

CHAP. 23.
Return requir-
ed to be made

and city wherein he or she may reside; and they shall specify in their returns to be made as hereinafter mentioned, as far as may be practicable:

1. The names of the tracts or parcels of land, or other description thereof, owned by each individual, with the quantity of acres therein, and value thereof.

2. The negro slaves, classifying them according to their ages, as follows: the negro slaves under the age of fourteen years, their number and aggregate value; the male slaves from fourteen to forty-five years of age, their number and aggregate value; the male slaves from forty-five years of age and upwards, their number and aggregate value; the female slaves from fourteen to thirty-six years of age, their number and aggregate value; the female slaves from thirty-six years of age and upwards, their number and aggregate value.

3. Stock in trade, its general description and value.

4. Public securities liable to valuation, particularly specified, with their respective values.

5. Bank stocks and other stocks, particularly specified, with their respective values.

- 6. Private securities
- 7. Live stock
- 8. Household furniture
- 9. Plate
- 10. Gold and silver watches
- 11. Property of other descriptions

} The aggregate value of each.

Owners, &c. to furnish information relative to land, &c

SEC. 10. *And be it enacted*, That the said assessors shall have power and authority, whenever they shall think necessary, to require the owners, possessors or claimants of lands within their respective counties or districts, to furnish such information with regard to the number of acres and location of said lands, as may be necessary to enable them to ascertain the value thereof, the same if required by the said assessors to be under oath or affirmation, of such person or persons, to be administered by some one or other of said assessors.

Account of slaves to be given assessors

SEC. 11. *And be it enacted*, That any person owning any slave or slaves, or any person having the care and management of such slave or slaves, shall deliver to the assessors of the county or district, in which such slave or slaves shall live, whenever required thereunto by such assessors, a full and true account of such slave or slaves owned by him or her, or under his or her care or management, with the name and age of each, and the same shall be signed by such