

the third, fourth and fifth Election Districts shall constitute the Second District; and the first, second and sixth Election Districts shall constitute the Third District. That Dorchester county shall constitute two Assessment Districts, beginning at the North of Fishing Bay, thence by and with the said Fishing Bay and with Black Water River to the head waters of said River, near the Town of Cambridge, thence by a straight line to the head waters of Cambridge Creek, thence with the said Creek to the Choptank River, and all on the East side of said line shall constitute the First Assessment District; all on the West side shall constitute the Second Assessment District.

Dorchester County. Governor to appoint Assessors and Board of Control and Review. Sec. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the Governor of the State shall appoint three suitable persons in each of the Assessment Districts in the several counties of the State and City of Baltimore to assess and make valuations hereby directed, within their respective districts; said Assessors shall be property holders and shall have resided in their Assessment Districts at least one year previous to such appointment. He shall also appoint a Board of Control and Review of three suitable persons for each Assessment District of Baltimore city; each board shall have the power to appoint a competent Clerk, who shall also act as Clerk to the Commissioners for their respective districts, and the said Clerk shall be allowed such compensation as a majority of the Assessors and Board of Control and Review may deem just and right.

Clerks—how appointed and compensated.

Before Assessors act. Sec. 4. *And be it enacted*, That every Assessor appointed in virtue of this act, before he acts as such, shall take the following oath or affirmation before some person authorized by law to administer oaths as the case may be, to wit:

Oath—how attested and where filed. I, ——— do swear (or solemnly, sincerely, and truly declare and affirm) that as Assessor for the Assessment District composed of ——— I will to the best of my skill and judgment execute the duties of the said office, diligently and faithfully according to the directions of the Act entitled, an Act to provide for the general valuation and Assessment of property in this State, without favor, affection, or partiality, and that I will value all property which I may be appointed to value, according to the best of my judgment, at its full cash