

question and to enter the applicant in the proper registry of voters as a qualified voter or as disqualified; but it is expressly hereby declared and set forth that nothing herein contained shall be construed as authorizing any of said officers of registration to ask any question of or concerning any applicant for registration as a qualified voter touching any cause of disqualification not expressly enumerated in the constitution of this State.

How construed.

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SEC. 16. *And be it enacted*, That when any officer of registration shall at any of his appointed sittings in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-two, enter in his proper registry of voters of any election precinct or election district, of which he is an officer of registration, the name of any applicant for registration as a qualified voter, he shall immediately thereafter enter in the presence of the applicant, if he is in attendance, in its proper alphabetical place, in both of the poll-books, or lists of qualified and registered voters of such election precinct or election district, the name and residence of said applicant as the same are recorded in said registry of voters.

Deliver registry of voters.

SEC. 17. *And be it enacted*, That each officer of registration appointed for a group of election precincts in any ward of the city of Baltimore shall, within six days after the close of his October sitting, in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-two, deliver to the Clerk of the Superior Court of Baltimore city, the registry of voters and the two poll-books, so completed as aforesaid, of each of the election precincts of which he is an officer of registration, and shall append to each of said poll-books, before so delivering the same, a certificate signed by said officer of registration, and verified by his oath or affirmation that the said poll-book is a complete list of the qualified and registered voters in said election precinct, and of the residence of each of said qualified and registered voters, as the same are recorded in the registry of voters of such election precinct as then made up; and that the entries in the said registry of voters of the names and residences of the persons shown thereby to be qualified voters were made *bona fide* and according to the requirements of this act, and that no name has been omitted from or added to said registry of voters or