

respective counties, endorsed on public service, to the sheriff of Anne-Arundel county, to be by him transmitted as public letters; and the register of the eastern shore shall enclose and deliver the list made out as aforesaid, endorsed in like manner, to the sheriff of Talbot county, who shall transmit the same as public letters to the respective counties.—*ibid.*

§ 3.

13. The register for the western shore shall receive 30 dollars every year for his services under this act, and the register of the eastern shore 20 dollars, to be paid annually by the treasurer of the respective shores out of any unappropriated monies in their treasury.—*ibid.* § 5.

15. The registers of the western and eastern shores respectively shall, after the year 1798, annually, to wit. between the 1 day of Jan. and the 1 day of March make out for the commissioners of the tax a list of all certificates which have become ready for patent, expressing the name of the land, the quantity it contains, and the person who is entitled to patent, and in case of resurvey, shall express the names of the original tracts, and quantity of vacancy added.—1797, c. 89, § 37.

16. The register for the western shore shall enclose and deliver the list made out as aforesaid, directed to the commissioners of the tax for the respective counties, endorsed on public service, to the sheriff of Anne-Arundel county, to be by him transmitted as public letters; and the register of the eastern shore shall enclose and deliver the list made out as aforesaid, endorsed in like manner, to the sheriff of Talbot county, who shall transmit the same as public letters to the respective counties.—*ibid.*

§ 3.

17. The register of the land office for the western shore shall receive 30 dollars every year for his services under this act, and the register of the eastern shore 20 dollars, to be paid annually by the treasurer of the respective shores out of any unappropriated monies in their treasury.—*ibid.* § 40. See *Chancery*, 36. *Land office*, 3, 18, 21, 28. *Oath of office* 8, *office*, &c. 7.

## REGISTER OF WILLS.

**T**HERE shall be a register of wills appointed for each county, who shall be commissioned by the governor, on the joint recommendation of the senate and house of delegates, and upon the death, resignation, disqualification, or removal out of the county, by any register of wills in the recess of the general assembly, the governor, with the advice of the council, may appoint and commission, a fit and proper person to such vacant office, to hold the same until the meeting of the general assembly.—*Const.* 41.

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