

Dec. Ses 1816 *oners shall, on or before the first day of July next, deliver to the clerk of Dorchester county court, a description, in writing, under their hands and seals, specifying plainly the boundaries and number of each district which shall be divided and laid off under this act, and also the place in each district where the election for such districts shall be hereafter held, and the said clerk shall record the same among the records of the county.*

Commissioners to meet.

*2. And be it enacted, That the commissioners appointed by virtue of this act, shall meet at the usual place of holding the county court in said county, on the first Monday of May next, for the purpose of performing the duties of this act; and the commissioners so meeting may adjourn from time to time, and place to place, until the whole be completed.*

Clerk to furnish sheriff with their proceedings.

*3. And be it enacted, That it shall be the duty of the clerk of Dorchester county to furnish to the sheriff of said county four copies of the proceedings of the said commissioners, who shall cause one copy of the same to be set up at the court-house door of said county, at least three weeks before the next election, and who also shall cause one other copy to be set up at each place of holding the election on the day of the next election.*

Commissioners allowance.

*4. And be it enacted, For all services performed by the commissioners aforesaid by virtue of this act, the levy court of Dorchester county shall make reasonable compensation, and shall levy the same upon the said county, and the same shall be collected and paid as other county charges.*

Act to have effect conditionally.

*5. And be it enacted, That this act shall be deemed and considered as having no effect to increase the number of districts or to change the place of holding the elections of the said county, as at present fixed, unless the act, entitled, An act to repeal all that part of the constitution and form of government as relates to the division of Dorchester county into three separate election districts, passed at this session, be confirmed by the next session of the general assembly.*

CHAPTER 128.

Passed Jan 27 *A Supplement to the Act, entitled, An act for the benefit of the Heirs of John Stevens, deceased, of Worcester County.*

Preamble.

*WHEREAS, at December session, eighteen hundred and fifteen, a law passed authorising the orphans court of Worcester county to appoint a trustee to sell and dispose of the interest of the heirs of John Stevens, late of Worcester county, deceased, in and to the mills known by the name of Nassaongo Mills, and the lands and lots thereto adjoining, and by the said act it is provided, that if the personal estate of the said John Stevens should not be sufficient for the payment of his debts, the judges of Worcester county court are empowered, on a bill being filed by any creditor, to decree payment out of the proceeds of said sale; and it is further represented, that the personal estate of the said John Stevens will not be sufficient for the payment of his debts, and it will be attended with considerable expense and delay to file bills in chancery, Therefore,*

Money to be paid to administrator.

*Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland. That the orphans court of Worcester county are authorised and*