

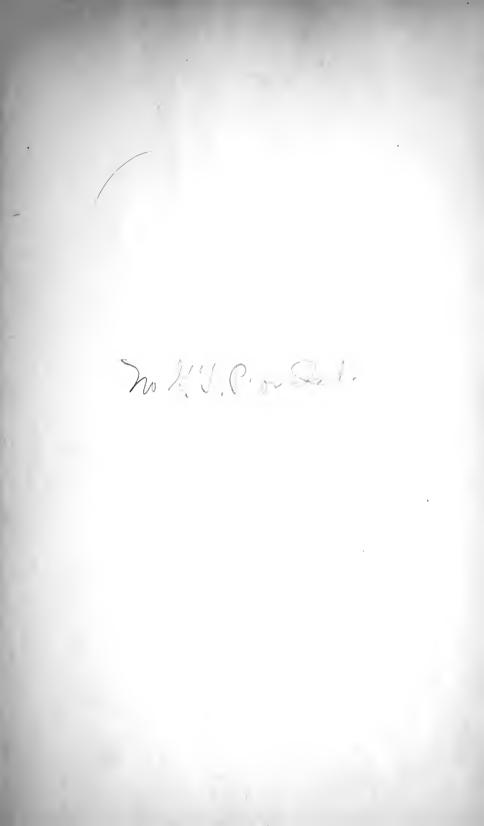
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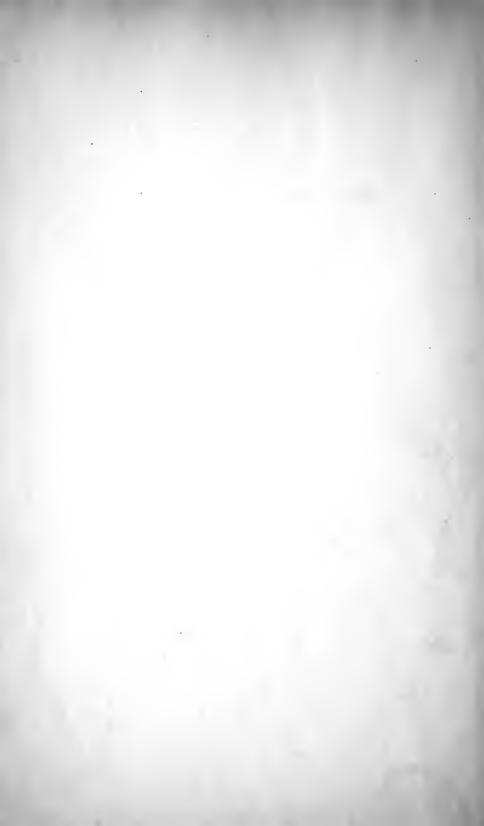
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- Jan. 20, 1650/51. Commission by Proprietor, is to have seat in Council.

#### Admiralty Court.

June I and 4, 1659. Council acts as Admiralty Court. Jan. 25, 1659/60. Council acts as Admiralty Court.

#### Admiralty Court.

March 6, 1684/5: Probate Judges to name the Judges.

Agent for the Province, in London.

May Session, 1692.

#### Ambassadors or Envoys to Northern Indians.

April 19 and 30, 1677. Council and Com. by Gov.—1 Ambassador.

May 15, 1682. Com. by Prop.—2 Ambassadors.

# Anne Arundel County Court.

July 30, 1650. 7 Commissioners and the County Commander commissioned as County Court; jurisdiction £20 or 2000 Tob.

#### Assembly.

Is first all freemen; next reps. from Counties. Act Oct. Sess. 16— gives 4 for a County and 2 for St. Mary's City. St. Mary's City cut out Nov. Session 1708 Act. Annapolis comes in with 2.

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#### Assize Judges.

July Session. 1732. 2 for each Shore; I can act; sit in diff. Counties.

May Session, 1766. Gov. to appoint 2 for each Shore from the Provincial Court as Justices of Assize, nisi prius, over and terminer, and gaol delivery; set twice a year in each County; 1 can act.

# Attorney General.

Dec. 2, 1651. Office mentioned.

Jan. 29. 1652/3. Called Lord Proprietary's Attorney.

Feb. 20, 1660/1. Com. by Gov.

Oct. 4, 1681. Appointed by Proprietor.

Apr. 3, 1688. Com. specified powers. Names County Attorneys.

July 18, 1688. Com. by Prop.; read Oct. 13, 1688; salary. Baltimore County Court.

June 14, 1661. Commission by Governor.

Nov. Session, 1773. 3 Criminal Court terms; Clerk same as for regular County Court.

Calvert County Court.

Time County estab. July 3, 1654.

Captain for Guard for Proprietor.

Oct. Session, 1682. Act.

Captain Kent Militia.

May 27, 1638. Com.

Captain of Piscatoway Militia.

June 23, 1642. Com.

Captain St. Mary's County Militia.

May 29, 1639. Com.

Caroline County Court.

Nov. Session, 1773. To be in effect March 2, 1774. County erected.

Cecil County Court.

July 2 and 18, 1674. Court and Clerk commissioned. Chancellor.

Sept. 14, 1661. Com. by Prop. Prior to this Gov. was Chancellor. Is First in Council and Dep. Lt. Gov.

June 25, 1668. Chancellor Acts as Commissioner to Settle Eastern Shore Virginia Boundary Line.

Charles County Court.

Time County estab. 1650.

Chief Clerk of Provincial Court and Secretary's Office. March 23, 1673/4. Thus sworn in on this date.

#### Chief Clerk of the Secretary's Office.

May 5, 1669. And is also Notary Public of Md., Keeper of the Lesser Seal and Clerk Prov. Court and Council. Com. by Gov.

July 21, 1670. Seems abolished.

Chief Justice of Povincial Court.

May 1, 1684. Com. by Prop.

Chief Secretary.

March 2, 1684/5. Mentioned.

Chief Visitor Parochial Libraries.

June Session, 1699. Dr. Bray and his successors.

Clerk of Council.

Secretary at first.

Dec. 30, 1679. Com. and also Clerk Upper House.

March 8, 1686/7. Com. and also Clerk Upper House.

Clerk of Baltimore County Court.

June 14, 1661. Commission by Governor.

Clerk of Provincial Court.

Secretary acts as Clerk of Provincial Court at first.

Feb. 10, 1648/9. Clerk of Council signs as Clerk and *Register* of Maryland.

March 22, 1655/6. Secretary empowered to appoint him by Prov. Court.

July 12, 1672. By Secretary.

Clerks of Courts.

Feb. 12, 1672/3. Com. by Prop. revoked by him.

Clerk of the Land Office.

June 23, 1683. Mentioned.

Clerk Lower House.

From separate establishment of Lower House, but chosen by Council until Aug. 1, 1689.

Oct. Session, 1654. To keep Register of Births, Marriages, Deaths.

Clerks County Courts.

Oct. Session, 1678. To keep Register of Births, Mariages, Deaths.

Clerks of Indictments of County Grand Juries. Apr. Session, 1715. Fees limited.

Collector, St. Mary's and Anne Arundel Counties (Wiccocomoco and Patuxent).

Oct. Session, 1683.

Collector, Talbot and Somerset Counties. Oct. Session, 1683.

#### Commander of Anne Arundel County.

July 29, 1650. Mentioned as to have power to grant Land Warrants.

March 6, 1651/2. Mentioned as acting.

Dec. 18, 1652. Power to issue Land Warrants after 1652 revoked.

#### Commander of Charles County.

Sept. 20, 1040. Brooke com. as Commander.

July 3, 1654. Commission revoked.

#### Commander of Isle of Kent.

Dec. 30, 1637. Commissioned by Governor. March Session, 1637/8. Act conferring certain civil and non-jury jurisdiction.

Feb. 3, 1639/40. Council of 3 for the Commander.

Aug. 12, 1648. Select the Court Coms. and hear cases; jurisdiction.

July 29, 1650. Grant Land Warrants for Kent.

Commander on North Side of Patuxent.

Dec. 2, 1662. Mentioned.

Commander of Proprietor's Yacht. Nov. 8, 1676. Com.

Commander St. Mary's County.

Aug. 26, 1644. Mentioned.

Commissary General or Judge for Probate, etc.

Nov. 20, 1672. Com. to Chancellor for this office also.

Sworn in. Apr. 24, 1673.

Sept. 6, 1681. Can imprison for contempt.

Aug. Session, 1681. To hold Court at least once in two months.

May Session, 1692. To appoint Deputy in each County to probate wills and grant letters of administration, etc. Appeal to Com. Gen. or to Chancellor. Appeal to Gov. from Com. Gen.

# Commission on Burnt Records of Anne Arundel County.

May Session, 1748. Proceedings of this Commission, Act 1705, to be valid whether signed by 3 or less than 3 of said Commissioners.

Commission to Treat for Peace with the Susquehannahs.

June 28, 1652.

Commission to divide St. Mary's Co. into 4 Parishes and the parts of All Faith and King and Queen in Charles County to be Trinity in Charles County.

May Session, 1744. Coms. can name Parishes.

Aug. Session, 1745. Extends time to April 1, 1746.

Commission to build Governor's dwelling.

March Session, 1732. Act.

Commission to resurvey Indian Lands, etc., to be appointed by Governor.

July Session, 1721. To hold for 3 years and their determinations final. [Governor appointed 3 Commissioners and survey confirmed by Act 1723 as agreeable to Grant of 1669.]

Commission on Nanticoke Indian Reservation.

Oct. Session, 1711. To report to Provincial Court and to Somerset County Court.

Commission to Grant Land on Eastern Shore below Choptank River.

Nov. 6, 1661. 3 Coms., by Gov. for 6 months.

May 2, 1662. Reviewed ; also act as Court for that section. Feb. 4, 1662/3. Reviewed ; also act as Court for that section; jurisdiction 2000 Tob.

Feb. 20, 1662/3. Change membership; 4 members.

Aug. 15, 1663. Same; 4 members. Feb. 10, 1663/4. Same; 4 members. May 26, 1664. Same; 3 members.

Feb. 23, 1665/6. Is for Land powers only, 2 members.

Commission, Paper Currency Act.

Nov. Session, 1769. App. by Gov.; 2 Commissioners; have clerk; can sue, etc.

Commission to Bound Certain Parishes in Queen Anne and Talbot Counties.

Nov. Session, 1765.

Commission to Take Fortieth Degree with Commission Appointed by Wm. Penn (four members).

May 23, 1682. Com. by Prop.

Commission to Treat with Virginia for Tobacco Reduction.

May 9, 1663. Named by Governor.

June 26, 1666. Com.

Commission for Trial of Immoral Clergymen.

Oct. Session, 1771. To be composed of 3 Clergy, 3 Laity and the Governor or First in the Council.

Commissioners for Changing Boundaries of Cecil, Kent and Talbot Counties.\*

Apr. Session, 1706. Commissioners named for each County. Commissioners for Disputes with Indians.

Apr. Session, 1700. Between English and Indians; jurisdiction £0.20.0; 2 each for Choptico Indians and St. Mary's County, Accokick, Piscattaway and Paymonkey Indians and Charles and Prince George Counties, Susquehannahs, Shavannalls and Delaware Indians and others in frontiers, Nanticoke, Abapcoes and Haewop Indians and Dorchester County [8 Coms.]

Apr. Session, 1704. Revives above Act.

Commissioners (3) for Paper Currency, to be appointed by Lord Proprietor or by Governor (£90,000).

- March Session, 1732. Are to sign the Bills, report to Assembly and all money to go to 3 London Trustees for purchase of Public Stock.
  - Commissioners (5) to be named by Governor, or in his absence by the President of the Council, to oversee the emission of Paper Currency ( $\pounds 36,000$ ), sign bills, etc., as per the Act of this Session of which this is part.
- August Session, 1731. May be suspended by Gov. or President, etc.

Commissioners (14) to re-layout the Parishes in St. Mary's and Charles Counties, 7 from each County.

- Oct. Session, 1728. 7 named from each County. Report to next Assembly.
- July Session, 1729. Ratifies Report of the Commission, 3 Parishes in each County.

Commissioners (4) named to survey Annapolis and settle all disputes as to lots.

April Session, 1718. To have Clerk of Mayor's Court as Clerk and proceedings to be recorded by Clerk of Mayor's Court in said Court. Plat to go to Secretary's Office (original destroyed by State House fire 1704), to be per surveys of Richard Beard deceased. Persons not appearing by Aug. 1, 1718, are barred. Coms. can elect members in case of vacancies and to hold office until work completed.

Commissioners (5) named for each County to hear all disputes as to land boundaries.

April Session, 1715. Have clerk and assistants, make surveys. Book of Plats, etc., to be deposited with Clerk County Court. To be in force June 1, 1716-June 1, 1719. Creates in effect Special County Land Courts.

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- Commissioners (4) named to repair damages to and to secure Land Records, Secretary's Records, Commissary's Records. County Court Records to be repaired by County Coms.
- Aug. Session, 1716. Bonds to be given by Secretary for Land, Chancery and Provincial Court Records £1000, by Commissary for Commissary Records £1000. by each County Court Clerk £200.
- Sept. Session, 1742. Bonds, Secretary for Provincial Office Records £3000, Register in Chancery £1000, Register of the Land Office £3000, Commissary General £3000.

Commissioners to erect Towns, named for each County.

April Session, 1706. Dissented to by the Queen.

- Commissioners for Cecil, Kent and Talbot Counties to run off new lines for erection of Queen Anne's County.
- April Session, 1706. To make surveys and settle County Seats, etc. New County May 1, 1707.
  - Commissioners (5) as Appeal Court from decisions of 7 Coms. of Burnt Records of Anne Arundel County, to be named by Governor.
- May Session, 1705. Appeals can be taken within 30 days to the 5 Coms. from the decisions of the 7 Coms.

Commissioners (7) for Burnt Records (Oct. 18, 1704) of Anne Arundel County, to be named by Governor.

May Session, 1705. To act as a Court to settle all land disputes due to burning of the Records, *Clerk*, Proceedings in a Book to be signed by at least 3 Coms. and then delivered to Clerk of A. A. Co. Court, order resurveys, etc., appeals can be taken in 30 days to 5 Coms. named by Gov. to settle finally.

Commissioners of the Loan Office.

July Session, 1754. Act issue £4000.8 currency.

Commissioners, one in each, to get Money from Loan Office, etc.—Act Issue Paper Money.

Apr. Session, 1740. Act to issue £2562 in Bills of Credit, etc.

Commissioners for the Proprietary's Treasury.

Nov. 18, 1643. 5 named.

May 3, 1644. 3 named.

Dec. 23, 1670. Com. by Secretary.

Commissioners in Somerset County to Grant Land Warrants.

Commission on St. Mary's and Charles County Parish Boundaries.

July Session, 1729. Report ratified.

Constables.

Dec. 5, 1654. By Prov. Court. 3 appointed.

April Session, 1661. To be appointed by Co. Courts one to each Hundred.

May Session, 1676. To take lists of taxables. June Session, 1699. To take lists of taxables.

Coroner, Calvert County.

March 31, 1685/6. Com.

Coroner of Cecil County.

Aug. 23, 1674. Com.

Coroner, Kent County. March 31, 1685/6. Com.

Coroner, Talbot County.

March 0, 1686/7.

Coroners.

Apr. Session, 1666. Act for coroners in each County.

Council.

Apr. 15, 1637. Com. by Prop.

March Session, 1637/8. Act.

Aug. 2, 1679. All Councillors are J. P.'s and can sit in any County.

Council of Kent.

Feb. 3, 1639/40. 3 Councillors.

Jan. 20, 1642/3. Court Coms. appointed, which takes place of the Council.

County Attorneys-Anne Arundel, Baltimore, Cecil, Dorchester, Somerset, Talbot and Kent; Solicitor General to act for St. Mary's, Calvert and Charles Counties.

Apr. 21, 1688. Appointed by Attorney General and approved by Council.

County Attorney for Cecil County.

March 10, 1683 4. Represent Proprietor in both civil and criminal cases.

County Court for St. Mary's and Potowmack.

Oct. Session, 1654. Act.

Apr. 24, 1655. By Prov. Court as per Act Oct. 1654.

County Committees of Safety.

Under General Conneil of Safety; all end with State Govt. Jan. 1, 1777.

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County Courts.

- Apr. Session, 1661. To select a Constable for each Hundred and to present 3 names to Gov. for I to be selected as Sheriff.
- Apr. Session, 1662. To enroll servants' times in Co. Court Records; i. e. time of service, and is for those under 22 vears of age.

Nov. 6, 1665. / Jurisdiction to 3000 lbs. Tob.

Apr. Session, 1666. Act. To have charge of Highways; select roads; appoint Overseers, etc.

Apr. Session, 1666. Act. Servants' times to be recorded, etc.

Apr. Session, 1669. Act. Each to have a Seal.

- March Session, 1671. Act. To levy taxes; states has been done formerly but not legal; is for county expenses only; appeal to Prov. Court; Record by Co. Court Clerk.
- Feb. 13, 1677/8. To see that Co. Court Clerks send list of alienations to Secretary and of fines to Receivers.

March 8, 1678/9. Jurisdiction not limited.

- Aug. Session, 1681. Enlarges criminal jurisdiction-larcenv etc.
- May Session, 1692. To name Press Masters for each Hundred.

May Session, 1692. To name Keeper of Weights and Measures in each County.

Sept. Session, 1704. Select Roads and appoint overseers, but Governor and Council can change Roads.

Sept. Session, 1704. Appoint 2 Press Masters annually.

- Sept. Session, 1704. Criminal jurisdiction-larceny, etc.limited.
- Sept. Session, 1704. Levy expenses of County and of Parishes; Clerk to send Accounts to Governor.

Sept. Session, 1704. Grant Ordinary Licenses.

- Oct. Session, 1713. To settle disputed Parish Boundaries.
- May Session, 1717. Can hear differences with Indians; any one of Prov. Court or County Courts.
- Sept. Session, 1723. On petition appoint 4 Coms. to examine and settle boundaries.
- Feb. Session, 1756. To try differences between Indians and English.
- Dec. Session, 1766. To bind out apprentices. May Session, 1766. Jurisdiction greatly enlarged—all felonies, trespasses, etc.
- June Session, 1773. As to estates tail.

#### Court Cryers.

May Session, 1676. Fees of Cryers of Prov. Court and Co. Courts.

Jan. 18, 1687/8. Seems to be appointed by Co. Courts on recommendation of Council.

# Court for Eastern Shore (below Choptank).

Feb. 23, 1665/6. 8 members by Gov.: jurisdiction 2000 lbs. Tob.

#### Councils of Safety.

Aug. 14. 1775. Met Aug. 29, 1775; 8 from each Shore.

March 21, 1777. Senate dissolves last one (5th) by Resolution.

#### Deputy Collector, Somerset.

July 11, 1672. To enter and clear ships, etc., in Somerset. Oct. 25, 1673. To enter and clear ships, etc., in Somerset.

#### Deputy Collector, Delaware River.

Oct. 23, 1672. Gov. appoints, for Delaware River.

Deputy Commissaries, one in each County. Sept. Session, 1704. Can pass accounts to £50.

May Session, 1747. Can pass accounts to £150.

#### Deputy Governor or Governors.

June 16, 1676. Com. Can name successor if dying.

May 1, 1684. 9 members.

Aug. 17, 1685. 8 members.

July 23, 1688. 7 members and a President; read Oct. 3, 1688.

Aug. 1, 1689. Rev. Govt. ends them.

#### Deputy for Land Warrants, Somerset County.

Oct. 6, 1671. Grant to Stevens, issue Land Warrants, Somerset Co.

Aug. 1, 1674. Confirms grant to issue Land Warrants to Stevens, Somerset Co., Oct. 6, 1671.

#### Deputy Naval Officer, Somerset County.

Feb. 28. 1688/9. Council orders Treasurer and Naval Officer to appoint him.

#### Deputy Surveyor, Somerset County.

- Apr. 22, 1684. Surv. Gen. ordered to issue Com. to one Osborn.
- Sept. 14, 1687. To lay out Nanticoke Indian Reservation and send plat to Council.

- Deputy Surveyors, Somerset, Calvert, Anne Arundel, St. Mary's, Charles, Baltimore and Cecil, Talbot and Kent, Whore Kills and St. Jons and Delaware Bay, Dorchester County.
- Dec. 1, 1684. By Dep. Govs.

Examiner General or Deputy Surveyor General. June 26, 1684. To have office at St. Marv's.

May 7, 1687. Council removes and appoints another.

#### Farmers of Quit Rents.

Aug. 1, 1699. 2 by Prop.

Aug. 1, 1707. Ends.

#### Frederick County Court.

May Session, 1748. In effect Dec. 10, 1748. County erected. Nov. Session, 1770. To name Clerk for Market in Frederick Town.

#### Governor.

Aug. Session, 1641. Act, Gov. to probate wills, etc.

July 10, 1656. Empowered to appoint Secretary.

- June 24, 1660. Empowered to appoint Councillors as he pleases and to number he pleases.
- Feb. 16, 1665/6. To be Chief Justice in all matters.
- March Session, 1734. Gov. naturalizes under Great Seal; recorded in Secretary's office.

Harford County Court.

Nov. Session, 1773. In effect March 2, 1774. County erected.

#### High Constable, St. Clement's Hundred.

Jan. 5, 1637/8. Com.

March 16, 1639/40. Com. as Constable.

April 30, 1640. Also Coroner for the Hundred.

#### High Constable, St. George Hundred.

June 5, 1637/8. Com.

#### High Constable of Worcester County.

June 19, 1672. Com. by Gov.

Inspectors, Tobacco Plants, etc.

Oct. Session, 1728. Vestries divide into precincts and appoint 2 Inspectors each precinct; report to Clerk County Court, who records

May Session, 1730. I Inspector in each precinct.

# Inspectors of Weights and Measures.

March Session, 1671. One named for each County; Co. Court names successors.

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#### Justices of the Peace.

June Session, 1699. One J. P. to have jurisdiction to £0.16.8 or 200 lbs. Tob.

May Session, 1717. Punish Servants for larceny.

June Session, 1752. One can try by Bastardy and Fornication unless appeal to County Court ; report to County Court Clerk

#### Justice of the Peace, St. Clement's Hundred. March 16, 1639/40. Com.

#### Justice of the Peace for St. George's Hundred.

March 31, 1638. Com. Has power to name Constable for the Hundred.

Justice of the Peace, St. Mary's County.

Jan. 24, 1637/8. Added to Secretary's Powers.

Keepers of the Forest and Chief Rangers of Maryland. Apr. 24, 1684. Com. by Prop. Can appoint Deputies. July 9, 1688. Mentioned, and sub-rangers.

# Keeper of the Great Seal.

Sept. 9. 1683. Com. read Nov. 28, 1685. See next entry; is same.

Sept. 14, 1686. One of the two Secretaries made Keeper of the Great Seal [Darnall].

#### Keeper of St. Mary's County Prison.

April 10, 1654. \_ Com-

Kent County Court.

[Feb. 9, 1637/8. 3 Coms.; 1 of Quorum; for Ile of Kent.]

Feb. 3, 1639/40. Council of Commander. See Act March Session, 1637/8, as to Commander.

Jan. 20, 1642/3. 2 Commissioners; prior to this Council of Commander acted (lle and County of Kent).

Feb. 9, 1648. 3 Commissioners: 1 as quorum Justice.

Aug. 12, 1648. To be selected by Commander. Jan. 1, 1644/5. Commander and 5 Coms.

Apr. 18, 1647. Commander and 5 Coms.

Nov. 11, 1648. Commander and Coms. suspended by Gov.

Dec. 11, 1648. Commander and Coms. recommissioned by

Gov.

Dec. 18, 1652. Power to issue Land Warrants after 1652 revoked.

#### Land Council.

Apr. 29, 1684. 4 members; determine all Land matters.

May 5, 1684. 4 members; determine all Land matters.

Land Deputy.

June 20, 1672. To grant Land Warrants, etc., in Worcester Co.

Nov. 6, 1683. Com. to grant Land Warrants Somerset Co., adjacent parts of Dorchester Co., Seaboard Side and Hore Kills; report to Land Office.

Librarians, Parochial Libraries.

June Session, 1699. Rectors to hold.

#### Muster Master General.

Aug. 12, 1648. Commissioned by Proprietor.

Apr. 24, 1655. Commissioned by Prov. Court.

March 15, 1661. Commissioned by Gov.

May 23, 1666. Com.

Feb. 16, 1665/6. Is member of Council at this date.

Naval Officers, Patuxent, Pocomoke, Potomack Districts.

May Session, 1692. Mentioned.

Naval Officers for Patuxent River and the Bay, for Potomack River and for Somerset County.

Oct. Session, 1688. Also complained that those for Eastern and Western Shores provided for in Act for Towns were never appointed.

Notary Public.

Sept. Session, 1663. Act appointing. Dissented to by Proprietor. (Apr. Session, 1669.)

Patuxent County Court.

Apr. 24, 1655. Appointed by Provincial Court.

Person to Enter and Clear Ships on Eastern Shore. March 31, 1670/1. Com. by Secretary.

Prerogative Court for Probate Wills, etc.

Apr. Session, 1715. To have powers of High Court of Chancery.

Prince George County Court.

May Session, 1695. County to be erected by Apr. 23, 1696.

Probate Judges and also Keepers of Great Seal.

Jan. 26, 1682/3. Com. by Prop.

Nov. 28, 1685. Appoint Registers and other probate officers in all Counties.

Provincial Court.

Apr. 15, 1637. Com. by Prop.; to Council.

Nov. 2, 1638. Issues marriage licenses.

# Queen Anne's County Court.

Apr. Session, 1706. In effect May 1, 1707. County erected. May Session, 1706. Erects County.

May Session, 1707. County to be crected.

Receivers (2) or Collectors.

June 13, 1676. Com. by Proprietor.

Receiver General.

Feb. 9. 1643/4. Mentioned.

Aug. 1, 1651. Commissioned by Proprietor.

#### Receiver General and Collector.

May 8, 1684. Com. by Prop.

Oct. 3, 1685. Com. by Prop. on Dec. 18, 1684; Receiver General and Treasurer.

Register in Chancery.

Apr. 25, 1673. Clerk of Prov. Court and Register in Chancery.

Registers of Parishes.

Feb. Session, 1756. To send lists of batchelors to Sheriffs and County Collectors of Excise.

#### Secretary.

Apr. 15, 1637. Issue Land Warrants, etc.

Jan. 24, 1637/8. Probates wills, etc.

March Session, 1637/8. Probates wills, etc.

Aug. 12, 1648. Probates wills, etc.; Land Warrants, etc.

Apr. 15, 1637. Have charge of Land Warrants, etc. Beginning of Land Office.

Jan. 24, 1637/8. To probate wills, etc.

March Session, 1638. To probate wills, etc., by Act of Ass. Feb. 27, 1651/2. Mentioned as Secretary of State.

- Nov. 7, 1656. Com. by Prop.; Land Warrants, probate wills, etc.; signs patents with Gov.
- Dec. 10, 1673. Land Warrants, etc.; controls appointment of Co. Court Clerks, etc.; is Public Notary.
- Feb. 5, 1682/3. Com. by Prop.; Land Grants, etc.; record of offices, etc.

Sept. 5, 1691. Com. by King and Queen.

Serjeant St. Mary's County Hundreds.

Oct. 17, 1642.

#### Sheriffs.

Apr. Session, 1661. Co. Court presents 3 names to Gov. and he selects one as Sheriff annually.

Apr. 23, 1662. To take list of taxables [Council].

Apr. Session, 1666. Not to be Clerks and Sheriffs [case in Balto. Co.].

