

Baltimore county, to be included in the levy of eighteen hundred and sixty-five, the sum of two thousand dollars, which sum is hereby appropriated to that object, and when that amount is collected, to return it to the fund from which the said Commissioner may have been paid for his services from time to time.

Sec. 18. *And be it enacted*, That in the event of the death, resignation or disability of said Commissioner, the County Commissioners shall fill such vacancy at the next regular meeting, after they have been informed of such vacancy, but in no case shall the said vacancy be filled except by an attorney at law who has had over two years practice.

Vacancy to be filled.

Sec. 19. *And be it enacted*, That the Commissioner hereby appointed, shall have power to adjourn the commission from time to time; *provided, however,* that the whole time occupied in the execution of this commission shall not exceed one year.

Commission may be adjourned. Proviso.

Sec. 20. *And be it enacted*, That whenever any record, paper or other instrument of writing, cannot be made up, by the parties interested failing to supply the defective parts thereof, the Commissioner is hereby directed to apply to any court where he may believe he can procure an extract or extracts for the purpose of completing and restoring said records, for such extract or extracts as the necessity of the case may require, and the Clerk of any court is hereby required to furnish the said Commissioner such extract or extracts in a book provided by the said Commissioner for that purpose, under the seal of the office of the court of which he may be Clerk, which seal shall cover and be valid for all the extracts up to the date of the seal, and said Commissioner shall record the same extract or extracts amongst the law records of said county.

Commissioner may apply to any court.

Sec. 21. *And be it enacted*, That the deed or deeds, or other instruments of writing, and the extracts aforesaid enrolled shall have the same effect and operation in law, to all intents and purposes, as if the records aforesaid, in which the said deed or deeds, or other instrument of writing, were heretofore enrolled had never been destroyed.

To have the same effect.