granting or refusing the order prayed, and if the Board of Registry shall have returned the registers to the Supervisors of Elections, a certified copy of any such order granted by the court shall be delivered to said Supervisors, who shall thereupon make the required correction upon the proper registers and under the head of "Remarks" note that the same was made under such order of the court; but no person admitted to the registry by such order of court shall be protected by such order if prosecuted for false registration or false voting. The cost of proceedings in all cases heard under this section shall be one-half of those provided for and usual under existing law and no attorney's appearance fee shall be taxed as part of such costs. [Exceptions may be taken to any ruling of the court at the hearing of any such petition and an appeal may be taken [allowed] to the Court of Appeals [as in other cases; all such appeals shall be taken within five days from the date of the decision complained of and shall be heard and decided by the Court of Appeals as soon after the transmission of the record as practicable.

- Whenever it shall be made to appear by affidavit that errors have occurred in the determination of the Board of Canvassers of any county or city in the State, the Circuit Court of the county or the Superior Court of Baltimore City may by order require said Board to correct such errors or show cause why such corrections should not be made; and in the event of the failure of said Board to make such corrections, or show cause as aforesaid, said court may compel said Board by writ of mandamus to correct such errors, and if said Board of Canvassers shall have made its determination and dissolved, said court may compel it to convene for the purpose of making such corrections. For the purpose of making such corrections as the court shall order, the meeting of the Board of Canvassers shall be deemed a continuation of its regular session and the statements and certificates shall be made and filed as the court shall direct, and so far as the same shall vary from the original statements and certificates, the statements and certificates made under the order of court shall stand in lieu thereof, and shall in all cases have the same effect as if corrected statements had been a part of the original statement required by law. The practice in said cases shall be as in mandamus proceedings, and the court shall determine the time for the speedy hearing thereof in its discretion; and for the purpose of service of papers and other proceedings the Board of Canvassers, as organized and existing at the time of making the original canvass, shall be deemed a continuing board. There shall be the same right of appeal to the Court of Appeals as in other mandamus cases L, but such appeal shall be taken within five days from the date of the decision complained of, and shall be heard and decided by the Court of Appeals as soon after the transmission of the record as possible, and the testimony taken in such cases shall be sent up to the Court of Appeals as part of the record.
- 116. Each judge of the circuit court and of the Superior Court of Baltimore City may adopt such modes of proceeding and adjudging costs in cases of contested elections as to him shall seem most satisfactory, but the rules of taking testimony in such cases shall be the same as those which regulate the taking of testimony in contested election cases cognizable by the House of Delegates. Either party shall have a right of appeal to the Court of Appeals, as in other cases [, said appeal to be taken within five days from the date