June 12, 1666. To take list of Quakers; send to Prov. Court.

Nov. 11, 1673. Make lists of escheat lands.

Oct. Session, 1678. I yr. term unless Co. Court certificates of good conduct, etc.

Sheriff of Isle of Kent.

Feb. 9, 1637/8.

March 11, 1652/3. Called "of Kent Co."

Sheriff Somerset County.

Aug. 22, 1666. Com.

Sheriff for St. Mary's, Potomock and Patuxent Counties.

Dec. 26, 1655. Named by Provincial Court.

Sheriff and Coroner, St. Mary's County.

Jan. 29, 1637/8. Com.

Solicitor General.

Apr. 3, 1688. Com.

Somerset County Court.

Aug. 22, 1666. Com.

Speaker.

From time of separate establishment in 2 Houses, but though chosen by Lower House, Gov.'s approval necessary.

Special Court, Violation English Navigation Laws. March 12, 1687/8. 4 members.

Special Court for Indian Trial.

- Feb. 15, 1683/4.
- Special Indian Court.

Sept. 30, 1685.

St. Mary's County Court.

Aug. 26, 1644. 3 named Commissioners St. M. Co. Court. St. Mary's and Potomack County Court.

April 24, 1655. Appointed by Provincial Court. Surveyor General.

- March 24, 1641/2. Lord Proprietor's Commission; to name Deputies.
- Aug. 12, 1648. Same powers as in Virginia.

Dec. 15, 1668. To lay out Indian Reservations. Aug. 3, 1674. To hold Court of Inquiry and Survey in each County once a year; Gov.'s Com.

Tobacco Viewers.

Oct. Session, 1640. Act; 3 to be named in each Hundred by County Commander.

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Treasurer.

March 20, 1638/9. Chosen by Council.

Treasurer and Naval Officer.

Feb. 28, 1688/9. Mentioned.

Treasurer Eastern Shore.

Apr. Session, 1696. Mentioned.

Treasurer Western Shore.

Apr. Session, 1606. Mentioned.

Trustees (3) of Md. holdings of Public Stock, live in London and under Lord Proprietor's inspection.

March Session, 1732. Is under Bill to emit Paper Currency (£9,000), these Trustees get money from the 3 Coms. in Md. under this Act. Creates a Sinking Fund. Trustees of the Poor-five in each County.

June Session, 1768. Act Relief of Poor; Bodies corporate elect own successors; appoint Overseers of Almshouses, etc.

Trustees of Poor, Baltimore County.

Nov. Session, 1773. 9 Trustees; powers slightly changed from general act.

Under Sheriff St. Mary's County.

April 1, 1648. Com.

Under Sheriff for St. Mary's, Potomock and Patuxent Counties.

Dec. 26, 1655. Named by Provincial Court.

Vestries.

May Session, 1692. Erect Parishes and elect 6 vestrymen in each; Parish Clerks.

July Session, 1696. Erect Parishes, etc.; vestry elect 2 Church Wardens and Register who to keep Register Births, Marriages, Deaths; Rector appoints Vestry Clerk.

Later Acts vary but little and not in officers.

Oct. Session, 1728. 2 eldest to be voted out annually.

Visitors, County Schools-seven Visitors and one School in each County.

Sept. Session, 1723. Bodies corporate; appoint Registers; elect own successors.

Visitors, Free Schools, Somerset and Worcester Counties, to unite for one School-Eden School.

Sept. Session, 1770.

Visitors of Parochial Libraries.

Sept. Session, 1704. Gov. can appoint one or more.

Visitors, St. Mary's, Charles and Prince George Counties.

March Session, 1774. I school at Charlotte Hall with President and 21 trustees. 7 from each Co., to take place of 3 Co. schools.

Visitors, Worcester County School.

Iune Session, 1746. Appointed.

Worcester County Court.

June 19, 1672. County erected at this date.

Sept. Session, 1742. In effect Dec. 10, 1742. County erected. Sept. Session, 1742. Court House at Snow Hill.

Dec. 10, 1742. In effect by terms of Act.

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Accountants' Militia Claims, 2 on each Shore.

May Session, 1813. App. by Gov., etc., report with youchers to Gov. and Council and Gov. draws warrants on Treasurer West. Shore, Clerk Council to keep vouchers and record warrants.

Dec. Session, 1815. Gov. and Council to adjust these claims instead of these Accountants.

#### Adjutant General.

Nov. Session, 1798. Pay given.

Nov. Session, 1799. Must reside at Annapolis to be paid. Dec. Session, 1824. Salary. Dec. Session, 1827. Salary repealed.

Dec. Session, 1834. Make annual Report to President U. S. Gov. and Council to Commission.

Dec. Session, 1844. To take duties of Assessor.

July 4, 1851. New Constitution; app. by Gov., 6 vr. term.

Jan. Session, 1860. To buy arms for State together with Gov.

Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution; app. by Gov. and hold office at pleasure of Gov.

Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, same as 1864.

Jan. Session, 1888. To collect all Md. flags from U. S. Secretary of War, War of Revolution, 1812, Mexican and Civil, but none captured by either side in Civil War; prepare history of each and put report in Archives.

Jan. Session, 1900. To keep retired list (Militia).

# Admiralty Court.

Jan. 1, 1777. App. by Gov., etc.

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# Advisory Commission.

Jan. Session, 1904. Consists of the Attorney General and 4 app. by Gov., to advise the Governor as to necessary legislation for the relief of Baltimore City by reason of the fire of February, 1904.

Agent to Collect Md. Claims against U. S. arising from the Spanish War.

Jan. Session, 1900. App. by Gov., furnishing and equipping troops, etc.

Agents to Collect Md. Claims against U. S. prior to 1898.

Jan. Session, 1900. I or more app. by Gov.

Agent to settle claims of Md. upon U. S. Dec. Session, 1816.

Agent to finish sales of late Intendant of Revenues and Commissioners of Confiscated British Property and discoveries of British Property.

Nov. Session, 1785. App. by Gov., etc.

Agent to solicit loans.

Nov. Session, 1785. App. by Gov., etc., send list to Treasurer West. Shore,

Agent of Md. for Bank of England Stock.

Nov. Session, 1779. To go to London and try to obtain this Stock, etc.

Agent of State for Bank of England Stock of State.

Apr. Session, 1783. 3 London Trustees to deliver to him and they are thereby discharged.

- Nov. Session, 1784. To sue in Chancery [England] for this Stock.
- Nov. Session, 1786. May compound or compromise with the London Trustees and also settle Hanbury's claim against the State.

Nov. Session, 1791. Has obtained a Decree in Chancery.

Nov. Session, 1796. Report to next Assembly how matters stand.

Agent to invest proceeds of sale of Bank of England stock in U. S. stock.

Nov. Session, 1806. App. by Gov., etc. Has completed satisfactorily this work.

Agent of State in Havana.

May Session, 1781. Mentioned.

Agent to settle with Tax Collectors.

Nov. Session, 1789. Report to Assembly.

Nov. Session, 1790. Continues, if no collector names one.

Nov. Session, 1791. Continues; can sell confiscated property and compound with discoverers of British Property, Gov. and Council to fill vacancy. 2 Acts.

Nov. Session, 1792. Continues.

Nov. Session, 1793. Continues.

Nov. Session, 1794. Continues.

Nov. Session, 1795. Continues.

Nov. Session, 1796. Continues; must qualify by Feb. 1.

Agent for State in the dispute with the Vanstaphorsts. Nov. Session, 1786. To appear for State before Coms. to settle dispute, Resolve of Assembly.

Agents (3) to treat with the Vanstaphorsts as to contract with them made by State Agent, July 31, 1782.

Apr. Session, 1787. Debt due them from the State. Nov. Session, 1787. Repealed.

Agents, for clothing, horses, etc., for soldiers.

May Session, 1781. Gov. to app. 1 or more for clothing, also in each Co. for horses.

Agents to buy clothing for soldiers.

Oct. Session, 1777. App. by Gov., etc.

March Session, 1778. App. by Gov., etc., to purchase provisions.

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Agents for Provisions for Soldiers.

Nov. Session, 1779. 3 named for each County.

Agents to look after interests of Md. Troops.

Jan. Session, 1864. App. by Gov., visit the field.

Agents of Penitentiary.

Dec. Session, 1837. 2, app. by Gov., watch finances, etc. Dec. Session, 1839. Abolished.

Agricultural Chemist.

Dec. Session, 1847. App. by Gov. annually; State to be divided into 3 divisions and he to stay 1 yr. in each division and analyze soils, report annually to House of Delegates.

June Session, 1852. Can app. an Assistant, permanent laboratory in Baltimore City.

Jan. Session, 1854. To analyze Plaster of Paris, the Inspection Acts of 1832 and 1833 are repealed.

Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. Abolished. Present hold hold until his term expires in a decision from U. S. Su-

> sundary . between Md. and West between Garrett Counston County, W Va.

#### Aldermen (15) for Baltimore City.

May Session, 1836. App. by Gov., to have J. P. powers, ward named, must be confirmed by Mayor and City Council.

#### Allegany County Court.

Nov. Session, 1780. To open 1st Monday April, 1791, at Cumberland

#### Annex Improvement Commission, Baltimore City.

Jan. Session, 1904. Consist of, Mayor, City Comptroller, City Engineer, 4 app, by Mayor of which 2 to be of minerity party, elect Chairman and Secretary, open streets, etc., etc.

#### Antietam Battlefield Commission.

Jan. Session, 1898. Gov. to app. 6 Union and 3 Confederate Soldiers to cooperate with Antietam Battle Field Board in order to mark the positions of the troops engaged in that Battle.

Jan. Session, 1900. Transfer property to U.S.

#### Antietam Cemetery.

Jan. Session, 1878. Ceded to U. S.

Appeal Tax Courts, one in each County and in Baltimore.

Nov. Session, 1785. App. by Gov. etc., 3 members, is for Real Property, Tax Coms. Clerk acts as their Clerk.

Appeal Tax Court, Baltimore City.

March Session, 1841. 3 persons app. by Mayor and City Council Annually; Assessment Act this session.

Ian, Session, 1852. App. a Clerk.

Jan. Session, 1874. App. by Mayor and City Council annually.

#### Arbitrators of Md. and Va. Boundary.

Jan. Session, 1874. 2 named and they to select a 3rd one. Jan, Session, 1876. 3 new Arbitrators named.

Jan. Session, 1878. Award of Arbitrators is ratified by Assembly,

# Arbitrators of Md. and West Va. Boundary.

Jan. Session, 1892. Md. will app. one if West Va. will app. one and they to select a third.

#### Armourers.

Nov. Session, 1785. App. by Gov., etc., one at Frederick-May Send one at Talbottown.

Agent to settle with Tax 2 be one at Fredericktown, Nov. Session, 1789. Report to Apolis.

Nov. Session, 1790. Continues, if 1.

Dec. Session, 1844. Armourer Abolished and duties go to Adjutant General.

Assessors, one each Hundred.

Feb. Session, 1777. Assessment Act.

#### Assessors of Bread.

Nov. Session, 1789. Co. Court may appoint 3 in any town or city, baker can appeal to J. P. as can buyers, etc.

## Assistant County School Superintendents.

Jan. Session, 1904. App. by Co. School Commissioners if more than 175 teachers in the County, visits schools, etc., as Superintendent does.

#### Assistant Secretary of State.

Jan. Session, 1874. To be app. by Governor in case of sickness of Secretary.

#### Assistant Superintendent of the State Census.

March Session, 1901. App. by Gov.

#### Attorney General.

- Jan. 1, 1777. Appointed by Governor, etc., holds for good behaviour.
- Dec. Session, 1816. To be abolished, must be confirmed by next Assembly.
- Dec. Session, 1817. Act 1816 confirmed.
- Dec. Session, 1817. May also be District Attorney for Baltimore City, same powers as former Att. Gen., holds for good behaviour. May be ordered by Gov. to assist a District Attorney.
- Dec. Session, 1818. If he is Dist. Attorney also then can name a Deputy.
- Dec. Session, 1821. App. by Gov. but does not provide that he may also act as District Attorney in Balto. City.
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution; no provision for Ass. Attorney General.
- Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, elected 4 yr. term, prosecute for and defend State in Court Appeals and U. S. Supreme Court and help State's Attorneys when Gov. directs, give opinion in writing when demanded by Gov., Comptroller, State Treasurer, or a State's Attorney.
- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, much same as 1851, 4 yr. term, etc., but can not app. any agent, deputy or representative; also must aid any State's Attorney if directed by Gov. or Assembly. Gov. fills vacancy.
- Jan. Session, 1890. To obtain a decision from U. S. Supreme Court to settle controversy between Md. and West Va. concerning the Boundary Line between Garrett County, Md., and Preston County, West Va.

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- Jan. Session, 1890. To obtain a decision from U. S. Supreme Court as to scope and effect of the 'Compact' of 1785 of Md. and Va. Commissioners, whether it applys to Pocomoke Sound and whether citizens of both States are entitled to take oysters there, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1902. To apply to U. S. Supreme Court for a rule to be laid upon the State of West Va. to show cause why it should not proceed in regard to the line between Garrett County, Md., and Preston County, West Va., being determined.

Attorneys.

Jan. Session, 1902. Women can be attorneys.

Auctioneers (1) each County.

Oct. Session, 1780. App. by Gov., etc., can name a deputy. May Session, 1781. Act. Oct. 1780 repealed.

Auctioneer for Baltimore.

May Session, 1781. May name deputy, fees go to Town Coms. who can remove for misconduct and appoint.

Nov. Session, 1784. Auctioneer for Baltimore, may name deputy, can be removed by Town Coms.

Nov. Session, 1790. 2 Auctioneers, Gov. may remove, tax to Port Wardens.

Dec. Session, 1827. Gov. to annually appoint 20.

Auctioneers (2) to sell Tobacco in Báltimore City Warehouses.

Jan. Session, 1868. App. by Gov., 2 yr. term, one acts as Clerk, have room in Warehouse No. 5.

Auctioneers, Baltimore City.

Jan. Session, 1894. Gov. App. not exceeding 30, 2 yr. term. Auctioneers, Harford County.

Jan. Session, 1890. Get license from Clerk Circuit Court.

Jan. Session, 1900. Get license from Clerk Circuit Court. Auditing Committee, Caroline County.

Jan. Session, 1904. 3 persons app. annually by Co. Coms., to examine books of Co. Coms., Trustees of the Poor, Co. Treasurer, Co. School Coms., Treasurer of Co. School Coms., Print report and send it out to citizens.

#### Auditing Committee, Kent County.

Jan. Session, 1904. 3 persons appointed annually by Circuit Court to examine accounts of Co. Coms., Trustees of the Poor, Co. School Coms. and Treasurer of Co. School Coms.

#### Auditor General.

- Nov. Session, 1781. Must get Intendant to countersign accts.
- Apr. Session, 1787. To make list of officers and soldiers entitled to land bounties and lav before next Assembly.
- Dec. Session, 1827. Abolished, duties and papers taken by Clerk of Council established by Resolution 1778.
- Dec. Session, 1827. Suspends abolishment to Dec. 1, 1828.

# Auditor, Allegany County.

Jan. Session, 1904. App. by Gov., audits accounts of Treasurer of Allegany County; must not be a resident of Allegany County.

# Baltimore City Court.

- Nov. Session, 1797. Gov. appoint 2 residents of Baltimore City as Associate Judges and with Chief Judge of 3rd District to be the Baltimore City Court. Begin March I, 1798. try all felonies, crimes. etc., committed in Balto. City, have powers of Court of over and terminer and gaol delivery of Act 1793. Sheriff and Clerk of Baltimore Co. to act for this Court.
- Nov. Session, 1798. To be 3 Associate Judges and not to try offenses committed in the County.
- Nov. Session. 1799. Powers all handed over to Criminal Court of Baltimore County created by the Act of 1799.
- Dec. Session, 1816. Gov. app. Chief and 2 Associate Judges. to take all powers of the Balto. Co. Court of over and terminer and gaol delivery within named boundaries and without them they go to Balto, Co. Court, Chief Judge attend daily, any Judge can call out militia. Clerk. etc.
- Dec. Session, 1817. To appoint and remove Constables for Baltimore City.
- Dec. Session, 1826. Enlarges powers, single Judge,
- Dec. Session, 1835. One-Judge can hear misdemeanors without presentment by Grand Jury.
- Dec. Session, 1844. To be 2 Judges only, 1 Chief and 1 Associate Judge.
- Jan. Session, 1867. Erected under authority of Constitution of Nov. 1, 1864. 1 Judge elected 6 vr. term. concurrent jurisdiction with Court of Common Pleas and Criminal Court Balto. Citv.
- Jan. Session, 1867. Can appoint a Stenographer.
- Oct. 5. 1867. New Constitution, concurrent jurisdiction with Superior and Common Pleas Courts in all civil common law cases and exclusive jurisdiction of appeals both civil and criminal from J. P.'s.

- Jan. Session, 1870. Exclusive jurisdiction to hear motions for new trial and arrest of judgment heard by this Court.
- Jan. Session, 1880. Habeas Corpus power, etc.

# Battle Flag Commission.

- Jan. Session, 1900. Gov. app. 4 Coms., 2 Union and 2 Confederate Soldiers, collect and exhibit battle flags in State Capitol and then turn them over to the Adjutant General. Boards of Agriculture.
- Nov. Session, 1807. For Baltimore, Cecil, Charles, Kent, Anne Arundel, St. Mary's, Somerset, Worcester, Talbot, Allegany, Caroline, Montgomery and Washington Counties. 9 to 15 Trustees, President, Secretary and Treasurer, etc.

Bcard of Agriculture, Montgomery County.

Dec. Session, 1822. 11 Trustees named.

- Board of Control and Management of Free Colored People, Baltimore County.
- Jan. Session, 1860. 3 app. in each Election District by Co. Coms., 2 yr, term, annual report to Clerk's office. Must be accepted by voters.
  - Board of Control and Management of Free Colored People, Calvert County.
- Jan, Session, 1860. 3 app. in each Election District by Co. Coms., 2 yr. term, annual report to Clerk's office. Must be accepted by voters.

Board of Control and Management of Free Colored People, Charles County.

Jan. Session, 1860. 3 app. in each Election District by Co. Coms., 2 yr, term, annual report to Clerk's office. Must be accepted by voters.

Board of Control and Management of Free Colored People, Howard County.

Jan. Session, 1860. 3 app. in each Election District by Co. Coms., 2 yr. term, annual report to Clerk's office. Must be "ccepted by voters.

Board of Control and Management of Free Colored People, Kent County.

Jan. Session, 18(6. 3 app. in each Election District by Co. Coms., 2 yr. term, annual report to Clerk's office. Must Le accepted by voters.

Board of Control and Management of Free Colored People, Prince George County.

Jan. Session, 1800. 3 app, in each Election District by Co. Cours., 2 yr. term, annual report to Clerk's office. Must be accepted by voters. Board of Control and Management of Free Colored People, Queen Anne County.

Jan. Session, 1860. 3 app. in each Election District by Co. Coms., 2 yr. term. annual report to Clerk's office. Must be accepted by voters.

Board of Control and Management of Free Colored People, Somerset County.

Jan. Session, 1860. 3 app. in each Election District by Co. Coms., 2 yr. term, annual report to Clerk's office. Must be accepted by voters.

Board of Control and Management of Free Colored People, St. Mary's County.

Jan. Session, 1860. 3 app. in each Election District by Co. Coms., 2 yr. term, annual report to Clerk's office. Must be accepted by voters.

Board of Control and Management of Free Colored People, Talbot County.

- Jan. Session, 1860. 3 app. in each Election District by Co. Coms., 2 vr. term, annual report to Clerk's office. Must be accepted by voters.
  - Board of Control and Management of Free Colored People, Worcester County.
- Jan. Session, 1860. 3 app. in each Election District by Co. Coms., 2 yr. term, annual report to Clerk's office. Must be accepted by voters.

Board of Control, Baltimore County.

Jan. Session, 1874. Gov. app. 7 as such Board for consideration of returns of Assessors in the County.

Board of Examiners of Barbers.

Jan. Session, 1904. Gov. app. 3, term 2 years, 1 must be a Master Barber and 2 Journeymen Barbers, elect President, Secretary, Treasurer, all barbers must register within 3 months, they can app. Sub. Boards.

[Appointed but Act declared by Courts to be unconstitutional.]

- Board of Investigation of the Management of the Md. Military and Naval Academy at Oxford, Talbot County.
- Jan. Session, 1890. As Board of 5 app. by Gov. reports gross mismanagement to the Assembly, therefore the Assembly repeals the Act of 1886 establishing this Academy. **Boards of Health.**
- Jan. Session, 1902. App. a County Health Officer who is Secretary and Executive Officer of the Board, 2 yr. term.

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- Jan. Session, 1904. App. Sub-Registers for issuance of burial permits to any M. D. in any School Asylum, etc. Board of Health, Allegany County.
- Jan. Session, 1904. With approval of Mayors of Towns, the Town Board of Health app. Inspector of Plumbing. Board of Health, Baltimore County. Sanitary Offi
  - cers, Baltimore County.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Co. Coms. app. 15, one for each Election District and designate one as Secretary to Board. Must be M. D.'s. They elect a President and meet quarterly.

Board of Health, Olney District, Montgomery County. Jan. Session, 1884. 5 members appointed.

Board of Managers for Colonization of Free Negroes.

Dec. Session, 1831. Gov. app. 3. members of Md. State Colonization Society, to send free Negroes to Liberia. Sheriffs send list of free negroes to Co. Clerks and they send to Board of Managers.

Jan. Session, 1894. Consists of Gov., Comptroller, State Treasurer and 6 app. by Gov. 6 yr. term, 2 appointed every 2 yrs.

Board of Police Examiners, Baltimore City.

- Jan. Session, 1900. Gov. app. 3, 2 yr. term, 1 must be minority party, chose President and Secretary.
- Jan. Session, 1902. 3 app. by Gov., 2 yr. term, 1 must be of minority party.

Board of Public Works.

- Dec. Session, 1825. 9 Directors, Gov. is President, look after all Internal Improvements, Represent State in all Stock Companies with State holdings, take inventory of such State holdings. Report to Legislature every Session.
- Dec. Session, 1828. Repeals Act 1825.
- Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, consist of Gov., Comptroller and State Treasurer; supervise everything State interested in as Stockholder or Creditor, app. directors for State, examine into tolls, etc., etc.
- Jan. Session, 1867. To vote State Stock in C. & O. Canal Company.
- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, same members as in 1864 and duties about the same; also can sell State Stock in B. & O. for State Stock except Washington Branch, also can sell other State interests but if C. & O. Canal or Del. & Ches. Canal or Susque. & Tidewater Canal then sale must be ratified by next Assembly.

Board of Managers of the Second Hospital for the Insane.

Jan. Session, 1874. To buy land and build Normal School. Jan. Session, 1880. App. Commander of State Oyster Police and 7 Deputies for 7 Districts now created.

Jan. Session, 1884. Much same as Act 1880.

- Jan. Session, 1890. To advertise C. & O. Canal for sale and report result to Assembly.
- Jan. Session, 1894. App. Commander of State Fishery Force and a Deputy for each Steam or Sailing vessel, 2 yr. term.
- Jan. Session, 1900. App. Commander of State Fishery Force and a Deputy for each vessel, term 2 yrs.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Can rebuild Tobacco Warehouses Nos. 1 and 2 or build 1 on sites of both or sell sites. Baltimore City.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Can sell State property in the Burnt District of Balto. City to Balto. City.

Board of Relief for Families of Md. Volunteers.

Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. 3 Coms. named, may employ Clerks.

Board of Sidepath Commissioners.

Jan. Session, 1900. 5 Coms. app. by Gov., 5 yr. term, 1 appointed annually, must be wheelmen and 2 must be from Balto. City; they can app. 5 as a County Board upon petition and with the approval of Co. Coms.

Board of State Aid and Charities.

- Jan. Session, 1900. Gov. app. 5 designating one as President, term 2 yrs., they app. a Secretary; all applications for work must be made to them in writing 6 months before Assembly meets and they report to Assembly.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Gov. app. 7, term 2 yrs., 2 not to reside in Balto. City; no more than 4 can succeed themselves, quarterly meeting, report to Assembly, app. a Secretary.
  - Board of Supervisors of work done upon the National Road in Md. by Superintendent, appointed by the Governor.

Jan. Session, 1867. 3 Coms. named.

Board of Trustees of the Fifth Regiment Armory.

Jan. Session, 1898. Consist of Governor, Comptroller, State Treasurer, Attorney General, Adjutant General, Col. and 3 Majors of the 5th Regt. and 3 app. by Gov. 4 yr. term; annual report to Gov.

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#### Board of Trustees of Md. Agricultural College.

Jan. Session, 1904. Consist of Gov., Comptroller, State Treasurer, Attorney General, President of Senate, Speaker of House of Delegates, U. S. Secretary of Agriculture, 6 app. by Governor, 6 yr. term, 2 appointed every 2 yrs. and who must be farmers and must be one from each Congressional District and 5 elected by Stockholders.

Boards of Control and Review, Baltimore City.

- Jan. Session, 1896. Gov. app. 3 persons for each 4 wards. Boards of Review.
- Jan. Session, 1876. Gov. app. 3 as Board of Review in each County and in each 4 wards Balto. City for assessments.

Board of Visitors of the Jail, Anne Arundel County.

March Session, 1901. Judges of the 5th Circuit app. 3 visitors, one of whom must be a woman and these with the State's Attorney and the Physician to the Jail constitute the Board. They elect Physician to the Jail, Warden of Jail and other officers, one of the 3 is appointed every 2 yrs. for 6 yr. term by the Judges and Physician is not a member until elected by the Board: quarterly report to County Commissioners.

#### Bounty Commission.

- Jan. Session, 1865. 1 app. from each County and Legislative District of Balto. City by Gov.
- Jan. Session, 1868. All County Acts 1864 to 1867 repealed. Brigade Inspectors.
- Nov. Session, 1798. Pay given.
- Nov. Session, 1812. To make annual report to Adjutant General.

#### Building Commission.

- Jan. Session, 1900. 9 named, is for Court of Appeals, State Library, etc., tear down Comptroller Building, Board of Public Works to be on the Commission and Goy, to be President of it; have a Secretary.
- Jan. Session, 1002. To crect a central heating plant for State Buildings at Annapolis.

Bureau of Immigration.

Jan, Session, 1896. 3 persons app, by Gov., 2 vr. term, one being designated President and one as State Superintendent of Immigration who once a year goes to Europe; elect a Secretary and have an office in Baltimore City.

Burnt District Commission, Baltimore City.

Jan. Session, 1964. App. by Mayor of Balto. City, has Secretary and Treasurer, 5, two to be of minority party.

# Burnt Record Commission, Dorchester County.

Jan. Session, 1874. Act of 1872 reenacted with slight changes.

Jan. Session, 1876. Continued to Jan. 1, 1880.

Cerebro Spinal Meningitis Commission.

- Jan. Session, 1902. 5 Coms. app. by Gov. of which the Pathologist and the Veterinarian of the Md. Agricultural College must be 2, to investigate this disease among horses, report to Gov., term 2 yrs.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Continues Act 1902, report to Gov. Jan. 1, 1906.

Chancellor.

