Select names for jurors.

their best judgment, the names of seven hundred and fifty persons, or thereabout, qualified under the laws of this State, to be grand and petit jurors in the city of Baltimore. They shall cause the names of the persons so selected to be entered in a proper book, and shall verify the list so made up by their certificate and signatures. The said book containing the said list shall be placed in the custody of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Baltimore city.

603. The said list of persons qualified under the

Time of meet-

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Select from

Summons persons elected.

Correct and complete.

laws of this State to be grand and petit jurors in the city of Baltimore, having been prepared as aforesaid, it shall be the duty of the said judges of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore city, or a majority of them, to meet in each and every year in some one of the court rooms in the city of Baltimore, on one or more days to be by them appointed, before the beginning of each regular term of the Criminal Court of Baltimore, which said meeting, or the last of which said appointed meetings, shall be at least ten days before the beginning of each of said terms, and to select from said list the names of twentythree persons who shall constitute and be the grand jurors for the city of Baltimore for the ensuing term of said Criminal Court of Baltimore; the list of grand jurors so selected shall be attested by the signatures of the judges selecting the same, and be given forthwith to the sheriff of Baltimore city, who shall immediately summon the persons so selected to serve as grand jurors for the city of Baltimore at the ensuing term of the Criminal Court of Baltimore. If any of the grand jurors so selected and summoned shall be shown to be disqualified, or be from any sufficient cause excused from serving, it shall be the duty of the said judges of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore city, or of a majority of them, to reassemble as soon as they are notified thereof by the judge of the Criminal Court of Baltimore, and to assemble again from time to time, if the same be necessary, to correct and complete, in the manner hereinbefore provided for, the said grand jury for the city of Baltimore, by the selection of proper persons as aforesaid from the list of qualified jurors made as aforesaid, omitting in said selection the names of the persons on said lists who may have been drawn to serve as petit jurors in other courts