight.

In force. SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved February 14, 1878.

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CHAPTER 23.

AN ACT to repeal section one hundred and thirty-eight of the act passed at the January session, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, chapter four hundred and eighty-three, entitled "An act to repeal article eighty-one of the Code of Public General Laws of the State of Maryland, entitled, Revenue and Taxes," and to re-enact the same with amendments, and to amend and re-enact the said one hundred and thirty-eighth section.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That section one hundred and thirty-eight of the act passed at the January session, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, chapter four hundred and eighty-three, entitled "An act to repeal article eighty-one of the Code of Public General Laws of the State of Maryland," entitled "Revenue and Taxes," and to re-enact the same with amendments, be and the same is hereby repealed, amended, and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

Repealed,  
amended and  
re-enacted.

Officers to pay  
when com-  
missions are  
delivered.

Judges.

138. When their commissions are delivered to them, the following officers shall respectively pay to the Clerk from whom they receive the same, the sums following, to wit: The Judges of each of the Circuit Courts of the several counties, fifty dollars; the Judge of the Superior Court, of the Court of Common Pleas, of the Circuit Court, and of the Criminal Court of the city of Baltimore, each, fifty dollars; the Judges of the Court of Appeals, each, fifty dol-