- Jan. 1, 1777. Appointed by Governor, etc., holds for good behaviour, keeps Great Seal.
- Nov. Session, 1785. Enlarges powers, sales of lands, etc., and if necessary a special messenger, sales of Intestates, etc., 2 Acts.
- Nov. Session, 1786. To grant lands held under an equitable title from Pennsylvania.
- Apr. Session, 1787. Enlarges powers, parties outside of State, etc.
- Nov. Session, 1789. Enlarges powers, non-residents, etc.
- Nov. Session, 1790. Enlarges powers, non-residents, lunatics. etc., 2 Acts.
- Nov. Session, 1791. Enlarges powers.
- Nov. Session, 1792. Enlarges powers.
- Nov. Session, 1794. Enlarges powers.
- Nov. Session, 1796. To draw up Code of Testamentary Law, etc.
  - Nov. Session, 1800. Enlarges powers.
  - Nov. Session, 1804. Enlarges powers.
  - Nov. Session, 1805. If Chancellor interested Chief Judge of District to sit.
  - Nov. Session, 1806. If Chancellor interested Chief Judge of 3rd District to sit and Chancellor may require his opinion on a point of law at any time.
  - Nov. Session, 1807. Enlarges powers.

May Session, 1813. Enlarges powers.

Dec. Session, 1816. Enlarges powers.

- Dec. Session, 1822. Repeals Act Chief Justice 3rd District to act when Chancellor interested.
- Dec. Session, 1841. Take duties of Judge Land Office Eastern Shore, enlarging powers, Divorce, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1846. Receive returns of election for Gov. Dec. Session, 1847. Confirms Act 1846.

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July 4, 1851. Abolished 2 yrs. from adoption of New Constitution and end of session of Legislature thereafter; no new cases.

Chickamauga-Chattanooga Battlefield Commission.

Jan. Session, 1902. 7 Coms. named.

Chief of Artillery.

Jan. Session, 1870. Militia Act.

Chief of Bureau of Statistics and Information.

Jan. Session, 1884. App. by Gov. term 2 yrs., collect information as to all kinds of Industries in the State.

Jan. Session, 1886. To have his report printed.

Jan. Session, 1888. To prepare figures of female and child labor in manufacturing industries.

Jan. Session, 1900. App. 2 Inspectors of tenements, mills, etc., for Sweat Shop work, etc.

Jan. Session, 1902. Organize a free State Employment Agency,

Jan. Session, 1004. In case of a strike employer or employees can notify him and he or a Deputy try to mediate; if this is not possible then each side to select an arbitrator and the two select a third but if they cannot select a third then the Chief of Bureau, etc., selects him; if everything fails then the Chief of Bureau, etc., publishes a report fixing the blame, etc.

Chief of Cavalry.

Jan. Session, 1870. Militia Act.

Chief Engineer.

Jan. Session, 1868. Militia Act.

Jan. Session, 1870. Militia Act.

Chief of Industrial Bureau.

Jan. Session, 1892. App. by Gov., 2 yr. term, Statistics of Labor, Agriculture, Mining, R. R.'s, etc.

Chief of Ordnance.

Jan. Session, 1868. Militia Act.

Jan. Session, 1870. Militia Act.

Jan. Session, 1892. Militia Act mentions.

Chief Veterinary Inspector.

Jan. Session, 1888. App. by Gov., 4 yr. term, must be a D. V. S.

Circuit Courts.

Nov. Session, 1790. To take place of County Courts, State divided into 5 Districts and Gov. to appoint a Chief Justice in each District and 2 Associate Justices in each County; to hold Court twice a year in each County, to have all criminal and civil jurisdiction of County Courts at this time. Nov. Session, 1792. Enlarges powers.

Nov. Session, 1793. Enlarges powers, petitions of freedom to be tried only here.

Nov. Session, 1794. Enlarges powers, jurisdiction, etc.

Nov. Session, 1796. Much same as Act Nov. 1790.

- Nov. Session, 1798. Can issue Habeas Corpus writs when sitting and Chief Justice at any time.
- Nov. Session, 1799. Name Election Judges in the new Election Districts of the Counties but the Judges name the Clerks. In Baltimore City the City ones to act.

Nov. Session, 1801. Not to name Election Judges, etc.

- Nov. Session, 1802. To have all General Court powers; to be confirmed by next Assembly.
- Nov. Session, 1804. To be 6 Circuit Districts with Chief and 2 Associates, etc., much as before, to be confirmed.

Nov. Session, 1805. Confirms Act 1804.

- Nov. Session, 1809. To inspect Clerk's Books and report to next Assembly any omitted judgment and year of it. Dec. Session, 1815. Enlarges jurisdiction, equity.
- Dec. Session, 1818. Petition for roads to Court and it appoints 3 Coms. etc., same as Levy Court; Levy Court retains its powers, however. This Act not to affect Worcester Co.
- Dec. Session, 1823. To appoint Commissions for Public Landings after Petition to Court.
- Dec. Session, 1824. Not to hold pleas within jurisdiction of J. P.'s.
- Dec. Session, 1827. To hear debts over \$50.
- Dec. Session, 1832. To grant private roads to quarries or mines.
- Dec. Session, 1839. Judge of to grant benefit of Insolvency Laws.
- Dec. Session, 1845. Mandamus and Insolvency cases can be appealed to Court of Appeals.
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, State divided into 8 Districts and 1 Judge elected in each except 5th. Baltimore City, hold Court twice a year in each County. Judges elected 10 yr. term.

Jan. Session, 1852. Criminal jurisdiction in all cases.

- Jan. Session, 1852. To have powers Chancellor had before new Constitution.
- Jan. Session, 1854. Insolvents in Counties apply and Court appoints Trustee, etc., former Insolvent Acts repealed.
- Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, 13 Circuits, 1 Judge elected for 15 yr. term in each except 13th, Balto. City, Court twice a yr. in each County.

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Jan. Session, 1866. Articles of Incorporation to be held with them.

Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, 8 Circuits, Chief and 2 Associate Judges elected in each except 8th, Balto. City, 15 yr, term. Court twice a year in each County and twice a year non-jury, 1 a quorum but if less than 3 hear then can be reserved to be held of all three in *banc* by loser but this not for J. P. appeals or criminal cases less than felony and appeal can also be taken, vacancy filled by Gov. until a general election.

Jan. Session, 1868. Overpayment of Taxes reclaimed by petition to Circuit Courts, etc.

Jan. Session, 1880. Insolvency petition, etc. (except Balto. City).

Jan. Session, 1886. May app. Assistant Counsel for the State when think necessary.

Jan. Session, 1886. May change persons' names upon petition, etc.

Jan. Session, 1900. Appeals from Co. Coms. taken to them.

Jan. Session, 1904. Can persons' names on petition, etc.

Jan. Session, 1904. Keep stallion lien dockets, except Balto. City,

Jan. Session. 1904. M. D.'s file their licenses with, and Clerk Superior Court Balto. City hand over his old list to Circuit Court.

Circuit Court, Allegany County.

Jan. Session, 1904. App. Stenographer.

Circuit Court, Anne Arundel County.

Jan. Session, 1900. App. Stenographer.

Circuit Court, Baltimore City.

Jan, Session, 1853. Established under power given by Constitution, 1 Judge elected Nov. 1853 for 10 yr. term, have equity powers, concurrent with Superior Court.

April Session, 1861. Can send cases to Superior Court Balto. City.

Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, 1 Judge elected 15 yr. term, concurrent with Superior Court in equity, descent, etc., no habeas corpus in Criminal cases.

Jan. Session, 1867. Can app. a Stenographer.

Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution; exclusive Equity jurisdiction and all it had before and same limitation.

Jan. Session, 1880. Habeas Corpus power.

Circuit Court, Caroline County.

Jan. Session, 1894. Annually audit accounts of Trustees of the Poor, Co. Coms. and Co. Treasurer. Jan. Session, 1904. App. annually 3 as Auditing Committee, to examine books of Co. Coms., Trustees of the Poor, Co. Treasurer, Co. School Coms., Treasurer of Co. School Coms.. Print report and send it out to citizens.

Circuit Court, Carroll County.

- Jan. Session, 1896. Can app. a Stenographer.
- Circuit Court, Frederick County.
- Jan. Session, 1888. To employ a Stenographer.

Circuit Court, Garrett County.

- Jan. Session, 1900. App. Stenographer.
- Circuit Court, Kent County.
- Dec. Session, 1818. Not to grant liquor license unless 50 names upon the petition.
- Jan. Session, 1904. App. annually 3 as an Auditing Committee to examine accounts of Co. Coms., Trustees of the Poor, Co. School Coms. and Treasurer of Co. School Coms.

Circuit Court, Montgomery County.

Jan. Session, 1904. Inspect Records at every Term.

Circuit Court, Prince George County.

- Jan. Session, 1870. Divide County into road districts and app. Supervisor for each District.
- Jan. Session, 1872. App. annually Road Supervisor for each Election District.
- Jan. Session, 1904. App. attorney to defend criminal of no means.

Circuit Court, Wicomico County.

Jan. Session, 1868. Organize under authority of Constitution of Oct. 5. 1867, to be part of First Judicial Circuit.

Circuit Court, Worcester County.

Jan. Session, 1894. Legislation because of Court House here: Docket entries in Chancery Docket shall be received in evidence same as originals, where no deed executed but should have been Court to pass order directing Trustee to execute it, for Auditor's Reports destroyed the Court order new one by Auditor; papers are recorded as original but not where no final order has been passed.

Civil Officers not named specifically in Constitution except Assessors, Constables and Overseers of Roads. Jan. 1, 1777. App. by Gov., etc.

Clerks County Courts.

Jan. 1, 1777. Appointed by County Courts, hold good behavior.

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Nov. Session, 1798. Billiard tax, Baltimore and Georgetown excepted, licenses issued by them, list to Levy Court.

Dec. Session, 1826. Grant Liquor Licenses in Recess of Courts.

Issue Liquor, Traders, etc., Licenses. Dec. Session, 1827.

Dec. Session, 1830. Term to be 7 yrs. if next Assembly confirms this Act; not to affect present holders.

Dec. Session, 1833. To alphabet index Records.

- Dec. Session, 1836. To be app. by Gov., 7 yr. terms. Dec. Session, 1840. Issue Pedlars' and Hawkers' licenses.
- Send annually list of licenses to State Dec. Ses ' n, 1845. Treasurer; Insurance Companies must get licenses from these offices.
- Dec. Session, 1849. To be elected by people, 7 yr. terms, after Oct 1852, must be confirmed.

Clerks of Levy Courts.

Nov. Session, 1802. To make annual lists of monies levied, purp ses, etc.

Clerk Court of Appeals.

Oct. Session, 1777. Fees.

Nov. Session, 1805. Seems Clerk appointed for each Shore. Dec. Sessions, 1817. Clerks to record all unrecorded judgments of the Provincial and General Courts.

- Dec. Session, 1836. To be named by Gov., 7 yr. terms after Feb. 1, 1845.
- 1 Iv 4, 1851. New Constitution, app. by Court 6 vr. term, re-eligible.

in. Session, 1852. Papers at Easton brought here to Annapolis.

Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, app. by Court 6 vr. term; notify Attorney General of case where State interested.

Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, elected 6 vr. term, Court can remove for incompetency and fill until a general election, notify Attorney General of case where State interested.

Jan, Session, 1868. To be a Commissioner of State Oyster Police.

Jan. Session, 1874. To send all deeds, etc., of Soldiers' lots and all other land records to the Land Office.

Jan. Session, 1894. To have all papers of late Court, or of former Court and the General Court, app. Deputies, etc.

Clerks General Court, one for each Shore.

Jan. 1, 1777. Appointed by General Court, hold good behaviour.

# Clerks of Circuit Courts, 1 each County.

- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 6 yr. term.
- Jan. Session, 1856. Pedlars must get licenses from.
- Jan. Session, 1858. Traders and Liquor licenses must be obtained from.
- Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, elected 6 yr. term, Judge fills vacancy.
- Jan. Session, 1865. Provide for Registration of Births, Marriages and Deaths and annually report to Sec. of State who indexes, keep Boat Lien Docket, issue oyster licenses to run from Sept. 1 to June 1. 3 Acts.
- Jan. Session, 1867. To put marriages proved in Court by colored people in marriage register.
- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, elected 6 yr. term, vacancy filled by Judges until general election, can appoint Deputies in discretion of Judges who can remove them.
- Jan. Session, 1874. Not to issue Liquor Licenses unless recommended by Grand Jury. Not to apply to Baltimore City or to Anne Arundel, Allegany, Baltimore, Carroll, Dorchester, Howard, Prince George, St. Mary's, Somerset, Washington, Wicomico Counties.
- Jan. Session, 1882. Record in Marriage License Record, age, name, color, condition, residence and index the book (except Balto. City).
- Jan. Session, 1882. Not to issue Liquor Licenses unless person recommended by Grand Jury, not to apply to Bal-
- timore City or to Allegany, Anne Arundel, Baltimore, Caroline, Carroll, Cecil, Dorchester, Frederick, Garrett, Harford, Howard, Montgomery, Prince George, St. Mary's, Somerset, Talbot, Washington, Wicomico and Worcester Counties.
- Jan. Session, 1884. Same as 1882 except Charles Co. excepted and Talbot Co. is not.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Preachers, etc., send marriage certificates to them except in Baltimore City.
- Jan. Session, 1890. During recess of Court may enter Judgment by Confession.
- Jan. Session. 1894. Ministers, etc., to make return to them of all marriage ceremonies.
- Jan. Session, 1898. To give Grand Jury list of licenses for 2 yrs. previous always.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Packers and Canners to get licenses from.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Gypsies must obtain licenses from them.

# Clerk Circuit Court, Allegany County.

Jan. Session, 1904. General Index Equity Proceedings, 1816-1904.

# Clerk Circuit Court, Anne Arundel County.

Jan. Session, 1854. To have index of Judgments and Decrees.

#### Clerk Circuit Court, Baltimore City.

Jan. Session, 1853. To be elected 6 yr. term, Nov. 1853.

- Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, elected 6 yr. term, Judge fills vacancy.
- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, elected 6 yr. term, Supreme Bench fills vacancy, may appoint Deputies at discretion of Supreme Bench which can remove.

## Clerk Baltimore City Court.

- Jan. Session, 1867. Elected 6 yr. term, under authority Constitution Nov. 1, 1864.
- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, elected 6 vr. term, vacancy filled by Supreme Bench, may app. deputies at discretion of Supreme Bench which may remove them.
- Dec. Session, 1816.
- Dec. Session, 1826. Grants Billiard licenses.
- Dec. Session, 1827. Issue Liquor, Traders, etc., Licenses.
- Dec. Session, 1836. App. by Gov., 7 yr. term after Feb. 1, 1845.
- Dec. Session, 1845. Send annually list of licenses to State Treasurer, Insurance Companies must get licenses from this office.

## Clerk Court of Common Pleas, Baltimore City.

- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, to issue marriage licenses Balto. City, elected 6 yr. term.
- Jan, Session, 1856. Pedlars must get licenses from.
- Jan. Session, 1858. Traders and liquor licenses must be obtained from.
- Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, same as 1851; Judge fills vacanev.
- Jan. Session, 1865. Provide for Registration of Births, Marriages, and Deaths, and annually report to Sec. of State, who indexes, issue ovster licenses to run Sept. I to June 1, make list of licenses annually. 3 Acts.
- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, much same as 1864; vacancy filled by Supreme Bench, may appoint deputies at discretion of Supreme Bench which may remove them.

Jan. Session, 1882. Record in Marriage License Record. Age, name, color, condition, residence and index the book.

- Jan. Session, 1890. Preachers, etc., send marriage certificates to him in Balto. City.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Packers and canners to get licenses from.

# Clerk Criminal Court, Baltimore City.

July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 6 yr. term.

- Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, elected 6 yr. term, Judge fills vacancy.
- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, elected 6 yr. term, Supreme Bench fills vacancy, can app. deputies at discretion of Supreme Bench which may remove them.

# Clerk Superior Court, Baltimore City.

- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 6 yr. term: all Deeds, etc., to him, also equity side Balto. Co. Court Docket.
- Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, elected 6 yr. term, Judge fills vacancy; all Deeds, etc., all papers Law and Equity of Balto. Co. Court relating to Balto. City.
- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, same as 1864 except is also Clerk of Supreme Bench, vacancy filled by Supreme Bench; may app. deputies at discretion of Supreme Bench which may remove them.
- Jan. Session. 1890. Have Land Record Books, becoming worn, copied.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Reindex Land Records 1659-1864.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Index Land Records in Annex 1851-1888.

#### Clerk Baltimore County Court.

Dec. Session, 1836. Report to President of Senate and Speaker of House the result of vote on propriety of separating Balto. City and Co.

Dec. Session, 1838. To keep a Docket of Mechanics' Lieus. Dec. Session, 1843. To issue licenses to retail hucksters.

Dec. Session, 1845. Boarding houses, Balto. City, to register with him to exempt boarders' goods from distress.

Jan. Session, 1868. Make General Index of Law and Equity Dockets.

## Clerk Circuit Court, Baltimore County.

Jan. Session, 1888. General Index Judgments and Decrees. Jan. Session, 1904. Index Plats.

# Clerk Circuit Court, Calvert County.

Jan. Session, 1884. All deeds, mortgages, etc., recorded anew by him, the originals having been destroyed by fire, March 3, 1882, are hereby validated by the Assembly.

- Jan. Session, 1884. Judgments and mortgages on land recorded before the fire of 1882 to be recorded within a year from the passage of this Act, April 18, 1884.
- Jan. Session, 1886. Repeals and Reenacts Burnt Records Acts 1884.
  - Clerk Circuit Court, Caroline County.
- Jan. Session, 1868. To index Land Records.
- Jan. Session, 1886. Gen. Index Land Records.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Index Land Records, 1774-1851, Campbell System.
- Jan. Session, 1894. General Index of Judgments.
- Clerk Circuit Court, Charles County.
- Jan. Session, 1884. General Index of Land Records.

# Clerk Circuit Court, Dorchester County.

- Jan. Session, 1882. General Index Land Records.
- Jan. Session, 1892. General Index Land Records.
- Jan. Session, 1900. General Index Wills, Accounts, Inventories, etc., 1852, to date.
  - Clerk Circuit Court, Harford County.
- Jan. Session, 1888. General Index Land Records.
  - Clerk County Court, Howard District, Anne Arundel County.
- March Session, 1838. Established, to be confirmed.

Dec. Session, 1839. Confirmed.

# Clerk County Court, Kent County.

- Dec. Session, 1834. To receive School Fund money from Treas. W. Shore and divide among School Districts, each organized School District to be a Corporation.
- Dec. Session, 1846. Not to issue liquor licenses unless petition signed by foreman of Grand Jury.

Clerk Circuit Court, Kent County.

Jan. Session, 1900. General Index Deeds, Mortgages and Chattel Mortgages 1842-1844, Marriage Licenses 1800-1900, Equity Proceedings.

# Clerk County Circuit Court, Montgomery County.

Dec. Session, 1839. To index all judgments of Co. Court, Magistrates' Courts and J. P.'s.

# Clerk County Court, Prince George County.

Nov. Session, 1807. To transcribe and alphabet certain Land Records under direction of Court.

# Clerk Circuit Court, Prince George County.

Jan. Session, 1867. To transcribe Chan. Docket 1803-1851. Jan. Session, 1880. General Index Judgments.

- Jan. Session, 1890. Send Commissioner of Land Office extracts of Deeds not sent by former Clerks.
- Jan. Session, 1900. General Index to Marriages 1777-1886. Clerk County Court, St. Mary's County.
- Dec. Session, 1831. Recorded all original deeds and if none then a copy from Clerk of Court of Appeals, ditto Mortgages, Bills of Sale, etc.

[Old Records destroyed in Court House fire.]

Clerk Circuit Court, St. Mary's County.

Jan. Session, 1882. General index Land and Chattel Records.

Jan. Session, 1898. Chattel Records Index.

Jan. Session, 1900. Copy Marriage Records 1794-1864.

Clerk Circuit Court, Talbot County.

- Jan. Session, 1860. To copy Marriage Licenses 1794-1839.
- Jan. Session, 1890. General Index Law and Equity Dockets.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Keep record book of all cemeteries with plats and index.

Clerk Circuit Court, Washington County.

Jan. Session, 1868. Make General Index of Land Records.

Jan. Session, 1880. General Index Land Records prior to 1836.

Clerk County Court, Worcester County.

Dec. Session, 1835. To record all Deeds, etc., brought in and proven, etc. [Worcester County Court House burnt 1834].

## Clerk Circuit Court, Worcester County.

Jan. Session, 1874. To copy Index Land Records 1742-1844.

Clerk of the Council.

Jan. 1, 1777. Chosen by Council.

Nov. Session, 1805. To complete or renew under direction of Gov. and Council indices to Proprietary Debt Books and bind them and the indices and have charge of them.

Nov. Session, 1805. To keep all Civil Commissions in a book.

Dec. Session, 1827. Takes duties and papers of Auditor General.

Dec. Session, 1836. To be abolished, must be confirmed.

Dec. Session, 1837. Confirms Act 1836.

Clerk County Commissioners, Allegany County.

Jan. Session, 1900. Elected, 2 yr. term.

Jan. Session, 1904. Elected, 4 yr. term.

Clerk County Commissioners Anne Arundel County.

Dec. Session, 1828. To make out list, etc., to carry out Primary School Act as under General Act 1825.

Clerk County Commissioners and County Treasurer, Baltimore County.

Dec. Session, 1838. App. by County Commissioners.

Clerk House of Delegates.

Nov. Session, 1782. Pay given.

Clerk, Assistant, House of Delegates.

Dec. Session, 1813. Pay given.

Clerk Senate.

Nov. Session, 1782. Pay given.

Clerk, Assistant, Senate.

Dec. Session, 1813. Pay given,

Clerks of Tax Commissions, one each County.

Feb. Session, 1777. Assessment Act.

Clerk Treasurer Western Shore.

Nov. Session, 1781. Pay given.

Collectors, for Blankets.

Feb. Session, 1777. Gov. to appoint one in each Hundred for blankets for soldiers.

Collectors of Tax.

Dec. Session, 1826. To report number of deaf and dumb in each County to next Assembly.

Jan. Session, 1865. App. by Co. Coms.

Collectors, Allegany County.

Jan. Session, 1900. To live in the District for which elected but to be elected by vote of entire County.

Commander of State Oyster Police.

Jan. Session, 1868. App., 2 yr. term, by State Oyster Police Commissioners.

Commander of State Fishery Force.

Jan. Session, 1900. App. measurers and special inspectors of ovsters.

Jan. Session, 1900. Have a Clerk.

Commissaries.

May Session, 1813. Gov. and Council may appoint.

Commissaries for E. and W. Shore, 1 each Shore.

Oct. Session, 1780. App. by Gov., etc.

Commissary General.

Feb. Session, 1777. Abolished; Orphans' Courts take place.

Nov. Session, 1781. Name a deputy or more in each County, Gov. may fill vacancy if he dies. [This not same as old office of Commissary General.]

Jan. Session, 1867. Militia Act.

Jan. Session, 1868. Militia Act.

Jan. Session, 1870. Militia Act.

Commissary of Purchases, 1 each County.

March Session, 1780. App. by Gov., etc.

May Session, 1781. Can seize beef.

Commission for Building Gaol for prisoners of war and the disaffected.

Oct. Session, 1780. 3 members, to be near Montgomery Co. Court House.

Commission for live stock market at Rising Sun. Dec. Session, 1817. 10 Coms.

Commission for Hospital for Insane in Maryland.

Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. 5 Coms. app. by Gov., to act under Act 1852.

Commission to buy land and build almshouse for Somerset County. •

Dec. Session, 1845. 5 Coms. named, turn over to Trustees of Poor report to Co. Coms.

Commission to build Poor House, Somerset County.

Jan. Session, 1858. 8 Coms., report to Co. Coms.

Commissioners of Charities and Corrections, Frederick County.

Jan. Session, 1884. 5 App. by Co. Coms., 2 of opposite political party from the majority of Co. Coms., charge of Alms House and maintenance of Jail, app. overseer of Alms House, chose one member Treasurer, supplants Trustees of Alms House.

Jan. Session, 1886. Much same as 1884 but jail not mentioned.

Jan. Session, 1898. 5 app. by Co. Coms. 2 yr. term, 2 must be of minority party, app. overseer, etc., etc.

Commissioners to revise, simplify and abridge rules, practice, pleading, forms of conveyances and proceedings.

Jan. Session, 1853.

Jan. Session, 1856. 2 Acts passed, one to simplify rules of practice and pleading, forms, etc., the other to simplify rules and forms of conveyancing.

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Commission to consider the English Statutes that the people of Md. are entitled to.

Nov. Session, 1794. Commission to consist of Chancellor, Judges of General Court and Attorney General. First those in existence at time of the settlement and used here before July 4, 1776; second those enacted after the settlement and used here. Report to Assembly.

Commission on the English Statutes.

Nov. Session, 1809. Chancellor and Judges of Court of Appeals, report to next Assembly.

Commission to draw up a complete code of Testamentary Law and the administration thereof.

- Nov. Session, 1794. 5 members, to complete before 1st Monday, Nov. 1794, and lay before the Assembly .[Resolve].
- Nov. Session, 1796. Commission has failed to act, so Chancellor to do it.

Commission on Taxation.

Jan. Session, 1886. 4 Commissioners app. by Gov. They elect a Secretary, to inquire into the subject of taxation and report to the next Assembly.

Commission to revise and systematize the Revenue Laws of the State.

Jan. Session, 1872. Named, report to next Assembly [Resolution].

Commission for a modification of the Torrens Land Transfer plan adaptable to Md.

- Jan. Session, 1896. Gov. app. 3 Coms., report to Assembly. Commission for Revision of Lunacy Law, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Consists of Gov. and the State Lunacy Commission: report to Assembly recommendations for changes in Lunacy Laws, enlargement of Hospitals for Insane, etc.
  - Commission for Revision of Laws concerning State Banks, Savings Banks, Fidelity and Trust Companies, Building and Loan Associations.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Gov. app. 7 Coms. of which one must be a President of an institution in each Class named and 1 must be an attorney of the Baltimore City Bar; term not more than 2 yrs. Report to next Assembly.

Commission to take testimony, land in Cecil Co. near temporary line.

July Session, 1779. Is now part of Md. by Resolve July 3, 1776; as to land holdings, 5 Commissioners, name Clerk, report to next Assembly.

<sup>42</sup> Report of Public Records Commission of Maryland.

Commission for Boundary between Md. and Va. from Smith's Point at mouth of Potomac River to Atlantic Ocean.

Jan. Session, 1852. I Com. app. by Gov.

Commissioners (3) to meet (3) appointed by State of Virginia to run boundary line on Eastern Shore between Maryland and Virginia.

Jan. Session, 1868. Run off the boundary line and report to next Assembly.

Commissioners to meet Va. Commissioners to settle Eastern Shore boundary.

Jan. Session, 1872. Are continued, report to Legislature.

- Commission to run Md. and Va. Eastern Shore Boundary.
- Jan. Session, 1882. Md. and Va. Coms. and to ask for one from U. S. War Department to assist them.

Commissioners (3) to meet Virginia Commissioners concerning Western and Southern Boundaries of Md.

Nov. Session, 1795. Report to Assembly [Resolve].

- Nov. Session, 1796. 2 Coms. changed [Resolve].
- Nov. Session, 1801. Gov. and Council to name 3 new Coms., fill vacancies and fix compensation; nothing yet accomplished.

Commission to meet Commission that may be sent by Virginia, to settle Western Boundary.

Nov. Session, 1810. Gov. to app. 3 Coms. and inform Virginia that it is desired Va. will do likewise.

Commissioners (3) to meet Commissioners that may be appointed by Virginia to settle Western Boundary.

