expenses of elections in said city are raised by tax or CHAP. 333. otherwise.

SEC. 3. And be it enacted. That before entering on Oath of registhe duties of their respective offices, and on the day on which they shall first enter on the discharge of said duties, the said registers and their clerks, and the iudges of all elections in said city and their clerks respectively, shall solemnly swear or affirm, that they will faithfully and honestly perform the duties of their respective offices, and observe, in all things, the requirements of the Constitution of the United States, and the State of Maryland, and the laws of the General Assembly of Maryland in relation to elections, in conducting said registry or election, and any justice of the peace for said city shall be competent to administer said oath or affirmation, and it shall be the duty Penalty for reof any such justice of the peace, on being applied to by said registers or judges of election, to administer said oath or affirmation under a fine of one hundred dol-

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SEC. 4. And be it enacted, That it shall be the duty Sit to register of the said registers, or a majority of them, to sit at some public and convenient place within the limits of their several wards, on Tuesdays and Wednesdays of every week, from the first Monday of August to the third Wednesday in September, inclusive, in each and every year for the purpose of registering the names of voters, who may apply to be registered, the said registers in each ward to cause to be inserted in all the Publication of daily papers of the city of Baltimore, which will insert it, a notice of the times and places in each ward, when and at which the said votes will be registered, and to cause notice to be given by placing hand bills at such Handbills public places as they shall select, the first notice to be published in the said daily papers, or in as many of the said papers as will consent to publish the same, at least two weeks before the said first Monday of August, and to be continued for at least two weeks, and in case of a change of such being made by the said re- Case of change gisters they shall at once publish in the said papers of place notice of such change, as often as they may deem proper, the expenses of giving the said notices to be naid