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Two of the five, or one of the three recommended, to be appointed inspectors. 1789, ch. 26, § 5, 1790, ch. 55, § 4.

Authorized and requested, on the death, refusal, &c. of an inspector, to appoint and commission any other mentioned in the last recommendation for the residue of the year. 1789, ch. 26, § 9.

To appoint any other person if none of those recommended should be left. *Ibid.*

To furnish annually, on or before the first of March, to the collectors of the United States in this state, the names of the several inspectors, and their respective warehouses. *Ibid.* § 10.

The inspectors directed to transmit to them annually, on or before the 10th of November, general lists of tobacco delivered, with accounts of their manifests, &c. *Ibid.* § 11.

The governor and council directed to obtain from the collectors of the ports annually, the original manifests, or attested copies, and to examine and compare them with those received from the inspectors. *Ibid.*

If forgery or alteration appears therein, they are to order the attorney-general to commence prosecutions. *Ibid.*

Directions respecting the removal of inspectors by the justices, and the transmission of the complaint on appeal to the governor and council, and the removal or continuance of such inspectors by them. *Ibid.* § 41.

The determination of the justices entered in their proceedings respecting the number of warehouses, quantity of tobacco, &c. to be transmitted to the governor and council. *Ibid.* § 59.

The governor and council to appoint thereupon more inspectors, or reduce the number, as may be necessary. *Ibid.*

The governor and council empowered to fill the vacancies among the commissioners for building a court-house at Easton. *Ibid.* ch. 36, § 7.

The commissioners directed to account to them for all money received and expended under this act. *Ibid.* § 9.

Returns of the elections of delegates to congress, and of electors of the president and vice-president, to be made to the governor and council, for their inspection and examination. 1790, ch. 16, § 9, 1795, ch. 73, § 4, 1799, ch. 50, § 15, 16.

The governor and council shall enumerate and ascertain the numbers of votes for each and every candidate, and person chosen, and shall thereupon declare, by proclamation, the names of the persons duly elected as representatives and as electors. *Ibid.*

They shall transmit a certificate of the election of representatives, under the seal of the state, to the secretary of state for the United States, or other proper officer authorized to receive the same, to be by him delivered to the house of representatives in congress. *Ibid.*

Empowered to determine by lot in case of an equal number of votes in the elections therein mentioned. 1790, ch. 16, § 13, 1795, ch. 73, § 7.

On a vacancy in the representation of this state in the house of representatives in congress, by death, &c. the governor and council shall issue writs of election to the district where such vacancy shall happen. 1790, ch. 16, § 14.

Manner of issuing the writ or warrant. 1799, ch. 50, § 6.

If any of the commissioners in the act for laying off the election districts should refuse, the governor and council authorized to fill the vacancy. 1799, ch. 50, § 21.

The governor and council to appoint a chief justice for each district, and two associate justices in each county, for holding the county courts. 1790, ch. 33, § 4, 1796, ch. 43, § 4.

Vacancies, how to be filled. 1796, ch. 43, § 18, 1797, ch. 69, § 1.

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The governor and council directed to appoint a trustee for the state, in case of vacancy by the trustee's refusing. 1790, ch. 41, § 7.

The security to be given by the trustee, subject to their approbation. *Ibid.* § 8.

Directions to them to publish the act respecting the creditors and debtors of the state. *Ibid.* § 17.

The powers vested in them by the act of 1789, ch. 47, continued. *Ibid.* § 15.

The printer of the state directed to print, and pack up the votes and proceedings, laws and resolutions, under their direction, and to prepare the number of copies necessary for the persons therein described, and to deposit them in the council chamber. *Ibid.* ch. 51, § 3.

The clerk of the council directed, within three days from the receipt of the said laws, &c. from the printer, to endorse each packet for public service, and subscribe his name, and deliver the same to the sheriff of Anne Arundel county. *Ibid.* § 4.

Letters sent by the governor, and endorsed for public service, and signed by the clerk of the council, deemed public letters. *Ibid.* § 10.

The governor and council, to superintend the faithful execution of this act. *Ibid.* § 15.

The governor and council to be furnished with a copy of the votes and proceedings, and the laws and resolutions, passed at each session. *Ibid.* § 3.

The governor and council directed, to appoint inspectors for Beard's Point warehouse, in Anne Arundel county, as nominated by the justices. 1791, ch. 52.

Directed, as soon as congress should pass an act ascertaining the ratio of representation, to cause the same, together with this act, to be published. *Ibid.* ch. 62, § 7.

The governor and council directed to publish the acts for naturalization. November, 1792, ch. 14, § 6.

A certificate from the governor and council, signed by the governor and attested by the clerk, declared to be evidence on a presentment or indictment, against a sheriff, for failing to deliver in time returns of the elections of representatives to congress, or of electors of president and vice-president. *Ibid.* ch. 34, § 2.

Certificates lost since the 1st of November, 1785, may be renewed on petition to the governor and council. *Ibid.* ch. 38, § 2.

The party to produce the treasurer's declaration that such certificates were not received into the treasury, or funded, and evidence that the loss, and the intention to have it renewed, have been advertised eight weeks in the papers therein mentioned. *Ibid.*

They may then inquire into the case by witnesses, and may direct the treasurer to issue certificates for the amount of the same. *Ibid.*

No certificate to issue till the party executes a bond, with two securities, to be approved by the treasurer, to indemnify the state. *Ibid.* § 3.

Such bond to be a lien on the real estate of some one of the obligors to the value of the penalty. *Ibid.*

The estate to be specified and endorsed on the said bond. *Ibid.* § 4.

The relief which the governor and council are empowered to give under this act confined to cases of genuine certificates, and not to extend to those forged or counterfeit. *Ibid.* § 4.

The governor and council directed to appoint persons in each county to make lists of those required to serve in the militia by the act of congress. 1793, ch. 53, § 2.

Such lists to be returned to the governor and council. *Ibid.* § 7.

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