Dec. Session, 1818. App. by Gov. after Virginia passes similar Act, report to Assembly.

Dec. Session, 1824. Act 1818 Repealed.

Commission for Western Boundary.

Jan. Session, 1852. Gov. to appoint if Va. appoints.

Commission to establish the Southeastern and Northwestern boundaries between Md. and Va.

Jan. Session, 1860. Lines run out by this Commission, the S. E. one in 1858 and the other in 1859 declared the boundaries, Commission established in 1858.

Commission for Md. and West Va. Boundary.

Jan. Session, 1878. Gov. to app. 1 or more Commissioners to act with West Va. Commissioners if appointed, to act on Western Boundary of Md. as surveyed by Lt. Michles in 1858. Commission to survey Boundary Line of Md. and Va. as settled by Arbitrators.

Ian. Session, 1878. To be app. by Gov. and act with that app. by Va. and to ask U. S. to help in the survey.

Commissioners (2) to meet those Va. may appoint to devise protection for fisheries of Potomac River.

Dec. Session, 1816. If both Legislatures confirm their agreement to be binding.

# Commissioner to Virginia.

April Session, 1861. Mentioned.

# Commission to run Boundary Line between St. Mary's and Charles Counties.

Jan. Session, 1002. Coms. named from St. Marv's, Charles and Prince George Counties to run this line, chose President and Secretary, app. Surveyor, report to Commissioner of Land Office and to each Circuit Court of St. Marv's and Charles Counties.

Commissions to bound lands of Private Persons, etc., St. Mary's County.

Dec. Session, 1831. Petition to Co. Court which issues Commission as per Act 1786, and also Gov. appoints 3 Commissioners in each Election District St. Marv's County to act in such cases.

[On account of destruction of Records in fire, Court House burnt.]

Dec. Session, 1830. Act 1831 repealed.

Commission to change Boundary of Queen Anne and Caroline Counties.

- Dec. Session, 1826. 3 Coms., Bullocktown to Delaware line. Commission to change Boundary Line between Dorchester and Caroline Counties.
- Dec. Session, 1825. 3 Coms. named, send plat to Co. Courts.
- Dec. Session, 1827. 3 Coms. named, plat to Co. Courts. Dec. Session, 1832. Report to be approved by Levy Courts and recorded in Co. Courts.

Commission to fix Boundaries of Anne Arundel and Calvert Counties.

- Dec. Session, 1822. 2 from Anne Arundel, 2 from Calvert and 1 from Baltimore Counties, Surveyor, etc., report to next Assembly.
- Dec. Session, 1823. Are to establish the Boundary and send plat to each County Court.
- Oct. Session, 1777. 2 from each County, report to next Assembly.

- Commission to fix Boundary Line between Harford and Cecil County.
- Dec. Session, 1829. 2 from each County and 1 from Chester. Pa., report to Co. Court.

Commission to fix Boundary between Frederick and Montgomery Counties.

Dec. Session, 1834. 3 Coms. Fred. Co., and 2 Coms. Montgomery Co., make returns to County Courts.

Commission for line between Frederick and Washington Counties.

- Nov. Session, 1810. Levy Courts of the two Counties to appoint each 3 Coms. who get Surveyor, if cannot agree get another Com, from another County. Plat goes to each County Clerk.
- Dec. Session, 1823. Levy Courts of the two Counties each to appoint 3 Coms, by June I. 1824. [Is a Supplementary Act.1.
- Dec. Session, 1824. Levy Court, Fred. Co., to appoint 3. more Coms, to examine the line laid down.
- Dec. Session, 1825. 3 Coms. to be app. for Fred. County.
  - Commission to run line between Baltimore and Frederick Counties.
- Dec. Session, 1820. 2 Coms. to be app. by Balto. Co. Levy Court and 2 by Fred. Co. Levy Court; if disagree app. I more from another County, return plat to both Co. Courts. Commission to run boundary between Montgomerv

and Prince George Counties.

Jan. Session, 1868. 2 Coms. named from Montgomery and I Com. from Prince George County; original map to go to Montgomery County Court and copy to Prince George Co. Court.

Commission to run boundary line between Dorchester and Somerset Counties.

- Jan. Session, 1860. 3 Coms., send map to Land Office and copies to Clerks of Circuit Courts of Dorchester and Somerset Counties.
- Dec.-Jan. Session 1861-2. Pay for this Commission provided.

Commission to run North East line Carroll County bounding on Baltimore County.

Dec. Session, 1840. Coms. app. from each County, 1 each.

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Commissioners (3) to settle boundaries of settlers' lots west of Fort Cumberland.

- Nov. Session, 1793. Summon witnesses, etc., certificates to be filed in Land Records of Allegany Co., to be in office to Jan. 1, 1796.
- Nov. Session, 1804. 3 new Coms., for reserve lands west of Fort Cumberland. Allegany Co. Court to fill vacancies, to be in office to Oct. 1, 1810.

Commissioners (3) to move live stock scales from Balto. City to Balto. Co.

Jan, Session, 1852.

Commissioners of Market Eastern Precincts of Baltimore.

Nov. Session, 1807. 7 app. by Balto. Co. Levy Court.

Commission to keep Harbor of Balto. City free from obstruction by ice.

Jan. Session, 1867. Build Steamer, app. Superintendent and Officers.

Commission to inquire into management of Baltimore City Gaol.

Nov. Session, 1799. Report to Balto. Co. Criminal Court and to next Assembly,

# Commissioners to grade Precincts of Baltimore.

Nov. Session, 1809. 3 named, Clerk, assess damages, etc.

Nov. Session, 1811. 5 Coms. to be elected by inhabitants annually, to be a body Corporate, Clerk, etc.

# Commission to extend Limits of direct Taxation in Baltimore City.

Dec. Session, 1830. 3 Coms. app. by Gov. if Mayor and City Council request him to do so.

Commission to decide on suitable site for Public Buildings, Baltimore County.

Dec. Session, 1849. 3 Coms. to be elected from each Election District, the voters to vote on separation of Baltimore County from Baltimore City.

Jan. Session, 1852. Repeals Act 1849.

# Commissioners (3) for Insolvent Debtors, Baltimore City.

- Dec. Session, 1816. Gov. to app., must be of legal knowledge. All applications in Insolvency in Balto. City Court to be referred to them and they report upon them.
- Dec. Session, 1819. All applications in Insolvency to be made to them and not to Balto. Co. Court but if report unfavorable they must transmit everything to Balto. Co. Court.

Dec. Session, 1820. Not less than 2 to Act, can appoint permanent Trustees.

Dec. Session, 1831. One Com. can act. May Session, 1836. 60 day's residence in City or County before can apply to Insolvent Coms. of Balto, Co, and City, Dec. Session, 1836. Need not have legal knowledge.

Jan. Session, 1854. All Insolvency Acts 1805-1850 repealed.

Commission to sell Tobacco Warehouses in Baltimore City and erect new ones.

Jan. Session, 1860. 3 Coms.

April Session, 1861. Repeals Act 1860.

Commission to pay Police Baltimore City put out of Office 1862.

Ian. Session, 1867.

Commission on opening and extending of Pratt and Lombard Sts., Baltimore City.

Dec. Session, 1815. 9 Coms., report to next Assembly as to practicability and expediency.

Commission to lay out part of Baltimore County into Streets. etc.

Dec. Session, 1816. 13 Coms.

Commissioners (3) to lay out Caroline County into School Districts.

Dec. Session, 1816. Lay out in sections 6 miles square, 5 trustees elected in each; plat to Clerk Co. Court, etc.

Commission to lay out Town of Princess Anne.

April Session, 1861. 3 Coms. app. by Co. Coms., send Plat to Co. Coms. and if they approve it is recorded by Clerk Court.

Commission to lay out Western Boundaries of Baltimore County.

Jan. Session, 1852. 7 Coms., report to Clerk County Court. Commissions to divide Counties into Election Districts, one in each County.

Nov. Session, 1799. Membership ranges from 3 to 9, to make divisions equal in population and name voting place. Baltimore City votes by the established 8 wards.

Nov. Session, 1801. Commission to relay these Districts, one each in St. Mary's, Cecil, Prince George, Washington and Allegany Counties.

Nov. Session, 1803. Commission to relayout Frederick Co.

- Nov. Session, 1807. Commission of 7 to relayout St. Mary's Co., by July 15, 1808.
- Dec. Session, 1816. Commission of 9 to relayout Dorchester Co. Report to Co. Court.

Commissions to divide Counties into Election Districts. Dec. Session. 1817. Commission to divide Allegany into 8 Districts.

- Dec. Session, 1817. Commission to divide Prince George into 6 Districts.
- Dec. Session, 1821. Commission (5) to divide Anne Arundel into 4 Districts, report to Co. Court June 20.
- Dec. Session, 1821. Commission (5) to divide Montgomery into 5 Districts, report to Co. Court.
- Dec. Session, 1821. Commission (14) to divide Baltimore County into 12 Districts, report to Co. Court July 15.
- Dec. Session, 1821. Commission app. by Levy Court to divide Washington into 7 Districts, report to Co. Court July 1.
- Dec. Session, 1822. Commission to divide Dorchester into 6 Districts, report to Co. Court.
- Dec. Session, 1822. Commission to divide Frederick into 11 Districts, report to Co. Court.
- Dec. Session, 1823. Commission (7) to divide St. Mary's into 5 Districts, report to Co. Court.
- Dec. Session, 1826. Commission (5) to divide Dorchester into 7 Districts.
- Dec. Session, 1826. 3 add. Coms. to divide Frederick, Act 1822.
- Dec. Session, 1827. Commission by Levy Court (5) to divide Worcester into 7 Districts.
- Dec. Session, 1829. Commission to divide Dorchester into 8 Districts.
- Dec. Session, 1831. Commission (7) to divide Somerset west of Wicomico River into 4 Districts.
- Dec. Session, 1836. Commission (13) to divide Carroll into 9 Districts. [County just erected.]
- Jan. Session, 1868. Commission (9) to divide Charles into 9 Districts.

Commission to divide Charles County into School Districts.

Dec. Session, 1832. App. by Charles Co. Levy Court, report to next Assembly.

Commission to lay off Election Districts of St. Mary's County.

Dec. Session, 1831. 5 Coms., record at Co. Court [Old Records destroyed in Court House fire].

Commission to lay out Allegany County into Election Districts.

Jan. Session, 1874. 3 Coms. to be app. by Co. Coms.

Commission to divide Baltimore City into 20 wards.

Dec. Session, 1844. Gov. app. 5 Coms., 2 West of Jones Falls and 3 East of Jones Falls, citizens of Baltimore.

Commission for Soldiers' Monument at Gettysburg. Jan. Session, 1865. Mentioned.

Commission for Painting of Governor Hicks and Monument to him.

Jan. Session, 1865. 3 Coms. app. by Gov.

Commission to move and preserve the Monument to Governor Hicks.

Jan. Session, 1898. 4 Coms. named.

Commission to erect Monument to Roger B. Tanney. Jan. Session, 1867. 7 Coms.

Commission to select site for Monument to De Kalb at Annapolis.

Jan. Session, 1886. Consist of Governor, Attorney General, Chief Judge of Court of Appeals, Commissioner of the Land Office and Frank B. Mayer, to confer with U. S. Secretary of State.

Commission Antietam Cemetery and Monument.

- Jan. Session, 1864. 3 from each House to purchase 20 acres and bury Md. soldiers there and erect a Monument [Resolution].
- Jan. Session, 1865. Resolution 1864 repealed, Antietam National Cemetery incorporated, 4 Md. trustees and 1 from every other State, app. a keeper, 1 Md. trustee retires every 3 yrs.

Commission to mark site of positions of Md. U. S. troops at Battle of Gettysburg.

Jan. Session, 1888. App. by Gov.

Commission to ascertain which deceased citizens are most worthy to have their statues placed in the U. S. Capitol.

Jan. Session, 1896. 5 Coms. app. by Gov.

Commission to erect a Monument over the Grave of Leonard Calvert, First Governor of Md., at St. Mary's City, St. Mary's County, Md.

Jan. Session, 1890. 3 Commissioners named (\$2,000 for monument).

Commission to clean out Pocomoke River.

Jan. Session, 1878. As only 2 Commissioners of Act 1840 alive therefore 3 new ones added to the Commission.

Jan. Session, 1892. Established by Act 1840, only 2 Commissioners now so 3 more appointed.

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- Commission to inquire into the practicability of survey of Swampy Land and the cultivation of the Eucalyptus tree in the Malarial Districts.
- Jan. Session, 1884. 3 Commissioners app. by Gov., 1 business man, 1 M. D. from Eastern Shore and 1 M. D. from Western Shore. Report to Assembly.
  - Commission to inquire into the propriety of establishing an Agricultural Experiment Station.
- Jan. Session, 1886. 6 Commissioners, one by Faculty of Johns Hopkins University, one by Md. State Farmers' Association, one by Md. State Agricultural and Mechanical Association, others by Governor, of which one from Eastern Shore and one from Western Shore.

# Commissioners of Public Works.

- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, 4 Coms., State divided in 4 parts and one elected from each for 4 yr. term but 2 elected every 2 yrs., to review all public works in which State is interested, investigate tolls, etc., if equally divided on some matter the State Treasurer has deciding vote.
- Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, no provision for, Duties, etc., go to Board of Public Works.

Commission to shut up Old Joppa Road.

- May Session. 1836. 3 Coms. app. by Mayor and City Council Balto. City, report to Co. Clerk.
  - Commission on Road Slade's Tavern to Upper Cross Roads.
- Nov. Session, 1809. 5 members, report to pext Assembly.
  - Commission of Review, Turnpike Roads in Baltimore Co.
- Apr. Session, 1787. Reisterstown, York, Frederick, etc., pikes, to be built and Coms. for each and the Coms. of Review to overlook their work, set up toll gates and appoint keepers, the proceeds to go to Balto. Co. roads, send surveys to Clerk Co. Court, to Town Coms. of Baltimore and to Road Coms.
- Nov. Session, 1785. 7 New Coms. named and Libertytown road added.
- Nov. Session, 1799. To have Surveyor put York pike distances on plat and return to Co. Court Clerk's Office.
  - Commission for Public Landing Place, Somerset County.
- Dec. Session, 1814. 3 Coms., Plat to Clerk Court, etc.
- Commissioners to plot and straighten roads in Cecil Co.
- Nov. Session, 1791. Appointed by Levy Court.

Commission, best road from Annapolis to Washington. Nov. Session, 1796. 8 members. Report to next Assembly.

Commission to examine road at Head of Chester.

Dec. Session, 1816. 3 Coms. Report to next Assembly.

Commissioners of Review, Turnpike Roads in Baltimore County.

Nov. Session, 1800. To finish part of Reisterstown Pike.

Nov. Session, 1801. Abolished, deliver books to Levy Court.

Commissioners to plot and straighten roads in Harford Co.

Nov. Session, 1791. Co. Levy Court to oversee, etc., named by Assembly.

Commission to examine best route from Cumberland to Western Counties of Pa. and Va. and the North Western Territory, for a road and best portage between Potomac and Monongahela Rivers.

Nov. Session, 1800. Report with plats to next Assembly; 5 Commissioners.

Commissioners (6) to lay out road from Annapolis to Washington.

Nov. Session, 1797. To be recorded in Anne Arundel and Prince George Co.'s.

Nov. Session, 1798. 7 Coms. instead of 6.

Nov. Session, 1805. 3 Coms. for Prince George Co. part.

Commissioners (5) to treat with Commissioners of Pa. and Del. as to commerce and proposed duties, etc.

Nov. Session, 1785. App. by Assembly Feb. 20, 1786.

Apr. Session, 1787. Authorized to meet Coms. of Pa., Del. and *Va.* jointly or separately and report to next Assembly.

Commissioners to Straighten Roads in Harford Co.

Nov. Session, 1793. Levy Court to name 3 as old ones terms expired and work not finished.

Commission to survey, etc., Railway from some point in Prince George County to Point Look Out.

Jan. Session, 1868. 5 Coms. app. by Gov., 3 from St. Mary's County, I from Charles County and I from Prince George County, to employ an engineer, etc.

Commission on improvement and navigation of Susquehanna River.

Dec. Session, 1776. 7 Coms., report to next Assembly, if Pa. appoints Coms. to confer with them and make Joint Report if possible.

Commissioners (3) to make compact with Pa. Coms. and Susquehanna Canal Co. Coms. for improvement and navigation of Susquehanna river.

Nov. Session, 1802. To be reported to Assembly of Md. and that of Pa, and must be ratified by both to be binding.

Commission to examine between Pocomoke River and Synepuxent Bay as to practicability and expense of a Canal between Chesapeake Bay and the Atlantic Ocean.

Nov. Session, 1795. 7 members. Report to next Assembly. [Resolve.]

Commissioners (3) for C. and O. Canal.

Dec. Session, 1825. App. by Gov.

Commissioners (3) for A. A. and Potomac Canal.

- Dec. Session, 1835. To have powers of Board of Public Works Act 1825 for this Canal.
  - Commissioner to represent Md. along with the other States in the erection of a memorial to commemorate the Declaration of Independence, to be placed in the Public Square adjoining Independence Hall in Philadelphia, Pa.

Jan. Session, 1858. App. by Gov.

Commissioners for International Exhibition at Philadelphia.

Jan. Session, 1876. 2 Coms. named, \$15,000 appropriated.

Commission to represent Md. in the proposed Tennessee Centennial Celebration.

Jan. Session, 1896. Gov. app. 5 Coms.

Commissioners for Soldiers Land Bounties, to settle disputes.

Nov. Session, 1788. Gov. to app. 1, 2 or 3 Coms. for such disputes, 2,475 soldiers and 100 recruiting officers entitled, remainder of 4,165 lots, minus 636 settled upon, to go by lot to officers or their reps. Surveys of lots to be placed in Land Office together with Coms. valuations, etc.

Commissioners (3) for Confiscated British Property. Oct. Session, 1780. 3 Acts, to seize property, send list to Assembly, have Clerk, also property of one of London Trustees of Bunk Stock, also property of persons outlawed for treason. Evidences of debt to go to Treasurers of the 2 Shores, unsold Proprietary Manors, much property named.

May Session, 1781. 3 Acts, sell certain named properties, Principio Company, Proprietary Manors, etc. Nov. Session, 1784. To sue for debts owing to those convicted of treason and to carry out their contracts.

Nov. Session, 1784. To sell remaining property. Nov. Session, 1786. Late Coms. to have land sold surveyed, Chancellor settle all disputes.

Commissioners (2) to examine claim of Wm. Augustine Washington (1-12 of Principio Company).

Nov. Session, 1791. If differ call in a third party.

Commission for Relief of Southern Poor.

Jan. Session, 1867. 2 Coms. and Gov., \$100,000 to be paid. Commissioners (3) to go to Europe to secure a Loan.

May Session, 1836. \$3,000,000 each to Balto. & Ohio and C. & O. Canal to be raised by these Coms, for State if Companies accept other conditions of this Act.

Commissioners (6) to help Continental Commissioner on New Bills.

June Session, 1780. App. by Gov. etc.

Commission to asssess damages of Riot of Aug. 1835. Dec. Session, 1835. 4 Coms. app. by Gov.

Commissioner to Settle Accounts between Md. and the U. S.

Nov. Session, 1786. Report to House of Delegates, employ Clerk, etc.

Commissioners (6) for Signing Paper Currency.

May Session, 1781. App. by Gov., etc.

Commissioners of Loans.

Dec. Session, 1834. Annual reports to Treas. W. Shore.

July 4, 1851. New Constitution, no provisions for.

Commissioners of the Loan Office.

Jan. 1, 1777. Chosen by House of Delegates.

Commission to treat with Vanstaphorsts about their claim on Md.

Nov. Session, 1791. 5 Commissioners named.

Commissioner for Depreciation Certificates.

Oct. Session, 1780. To be paid from confiscated British property, to soldiers and their widows and children.

May Session, 1781. To settle with Medical Dep't also. Nov. Session, 1781. To settle with Invalid Corps and representatives of the dead.

Nov. Session, 1781. Can not grant Land Warrants or sell escheat land.

Nov. Session, 1781. 3 Acts, to sell certain lands.

Commissioners (3) to State and Settle Public Accounts.

Nov. Session, 1779. 1 year term.

Commission to reorganize State Militia.

Jan. Session, 1865. 5 Coms. app. by Gov.

Commissioners of State Fishery Force.

Jan. Session, 1874. App. Commander and 6 Deputies for 6 Districts erected, other changes slight.

Commission to examine Mines, Mining, etc.

Jan. Session, 1878. Gov. app. 3 Commissioners, report to next Assembly.

Commission on the State Library.

- Jan. Session, 1870. 3 Coms. to examine condition, purchase books, etc., app. a person to Catalogue books, maps, etc., vacancies filled by Court of Appeals.
  - Commission to inspect books, papers and records in Public Offices, a Commission in each County, also 1 for Land Office, 1 Chancery Office, 1 Prerogative Office, 1 General Court Western Shore, 1 General Court Eastern Shore.

Nov. Session, 1788. 3 Commissioners in each Commission. Report to next Assembly.

Nov. Session, 1795. Much same as Act Nov. 1788, adds Commission for Land Office Eastern Shore [Resolve]. Report to next Assembly.

Commission on Burnt Records of Baltimore County. Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. 3 Couns. app. Clerk. Appeals

taken to Circuit Court, records destroyed by fire.

Jan. Session, 1864. Much same as previous Act.

Jan. Session, 1865. Much same as previous Act.

Jan. Session, 1867. Much same as previous Act.

**Commissioners for burnt records, Dorchester County.** Jan. Session, 1872. Revives Act 1852, for Coms. to take testimony for copies of papers destroyed by this Court House fire. App. by Orphans Court, when finished to leave record with Register of Wills.

Commissioners (2) to examine Records of Howard District, Anne Arundel County.

Dec. Session, 1847. If not correct to have them corrected.

Commission to Inspect Records of County Court Clerks and have transcribed if necessary.

Dec. Session, 1829. 3 Coms.

Commission to inspect and have transcribed Records in Clerk's Office, Somerset Co.

Dec. Session, 1826.

Commission to inspect records of Surveyor of Charles Co. and have part transcribed necessary.

Dec. Session, 1817. 3 Coms., all Surveyors' records hereafter to be public property.

Commission to purchase Records of former County Surveyors.

Dec. Session, 1829. 3 Coms.

Commission for Records of Dorchester County.

Jan. Session, 1852. App. by Gov. Records destroyed by fire.

Jan. Session, 1853. Time extended to Feb. 1 1854.

Jan. Session, 1854. Time extended to April 1. 1856. Jan. Session, 1856. Time extended to April 1. 1858.

Jan. Session, 1858. Time extended to March 10, 1860.

Commissioner to obtain copies of papers relating to Maryland in the Colonial Office in London, the Library of Zion College and the Archives of the Propaganda at Rome, for the State Library.

Jan. Session, 1858. App. by Gov.

Commissioners to obtain lists of German and Swiss Redemptioners entering Md.

Dec. Session, 1817. App. by Gov., send list to Co. Clerk's office, periods of service, etc.

Commission to complete the Records of Md. Soldiers, Sailors and Marines in the Civil War.

Jan. Session, 1896. Consist of Adjutant General and 2 Soldiers, have records printed.

Commissioners for Acknowledgment of Deeds for each State and Territory.

Dec. Session, 1837. App. by Gov.

Jan. Session, 1852. App. biennially by Gov.

Commissioners for Acknowledgment of Deeds, in foreign' countries.

Jan. Session, 1856. Gov. can app. 1 or more in England or any foreign country.

Commissioners of Pharmacy and Practical Chemistry. Jan. Session, 1870. 3 app. by Gov. 2 yr. term, from 10 nom-

- inated by Md. College of Pharmacy, examine druggists, not to affect diplomas.
- Jan. Session, 1872. Diplomas with 4 yrs. apprenticeship not affected.

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Commissioners of Pharmacy and Practical Chemistry.

Jan. Session, 1892. Much same as before, app. by Gov. 2 vr. term.

Commissioners (3) of Lotteries.

- Dec. Session, 1817. 3 Coms. app. by Gov., all lottery schemes submitted to them, they examine wheels, etc., have Clerk. When all authorized lotteries drawn 2 additional Coms. to be app.
- Dec. Session, 1828. All lotteries must be approved by them. Commissioners (2) of Lotteries.
- Dec. Session, 1840. Annually app. by Gov., report to Treasurer West, Shore.
- Dec. Session, 1842. To issue all licenses for lotteries. Dec. Session, 1845. Account to State Treasurer for tax on sale of lottery tickets.

Commissioner of Lotteries.

July 4, 1857. New Constitution, elected 2 yr. term, no lottery after April 1, 1850.

Commissioner of Immigration.

- June Session, 1866. App. by Gov., acts also as Secretary to Board of Public Works, have Clerk, office in Balto. City, publish Statistics.
- Oct. 5, 1867. Duties, etc. taken by Superintendent of Labor and Agriculture, New Constitution.

Commissioner of Land Office.

- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 6 vr. term, sits as Judge of Land Office and also has duties of Register of Land Office and duties of Examiner General.
- Jan. Session, 1853. Court of Commissioner to be a Court of Record and must keep a Docket; appeals go to Court of Appeals, record all Certificates, issue Patents, receive money for Land and pay to Treasurer and account with Comptroller.
- April Session, 1861. Warrants for Escheat and vacant lands obtained here and returns made here and money paid here.
- Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. Take papers from Keeper of Chancery Records, also ante revolutionary papers.
- Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, elected 6 yr. term, same powers as 1851, is also Keeper Chancery Records, semiannual report to Comptroller and semi-annual payment to State Treasurer, report cases where State is interested to Attorney General.

- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, app. by Gov. and to hold while Gov. holds office, powers and duties much same as 1864, in addition he is to collect, arrange, classify and keep all papers, records, relics, etc., of the early history of Md. not belonging to any other office.
- Jan. Session, 1870. To have papers in Chancery and Land Office transcribed and indexed.
- Jan. Session, 1872. To be member of State Oyster Commissioners; vice Supt. of Labor and Agriculture abolished.
- Jan. Session, 1874. To prepare map of part of Allegany County containing lots (4050 acres) granted by State to Revolutionary Soldiers with adjoining lots, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1882. To deliver to Md. Historical Society all Records, Archives, etc. prior to Independence of U. S. and other officers to do likewise, Md. Hist. Society to be *Custodian*, but State remain *Owner* and Md. Hist. Society to return them upon demand.
- Jan. Session, 1888. To use old Library Room as a museum.
- Jan. Session, 1894. To get from Comptroller and State Treasurer all papers of value in regard to interests in land.
- Jan. Session, 1896. To take old Records of Charles County, being Court Records 1662-1786 and Extracts of Deeds 1785-1803.
- Jan, Session, 1896. To have copies of map of soldiers' lots in Allegany and Garrett Counties [Act 1874].
- Jan. Session, 1900. Have Chief Clerk and 3 Assistant Clerks.
- Jan. Session, 1902. To purchase and collect papers connected with early history of Md. previous to the Revolution or since and to keep and preserve them.
- Jan. Session, 1904. App. a Clerk to complete indexing of Prerogative Court Records, High Court of Chancery and other necessary indexing.

Commissioners of Slave Statistics.

Jan. Session, 1867. Gov. app. 1 Com. for each County and for Balto. City.

Jan. Session, 1868. Act of 1867 repealed.

Commissioner of Slave Statistics, Wicomico County.

Jan. Session, 1868. Gov. app. him, same powers, duties, etc. as general Act of 1867.

Jan. Session, 1868. Entire Act 1867 repealed.

