

of them, to account for and pay over said surplus rateably and equally to the county commissioners of the respective counties, as aforesaid.

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SEC. 7. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from and after the date of its passage.

CHAPTER 205.

Passed Mar. 8, 1856. AN ACT entitled, an act to appoint an additional magistrate in Jackson district, Frederick county.

Preamble. WHEREAS, by a petition from sundry citizens of Jackson district, in Frederick county, it has been represented to this Legislature, that the wants and interests of the people of said district require an additional magistrate; therefore,

Additional magistrate to be elected. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That an additional magistrate be and he is hereby granted to said district, who when elected shall have full power to discharge all the duties, have all the rights, and be subject to the same responsibilities of any magistrate or magistrates now in existence in said district.

Term of office. SEC. 2. *Be it enacted*, That an election for said magistrate shall be held on the first day of May, eighteen hundred and fifty-six; and the person then elected shall hold the office up to the time of the expiration of the term of service of the magistrates already elected, but at every election for magistrates thereafter it shall be lawful for the voters of said district to elect three magistrates.

Sheriff to give notice. SEC. 3. *Be it enacted*, That the sheriff of Frederick county shall give to the voters of said district at least twenty days notice of such an election, and the time and place of holding the same; and the commissioners of said county shall appoint three of the voters of said district to act as judges of said election, whose return shall be as in all cases of elections for magistrates provided by law; and it shall be the duty of the Governor of the State, upon a certified return of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county of such

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