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Alphabetical lists of the owners of property shall be made out, and duplicates delivered to the clerks of county courts—penalty on omission.

ecute the duties of said office, without favor, affection, partiality or prejudice ;” which oath or affirmation, any one of the commissioners of the tax, or any justice of the peace may administer.

45. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the said commissioners shall cause their clerk to deliver to the clerk of his county, and to the collector of the tax annually, on or before the twentieth day of June, each a duplicate of the alphabetical list of the owners or persons chargeable with the assessment of property within their county, with the amount of each person’s assessed property, annexed to his or her name, and in case such clerk shall neglect or refuse to comply therewith, he shall forfeit and pay the sum of two hundred dollars for every such offence ; and it shall be the duty of the clerks of the respective counties to keep the said duplicate in some conspicuous place in his office, subject to the inspection and perusal of the citizens of his county without fee or reward.

Commissioners.

46. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the following persons shall be, and are hereby appointed commissioners for the several and respective counties of this State, and the city of Baltimore, to wit : For St. Mary’s county, John R. Plater, Thomas Gardnier, James Hopewell, William Mills and Francis Millard ; for Kent county, Nathaniel Comegys, Thomas Whittington, James Brook, Benjamin Hanson and Lewis Blackston ; for Anne-Arundel county, William Hall, (the 3d,) Thomas Worthington, (of Nicholas,) John S. Belt, Richard Merriken and Osborn S. Harwood ; for Calvert county, Joseph Blake, Mordecai Smith, James Duke, Howe Somervell and John Gray ; for Charles county, William H. M’Pherson, William Vincent, Thomas H. Reeder, George H. Spalding and Lawrence Posey ; for Baltimore county, Benjamin Talbott, Alexis Lemmon, William Krebs, Moses Brown and Thomas Johnson ; for Talbot county, Samuel Stevens, David Kerr, Lewis Bush, Anthony Banning and Charles Gibson ; for Somerset county, John Dashiell, Senr. Samuel Smith, Senr. William Cottman, John Dashiell, (of Jesse) and Charles Nutter ; for Dorchester county, Richard Pattison, Samuel Brown, Solomon Frazier, Washington Lake and James Chaplain ; for Cecil county, Littleton Gale, Stephen Hollingsworth, Edward Oldham, James Leiper Porter and John Jordan ; for Prince Georges county, Robert Sewall, Francis M. Hall, Clement Brooke, Benjamin Ogle and Charles S. Perrie ; for Queen Ann’s county, Samuel Burges, Thomas