# Commissioner to treat with Dorchester County Indians for their lands.

Nov. Session, 1785. App. by Gov., etc.

Commission to buy lands of Choptank Indians in Dorchester Co.

- Nov. Session, 1790. Proceedings and Plats filed with Treasurer Eastern Shore and with Co. Court Clerk, lots 100 to 300 acres to be sold by Treas. E. Shore, 300 acres reserved to Indians and \$300 annually.
- Nov. Session, 1798. Repeals Act 1790 and 5 Coms. named to buy this land, 100 acres reserved to Indians and \$600 annually. Plats to be made by Co. Surveyor and filed with Co. Clerk and with State Agent who is to advertise and sell.
  - Commissioners (3) to sell land of Choptank Indians in Dorchester County.
- Jan. Session, 1856. To land set aside for these Indians by Act 1798.

Commissioners of Primary Schools.

Dec. Session, 1825. 9 Coms. for each County to be app. by Levy Courts and 18 others who with 9 are Inspectors, term 1 year; divide Co. into School Districts which elect 3 Trustees and Clerk, Trustees report to Coms. Coms. to Co. Clerk, Co. Clerk to Supt. of Pub. Instruction, Supt. Pub. Instruction to Legislature. Coms. hold as body politic, must be accepted by voters in each County or not in effect in that Co.

Commissioners of Primary Schools, Anne Arundel County.

- Dec. Session, 1827. To receive Co. Share of Free School Fund.
- Dec. Session, 1828. Repeals Act 1827.

## Commissioners of Primary Schools, Calvert County.

- Dec. Session, 1837. Act 1825 extended to this County.
- Dec. Session, 1845. Levy Court to raise money as State fund applied by State Treasurer to pay County's State Tax.
- Jan. Session, 1854. 3 Coms. numed for of 3 Districts, they divide into not more than 6 School Districts and return to Clerk of Court, 5 Trustees are elected annually in each School District. Acad. Fund is consolidated with the School Fund subject to control of Orphans Court.

#### Commissioners of Primary Schools, Carroll County.

Dec. Session, 1849. 1 elected by each Election District, chose President, Secretary, Treasurer. Incorporated, divide into School Districts and 3 Trustees elected annually in each School District, must be approved by voters. Commissioners of Primary Schools, Howard District, Anne Arundel County.

Dec. Session, 1839. 9 Coms. app. by Coms. of Howard District, Anne Arundel County. 18 inspectors, etc.

Jan. Session, 1858. 3 Primary School Inspectors app. annually by County Commissioners.

Commissioners of Primary Schools, Prince George County.

Dec. Session, 1836. Act 1825 extended to this County.

Dec. Session, 1847. App. 3 in each District as local Trustees.

Dec. Session, 1849. 8 Coms. app. by Levy Court annually as General Board. School Districts elect 3 Trustees annually.

Commissioners of Primary Schools, Queen Anne County.

Dec. Session, 1827. To receive County Share Free School Fund.

Dec. Session, 1828. To receive County Share Free School Fund from Coms. of School Fund.

- March, Session, 1841. May organize new Primary School Districts and report them to Co. Clerk.
- Dec. Session, 1845. To name a Treasurer and Levy Court raises money, must be adopted by voters.
- Dec. Session, 1849. App. Treasurer and also 3 persons as a Board of Examiners, annual report to Orphans Court.

Commissioners of Primary Schools, St. Mary's County. Jan. Session, 1853. Can change or make new School Dis-

tricts.

**Commissioners of Primary Schools, Somerset County.** Dec. Session, 1830. To Act under General Act 1825 as if it had been accepted by the voters of Somerset County.

**Commissioners of Primary Schools, Worcester County.** Dec. Session, 1839. Can app. Clerk.

Dec. Session, 1847. App. 1 and 4 elected in each District as Trustees and if do not elect, Coms. app. all. Districts report to them annually and they to Co. Coms. annually.

- Dec. Session, 1849. Divide County in 4 Districts and a Com. to take census of white children in each, male 4-20 yrs. female 4-16 yrs. old.
- Jan. Session, 1856. Can change School Districts, County divided in 5 parts and a Com. to get census of children in each part.

Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. Annually publish accounts.

Commissioners (5) of Public Free Schools in First Election District, Baltimore County.

Dec. Session, 1825. Elected in October, school matters, Levy Court taxes the District for them.

Dec. Session, 1831. After April 1, 1832, all powers of Levy Court or County Commissioners for this purpose are given to these Commissioners.

Dec. Session, 1833. Repeals Act 1825 if voters so declare. Commissioners (5) of Public Free Schools in Fourth Election District, Baltimore County.

Dec. Session, 1834. Same as for 1st District Act 1825, must be approved by voters.

Commissioners of the School Fund.

Dec. Session, 1816. 9 named in each County, Trensurer West. Shore pay them share School fund except in Washington, Frederick and Allegany Counties, where paid to Levy Court, reports made to Assembly.

Commissioners School Fund, Anne Arundel County.

- Dec. Session, 1827. Co. Share Free School Fund to go to Primary School Coms. so seem to supplant these Coms. practically.
- Dec. Session, 1828. Act 1827. Repealed.

Commissioners of School Fund, Baltimore City.

Dec. Session, 1820. Former Balto. Co. Coms. act now for City, get ½ of fund.

Dec. Session, 1825. Mayor and City Council to establish Schools in Balto. City and levy tax for same. This Act must be adopted by Mayor and City Council at First Session 1827.

Commissioners of the School Fund, Baltimore County. Dec. Session, 1817. 11 new Coms. named.

Commissioners of School Fund, Baltimore County outside of Baltimore City.

Dec. Session, 1820. 14 Čoms. get ½ of fund, report to Treasurer.

Dec. Session, 1828. Money to go to County Commissioners. Commissioners of School Fund, Calvert County.

Dec. Session, 1821. 9 Coms. named.

Dec. Session, 1837. Abolished, goes to Orphans Court.

Commissioners of School Fund, Caroline County. Dec. Session, 1821. Abolished.

Commissioners of School Fund, Cecil County. Dec. Session, 1821. Abolished. Commissioners of the School Fund, Dorchester County.

Dec. Session, 1818. 16 Commissioners.

Commissioners of Schools, Harford County.

Dec. Session, 1820. 17 Coms., Secretary, Treasurer, President.

Dec. Session, 1821. 10 Commissioners.

Dec. Session, 1829. Money to be paid to Orphans Court and then to Coms. and Orphans Court reports to Legislature.

Dec. Session, 1837. Same done away with.

Commissioners of School Fund, Kent County.

Dec. Session, 1821. Abolished.

Dec. Session, 1835. Abolished.

Commissioners of School Fund, Montgomery County. Dec. Session, 1820. 10 Commissioners.

Dec. Session, 1823. 5 Coms. in each Election District.

Dec. Session, 1825. 10 Coms., Orphans Court to fill any vacancies.

Dec. Session, 1830. Fund to be distributed by Levy Court.

Dec. Session, 1831. Levy Court give to Coms. who report to Levy Court.

Commissioners of School Fund, Prince George County. Dec. Session, 1821. 9 Coms.

Dec. Session, 1825. Abolished.

**Commissioners of School Fund, Queen Anne County.** Dec. Session, 1827. Share goes to Coms. of Primary Schools which thus practically supplants these Coms.

Dec. Session, 1828. To pay money to Coms. Primary School. Dec. Session, 1829. To divide money as think fit.

Dec. Session, 1832. 5 Coms. named.

Dec. Session, 1838. 5 Coms. 1 from each District app. by Orphans Court. In effect May 1.

Jan. Session, 1860. App. 3 as a Board of Examiners, each School District elects 3 Trustees and may elect Clerk and Collector.

Commissioners of School Fund, Somerset County.

Dec. Session, 1830. Money is paid to Orphans Court direct and not to Coms.

March Session, 1841. Money is paid to County Commissioners.

Commissioners of the School Fund, St. Mary's County. Dec. Session, 1817. 3 Additional Coms. named.

Dec. Session, 1838. Powers to be taken by County Commissioners.

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Commissioners of School Fund, Talbot County. Dec. Session, 1827. 9 new Coms. named.

Dec. Session, 1832. Same supplanted by County Commissioners who get the money direct from the Treas. W. Shore and appoint District Coms. with whom they act.

Commissioners of School Fund, Worcester Co. Dec. Session, 1821. Abolished.

Committee to take Resolution to Va. Assembly.

- Jan. Session, 1874. As no agreement reached on Boundary a line is suggested and Committee to take this to Va. Assembly.
  - Committee to meet similar Committee from Va. Assembly in regard to oyster fishery in the Potomac River and to preserve and increase the oysters in the Chesapeake Bay and its tributaries.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Consist of 3 of Senate and 5 of the House of Delegates, can sit during recess of Assembly, can employ counsel, report to Assembly.
  - Committee to meet a similar Committee from Va. As-• sembly to agree upon a Boundary along the Potomac River from Great Falls to the mouth of the River.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Consist of 2 of Senate, 3 of House of Delegates, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Delegates, can sit during recess of Assembly, report to Assembly.

Committee to confer with Va. Assembly for protection of Oysters in Pocomoke Sound, Somerset County.

Jan. Session, 1882. 2 of Senate and 3 of House of Delegates.

Committee to call attention of Va. Assembly to violation of Md. Territory in the capture of 2 Md. vessels by Va. Oyster Police.

- Jan. Session, 1894. Gov. and 2 of Senate and 3 of House of Delegates.
  - Committee to meet Committee of Va. Assembly concerning legislation as to fish and oysters in the waters of Pocomoke and Potomac Rivers and Pocomoke Sound.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Consist of 3 of Senate and 5 of House, of Delegates to sit during recess of Assembly, report to 'next Assembly.
  - Committee to consult with Va. Assembly for concurrent legislation as to fish and oysters and also as to damages inflicted by Va. State Oyster Police.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Consist of 3 of Senate and 4 of House of Delegates.

- Committee to act with Va. Committee of 5 of Assembly in reference to conflict between Md. and Va. oyster dredgers.
- Jan.\_Session, 1894. Gov. and 2 of Senate and 3 of House of Delegates can sit in recess of Assembly, report to Gov. and he can act.

Committee on Boundary of Md. and Va. and legislation of same concerning fish and oysters.

Jan. Session, 1898. To meet similar Committee from Va. Assembly, consist of 3 of Senate and 5 of House of Delegates, may sit during recess, report to Assembly [2 Acts].
Committee to represent State of Md. at the Reunion of the Army of the Cumberland at Chattanooga, Oct. 30, 1900.

Jan. Session, 1900. Gov. app. 6 persons.

Committee to investigate the Accounts of the State Treasurer.

Jan. Session, 1890. Joint Committee of 2 of Senate and 3 of House of Delegates to investigate accounts of State Treasurer Stevenson A. Archer, can bring charge of malefeasance in office to Governor, make final report to the Governor.

Committee to investigate fraudulent obtaining of \$163,-000 for Southern R. R. Co.

Jan. Session, 1876. 3 from Senate and 7 from House of Delegates, report to Assembly.

Committee, Relief of French Refugees.

Nov. Session, 1793. 3 persons, to draw on Treasurer Western Shore Dec. 1-Feb. 2, for Relief of French refugees from Santo Domingo unless U. S. grants them relief.

Committee to prepare an accurate plan of Fort Frederick as originally contained, etc.

- Jan. Session, 1904. Gov. and others named as Committee, to give an estimate of the cost of rebuilding it and the cost of obtaining the title, also a history of the title from the first patent to the present time, report to Assembly. Committee to inspect Government property devoted to Governor's use.
- Nov. Session, 1806. Joint Committee, of both Houses of Assembly and report to the Assembly.

Committee to buy land and build Governor's Mansion in Annapolis.

Jan. Session, 1868. 3 from House of Delegates, 1 from Senate and the Governor to form this Committee.

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Commodore.

Oct. Session, 1776. To fit out new galley-the Annapolis. Comptroller.

New Constitution, elected 2 yr. term, plans July 4, 1857. for revenue, makes estimates, superintends collections, etc., signs warrants on Treasury, countersigns State Stock, etc.

Jan. Session, 1852. Annual reports to Gov. and to Legislature.

Jan. Session, 1858. Insurance Companies must obtain licenses from Comptroller.

Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. Keep office at Annapolis.

Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. Old claims against State presented to him and he reports them to next Assembly.

Jan. Session, 1864. Contract for all Printing of Legislature.

Jan. Session, 1852. Annual reports to Gov. and to Legislature.

Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, much same as 1851, report to each session of Legislature.

Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, much same as 1864, Gov. fills vacancy and can remove after a hearing.

Jan. Session, 1868. Act of 1864 directing him to attend to printing, etc. repealed.

Jan. Session, 1868. To be a Commissioner of State Oyster Police, issues ovster licenses also, etc.

Jan. Session, 1878. To equalize distribution of School Fund.

Jan. Session, 1880. Issues Oyster Licenses as before.

Jan. Session, 1884. Much same as Act 1880. Jan. Session, 1890. He and Treasurer to count State Bonds, etc. 4 times a year in presence of Governor, etc.

Jan. Session, 1892. Settle all claims against Collectors, etc. Congress U. S.

Nov. Session,1788. 6 to be elected in 6 named districts to be elected.

Nov. Session, 1791. Provision for 8 Districts for 8 or 9 members as census may show entitled to 8 or 9.

Jan. Session, 1802. 8 Districts, 2 Acts.

Jan. Session, 1805. 8 Districts.

Dec. Session, 1822. 8 Districts.

7 Districts, 4th to elect 2. Dec. Session, 1834.

Dec. Session, 1843. 6 Districts.

Jan. Session, 1853. 6 Districts.

Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. 5 Districts.

Jan. Session, 1872. 6 Districts.

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- Ian. Session. 1882. 6 Districts.
- Ian. Session, 1802. 6 Districts.
- Jan. Session, 1902. 6 Districts.

# Constables.

- Oct. Session, 1777. To send list of all over 18 vrs. age in their Hundred to Co. Court, etc., copy to Gov. and Council..
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, number in each Election District to be fixed by Legislature and to be elected by such District for 2 vr. term, vacancies filled by Co. Coms. or by 'Mayor and City Council Balto, City,
- Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, app. by Co. Coms. or Mayor and City Council of Balto. City, 2 vr. term, by election districts and wards, can be removed by Criminal Judge.
- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, Same as 1864 except not to be removed until corrected in a Court of Law.

# Constables, Washington County.

Dec. Session, 1849. To be elected by voters and by Districts.

### Coroners.

- Oct. Session, 1777. Fees.
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, app. as before.
- Nov. 1. 1864. New Constitution, app. as before.
- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, app. as before,

#### Coroner, Baltimore City.

Jan. Session, 1868. Gov. app. a physician as sole Coroner of Balto. City, 2 vr. term. if sick or etc., may app. a Deputy, report to Police Board monthly.

# Coroners, Baltimore City.

- Jan. Session, 1872. 4 app. by Gov. 2 yr. terms.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Gov. to app. 4, term 2 vrs.
- Jan. Session, 1892. 7 app. by Gov., 2 yr. term. Jan. Session, 1894. 7 M. D.s, 1 from each Police District app. by Gov.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Gov. app. a coroner at large for Balto. City.

#### Corporation Laws Commission.

- Jan. Session, 1902. Gov. app. 3 attorneys to revise Incorporation Laws and report to next Assembly. Council.
- Jan. 1, 1777. Chosen annually by Joint Ballot of both Houses of Assembly, 5 members who chose a Clerk, make Great Seal.

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Feb. Session, 1777. Powers of Gov. and Council enlarged, military and naval, if Gov. absent Council can act.

Dec. Session, 1825. To be abolished, must be confirmed by next Assembly [failed to be confirmed].

Dec. Session, 1836. To be abolished, must be confirmed by next Assembly.

Dec. Session, 1836. Confirms Act 1836.

Council for Eastern Shore.

Oct. Session, 1780. To act if two shores separated by enemy with all powers of Gov. except not to appoint or remove a Civil officer and Military Commissions to be signed by Gov. unless a vacancy occurs, to last while shores may thus be separated.

May Session, 1781. Continues Act Oct., 1780, to end next session of Assembly.

May Session, 1781. Enlarges powers, military and financial, Gov. and Council to fill vacancies.

County Appeal Courts from Court Martial decisions, one each County.

March Session, 1778. Gov. to appoint 5 in each County. County Commissioners.

Dec. Session, 1835. Can grant 'out pensions,' not to apply to Allegany, Anne Arundel, Baltimore, Calvert, Cecil, Harford and Washington Counties.

Dec. Session, 1839. To act on petitions for private roads. March Session, 1841. To act as Appeal Tax Court, Assessment Act this session.

Dec. Session, 1846. Look up and care for indigent blind whites.

July 4, 1851. New Constitution, for every County, elected 2 vr. term on General ticket and not by Districts, beginning Nov., 1851, take all Levy Court powers, duties, etc. to be uniform throughout the State.

- Jan. Session, 1852. App. Judges of Elections. Jan. Session, 1853. Road powers, alter and repair Roads, etc., app. 3 Examiners for same, etc., appeal to Circuit Court,
- Jan. Session, 1853. All Co. Coms. Incorporated, app. Judges of Elections, Collectors, Trustees of Poor, Clerk for Co. Coms, and any other officer necessary but not otherwise provided for, control all property, roads, bridges, etc., levy all taxes, pay all claims, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1853. While Road Supervisors are elected, t to each Election District vet Co. Coms. can remove for neglect, etc.

- Jan. Session, 1856. Can build bridges but not over navigable waters.
- Jan. Session, 1860. App. annually 3 Judges of Election in each District.
- Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, elect 4 yr. term on General ticket but half elected every 2 yrs.
- Jan. Session, 1865. Each Board incorporated, app. Judges of Election, Road Supervisors, Trustees of Poor, Collectors of Taxes, Clerks and all other necessary officers, have charge of roads and bridges, fix places of Election.
- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, elected every 2 yrs. on General Ticket, members, powers and duties to be as at this time prescribed by Law.
- Jan: Session, 1874. Have charge of roads and bridges, fix places of Election, app. Judges of Election, Road Supervisors, Tax Collectors, Trustees for Poor, Clerks of Board and other necessary officers, are incorporated.
- Jan. Session, 1876. Appeals can be taken from them to Circuit Courts.
- Jan. Session, 1880. Gov. to fill all vacancies.
- Jan. Session, 1884. Bridges to be built or repaired by contract.
- Jan. Session, 1886. They are to be local Boards of Health and have full powers except where inconsistent with a Charter of a City or Town, app. a County Health Officer who is Secretary to Board of Health and is its executive officer.
- Jan. Session, 1888. Power over all roads, streets and alleys except in incorporated towns, bounties, gate removals, dog taxes, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Can establish Public Landings whenever public convenience requires.
- Jan. Session, 1892. On petition app. 3 peach growers in each Election District as Tree and Fruit Inspectors, hunt for 'yellows," etc., not to apply to Washington County.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Can hold property in trust for educational purposes and State's Attorneys to see that the trusts are executed.
- Jan. Session, 1898. To have power to revise and assess property, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1896. App. Assessor in each Election District, each party, new Assessment Act. Co. Coms. act as Board of Control and Review.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Appeals taken from them to Circuit Courts. -

Jan. Session. 1902. Have power to establish free libraries but not more than \$0.5 on \$100 tax, if they do they app. 9 Library Directors, 6 yr. term 3 appointed every 2 yrs. who report to Co. Coms.

Jan. Session, 1902. App. Assessors, Clerks, etc. for revaluation property.

Jan. Session, 1904. State Road Law, Co. Coms. apply to Chief Engineer of the Geological and Economic Survey and obtain their share of the State aid ior roads, must pledge a like amount, the roads to be improved named, the Engineer must approve, etc.

# County Commissioners, Allegany County.

Dec. Session, 1829. Elect 2 yr, term 1 from each District except 2 from 6th District, Incorporated, take powers, books, etc. of Levy Court and Tax Commission, app. Clerk, etc.

Dec. Session, 1831. Seal.

Dec. Session, 1832. App. Assessors to revalue County.

Dec. Session, 1834. To hear appeals from assessors and set values [Appeal Tax Court in fact].

Dec. Session, 1836. To app. 3 Coms. in each Election District to divide into School Districts and report to Clerk

of Co. Coms., Co. Coms. may refuse to accept this Act. Dec. Session, 1836. Another Co. Com. to be elected for a

new Election District.

Dec. Session, 1838. To publish report ann.

- Dec. Session, 1832. App. Keeper weights and measures or leave to Clerk.
- Dec. Session, 1838. To hear appeals and reverse new assessment made by 3 assessors for County named.
- Dec. Session, 1838. App. annually 5 School Trustees 1 of whom is Treasurer and 1 Secretary, each District, report to Co. Coms.
- Dec. Session, 1840. May reassess when think fit, 3 assessors.
- Dec. Session, 1844. App. 3 persons to examine accounts of late Superintendent U. S. road in Md.
- Dec. Session, 1847. Limited to 22 Constables, not to app. Treasurer of Free School Fund but Clerk to Co. Coms. to manage this money, 2 Acts.

Dec. Session, 1849. Erect Poor House and employ steward.

July 4, 1851. New Constitution, 2 yr. term, on general ticket and not by Districts.

Jan. Session, 1853. 3 Coms., app. as many Collectors as chose but not more than number of Districts, 2 Acts.

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Jan. Session, 1854. 5 Coms.

- Jan. Session, 1866. Can subscribe \$500,000 to Western Md. R. R.
- Jan. Session, 1868. App. annually Keeper and Inspector of Weights and Measures.

Jan. Session, 1872. App. County Treasurer annually.

- Jan. Session, 1872. May app. Keeper Weights and Measurers or leave to their Clerk.
- Jan. Session, 1874. App. 3 persons to lay out County into Election Districts.
- Jan. Session, 1874. App. ann. 3 Trustees of Alms House also stewards, etc. for Alms House.
- Jan. Session, 1876. Can levy dog tax.

Jan. Session, 1878. Annually app. flour Inspector.

- Jan. Session, 1878. Annually app. 3 Superintendents road from Barrollville to Westernport.
- Jan. Session, 1878. To take part of U. S. Road in the County, app. Supervisor, collect Toll, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1880. Can build and maintain Insane Asylum if voters adopt this Act.
- Jan. Session, 1880. App. 2 yr. term, General Supervisor of Roads and he app. annually Road Supervisors, National Pike included.
- Jan. Session, 1882. Repeals dog tax.
- Jan. Session, 1882. Can divide County into new Election Precincts.
- Jan. Session, 1840. After April 1, 1891, to sell unclaimed Revolutionary Soldiers' lots for taxes and all other taxes to be turned over to State Treasury.
- Jan. Session, 1800. Together with Garrett Co. Coms. employ a Civil Engineer, not a resident of either County, to locate the Boundary Line between these two Counties, he is to send a plat to both Boards of Co. Coms.
- Jan. Session, 1892. 5 Coms. elected 4 yr. term, 3 elected and then 2 every 2 yrs.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Cannot appropriate more than their receipts.
- Jan. Session, 1904. 3 Co. Coms. elected 2 yr. term.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Dog Tax, Constables report dogs and owners in their District.
- Jan. Session, 1904. County Insane Asylum to be abolished and the building be used as Alms House, the pauper insane to be sent to the State Hospitals.

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#### County Commissioners, Anne Arundel County.

Dec. Session, 1828. 7 members, 1 from each District and 1 from Annapolis, app. by Gov. Incorporated, app. Clerk, takes powers, books, etc. of Levy Court and Tax Commission.

Dec. Session, 1820. Take County Pension Management.

Dec. Session, 1832. Instead of Assessor each District to be 3 Assessors who go together and assess throughout the County.

Dec. Session, 1834. Com. app. Keeper Weights and Measures or leave with their Clerk.

Dec. Session, 1837. Not to app. more than 3 Constables to a District.

Dec. Session, 1838. 7 Coms., 1 from each District and 1 from Annapolis elected 3 yr. term, annually elect 2 or 3.

Dec. Session, 1837. Publish Annual Statement, to revalue under Act 1812 and change assessment Districts. 2 Acts.

Mar.-Dec. Session, 1830. To be only 5 members. Dec. Session, 1841. A Com. elected from 8th Election

District to hold to 1844 and every 3 vrs. thereafter.

Dec. Session, 1849. I elected by each District, 3 vr. term. July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 2 vr. term on General ticket and not by Districts.

Jan. Session, 1853. 3 Coms.

Jan. Session, 1854. 7 Coms. Jan. Session, 1870. Divide County into not more than 30 Road Districts and app. Supervisor in each, etc.

Jan. Session, 1872. May divide Districts into Election Precincts and designate place of election.

Jan. Session, 1872. Road Law, slight changes.

Jan. Session, 1874. App. a Clerk, may grant out pensions. divide County into 3 collection Districts and app. Collector for each.

Jan, Session, 1874. App. annually a Road Supervisor in each Election District, etc.

- Jan, Session, 1876. 5 Coms., County divided into 7 collection Districts and Co. Coms. to app. Collector in each annually.
- Jan. Session, 1876. Act of 1874 repealing Act 1870 repealed. Co. Coms. to divide Co. into not more than 30 Road Districts and app. Supervisors for them, to report semi-annually.

Jan. Session, 1878. Put guard house at Brooklyn.

Jan. Session, 1884. App. County Treasurer 2 yr. term, duties, etc.

Jan. Session, 1886. App. 2 policemen for Brooklyn.

Jan. Session, 1886. Divide County into Road Districts, not more than 5 to an Election District and app. Road Supervisor or other road officers.

- Jan. Session, 1888. Keep separate road accounts for each Election District.
- Jan. Session, 1888. Increases powers taxation, Dog Tax, may remit on manufacturing plants, etc. [2 Acts].
- Jan. Session, 1890. App. 2 Police, 1 at Brooklyn and 1 at Curtis Bay, 2 yr. term.
- Jan. Session, 1892. App. 2 additional Police for Brooklyn, South Baltimore.
- Jan. Session, 1892. App. annually 7 Trustees of Poor, 1 from each Election District.
- Jan Session, 1892. Divide County into 5 Road Districts and appoint 3 Trustees of Public Roads in each, they have general supervision and report to Co. Coms., Co. Coms. may contract repairs to roads or app. Supervisor, keep separate account of each Election District.
- Jan. Session, 1892. 3 Coms., 6 yr. term, one elected every 2 yrs.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Enlarges powers, taxation, can exempt manufacturing plants, etc.

Jan. Session, 1894. App. 7 Trustees of the Poor annually.

Jan. Session, 1896. Road Commissioners be appointed for 3 yr. term and inspect every 3 months, divide into 3 sections, elect Civil Engineer, term 4 yrs., for roads.

Jan. Session, 1898. Clerk 2 yr. term.

- Jan. Session, 1898. App. 2 in each District as Road Commissioners 2 yr. term, 1 of each party and they select a third, these constitute Boards of District Road Commissioners, divide roads, etc., can contract repairs or not.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Can subscribe to Balto & Southern R. R. (\$200,000.)
- March Session, 1901. 7 Coms. elected, term 2 yrs., reeligible.
- Jan. Session, 1902. 7 appropriate up to \$500 annually for Emergency Hospital.
- Jan. Session, 1902. App. 5 Police, 1 as chief and 1 as assistant chief, 2 yr. terms.
- Jan. Session, 1904. App. an M. D. for Brooklyn Station, 2 yr. term.
- Jan. Session, 1904. App. Police officer for Eastport.

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#### County Commissioners, Baltimore County.

