

manner as other public charges are by law collected; and the said sums of money when so as aforesaid respectively collected, shall be paid by such collector to the aforesaid commissioners or their order or orders; and the commissioners of the tax are hereby authorised and required to receive and apply the same to the uses and purposes by this act directed; and the said commissioners of the district shall receive no pecuniary compensation for the discharge of the duties required of them by this act, over and above their per diem.

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To whom paid

How applied

SEC. 21. *And be it enacted*, That until the erection, or purchase or lease of said buildings, the said commissioners are hereby directed and required to contract for and provide the suitable necessary buildings for the purposes above mentioned, at or near the place selected as the seat of justice, if they can be had at such place, and if they cannot be there procured, then the said commissioners shall select them at such place as they may deem best.

Until erection, suitable buildings to be provided

SEC. 22. *And be it enacted*, That the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, shall appoint coroners for said district, as they are now appointed for and in the counties of this State.

Governor to appoint coroners

SEC. 23. *And be it enacted*, That the district court of said district, or any judge thereof, shall have the same power to appoint elisors within said district as is now exercised in theseveral counties of this State.

District court to appoint elisors

SEC. 24. *And be it enacted*, That all deeds of lands, tenements and hereditaments lying in Howard district, and executed after the appointment and qualification as such, of a clerk of Howard district court of Anne Arundel county, shall as well as all other instruments of writing, which are by law required to be recorded by said clerk, as deeds are now recorded by the clerks of county courts, and the laws in regard to recording and acknowledging all deeds, conveyances or instruments of writing of every description, shall apply to Howard district, the inhabitants thereof and the clerk of the court of said district, as though said district were a county, and said clerk were the clerk of a county court; and either of the judges of the court of Howard district of Anne Arundel county shall have authority to qualify said clerk upon his appointment.

Recording of deeds of lands &amp;c. to apply to Howard dist.

SEC. 25. *And be it enacted*, That the laws of the State in regard to wills, the estate of deceased persons and letters testamentary and of administration, after the appoint-

Law relative to wills, &amp;c. to apply to H. D.