

annual election thereafter, the voters of each election district of Howard District, who may at the time of any such election, be qualified to vote for members of the House of Delegates shall vote at their respective places of voting, for one person as commissioner of Howard District, who shall be a resident of such election district, and who shall have the same qualifications as delegates to the General Assembly, and the person receiving the highest number of votes in such district, shall be deemed duly elected commissioner as aforesaid, and it shall be the duty of the judges of elections to make such returns of the said elections as is by law required, in case of an election for sheriff, and the five persons elected as aforementioned shall constitute a board of commissioners of Howard District, and shall continue in office one year from the time of election, and until their successors have qualified, and shall have all the power and authority, rights and privileges, and perform all the duties, and be subject to the same liabilities under the law as are required of or appertain to the present board of commissioners.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or repugnant to this act, be and the same are hereby repealed.

CHAPTER 298.

An act relating to the Elections in Dorchester County. Passed March 10, 1845.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That at the October election for delegates to the General Assembly for Dorchester county, in the year eighteen hundred and forty-five, every voter when he offers to vote, shall be required by the judges of election in Lake's district, in said county, to state whether he is for or against holding the election in said district at Stapleford's store, where it is now held, or at William Andrew's Store in said district, or at any other place in said district, and the said judges shall record the number of votes for and against said removal of the place of holding said election, at what place as aforesaid, and make return thereof to the Legislature during the session of eighteen hundred and forty-five, and eighteen hundred and forty-six, and if a majority of said voters in said district, shall be in favor of said removal as aforesaid, then and in that case the elections in said district shall thereafter be held at the place in favor of which a majority of the whole of said votes shall be cast.

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Repealed.

Judge to ask each voter, &c.