- Dec. Session, 1826. 3 Coms., 1 elected every year for 3 yr. term, take powers of Levy Court, App. Clerk and County Treasurer, Incorporated, Mayor and City Council take Levy Court powers in Balto. City.
- Dec. Session, 1827. Property held in common by them and Mayor and City Council and they sue jointly, app. Keeper of Court House.
- Dec. Session, 1827. Make return of all deaf and dumb whites to Goy, and Mayor and City Council Balto, also do this.
- Dec. Session, 1825. To receive School Fund money and 2 Trustees from each District take it from them.
- Dec. Session, 1831. Powers over bridges, etc., given them.
- Dec. Session, 1832. If more than 1 elected in same year the highest vote to serve longer term.
- Dec. Session, 1835. Co. divided in 3 parts and 2 Coms. from each District, 1 elected annually for 2 yr. term, Gov. to fill vacancies.
- Dec. Session, 1836. Alterations in the 3 divisions of Act 1835.
- Dec. Session, 1837. Publish Annual Report.
- March, 1838. App. 3 visitors of Balto. Co. Gaol annually.
- March, 1838. Alterations in the 3 divisions of Act 1836.
- Dec. Session, 1838. App. annually, beginning Feb. 1, 1840, 3 Trustees of Poor.
- Dec. Session, 1838. Vacancy filled by vote of entire County, app. a person as Clerk and Treasurer of County, divide Tax by Districts and invite proposals to collect sume.
- Dec. Session, 1832. To revalue County under Act 1812 and can change Assessment Districts.
- Dec. Session, 1841. Act 1831 repealed, Election.
- Dec. Session, 1841. App. as many Tax Collectors as wish, they report to Co. Coms. but pay to Co. Treasurer.
- Dec. Session, 1843. To get Balto. Co. Academy appropriation to hold for use of Primary School.
- Dec. Session, 1844. Repeals Act 1838 app. Trustees of Poor.
- Dec. Sesssin, 1845. To pay at direction of Orp. Court, to Board School Coms. Balto. City the share of estates of intestates belonging to Balto. City.
- Dec. Session, 1846. After 2 terms Coms. not eligible for election for 2 yrs.
- Dec. Session, 1846. Levy Taxes which are paid to Treasurer,

Dec. Session, 1847. Repeals Election Act 1846.

- Dec. Session, 1847. County divided in 3 Coms'. Districts, I elected from each, 3 yr. term and I elected every year.
- Dec. Session, 1847. App. Board of School Coms., I from each Election District annually, must be approved by voters.
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 2 vr. term, on General ticket and not by Districts.
- Jan. Session, 1852. App. 3 persons and City Council 3 to value public property, they app. Clerk and if necessary an Arbiter.
- Jan. Session. 1852. To hear appeals from 3 assessors in each District, appeal from them to Court of Appeals.
- Jan. Session, 1853. 3 Coms. Jan. Session, 1858. County divided in 5 Collection Districts and Co. Coms. app. Collector in each.
- Jan. Session, 1860. To lay out streets, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1860. App. biennially 3 in each Election District as Board of Control and management of Free Colored People, ann. report Clerk's office, must be accepted by voters.
- Jan. Session, 1867. County divided in 11 Collection Districts and Co. Coms. app. Collector in each.
- Jan. Session, 1868. County divided in 13 Collection Districts and Co. Coms, app. Collector in each.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Each Election District to be a Permanent Road District and 5 Supervisors in each for 5 yr. term, these Boards choose Chairman, Treasurer, Secretary and Collector and divide Districts into 5 parts, each one looking after one part.
- Jan. Session, 1870. Co. Coms. to app. 3 Road Supervisors for each Election District, term 3 yrs., they divide the District in 3 Parts and each takes a part; 1st Election Disdistrict is exempt from this law and is under old laws.

Jan. Session, 1870. App. 3 Street Commissioners annually. Jan. Session, 1874. App. 3 Road Supervisors for each Elec-

- tion District 2 yr. term, they select one as Chairman of District Board who keeps record of work done, etc., they direct opening and closing of roads subject to Co. Coms. approval, Co. Coms. keep Record book for each District. Jan. Session, 1876. Road Law.
- Jan. Session, 1876. Street Acts of 1870, 1872, and 1874 repealed and Co. Coms. have large powers.
- Jan. Session, 1878. To erect not more than 3 buildings for detention of arrests in North, East and West suburbs of Balto. City.

Jan. Session, 1878. App. 3 in each Election District as Road Commissioners, 1 as Chairman, the District subdivided in 3 parts, Co. Coms. have control over them and also app.

Superintendent of Bridges.

Jan. Session, 1880. Change names of streets and designate by number those parallel to Boundaries Balto. City.

Jan. Session, 1882. Provide and maintain Fire Department. Jan. Session, 1882. Enlarges road powers,

Jan. Session, 1882. On petition can lay out new Election Precincts.

Jan. Session, 1884. App. garbage force for Woodberry, Towson, Waverly, Canton, Clifton and Charles St.

Jan, Session, 1886. App. Sanitary officer at Catonsville.

Jan. Session, 1886. Build station house at Catonsville.

- Jan. Session, 1886. Have streets within 2 miles of Baltimore City numbered.
- Jan. Session, 1886. App. such number of police as they think necessary and a Marshal of Police.
- Jan. Session, 1888. Place fire engines at Towson and Reisterstown [2 Acts].
- Jan. Session, 1888. Grade footways, sidewalks, etc., same powers, etc. as in Baltimore City.
- Jan. Session, 1890. App. Sanitary Commissioner for Towson, term 2 yrs.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Build fire engine house 1st precinct 13th District.

Jan. Session, 1890. Road Law, small changes.

Jan. Session, 1892. App. annually Road Supervisor in each Election District and keep a record book for each Election District.

Jan. Session, 1892. 3 Co. Coms. elected 6 yr. terms, 1 elected every two yrs.

- Jan. Session, 1894. App. policeman for Towson, also app. Sanitary Com. for Towson, term 1 yr. [2 Acts].
- Jan. Session, 1894. Annual App. Road Supervisor in each Election District and he may subdivide, keep separate book for each District, app. Superintendent of Bridges, term 2 yrs.
- Jan. Session, 1898. App. Superintendent of Roads and Bridges.
- Jan. Session, 1900. App. Road Commissioners, 3 in an Election District if it has as many as 3 precincts, 2 in an Election District if it has less than 3 precincts, term 2 yrs.
  1 is Chairman, keep books, report annually to the Road Engineer who is app. by Gov. and reports annually to Co. Coms. and to Md. Geological and Economic Survey.

Jan. Session, 1900. Not to appropriate more than receipts. Jan. Session, 1900. 3 Coms. elected for 2 yr. term, present ones serve out their terms.

Jan. Session, 1900. App. an M. D. as Sanitary Officer for 13th Election District.

Jan. Session, 1900. Superintendent of Bridges abolished. Jan. Session, 1900. App. Constable in each Election District to inspect licenses and send list of them to the Grand Jury.

Jan. Session, 1902. App. a Warden of Jail. term 2 yrs.

Jan. Session, 1902. Grant Highway and Street franchises on, above or below surface but published application for 3 weeks in 2 newspapers first and then a hearing, grant to be made for money compensation and not to exceed 25 vrs.

Jan. Session, 1902. Powers of appointment of Police, must keep Police Books.

Jan. Session, 1902. App. 15 M. D.s as Sanitary Officers, 1 for each Election District, and designate 1 as Secretary of Board.

- Jan. Session, 1902. Road Commissioners repair roads as they think best after first obtaining advice of the Roads Engineer.
- Jan. Session, 1904. To constitute the Highways Commission of Balto, County.

County Commissioners, Calvert County.

- Dec. Session, 1830. 5 Coms. residents of Calvert County app. annually by Gov. Take Levy Court and Tax Commission powers, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1832. Road powers, app. Supervisor for each hundred, lay tax, etc.

Dec. Session, 1834. To revalue County, under Act 1812. Dec. Session, 1838. Abolished, powers go to Levy Court.

July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 2 year term on General ticket, take Levy Court powers.

Jan. Session, 1853. 3 Coms.

- Jan. Session, 1860. App. 3 biennially in each Election District as Board of Control, etc., Free Colored People, must be accepted by voters.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Can call for \$152,000 from State for Internal Improvements as soon as County raises an equal amount, but joined with Charles and St. Mary's Counties, which see.
- Jan. Session, 1872. App. 2 in each District 2 yr. term as Road Commissioners and with 1 Co. Com. they constitute a Board for each District and may contract for roads but if not then app. Supervisors; Act 1868 repealed for Calvert Co.

- Jan. Session, 1872. May redistrict County or increase number of Election precincts.
- Jan. Session, 1872. May subscribe \$100,000 for the Balto. and Drum Point R. R.
- Jan. Session, 1874. May Contract for repairs to roads.
- Jan. Session, 1880. May act as think expedient concerning roads, may employ Supervisor and corps of laborers, not exceeding 3 corps.
- Jan. Session, 1882. Make out new assessment lists as old ones burnt in Court House fire.
- Jan. Sesession, 1888. Elect one of their members as President and *Treasurer*.
- Jan. Session, 1888. Each Election District elect Road Commissioner, 2 yr. term and all constitute a Board of Road Commissioners who elect President, app. Road Supervisors, inspect roads, etc., until election, 3 are named.
- Jan. Session, 1800. Keep as many out pensioners as they think proper.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Road Commissioners sit with Co. Coms. upon applications, to alter or open roads, Road Coms. examine bridges and if below \$50 done by Supervisors if over \$50 by contract.
- Jan. Session, 1892. 3 Coms. 6 yr. term, 1 elected every 2 yrs. and 1 from each Election District.
- Jan. Session, 1894. App. a Clerk, term 2 yrs.
- Jan. Session, 1898. 3 Coms. elected 2 yr. term.
- Jan. Session, 1898. See Road Coms. Calvert Co. for road change.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Road Commissioners furnish County Commissioners with full statement annually.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Co. Coms. act as Road Commissioners for the County, app. a Supervisor in each Election District, term 2 yrs.

# County Commissioners, Caroline County.

July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 2 yr. term. on General ticket, take Levy Court powers.

Jan. Session, 1852. App. 5 Trustees of Poor annually.

Jan. Session, 1853. 3 Coms.

Jan. Session, 1867. Divide Election Districts into Road Districts and app. a Supervisor for each, etc.

Jan. Session, 1868. Repeals Act 1867.

- Jan. Session, 1868. Road powers, app. Road Supervisors, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1870. Road law, Act 1868, repealed.
- Jan. Session, 1882. App. a Treasurer, also app. Clerk to Co. Coms., 2 yr. terms.

- Jan. Session, 1886. Make annual appropriation to aid incorporated towns to repair their roads.
- Jan. Session, 1886. Subscribe to D. & C. R. R. & Balto. & Eastern R. R. [2 Acts].
- Subscribe to B. & Cape Charles R. R. Jan. Session, 1888. & Balto. & Eastern R. R.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Subscribe to Balto. & East Shore R. R.
- Jan. Session, 1892. 3 Coms. elected 6 yr. term, 1 elected every 2 years.
- Ian. Session, 1904. App a Clerk, term 2 yrs., he may app. deputies.
- Ian. Session, 1904. App. a County Road Engineer, he has entire charge of all roads and bridges under the supervision of the Co. Coms., make monthly report to Co. Coms., he may app. District Road Supervisors but not more than I to an Election District.

### County Commissioners, Carroll County.

- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 2 yr. term, on General ticket and not by Districts.
- Jan. Session, 1852. Start Poorhouse.
- Jan. Session, 1853. 3 Coms.
- Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. To resurvey, mark and bound the County Roads.
- Jan. Session, 1870. Road powers. Jan. Session, 1882. Lay dog tax.
- Jan. Session, 1884. Repeal dog tax.
- Jan. Session, 1890. 1/2 Road tax to pay to Westminster.
- Jan. Session, 1892. App. annually 3 Road Commissioners in each Election District who elect a Chairman and app. Road Supervisors.
- Jan. Session, 1892. 3 Coms. 6 vr. term, one elected every 2 yrs.
- Jan. Session, 1894. App. keeper of weights and measures.
- Jan. Session, 1896. App. 3 Road Commissioners in each Election District, I of the minority party, but in 13th District app. only 1.
- Can grant Electric R. R.s right to build Jan. Session, 1902. on public roads.

#### County Commissioners, Cecil County.

- Dec. Session, 1827. 5 Coms. elected 3 yr. term, 1 from 1st, 3rd and 4th and 2 from 2nd District, Incorporated, take powers of Levy Court and books, app. Clerk and chose President, must be residents of the Districts, 2 Acts.
- Dec. Session, 1827. Make return of all deaf and dumb whites to Gov.

Dec. Session, 1829. All voters vote on all 5 Coms. though they are elected from Districts.

Dec. Session, 1831. 5 Coms. elected 2 yr. term, each District, but 2 from 1 District in regular rotation.

Dec. Session, 1833. App. as many Assessors as see fit to revalue County.

Dec. Session, 1837. 7 Coms., 1 from each District, elected 2 vr. term.

July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 2 yr. term, on General ticket and not by Districts.

Jan. Session. 1853. 3 Coms.

Jan. Session, 1858. Can app. person in each Election District to lay out School Districts if they think it necessary.

Ian. Session, 1864. Take all School powers.

- Jan. Session, 1874. May contract roads, app. 1 or more Inspectors.
- Jan. Session, 1882. App. a Collector annually in each Collection District.

Jan. Session, 1884. App. annually 5 Trustees of Poor.

- Jan. Session, 1884. Can summons persons to appear before them, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1884. Divide every 2 yrs. County into 3 parts of 3 Election Districts each and assign 1 of their members to each as General Supervisor of Road and Bridges, divide Districts 1-7 into 3 and 8-9 into 2 Road Districts and app. Road Commissioner for each who hold not more than 3 yrs., may contract repairs or otherwise.

Jan. Session, 1886. Annually app. Treasurer, who is not to act as Clerk to Co. Coms.

- Jan. Session, 1886. Road Commissioners must reside in District for which appointed, Co. Coms. can contract roads, Contractors to be known as supervisors, Road Coms. monthly inspect roads and bridges and report to Co. Coms.
- Jan. Session, 1890. App. 3 Trustees of Poor, 6 yr. term, 1 appointed every 2 yrs, and 1 must be of opposite political party of majority of Co. Coms.

Jan. Session, 1892. 3 Coms. elected, 6 yr. term, 1 elected every 2 yrs. and 1 from each Commissioner's District.

Jan. Session, 1804. 3 Coms. elected 2 every 2 yrs., 1 for 2 yrs., and 1 for 4 yrs. and as begins 1805 election there is 1 hold over to 1807, County divided into 3 Commissioners' Districts for the Supervision of Public Roads.

Jan. Session, 1898. Constitute Local Board of Health. Jan. Session, 1904. Dog tax.

### County Commissioners, Charles County.

- Dec. Session, 1839. 7 Coms. elected 3 yr. term, app. Clerk, take powers of Levy Court.
- Dec. Session, 1845. 5 Coms. instead of 7.
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 2 yr. term, on General ticket and not by Districts.
- Jan. Session, 1853. 3 Coms.
- Jan. Session, 1854. 5 Coms. to lay a School tax, 2 Acts.
- Jan. Session, 1856. To sell all Tobacco Warehouse Property.
- Jan. Session, 1856. May change Election Districts or create a new one.
- Jan. Session, 1860. App. biennially 3 in each Election District as Board of Control, etc., Free Colored People, must be accepted by voters.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Divide Election Districts into 2 to 4 Road Districts, app. a Superintendent of Roads who is a skilled Engineer and Draughtsman and who recommends Road Supervisors to Co. Coms. who app. them but they are under control of the Superintendent. He makes an Annual report to Co. Coms., must be adopted by voters.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Can call for \$175,000 from State for Internal Improvements as soon as County raises an equal amount, but joined with St. Mary's and Calvert Counties which see.
- Jan. Session, 1870. Change lines of Election Districts.
- Jan. Session, 1870. Divide County into Road Districts, app. Supervisors, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1870. Road Law, Act 1868 repealed.
- Jan. Session, 1874. To employ a permanent corps of road laborers.
- Jan. Session, 1882. App. annually Clerk as Treasurer.
- Jan. Session, 1884. Divide County into Road Districts and app. Supervisors for them, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1886. Divide County into Road Districts and roads into sections and app. Supervisors for them not exceeding 5.
- Jan. Session, 1886. Can change places of election.
- Jan. Session, 1892. App. 5 Trustees of the Poor annually.
- Jan. Session, 1892. 3 Co. Coms. 6 yr. term, I elected every 2 yrs, and I from each Commissioner District.
- Jan. Session, 1894. App. 3 Trustees of the Poor, 2 yr. term. Jan. Session, 1894. Gov. name 2 additional Coms. until election and thereafter to be 5 Coms., 6 yr. terms, 2 elected every 2 yrs. or 1 if 4 hold over.

Jan. Session, 1808. Divide County into Road Districts not exceeding nine and app. Road Supervisor in each.

Jan. Session, 1902. May app. Superintendent of Roads and prescribe his duties, term I vr.

County Commissioners, Dorchester County.

Dec. Session, 1838. County divided into 3 Districts, 1st and 3rd elect 2 and 3rd elect 3 Coms., annually elect 2 or 3, 3 vr. term, Incorporated, app. Clerk, take powers of Levy Court and Tax Commission, 7 named to hold until election held.

Dec. Session, 1845. App. another Constable at Cambridge if wish.

July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 2 yr. term on General ticket and not by Districts.

Jan. Session, 1853. 7 Coms.

Jan. Session, 1854. 5 Coms.

Jan. Session, 1854. Road powers. Jan. Session, 1868. App. Road Supervisors, etc.

Jan. Session, 1870. 3 Coms. to be elected hereafter, app. annually Clerk who acts also as Treasurer to Board of Co. Coms.

Jan. Session, 1870. Levy dog tax benefit sheep owners.

Jan. Session, 1872. Above Act 1870 repealed.

- Jan. Session, 1872. May subscribe \$20,000 to Vienna R. R.
- Jan. Session, 1874. May subscribe \$25,000 to Cambridge & Chesppeake R. R.
- Jan, Session, 1878. App. annually Harbor Master for Cambridge.
- Jan. Session, 1878. Divide Co. into 5 parts and each Co. Com. have charge of roads, etc. of 1 part, County is divided into Road Districts and Supervisor app. for each by Co. Coms. Each Co. Com. is a General Road Supervisor of a Commissioner's District [2 Acts].

Jan. Session, 1880. Road Law, small changes.

Jan. Session, 1882. App. Harbor Master for Cambridge who may or may not be keeper of the draw.

Jan. Session, 1882. Divide County into 5 Commissioner's Districts, app. Clerk to Board of Co. Coms., app. Collector in each Collection District annually, app. Treasurer until next election.

Jan. Session, 1884. App. Non-partisan Board of 5 of Cambridge as Jail Supervisors, 2 yr. term.

Jan. Session, 1886. Divide County into 5 Commissioner's Districts, app. Collector in each Collection District, app. Treasurer 2 yr. term who acts also as Clerk.

- Can subscribe to Balto. & Eastern Jan. Session, 1886. R. R.
- Jan. Session, 1888. To buy public cemetery at Cambridge. Ian. Session, 1800. Subscribe to Balto. & Eastern Shore
- R. R.
- Ian. Session, 1802. 'App. Overseer of Almshouse, grant out pensions, etc.
- May employ Engineer to drain public Jan. Session, 1892. roads, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1892. 3 Coms. 6 yr. term, 1 elected every 2 yrs. and 3 Commissioner Districts.
- Jan, Session, 1894. Can subscribe to Cambridge & Chesapeake R. R.
- Ian. Session, 1806. Can subscribe to Cambridge & Chesapeake R. R. \$50,000.
- Jan. Session, 1904. 5 Coms. term 6 vrs. elected 2 or 1 every 2 yrs., County divided into 5 Commissioner Districts.

County Commissioners, Frederick County.

- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 2 yr. term, on General ticket, take Levy Court powers, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1853. 5 Coms.
- App. 5 Trustees of Poor. Jan. Session, 1856.
- Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. 5 Coms.
- Jan. Session, 1876. Not to give over ten miles of road to 1 Supervisor.
- Jan. Session, 1884. App. 5 Commissioners of Charities and Corrections 2 yr. terms, 2 of opposite political party from majority of Co. Coms.
- Ian, Session, 1886. Much same as Act of 1884.
- Jan. Session, 1888. Can create new Election Districts.
- Jan. Session, 1892. 5 Coms. 6 yr. term (from Nov. 1891). Jan. Session, 1892. Must view all proposed new roads.
- Jan. Session, 1894. 5 Coms., 4 yr. term, 2 elected every 2 yrs., and 3 every 2 yrs., begin 1897 election.
- Jan. Session, 1898. App. 5 Commissioners of Charities and Corrections 2 yr. term, 2 of minority party.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Can grant Electric R. R's right to build on public roads.

#### County Commissioners, Garrett County.

- Jan. Session, 1872. 3 Co. Coms. if voters of Allegany decide Garrett County shall be erected, to be part of 4th Judicial Circuit.
- Jan. Session, 1874. App. 6 persons to take Census, whites and blacks separate, also number between 6 and 21 years of age.

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Jan. Session, 1878. 3 Co. Coms.

Jan. Session, 1878. To take part of U. S. Road in the County, app. Supervisor, collect Toll, etc.

Jan. Session, 1880. Annually app. 1 or more Road Supervisors for each Election District.

Jan. Session, 1888. App. Treasurer, term 2 yrs.

Jan. Session, 1888. Road known as Legislative Road to have 2 Superintendents of Repairs.

Jan. Session, 1890. After Apr. 1, 1891, can sell unclaimed Revolutionary Soldiers' lots for taxes and all receipts over amount of taxes to be turned over to State Treasury.

Jan. Session, 1890. Conjointly with Co. Coms. Allegany Co. to employ a Civil Engineer to locate the Boundary Line between these two Counties, must not be a resident of, or own property in either County, he sends a plat to each Board of Co. Coms.

Jan. Session. 1890. Road Tax, Oakland to get its share, etc.

Jan. Session, 1893. Chose Treasurer, term 2 yrs.

Jan. Session, 1892. 3 Co. Coms., 4 yr. terms, elected 1 and then 2 every 2 yrs.

Jan. Session, 1900. App. Warden of Jail.

- Jan. Session, 1902. App. Assessor in each Election District annually.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Can deport paupers or insane brought into the County.

County Commissioners, Harford County.

- Dec. Session, 1827. 5 Coms., elected 3 yr. term, 1 from each District, vacancies filled by Gov., take all powers and books of Levy Court and Tax Commission, app. Clerk, Incorporated.
- Dec. Session. 1827. Make return of all deaf and dumb whites to Gov.
- Dec. Session, 1828. App. 5 Trustees of Poor, 1 from each District.

Dec. Session, 1831. Elect 5 Coms. term 3 yrs.

Dec. Session, 1831. Can app. Keeper of Weights and Measures or leave to Co. Clerk.

Dec. Session, 1836. 1st 2nd and 3rd Election Districts I division to elect 3 Coms., 4th and 5th another division to elect 2 Coms.

Dec. Session, 1837. Publish Annual Report.

March Session, 1838. Repeals Election Act 1836 after September, 1840, and October, 1840, election to be under old Act.

- Dec. Session, 1841. Coms. not eligible for re-election until out of office 2 yrs.
- Dec. Session, 1842. To publish Annual Statement.
- Dec. Session, 1843. Clerk Co. Coms. to record all Public Roads for Co. Coms.
- Dec. Session, 1849. App. 3 in each Election District as School Coms., 1 of each to be on Executive Board, must be approved by voters.
- Dec. Session, 1849. Take powers of Trustees of Poor, app. Overseer of Poor, etc.
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 2 yr. term on General ticket and not by Districts.
- Jan. Session, 1853. 5 Coms.
- Jan. Session, 1872. App. 6 persons to take Census, whites and blacks separate, also number between 6 and 21 yrs. of age.
- Jan. Session, 1874. May subscribe \$50,000 to Belair & Delta R. R. and \$20,000 to Susquehanna & Gunpowder.
- Jan. Session, 1876. Rent out taxes.
- Jan. Session, 1878. Establish Public Landing on Bush River at the 'Sod.'
- Jan. Session, 1886. Can change Election Districts.
- Jan. Session, 1892. 5 Coms., 2 yr. terms, but at next election 3 Coms. 6 yr. terms, 1 to be elected every 2 yrs., Gov. fills vacancies.

### (County) Commissioners, Howard District, Anne Arundel County.

- Dec. Session, 1839. 3 Coms. elected annually, lay out in 3 Election Districts and report to own Court and to A. A. Co. Court, have all powers of County Coms. of A. A. Co., app. Constables, Collectors, etc., powers over Pensioners, etc., app. 9 Coms. of Primary Schools and 18 Inspectors, etc., School Laws of A. A. Co. in force, can borrow, can reassess under Act 1832.
- Dec. Session, 1843. To lay out in 5 Election Districts, report to Clerk Court Howard District.
- Dec. Session, 1843. Take powers of Coms. of Primary Schools, app. 3 Inspectors, 1 for each District, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1844. 5 Coms., 1 from each Election District, elected annually.

#### County Commissioners, Howard County.

- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 2 yr. term, on General ticket and not by Districts.
- Jan. Session, 1853. 3 Coms.
- Jan. Session, 1858. App. annually 3 Primary School Inspectors.

Jan. Session, 1860. App. biennially 3 in each Election District as Board of Control, etc., Free Colored People, must be accepted by voters.

Jan. Session, 1868. Road powers, app. Road Supervisors, etc.

Jan. Session, 1870. Divide County into Road Districts and Supervisor for each annually, etc.

Jan. Session, 1892. App. annually, Clerk who handles all money, makes quarterly statements, etc.

Jan. Session, 1892. App. Road Supervisor in each Election District annually, keep separate Record Book for each Election District, Act must be adopted by voters.

Jan. Session, 1892. 3 Coms. 6 yr. term, one elected every 2 yrs.

Jan. Session, 1894. App. annually 1 or more Road Supervisors in each Road District.

Jan. Session, 1894. Can app.1 or more police in any locality. Jan. Session, 1900. App. annually an Assessor in each Election District.

County Commissioners, Kent County.

July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 2 yr. term on General ticket, take Levy Court powers, etc.

Jan. Session, 1853. 3 Coms.

Jan. Session, 1854. App. Annually 3 Trustees of Poor, 1 from each District 1, 2, 3.

Jan. Session, 1856. Can close or alter or, etc., Public Landings.

Jan. Session, 1856. Can app. a special Police force to look after slaves and suspicious persons.

- Jan. Session, 1860. App. biennially 3 in each Election District as Board of Control, etc., Free Colored People, must be accepted by voters.
- Jan. Session, 1866. App. Supervisor of Streets Chestertown annually.
- Jan. Session, 1876. 5 Coms., Gov. app. 2 until election so as to make 5. divide County and each to examine roads monthly for his division.

Jan. Session, 1878. Alter, or, etc., private roads.

Jan. Session, 1878. Control cemetery in Chestertown.

Jan. Session, 1880. Power for regulation of freight on public wharves both in Chestertown and elsewhere in County.

Jan. Session, 1890. App. Treasurer, 2 yr. term.

Jan. Session, 1800. Make, conjointly with Co. Coms. of Queen Anne County, rules and regulations for use of bridges belonging jointly to both Counties.

