

**CHAP. 540.** election of county commissioners, and the same laws applicable to and applying to said election, shall in respects govern and apply to the elections hereby authorised to be held by this act.

Notice to be given.

**SEC. 3.** *And be it enacted,* That it shall be the duty of the sheriff of Baltimore county, and he is hereby required under the penalty of five hundred dollars, to give at least three weeks public notice by advertisement in the Baltimore County Advocate, and by hand bills to be set up at least three weeks prior to the said limited day, at the respective places of holding elections in the several election districts of said county, that an election will be held as provided for by this act, on the second Wednesday in May next, for the purpose of electing three commissioners from each election district as provided for in the foregoing sections of this act.

Commissioners of Baltimore county to appoint, &c.

**SEC. 4.** *And be it enacted,* That the commissioners of Baltimore county, or a majority of them, be and they are hereby authorised and required at their meeting to be held on the first Tuesday in June next, to appoint three persons residents of the county, of experience and judgment, who when so appointed, shall be and they are hereby constituted commissioners, for the purpose of purchasing or receiving by gift or otherwise, such lot or lots of land as may have been determined upon, as hereinbefore provided for, as a site for the public buildings of said county, and to purchase the necessary materials and supplies for the erection of the same in a good and substantial manner, and that in the execution of the authority hereby granted by this act the said commissioners, or a majority of them, may adopt and pursue such plan or plans as they, or a majority of them, shall decide to be most expedient and necessary for the accommodation of the public and to facilitate the operations of the courts of justice of said county, and the public functionaries connected therewith in the administration of justice.

Authority to sell

**SEC. 5.** *And be it enacted,* That the commissioners of Baltimore county, or a majority of them, be and they are hereby authorised to sell, exchange or dispose of all or any part or parts of the county's proportion of the joint property of the said county and city of Baltimore, except the court house and record office, on such terms as they, or a majority of them, in their judgment may deem most conducive to the interest of the said county, and if sold, the payments to be one-fourth in cash and the remaining three