- Jan. Session, 1890. If cannot obtain reasonable rates from County newspapers they may have hand bills printed elsewhere for all necessary printing.
- Jan. Session, 1894. 5 Coms., 4 yr. term, 2 or 3 elected every 2 yrs.
- Jan. Session, 1896. App. 5 Trustees of Poor 3 yr. term, so app. annually 2 or 1: 2 must be of minority party, 1 must be from 5th District, 1 from 4th, 1 from 3rd, 1 from 2nd or 6th, 1 from 7th or 1st.

# County Commissioners, Montgomery County.

- Dec. Session, 1838. 5 Coms., I from each District app. by Gov., take powers of Levy Court and Tax Commission, app. Clerk, Incorporated.
- Dec. Session, 1838. App. 5, I from each District as Managers of Primary Schools who divide into School Districts, app. Clerk, report to Assembly, 3 Trustees elected in each District, each District must adopt by vote.
- Dec. Session, 1839. Annually app. 3 in each Election District as Managers of Schools, report to Assembly.
- Dec. Session, 1841. 5 Coms., 1 elected from each District, 2 yr. term.
- Dec. Session, 1841. App. 3 Managers of Schools in each District and also Treasurer.
- Dec. Session, 1844. 5 Coms., 1 from each Election District.
- Dec. Session, 1845. 5 Coms. elected term 2 yrs., beginning Oct., 1848.
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 2 yr. term, on General ticket and not by Districts.
- Jan. Session, 1853. 5 Coms.
- Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. App. annually 5 Trustees of Poor.
- Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. App. 1 Com. from each Election District as a Board of School Commissioners.
- Jan. Session, 1868. App. 2 persons in each Election District, term 2 yrs. and they and the Co. Coms. to be a Board to take charge of Public Roads, divide roads up and let out by contract but persons must still work 1 day on the Public Roads.
- Jan. Session, 1870. Divide County into Road Districts and app. Supervisor for each, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1870. App. annually 3 Coms. for Rockville, I to be President, Bailiff.
- Jan. Session, 1876. If voters decide for 12 Election Districts then Co. Coms. to divide County thus.

- Jan. Session, 1892. 5 Coms. 4 yr. term, 2 elected and then 3 every 2 yrs., 1 from each Election District, Clerk handles all money, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Roads, macadamized, etc.
- Jan. Session. 1900. Furnish anti-toxin to indigent patients.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Pay for burial of paupers.
- County Commissioners, Prince George County.
- Dec. Session, 1849. 8 Coms. elected 3 yr. term, take powers of Levy Court, app. annually *Clerk* and chose President. Incorporated.
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 2 yr. term, on General ticket and not by Districts.
- Jan. Session, 1853. 5 Coms.
- Jan. Session, 1854. To sell Tobacco Warehouses at Upper Marlboro, Nottingham and Magruder's Ferry.
- Jan. Session, 1858. To sell Tobacco Warehouse at Piscataway.
- Jan. Session, 1860. App. biennially 3 in each Election District as Board of Control, etc., Free Colored People, must be accepted by voters.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Divide County into 4 Collection Districts and app. Collector for each.
- Jan. Session, 1870. Repeal Act 1868, which repealed Act 1867 concerning Public Roads except Somerset County, in so far as relates to Prince George County.
- Jan. Session, 1870. County divided into Road Districts by Circuit Court and a Supervisor for each annually, report to Co. Coms, who control.
- Jan. Session, 1872. App. 5 Commissioners for Bladensburgh annually.
- Jan, Session, 1872. App. County Treasurer 5 yr. term.
- Jan. Session, 1872. Road Supervisors to make Annual Report to Co. Coms.
- Jan. Session, 1874. Co. Coms. to divide County into Road Districts and app. Supervisors for them, etc., employ permanent corps of laborers.
- Jan. Session, 1876. Not to close road used 21 yrs, unless property owners consent.
- Jan. Session, 1878. To app. 3 in each Election District to examine and report what roads can be dispensed with and what ones straightened.
- Jan. Session, 1880. To app. annually 3 in each Election District to examine and report what roads can be dispensed with and what ones straightened.

- Jan. Session, 1880. To set aside two-thirds Road Tax as special Road and Bridge Fund, remainder general.
- Jan. Session, 1884. App. 5 Trustees of the Poor annually.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Divide County into Road Districts and app. a Supervisor of each one.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Enlarges road powers of Co. Coms.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Can keep out pensioners as they think proper.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Divide County into Road Districts not exceeding 14 and app. one or more Road Supervisors for each.
- Jan. Session, 1802. 3 Co. Coms. 6 yr. terms, 1 elected every 2 yrs.
- Jan. Session, 1902. County divided into 3 Districts and a Co. Road Commissioner elected 2 yr. term in each.
- Jan. Session, 1902. App. a Transfer Clerk and Auditor, also an Assessor for each 3 Road Districts.
- Jan. Session, 1904. App. County Road Superintendent 4, yr. term. who supervises all roads and bridges, assists District Trustees and audits their accounts and Annual Report to Road Commissioners and to Co. Coms., District Road Trustees attend roads in their District and ask Superintendent for advice.

County Commissioners, Queen Anne County.

July 4, 1851. New Constitution. elected 2 yr. term, on General ticket, take Levy Court powers, etc.

- Jan. Session, 1853. 3 Coms.
- Jan. Session, 1860. App. biennially 3 in each Election District as Board of Control, etc., Free Colored People, must be accepted by voters.
- Jan. Session, 1864. App. annually Keeper of Weights and Measures.
- Jan. Session, 1867. Divide Election Districts into Road Districts and app. a Supervisor for each.
- Jan. Session, 1870. Levy dog tax for benefit sheep owners. Jan. Session, 1872. Above Act 1870 repealed.
- Jan. Session, 1872. Above Act 1870 repealed. Jan. Session, 1882. App. 1 of themselves as Treasurer.
- Jan. Session, 1888. To Record papers, etc. relating to locating, altering, etc. public roads and bridges.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Make rules and regulations conjointly with Kent Co. Coms. for use of bridges belonging to them.
- Jan. Session, 1892. 3 Coms. elected 6 yr. terms, 1 elected every 2 yrs., can serve only 2 terms consecutively.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Can employ convicts on roads.

Jan. Session, 1896. 3 Coms. 6 yr. term, 1 elected every 2 yrs.

- Jan. Session, 1900. 3 Coms. elected 2 yr. term, Coms. in office to serve out their terms however.
- Jan. Session, 1904. I Com. to hold over for 2 yrs. and hereafter 2 elected every 2 yrs., I for 2 yrs. and I for 4 yrs.
- Jan. Session, 1904. App. Road Commissioner 2 yr. term, examine all roads and supervise, approve all bills, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1904. President of Co. Coms. to countersign all checks given by the County Treasurer.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Dog tax 4th Election District go to paving roads of 4th District and streets of Stevensville.

County Commissioners, St. Mary's County.

- March Session, 1838. 5 Coms., 1 from each District elected 3 yr. term, take powers of Levy Court, Incorporated, elect President.
- Dec. Session, 1838. To app. Road Supervisors, etc., Road powers.
- Dec. Session, 1838. To take powers of Coms., School Fund, 3 Coms. in each District lay out into School Districts and each of these 5 Trustees who report to Co. Coms.
- Dec. Session, 1841. Voters elect annually the 5 Trustees of School Districts and not app. by Co. Coms.
- Dec. Session, 1843. 5 Coms., 1 from each District, 3 yr. term.
- Dec. Session, 1844. 5 Coms., 1 from each District, 3 yr. term, etc.
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 2 yr. term, on General ticket and not by Districts.
- Jan. Session, 1853. 5 Coms.
- Jan. Session, 1860. App. biennially 3 in each District as Board of Control, etc., Free Colored People, must be accepted by voters.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Divide Election Districts into 2 to 4 Road Districts, app. a Superintendent of Roads who is a skilled Engineer and Draughtsman and who recommends Road Supervisors to Co. Coms. who app. them but they are under control of the Superintendent. He makes an Annual Report to Co. Coms., must be adopted by voters.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Can call for \$173,000 from State for Internal Improvements as soon as County raises an equal amount, but joined with Charles and Calvert Counties, which see.

Jan. Session, 1870. Road Law. Act 1868 repealed.

- Jan. Session, 1876. Divide County into sections, 4 to 6 miles and contract repairs or app. Supervisors, Annual Report to Co. Coms., who report to Grand Jury their expenses.
- Jan. Session, 1878. To have exclusive charge of Almshouse, app. Keeper, M. D., etc.
- Jan. Session, 1878. Roads, can app. District Road Commissioner, or Supervisors or other Agents and can repair as think proper.
- Jan. Session, 1888. Elect 1 of their members as Treasurer.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Elect Clerk, 2 yr. term, who also acts as Treasurer.
- Jan. Session, 1892. 3 Coms., 6 yr. term, I elected every 2 yrs. and I from each Commissioner District.
- Jan. Session, 1894. App. a General Road Supervisor for the County and a District Road Supervisor for each Election District, General Supervisor must inspect the roads once a month.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Same as 1894, except app. 2 District Road Supervisors for each Election District.
- Jan. Session, 1898. App. 3 District Road Supervisors for each Election District annually, Co. Coms. have general supervision.
- Jan. Session, 1900. May lease Almshouse.
- Jan. Session, 1902. App. in each Election District and Precinct a Road Inspector, term 2 yrs., if possible is to be an M. D. in active practice, also app. a Road Supervisor for the same for 1 yr. term, Inspector examine roads and instruct Supervisor.
- Jan. Session, 7904. App. annually as many Road Supervisors for each Election District and Precinct as they think proper.

County Commissioners, Somerset County.

- Dec. Session, 1837. 7 Coms. app. by Gov., take powers of Levy Court, app. Clerk, act as Appeal Tax Court.
- Dec. Session, 1837. App. 3 Coms. in each District to divide into School Districts, report to Co. Coms.
- March Session, 1838. 6 Coms. elected 3 yr. term, 2 from each of 3 Divisions of County and 2 to be elected every year, take powers of Trustees of Poor and so to see to cultivation of mulberry and making of silk at Poor House to be March 27, 1839, but hereafter Oct.
- Dec. Session, 1838. App. 7 Trustees Education in each District by June 1 and they return Census of Children to Co. Coms.

Dec. Session, 1839. To revalue County, app. 3 Assessors, follow Acts 1812 and 1829.

Dec. Session, 1839. All their road proceedings to be enrolled by Clerk Co. Court.

Dec. Session, 1840. App. annually 6 Trustees of Poor, 2 from each Commissioner District.

March Session, 1841. Receive school money from Treasurer W. Shore, app. 3 Trustees in each School District who report to County Coms. and can unite or divide Districts.

Dec. Session, 1841. Act March, 1841 repealed and Act 1828 revised.

Dec. Session, 1842. Practically same as Act March, 1841. Dec. Session, 1845. Publish Annual Statement.

July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 2 yr. term, on General ticket and not by Districts.

Jan. Session, 1853. 3 Coms.

Jan. Session, 1853. App. annually-3 Trustees of Poor, 1 from each District, Act 1840 repealed.

Jan. Session, 1860. App. biennially 3 in each Election District as Board of Control, etc., Free Colored People, must be accepted by voters.

April Session, 1861. App. 3 to lay out Town of Princess Anne and if Co. Coms. approve the plat they send to Clerk Court to record, app. Constable for this town, 2 Acts.

Jan. Session, 1867. 5 Coms, elected for 4 yr. term.

Jan. Session, 1868. 3 Coms. after expiration of term of the 5 now in office.

Jan. Session, 1868. App. Road Supervisors, etc., 2 Acts.

Jan. Session, 1870. Levy Dog tax for benefit sheep owners.

Jan. Session, 1872. Above Act 1870 repealed.

Jan. Session, 1874. To provide fund to redeem outstanding bonds.

Jan. Session, 1884. Road Act of 1868 repealed for Somerset Co.

Jan. Session, 1888. App. Road Supervisor for each Election District, term 2 yrs.

- Jan. Session, 1888. Divide County into 4. Collection Districts and app. Collector in each, also app. Clerk annually who acts as Treasurer.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Road Supervisors to have not less than 15 nor more than 30 miles of road but if not more than 60 miles in 1 Election District then they (Co. Coms) app. only 1 Supervisor for that District, term 2 yrs.

- Jan. Session, 1892. 3 Co. Coms. 6 yr. terms. I elected every 2 yrs. and I from each-Commissioner's District, app. Clerk who acts as Treasurer, can divide Election Districts, can employ an Engineer for drainage of public roads.
- Jan. Session, 1894. App. Clerk, 2 yr. term, also app. a Surveyor and Engineer for drainage of the public roads.
- Jan. Sesion, 1896. Co. divided into 4 Collection Districts and Co. Coms. app. a Collector in each annually, also Clerk 2 yr. term who acts as Treasurer.
- Jan. Session, 1902. App. Road Supervisors, to about 15 to 16 miles in 1 Election District.
- Jan. Session. 1904. App. Overseer to Almshouse, Physician, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Road Supervisors report to Co. Coms. the number of persons liable for work on public road and their color.

#### County Commissioners, Talbot County.

- Dec. Session, 1830. 5 Coms. elected, 1 from St. Michaels, 1 from Trappe, 1 from Chappel and 2 from Easton Districts, take Levy Court powers, app. Clerk, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1832. To get School Fund money from Treasurer W. Shore and app. 3 District Coms. in each District who lay out School Districts and direct School matters.
- Dec. Session, 1833. To have school powers of Levy Court, District Clerk send list of those with children between 6 and 14 yrs., to be confirmed by voters.
- Dec. Session, 1834. Road Powers, much same as before. Dec. Session, 1835. App. instead of 18 Inspectors 3 Trus-
- tees and Clerk for each School District elected annually.
- Dec. Session, 1839. To revalue County under Act 1812. Dec. Session, 1841. To app. annually a Collector for direct tax.
- Dec. Session, 1847. To take charge of wharves at Easton Point.
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 2 yr. term, on General ticket and not by Districts
- Jan. Session, 1853. 3 Coms.
- Jan. Session, 1860. App. biennially 3 in each Election District as Board of Control, etc. Free Colored People, must be accepted by voters.
- April Session, 1861. Levy annually money for Primary Schools, Clerks of each School District to give 10 days' notice of annual meeting.

Jan. Session, 1867. Divide Election Districts into Road Districts and app. Supervisor for each, etc.

Jan. Session, 1868. App. 5 Trustees of Poor for 2 yr. term. Jan. Session, 1868. Repeals Road Act of 1867.

Jan. Session, 1868. Road powers, app. Road Supervisors, etc.

Jan. Session, 1870. Road Powers.

Jan. Session, 1870. Road Law Act 1868 repealed.

Jan. Session, 1884. Can rent privilege of building wharves on public landings.

Jan. Session, 1886. Can Subscribe Balto. & Easton R. R.

Jan. Session, 1888. App. a Clerk to Board of Co. Coms.

Jan. Session, 1890. Pay Easton part of road tax.

Jan. Session, 1890. Subscribe to Balto & Eastern Shore R. R.

Jan. Session, 1890. Road Law, small changes.

Jan. Session, 1892. Can have Sheriff work prisoners on public roads.

Jan. Session, 1892. After 1895, Nov., 6 yr. terms, 1 elected every 2 yrs.

Jan. Session, 1892. Subscribe to Balto. & Eastern Shore R. R., to be voted upon.

Jan. Session, 1892. Subscribe to Easton, Trappe and Cambridge R. R.

Jan. Session, 1894. App. 5 Collectors for the 5 Collection Districts annually.

Jan. Session, 1894. Can subscribe to Trappe, Easton & Cambridge R. R. (\$15,000).

Jan. Session, 1900. Can app. Counsel.

County Commissioners, Washington County.

Dec. Session, 1829. Elect I from each District, 2 yr. term, take powers, books, etc. of Levy Court and Tax Commission, Incorporated, app. Clerk, etc.

Dec. Session, 1829. Road Powers, can alter and open roads, appeal to Co. Courts.

Dec. Session, 1830. Road powers, opening roads, etc.

Dec. Session, 1832. Publish Annual Statement.

Dec. Session, 1835. App. 1 or 3 Assessors.

Dec. Session, 1844. App. only 20 Constables.

Dec. Session, 1845. App. 2 Constables additional for Hagerstown.

Dec. Session, 1845. Road powers, app. 3 examiners of Public Roads to be laid out, etc.

Dec. Session, 1845. 3 Coms., 1 elected every year for 3 vr. term, on General ticket.

- Dec. Session, 1847. App. Board of School Coms., 1 from each District annually, must be approved by voters.
- Dec. Session, 1849. Erect Poor House, repeals road powers of Act 1834, 2 Acts.
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 2 yr. term, on General ticket and not by Districts.
- Ian. Session, 1853. 5 Coms.
- Jan. Session, 1853. App. 1 from each District as Board of School Commissioners.
- Jan. Session, 1865. Can subscribe \$150,000 to Western Md. R. R.
- Jan. Session, 1868. App. 3 Trustees of Poor annually.
- Jan. Session, 1870. App. County Treasurer annually. Jan. Session, 1872. To erect a Poor House, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1874. Enlarges powers, levving money, 2 Acts.
- Jan. Session, 1876. Annually app. Collector State and County Taxes, his papers to be left at end of term with Clerk Circuit Court.
- Jan. Session, 1880. Establish public ferry at Hancock.
- Jan. Session, 1886. Agreement between Co. Coms. and Western Md. R. R. ratified by Assembly.
- Jan. Session, 1886. Can offer rewards for arrest and conviction of criminals.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Erect new Election Districts, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1892. 5 Coms., 4 vr. terms, 3 elected and then 2 every 2 yrs.
- Jan. Session, 1894. To build an Insane Asylum, either separate from Almshouse or as part of it.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Can change Election Districts or erect new ones.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Taxation powers, may exempt manufacturing plants, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Taxation powers, may exempt manufacturing plants, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1902. App. annually a Health Officer who is Secretary to the Board of Health which is the Co. Coms.

# County Commissioners, Wicomico County.

Jan. Session, 1868. 5 Coms. elected, app. Clerk, put up Poor House and attend to poor, etc.

Jan. Session, 1870. Road powers.

- Jan. Session, 1870. App. 3 Trustees of Poor annually.
- Jan. Session, 1872. 5 Coms. elected 4 yr. term, elected every 2 yrs. 3 and 2 next 2 yrs., app. Clerk.

- Jan. Session, 1872. Divide County into Road Districts and app. Supervisor in each who takes list of those liable to road work, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1874. Road Law small changes.

Jan. Session, 1884. Help repair streets of Salisbury.

- Jan. Session, 1884. Divide County into 5 Collection and
- app. Collector for each. Clerk to Co. Coms. to be Co. Treasurer.

Jan. Session, 1886. Subscribe to Balto. & Eastern R. R.

- Jan. Session, 1888. Enlarges powers taxation, exempt manufacturing plants, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Subscribe to Balto. & Eastern Shore R. R.
- Jan. Session, 1892. 5 Coms. 4 yr. terms, 3 elected and then 2 every 2 yrs.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Divide County into 5 Collection Districts and app. Collector in each.
- Jan. Session, 1898. Road Law, small changes.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Taxation powers, may exempt manufacturing plants, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1902. App. annually Road Supervisor in each Election District, divide roads into sections, keep record of each Road District, incorporated towns get half of road tax, non-tax payers over 21 yrs. old enrolled for work on roads, etc,
- Jan. Session, 1904. Sub-divide Election Districts into Road Districts and app. Supervisor for each, enroll non-tax pavers 21-50 vrs. of age for work on roads, etc.

Jan. Session, 1904. Can app. Counsel.

#### County Commissioners, Worcester County.

March Session, 1838. 5 Coms. elected 3 yr. term, 3 Divisions of County, 1st and 2d elect, 2d and 3rd elect 1. Take powers of Levy Court and Tax Commission, Clerk Co. Court to act as Clerk Co. Coms., Incorporated. In effect Oct., 1839.

Dec. Session, 1839. To app. a Clerk.

- Dec. Session, 1844. To fill any vacancy of their own membership.
- Dec. Session, 1845. May buy certain "Surveyors' Books" containing nearly all the original records and plats of land in the County.
- Dec. Session, 1846. Alters Com's. Districts.
- Dec. Session, 1847. Publish Annual Report.
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 2 yr. term, on General ticket and not by Districts.

Jan. Session, 1853. 5 Coms.

- Jan. Session, 1860. App. biennially 3 in each Election District as Board of Control, etc., Free Colored People, must be accepted by voters.
- Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. Publish accounts annually.
- Jan. Session, 1870. App. 3 Trustees of Poor annually. Jan. Session, 1870. Publish accounts annually.

- Jan. Session, 1876. Road Law, slight changes. Jan. Session, 1884. Road Act of 1868 repealed for Worcester County.
- Jan. Session, 1888. Divide County into Road Districts and app. Supervisors for them.

Jan. Session, 1890. Road Law, much repealed.

- Jan. Session, 1890. County divided into 3 Collection Districts and Co. Coms. app. annually a Collector for each. Clerk to Co. Coms, is Treasurer and holds office as long as term of those who appointed him.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Use returns from tongers' liscenses to cut canal between Sinepuxent Bay and Atlantic Ocean.
- Jan. Session, 1892. 5 Coms., 4 vr. terms, 3 elected and then 2 every 2 yrs.
- fan. Session, 1898. Divide Election Districts into 3 Road Districts and app. Road Supervisor for each.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Taxation powers, may exempt manufacturing plants, etc., [2 Acts].

County Courts.

- Jan. 1, 1777. App. by Gov., etc.
- Feb. Session, 1777. To open July 1, 1777, no limitations for period from July 26, 1775 to July 1, 1777.
- Feb. Session, 1777. To divide into Hundreds.
- March Session, 1780. To license ordinaries annually, Clerk gives list to Grand Jury.
- Oct. Session, 1780. Levy for Co. expenses, Clerk to keep accounts.
- Oct. Session, 1780. To send lists of absentees to Gov., absentees to pay treble tax but non-jurors as such not to pay.
- Nov. Session, 1785. Jurisdiction, etc., proceedings as to Tob. Inspectors kept by Co. Court Clerk, etc., 2 Acts.
- Nov. Session, 1786. Bind apprentices, etc., on Application appoint Commission of 3 or 5 to bound land and after survey is recorded. To appoint person in each Co. to take books of those convicted of Treason and collect debts due them, proceeds go to State. 3 Acts.
- Nov. Session, 1787. Appoint Collector for Co. Levy if no Collector in the Co.

- Nov. Session, 1789. To name Tob. Warehouses and recommend Inspectors to Gov. who appoints, hear complaints against Inspectors who can appeal to Gov. and give accounts to Co. Courts, Co. Court Clerk to have separate book for these Tobacco Proceedings, etc.
- Nov. Session. 1789. To name 3 Assessors of size of loaf of bread, etc. in any town or city in the County.
- Nov. Session, 1790. To name Tobacco Inspectors annually but if a new man to recommend to Gov. for appointment.
- Nov. Session, 1790. To lose all Criminal and Civil Jurisdiction to the newly created Circuit Courts but retain Levy powers and Tobacco Inspection powers.

County Circuit Court, Anne Arundel County.

Dec. Session, 1836. To alter roads, etc. as per Act 1868, Jan. 26, 1819.

County Circuit Court, Baltimore County.

- Dec. Session, 1849. Judges to app. Baliffs.
- County Circuit Court, Dorchester County.
- March Session, 1838. To grant no liquor license for Cambridge unless recommended by Town Commissioners.

County Circuit Court, Frederick County.

- Dec. Session, 1836. To alter roads, etc. as per Act 1818, Jan. 26, 1819.
  - County Circuit Court, Howard District, Anne Arundel County.
- March Session, 1838. Established, to be part of 3rd Judicial District, to be confirmed.
- Dec. Session, 1839. Confirmed.

County Circuit Court, Somerset County.

- Dec. Session, 1840. New Seal.
  - County Courts, Dorchester, Somerset and Worcester Counties.
- Oct. Session, 1780. To provide for persons removed from Islands below Hooper's Island on account of invasion of enemy and report accounts to 'Assembly.

County School Commissioners.

Jan. Session, 1870. App. by Judge of County Circuit Court 2 yr. term, 3 Coms. but if over 100 schools 5 coms., Incorporated. Elect a person as Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner, if 85 schools an Assistant Examiner, app. 3 to divide County into School Districts, Annual Report to State Board, fix School sites and text books, app. 3 District School Coms. for negroes separate schools, app. High School Coms. for each High School.

- Jan. Session, 1872. No separate District School Coms. for Colored Schools but all schools of same District under same Coms.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Make Annual Report to State Board of Education, publish Annual Report of their accounts.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Gov. app. 3 for each County except Baltimore, Carroll, Frederick and Washington to have 6 yr, terms, one-third appointed every 2 yrs., they elect Secretary, Treasurer, Examiner and if over 85 Schools an Assistant Examiner
- Jan. Session, 1892. Incorporated.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Gov. app. 3 in each County except that in Baltimore, Carroll, Dorchester, Frederick and Washington Counties, he appoints 6, 6 vr. term and one-third app. every 2 vrs., one-third must be of minority party.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Incorporated. Jan. Session, 1900. Have full charge schools, building and furnishings, etc., provide text books, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Confirm appointment of teachers by District School Trustees and hear appeals from removal of teachers by the same.
- Jan, Session, 1902. Can establish Manual Training Schools.
- Ian. Session, 1902. App. 3 Truaut Officers, etc., put in parental school.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Incorporated, make Annual Report to State Board, choose person as Secretary and Treasurer and also as County School Superintendent, if more than 85 schools app. a Clerk, adopt text books, teacher for every 40 children, establish I or more schools in each Election District for colored children 6 to 20 vrs. of age provided the population warrants it.

#### County School Examiner, one for each County.

- Jan. Session, 1868. Acts as Secretary for Co. School Coms. also.
- Jan. Session, 1870. App. by Co. School Coms., Assistant if 85 schools, examine candidates for teachers' positions, hold Teachers' Institutes, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1872. Visit schools 2 or 3 times annually. County School Superintendents.
- Jan. Session, 1904. App. by Co. School Coms., of more than 175 teachers he has an Assistant app. by same, is also Secretary and Treasurer for Co. School Coms., he or his Assistant visit schools 3 times a year if not more than 60 teachers, twice if not more than 175, once if more than 175, he or State Superintendent of Education to preside over Teachers' Institutes.

### Court, Caroline County.

March Sessica, 1779. To be held at Choptank bridge until Court House built instead of at Melvill's Warehouse.

Nov. Session, 1779. Repeals March Session Act 1779 Act. Court, Cecil County.

- Nov. Session, 1790. Clerk of the Court ordered to transcribe the Records as they were taken by the British in 1777 to New York and returned after peace restored in a much defaced and abused condition and some volumes lost. Courts. •
- Feb. Session, 1777. All Courts to open July 1, 1777.

#### Court of Appeals.

Jan. 1, 1777. From Chancery, Admiralty and General Courts.

Feb. Session, 1777. Terms May and Oct., at Annapolis. March Session, 1780. Empowered to appoint Clerk.

- Nov. Session, 1800. On reversing a judgement can give such judgement as should have been given and enforce by execution.
- Nov. Session, 1801. To be but 3 Judges when others die, resign, or, etc., Gov. then to fill vacancies in the 3.
- Nov. Session, 1802. To be 3 Judges beginning March 1, 1804, to be confirmed by next Assembly.
- Nov. Session, 1804. To be Chief Judges of the 6 Districts, 226 members, General Court powers on appeals, to be confirmed.

Nov. Session, 1805. Confirmed Act 1804.

- Nov. Session, 1805. Chief Judge to be designated by Gov. when issuing Commissions for District Judges, Court sits at Annapolis and Easton.
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, State divided in 4 parts and 1 Judge elected from each, 10 yr. term, Gov. designates one as Chief Justice, 3 a quorum, sit at Annapolis, app. Clerk for 6 yr. term, all laws recorded in this Court.
- Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, State divided into 5 parts and 1 Judge elected from each, 15 yr. term, Gov. designates 1 as Chief Justice, 3 must agree, app. Clerk 6 yr. term.
- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, consist of the Chief Judges of the 1st 7 of the Judicial Circuits and a Judge from Baltimore City specially elected, Gov. designates the Chief Judge, 4 a quorum but 3 must concur, opinion must be in writing, Reports must be published, all cases stand for hearing at 1st term after transmission of record,

as before must sit 10 months in year if necessary, sit at Annapolis, no Judge to sit on case which he sat on in Lower Court. 15 yr. term for Judges, vacancy filled by Gov. until a General Election.

#### Court Cryers.

Oct. Session, 1777. Fees.

#### Courts Martial.

March Session, 1778. 3 or more Commissioned Officers, fines, etc. to Co. Court Clerk.

# Courts for trial of Spies.

- May Session, 1781. Any suspect arrested by order of a J. P. or militia officer or Co. Lt. and Gov. and Council appoint Court for Trial, any person joining or purposing to join or enlisting for English or taking oath of allegiance to the King.
- Nov. Session, 1781. To continue during the war.

Court Common Pleas, Baltimore City.

July 4, 1851. New Constitution, I Judge elected 10 yr. term, cases over \$100 and not over \$500.

- Jan. Session, 1854. Insolvents apply and Court appoints Trustee, etc, can app. Commissioner; former Insolvent Acts repealed.
- Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, I Judge elected 15 yr. term, cases \$100 to \$1000, Civil Appeals from J. P.s, Insolvency petitions and Insolvency Trustees, etc.

Jan. Session, 1867. Can app. Stenographer.

- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution. Concurrent Jurisdiction with Superior and Balto. City Courts in all civil common law cases and with Superior Court as now have, and exclusive jurisdiction in all applications for benefit of Insolvency laws of Md.
- Jan. Session, 1870. Exclusive Jurisdiction to hear motions for new trial and arrest of judgement heard by this Court. Jan. Session, 1880. Insolvency petitions, etc.

Jan. Session, 1880. Habeas Corpus powers, etc.

### Criminal Courts.

- Nov. Session, 1783. Gov. on application may issue commission of over and terminer and gaol delivery for all crimes, offenses and misdemeanors in any Co., Act to end next Session.
- Nov. Session, 1787. Revises law Nov., 1783, Act to end 3 yrs., etc.

### Criminal Court, Baltimore County.

Feb. Session, 1777. Act for criminal terms of Balto. Co. Court of Session 1773 continued.

- May Session, 1788. Gov. to issue commission of over and terminer and gaol delivery to 5 residents of Balto. Co. for felonies, crimes, etc., in Balto. Co. and not directed to be tried in the General Court, Co. Court Clerk to act as Clerk, apprehend vagrants, etc. in Balto. Town, after July 1 to have power of Balto. Town Coms. under Act for night watch and lamps in Balto. Town.
- Nov. Session, 1780. Much same as Act 1788 given above, also hear complaints of spilors, bind out apprentices and other increases of powers.
- Nov. Session, 1794. Gov. to appoint 2 residents of Baltimore Town as Assistant Justices for Baltimore Co. Court *for Criminal Cases only* to have powers of the Baltimore Co. Court of over and terminer and gaol delivery, Act Nov. 1793, Chief Justice to reside in Baltimore Town or lose £200 annually.
- Nov. Session, 1795. Assistant Justices to rotate weekly for report of and conduct of night watch of Baltimore Town.
- Nov. Session, 1797. Substitutes Balto. City Court for this, in effect March 1, 1798.
- Nov. Session, 1791. Gov. to appoint Chief Justice and 4 Associate Justices for this court, hold for good behavior.
- Nov. Session, 1792. To appoint persons to get list of buildings, stores, owners, inhabitants, etc., in Baltimore Town and to collect tax (which is by stories) for Night Watch etc. and put accounts before Town Comptrollers,
- Nov. Session, 1793. Same as Act 1791 practically, leaves no criminal power to Co. Circuit Court.
- Nov. Session, 1799. Gov. and Council appoint a Chief Justice and 2 Associate Justices of Court of over and terminer and gaol delivery for Baltimore County. Takes all Criminal Cases in Baltimore City Court and in Baltimore County Court. Repeals Acts 1797 and 1798.
- Nov. Session, 1804. Name Clerk, have seal, issue all licenses for ordinances, Hawkers, etc. in effect Feb. 1, 1805. Nov. Session, 1804. Powers as to vagrants, disorderly,
- prostitutes, etc.

Nov. Session, 1808. Enlarges powers, Habeas Corpus, etc. Nov. Session, 1811. Can get additional pay from Mayor and City Council Balto, City.

Dec. Session, 1816. Balto, City Court takes powers in City and ouside they go to the Co. Court *i. e.* the Circuit Court.

Criminal Court, Baltimore City.

July 4, 1851. New Constitution, I Judge elected 10 yr. term.

Jan. Session, 1852. Criminal Jurisdiction in all cases. Jan. Session, 1854. Vagabonds, etc. can be sent to Almshouse, House of Refuge or House of Correction not less than week or more than 2 months, minors only if ask Jury trial otherwise by Orphans Court, Act 1804 repealed.

Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, 1 Judge elected 15 yr. term, much same as 1851, all J. P. appeals in fines, penalties and forfeitures, does not have appeals from Coms. for opening Streets.

Jan. Session, 1867. Can app. Stenographer.

Oct. 5. 1867. New Constitution, same as 1864 except all I. P. appeal cases both Civil and *Criminal* go to Balto. City Court.

Jan. Session, 1886. May app. Assistant Counsel for the State when think necessary.

Delegates to Congress.

Jan. Session, 1777. Elected annually by Joint Ballot of both Houses of Assembly, 2 must be changed.

Oct. Session, 1780. Ordered to sign Articles of Confederation, retain land claims in West.

Nov. Session, 1784. To be appointed annually.

Delegates (5) to Convention in Philadelphia to revise the Federal System.

April Session, 1787. To go to Philadelphia with full powers.

Delegates to Constitutional Convention.

Dec. Session, 1849. To be elected if voters declare for such Convention.

Jan. Session, 1864. To be accepted by voters [adopted]. Jan. Session, 1867. To be voted upon.

Deputy Attorneys General.

Dec. Session, 1821. Named by Gov., hold for good behavior, appointed for County Circuit Courts and for Balto. City Court.

Deputy Auditor General.

Nov. Session, 1781. Pav given.

Deputy Treasurer Western Shore.

Nov. Session, 1781. Pav given.

Directors of Confederate Cemetery at Hagerstown.

Jan Session, 1870. Gov. app. 3 and every other State app.

Directors of the Home and Infirmary of Western Maryland.

Ian, Session, 1892. Gov. app. 7, term 2 vrs.

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#### Directors Md. Industrial School for Girls.

Jan. Session, 1866. 20 Directors, any Court, Orphans Court, J. P. or parents can commit to.

- Jan. Session, 1870. 30. 15 by members, 5 annually by Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, 10 by Gov. biennially.
- Jan. Session, 1888. Name changed to Female House of Refuge.

# Directors of Penitentiary.

- Dec. Session, 1837. 6 app. by Gov., app. Physician, Chaplain, Bookkeeper, Matron, Guards, etc., Annual Report to Gov.
- Dec. Session, 1845. Can bind out children of female convicts, convicts can be employed, Directors may contrast, may change rules subject to approval of Gov.
- Jan. Session, 1868. App. Warden annually.
- Jan. Session, 1878. Gov. to app. 2 every 2 yrs. for term of 6 yrs.

# Director State Weather Service.

Jan. Session, 1892. Named by President of Johns Hopkins University, commissioned by Gov., 2 yr. term.

Directors of U.S. roads in Md.

Dec. Session, 1844. Gov. to app. 3 instead of Superintendent.

#### District Attorneys.

Dec. Session, 1817. To have powers of Att. Gen. in Co. Courts or Balto. City Court, are appointed for the Judicial Districts and for Balto. City Court, hold for good behaviour, Baltimore City, may be held by Att. General.

Dec. Session, 1821. Here changed to Deputy Attorneys.

District School Commissioners.

- Jan. Session, 1865. App. by State Board of Education, 4 yr. term, number in each County as State Superintendent directs, each is incorporated, has a Secretary and Treasurer, etc.
- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, in force until end of 1st Session of Assembly and then expire unless continued by Assembly.
- Jan. Session, 1868. 3 are elected in each Election District as a board of District School Commissioners, 1 of the 3

to be the County School Commissioner for the District.

Jan. Session, 1870-3 for each District app. annually by County School Coms., supervision of houses, land, etc. Jan. Session, 1872. Can suspend or expel but appeal can be taken to Co. School Coms.

Jan. Session, 1874. Elect I as Chairman, term I yr.

# District School Trustees.

- Jan. Session, 1892. 3 in each District app. annually by County School Commissioners, they chose a Chairman.
- Jan. Session, 1902. App. teachers but must be confirmed by County School Commissioners, remove teachers but teachers can appeal to County School Commissioners.
- Jan. Session, 1904. 3 for each District app. by County School Commissioners, app. a Chairman, Principal of School Acts as their Secretary.

# Ducking Police.

Jan. Session, 1880. Gov. app. 2 from Harford and 2 from Cecil County to enforce laws relative to hunting ducks.

Jan. Session, 1900. For protection wild fowl on rivers Cecil County, app. by Gov. 2 yr. term.

#### Election Supervisors, Baltimore City.

Jan. Session, 1876. Gov. app. 3 as a Board, 2 yr. term, they app. Judges of Election, Clerks, etc.

Electoral College, Secretary of.

Jan. Session, 1865. Mentioned.

# Electors of the Senate.

- Jan. 1, 1777. Elected 5 yr. term, 2 each Co., 1 Annapolis and 1 Baltimore, chose 15 Western Shore and 9 Eastern Shore as members of Senate, can chose either themselves or others.
- 1837. Amendment of Constitution abolishes.

#### Electors for President U.S.

Nov. Session, 1788. 6 in 6 named Districts to be elected.

- Nov. Session, 1790. To meet at Annapolis and if the Gov. and Council decide by lot.
- Nov. Session, 1795. To be elected by Districts, 10 Districts named.
- Nov. Session, 1802. 9 Districts.

Nov. Session, 1805. 9 Districts.

- Dec. Session, 1826. 9 Districts but 3rd and 4th elect 2 Electors.
- Dec. Session, 1833. To be elected by whole State and not by Districts.

#### Examiner General.

Oct. Session, 1777. Fees.

Nov. Session, 1781. App. by Gov., etc.

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Dec. Session, 1842. Duties of Eastern Shore Examiner turned over to him.

July 4, 1851. New Constitution, abolished, duties go to Commissioner of Land Office.

Examiner of Land Office Eastern Shore.

- Nov. Session, 1795. App. by Gov., etc., must reside at Easton.
- Dec. Session, 1825. Salary reduced.
- Dec. Session, 1842. Abolished, duties turned over to Western Shore Examiner.

# Examiner of Public Accountants.

Jan. Session, 1900. Gov. app. 2 who are Public Accountants from list of 6 given him by Md. Association of Public Accountants and app. 2 who are practicing Attorneys, 2 yr. term and 1 each appointed annually, they examine and recommend to the Gov., they may waive exam. of any one now practicing who applys within a year.

# Female House of Refuge.

Jan. Session, 1880. Md. Industrial School for Girls changed to this name.

Fish Commissioners.

- Jan. Session, 1870. 2 Coms. app. by Gov., 2 yr. term, examine Fisheries, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1874. Gov. app. 2, 1 from each Shore, Act with the U. S. Govt., report annually to Governor.

#### Forestry Commission.

Jan. Session, 1882. Gov. and 5 Commissioners, to examine and to report to next Assembly what legislation is necessary to protect the forest of Md.

# Frederick County Court.

June Session, 1777. To send list of taxables, fines, insolvents, etc. of parts of Co. now Washington and Montgomery Cos. and send to Sheriffs of these Counties.

#### Gaugers and Inspectors of Liquors.

Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-62. Gov. app. 4 biennially. General Court.

- Jan. 1, 1777. 3 Judges appointed by Governor, hold good behaviour, sit on both Shores, appoint Clerk on each Shore, Supplants old Provincial Court which is abolished.
- Feb. Session, 1777. Terms Oct. and May at Annapolis, Sept. and Apr. at Talbot Co. Court House until town laid out at Dover then at Dover, 7 Jurors from each County.

Oct. Session, 1777. To appoint Clerks of Gen. Court.

Nov. Session, 1790. Limits its Criminal Jurisdiction.

Nov. Session, 1802. Act to abolish, to be confirmed by next Assembly [not confirmed].

Nov. Session, 1804. Act to Abolish, to be confirmed by next Assembly.

Nov. Session, 1805. Act to abolish, confirmed.

General Measurers of Oysters.

- Jan. Session, 1884. App. by Gov., 5 for Balto. City and 1 for each of the other ports of the State.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Gov. app. 5 for Balto. City and 1 for every other port of the Chesapeake. 2 yr. term.
- Jan. Session, 1898. Gov. app. 10, Commander of State Fishery and divide into 10 Inspection Districts, 5 in Balto. City and assign the 10 to the Inspection Districts.

General Measurers and Inspectors of Oysters.

Jan. Session, 1900. App. 5 Balto. City, 2 Annapolis, 2 Oxford, 3 Cambridge, 1 St. Michaels, 1 Crisfield, 1 Nanticoke, 1 Tilghman's Island.

General Supervisor of Roads, Allegany County.

Jan. Session, 1880. Appointed by Co. Coms., 2 yr. term, appoints Road Supervisors.

Gettysburg Battle Field Commission.

Jan. Session, 1890. The Commissioners appointed under the Act of 1888 are to mark the position of Purnell's Legion in addition to the others before named to be marked by them, report to Gov.

Governor.

- Jan. I, 1777. Chosen by Joint Ballot of both Houses of Assembly annually, presides in Council, heads militia, etc., and appoint all Judges, military officers, civil officers with exceptions, Surveyors, etc.
- Feb. Session, 1777. Powers of Gov. and Council enlarged, Military and Naval, if Gov. absent Council can act.
- Feb. Session, 1777. Can appoint persons to quarter soldiers, if not then a J. P. can do so act.
- Feb. Session, 1777. May have Treason, Insurrection, etc. tried in any County of same Shore.
- Feb. Session, 1777. In time of Invasion may suspend Habers Corpus and arrest any persons, with advice of Council.
- Oct. Session, 1777. Gov. and Council to make list of those not taking oath of Fidelity by May 1, 1778, and they to pay treble tax (exceptions named).

Oct. Session, 1780. Gov. and Council to arrest disaffected, etc., give list to next Assembly.

Oct. Session, 1780. Buy vessels, etc., for defense of Bay. Nov. Session, 1781. May remit forfeits and fines, Courts Martial, Treasurer, etc.

Nov. Session, 1783. To license theatrical entertainments (except powers of Balto, Town Coms.) and all plays to be approved by him or else prohibited, to end next session [Seems not revived].

Nov. Session. 1784. To have Orphans Courts powers as to disabled, etc., *Commissioned Officers*.

- Nov. Session, 1785. Gov. and Council to give  $\frac{1}{2}$  pay to widows of officers, etc.
- Nov. Session, 1786. Gov. and Conneil to summon witnesses in election cases, etc.
- Nov. Session, 1786. Power of Gov. and Council to approve or reject Auditors accts. abolished.
- Nov. Session, 1787. Can grant conditional pardons.
- Nov. Session, 1788. Gov. and Council can compound with discoverers of British Property, can suspend executions against Tax Collectors, can appoint person or persons to buy for State when execution against State debtor, also to sell for State.
- Nov. Session, 1789. Gov. and Council a Board to inquire into debts due to and owing by State, may sell remaining confiscated British Property, remainder of Act same as Act 1788.
- Nov. Session, 1791. Gov. and Council to examine Md. Line, muster rolls, etc. and to make list of those not yet paid depreciation, to go into State claim against U. S.
- Nov. Session, 1793. Can compel quarantine, appoint 1 or more M. D.'s to examine vessels entering Baltimore, 2 Acts.
- Nov. Session, 1793. Gov. and Conneil app. persons in each Co. to obtain list of all subject to militia service between 18 and 45 yrs. of age, list to go to Tax Commissioners by April 10, 1794.
- Nov. Session, 1795. Issues warants to sheriffs for executions of criminals, may commute or banish or if slave sell abroad.
- Nov. Session, 1798. Gov. and Council to name Captain, Lieutenant and Ensign for a select company in each regiment of miltia.
- Nov. Session, 1801. To sue State debtors, app. Attorneys for the purpose, etc.

- Nov. Session, 1801. Gov. and Council to report to next Assembly as to Bank of England Stock, U. S. Minister in London to get it and pay State's Agent for Bank stock 4 per cent.
- June Session, 1812. Gov. and Council can arm militia in certain cases, report all State arms to next Assembly, to arm Md's, quota of U. S. troops (6,000) and inform President of the loan [3 Resolutions].
- Nov. Session, 1812. Gov. and Council to clothe Md's. U. S. troops now at Annapolis, to print all testimony before Committee on Grievances, etc. concerning late mobs and riots in Balto. City, to inquire into expense of method of Shaw for ascertaining variation of needle, etc. and report to next Assembly [3 Resolutions].
- May Session, 1813. To remove records from Annapolis if think necessary, to send to Washington to inquire as to defense, given money to purchase arms, etc., to fix boundaries of 1st and 3rd Divisions of Militia and have recorded in Adjutant General's office [4 Resolutions].
- Dec. Session, 1813. To have Acts and Resolutions since 1799 indexed, printed, etc., to have power to stay execution in debts due State, to adjust claims of supernumerary officers called out by U. S. requisition but discharged by U. S. Inspecting Officer [3 Resolutions].
- Dec. Session, 1814. Same as Dec., 1813, practically.
- Dec. Session, 1815. Gov. and Council to settle militia claims instead of accountants of militia.
- Dec. Session, 1815. Resolutions June. 1812, and May, 1813, etc. for purchase arms, etc. are rescinded.
- Dec. Session, 1817. Gov. to name all officers and Council only to approve but not to name.
- Dec. Session, 1818. Confirmed Act 1817.
- Dec. Session, 1825. To be elected by people, 3 yr. term. 1st from one Shore then from other, must be confirmed by next Assembly [failed to be confirmed].
- Dec. Session, 1827. To send all deaf and dumb whites to a Pa. Institution.
- Dec. Session, 1836. To be taken alternately from 3 divisions of State, must be confirmed, apps. officers with consent of Senate to serve 1 term.
- Dec. Session, 1837. Confirms Act 1836.
- Dec. Session, 1837. Spend \$1,000 annually for instruction of Indigent Blind.
- Dec. Session, 1840. Can appoint a Judge in recess of Assembly and if a Senator die to call an election to fill vacancy, to be confirmed.

Dec. Session, 1841. Confirms Act 1840.

Dec. Session, 1841. To have 4 yr. term, to be confirmed. Dec. Session, 1845. Reduce salary.

Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. Gov. to fill all vacancies not otherwise specified, app. Keeper of Public Buildings, Asst. Keeper, Keeper of Steam House, Watchman, 2 Acts.

Jan. Session, 1864. To offer bounties to militia.

- Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, much same as 1851, 4 yr. term, if tie or ineligible then both Houses elect by viva voce.
- Jan. Session, 1865. App. 3 Registers of voters in each Election District and in each ward Balto. City and for those in U. S. Naval or Military service, lists to Clks. Circuit Court and to Clk. Superior Court.
- Jan. Session, 1866. State divided into Assessment Districts and Gov, app. 3 Assessors in each and also 3 as Board of Control and Review in each, etc.
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 4 yr. term, State divided into 3 parts and Governor to alternate from each, powers much same as before, call extra sessions *or Senate alone*, examine accounts of Treasurer and Comptroller, can employ counsel, grant pardons but must advertise in newspapers day for hearing and must report to Legislature the petitions and his reasons for granting pardons, etc.
- June Session, 1853. Affix Great Seal to patents and to copies of Laws.
- Jan. Session, 1854. Give duplicate discharges to Volunteers of Mexican War.
- Jan. Session, 1854. Get a new Great Seal to be used on and after May 1, 1854.
- Jan. Session, 1860. To buy arms for the State together with the Adjutant General.
- Jan. Session, 1867. Present Registers of voters to hold for 2 yrs. from date of appointment and then Gov. app. 1 Register for each Election District and each ward in Balto, City and 3 for Md. Soldiers in service of U. S.
- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, much same as 1864, 4 yrs. term, etc., but if vacancy the Legislature fills and President of Senate acts until then, veto and three-fifths of each House passes over veto, to reside at seat of government, examine books, etc. of Treasurer and Comptroller, pardon, etc. but change is that he gives reasons to Legislature when required.

- Jan. Session, 1868. App. at every Legislature I Register for each Election District and each ward in Balto, City, list goes to Clerk Circuit Court.
- Ian, Session, 1868. To be a Commissioner of State Ovster Police.
- Jan. Session, 1870. Act for Registers, about same as Act 1868 which see above.
- Jan. Session, 1870. May remit part of sentence to Penitentiary, may commute death sentence to banishment or imprisonment.
- Jan. Session, 1870. May app. 2 persons to examine condition of State cattle scales and report to him with recommendations and he reports to Assembly [Resolution].
- Jan. Session, 1874. To app. Counsel for arbitrators of Md. and Va. Boundary.
- Jan. Session, 1874. App. 3 Assessors in each Assessment District, makes returns to Comptroller and in Balto. City to Appeal Tax Court.
- Jan. Session, 1874. To have new Great Seal as in Bacon's Laws.
- Jan. Session, 1874. To sell certain military property. Jan. Session, 1876. To request President of U. S. to app. 3 from U. S. Army Engineers to survey harbors, make maps, etc. and report to Gov.
- Jan. Session, 1876. Great Seal to follow not as directed in last Session but to follow Seal of 1648.
- Ian, Session, 1880. App. Register in each Aldermanic District. Frederick City.
- Jan. Session, 1882. App. Register in each Election District in State and 20 in each Legislative District in Balto. City.
- Jan. Session, 1884. To designate a day in every April as Arbor Day.
- Jan. Session, 1800. App. from Justices of Peace, Balto. City, a Police Justice for each Station house and an additional one under the direction of State's Attorney and Police Commissioners.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Comptroller and State Treasurer to count State Bonds, etc. 4 times yearly in presence of Governor.
- Jan, Session, 1892. To have \$21,000 for blind persons recommended to him by Co. Coms. or by Orphans Courts.
- Jan. Session, 1892. App. a Police Justice for each Station House.
- Jan. Session, 1892. App. a Police Justice District 2, Frederick County.

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- Jan. Session, 1892. App. Register in each Aldermanic District in Frederick City for 3 yr. term and in each Registration District in Hagerstown for 2 yr. term [2 Acts].
- Jan. Session, 1894. App. Police Justice at each Station House Balto. City and 1 at large, they are under direction of State's Attorney of Balto. City and Police Commissioners Balto City.
- Jan. Session, 1894. App. 3 Registers for each precinct in Brunswick and 1 in each Aldermanic District, Frederick City [2 Acts].
- Jan. Session, 1894. App. Police Justice District 5, Anne Arundel County.
- Jan. Session, 1896. App. Assessor in each precinct Balto. City of each party, new Assessment Act, put in groups of 3 by Appeal Tax Court.
- Jan. Session, 1896. App. Register in Brunswick, 2 yr. term and Register in Ellicott City, 2 yr. term [2 Acts].
- Jan. Session, 1896. App. a Register in each Registration District of Hagerstown, 2 yr. term.
- Jan. Session, 1898. App. Police Justice for Brunswick, 2 yr.
- Jan. Session, 1898. App. Register for Brunswick, term 2 yr.
- Jan. Session, 1900. App. Police Justices at Canton, St. Dennis and Mt. Winans in Balto. County, term 2 yrs.
- Jan. Session, 1900. App. Police Justice for Easton.
- Jan. Session, 1900. App. Police Justice for Hagerstown.
- Jan. Session, 1902. App. Police Justice for Chestertown.
- Jan. Session, 1902. App. person or persons to compile population Co. and City between 5 and 20 yrs. of age, also number of colored.
- Jan. Session, 1904. App. Police Justices for Canton, Mt. Winans and St. Dennis, can change and app. others.
- Jan. Session, 1904. App. Police Justices for 1st Election District Kent County and for 4th Election District Kent County (Chestertown).
- Jan. Session, 1904. Can remit all or any part of a forfeited recognizance provided the Judge or Justice of the Peace recommends such remission.

Grain Inspectors, Baltimore City.

Jan. Session, 1858. Gov. app. a General Inspector and 4 Assistants.

Jan. Session, 1866. Repeals Act 1858.

#### Grain Weighers, Baltimore City.

- Jan. Session, 1872. Weigher General and 5 Assistants app. by Gov. 2 yr. term.
  - Guano Inspector.
- Dec. Session, 1846. App. by Gov. May 1 annually, to be a practical Chemist.
- Jan. Session, 1854. To analize, publish tables and keep records of guano. (Sup. Act.)
- Jan. Session, 1868. App. by Superintendent of Labor and Agriculture, 2 yr. term, must be a Chemist, office in Balto. City.

#### Harbor Master, Cambridge.

Jan. Session, 1882. App. by Co. Coms., may or may not keep the draw.

# Harbor and River Relief Board of Baltimore City.

Jan. Session, 1888. After April 1, 1888, to consist of Mayor of Balto. City, President of Board of Trade of Balto. City and President of the Corn and Flour Exchange of Balto. City [created 1857].

# Highways Commission, Baltimore County.

Jan. Session, 1904. Co. Coms. constitute this Commission and their President is President of this Commission and their Chief Clerk and Auditor is Secretary of this Commission, meet every Thursday, keep a journal and keep books for each Election District, compile annual statistics about Co. roads and print them in Co. newspapers, pass all road claims, app. Road Supervisor each Election District, who reports monthly to Roads Engineer and annually to them, personally inspect all roads, 4 public meetings annually in different parts of the County, have Co. Surveyor prepare an official road map of the County bridges, \$500 and over to be done by contract, Roads Engineer reports to them annually.

# House of Delegates.

- Jan. 1, 1777. Elected annually, 4 each Co. and 2 from Annapolis, 2 from Baltimore Town, originate all money bills, chose Speaker.
- Dec. Session, 1835. Balto. City to elect 4, to be confirmed. Dec. Session, 1836. Confirms Act 1835.
- Dec. Session, 1836. 5 for Balto. City and 2 Cos., 4 for 9 Cos., 3 for others and 1 for Annapolis until 1840. Cos. under 15,000, 3, under 25,000, 4, under 35,000, 5, over 35,000, 6 and Balto. City if over 35,000, 6.
- Dec. Session, 1837. Confirms Act 1836.

Dec. Session, 1841. 2 yr. terms, to be confirmed.

- Dec. Session, 1845. Meet every other year, to be confirmed. Dec. Session, 1846. Confirms Act 1845.
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, not less than 65 or more than 80 members, 2 to 6 from Counties according to population and 10 from Balto. City, 2 yr. term.
- Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, I to 6 from Counties according to population, I for 5,000 or over  $\frac{1}{2}$  of 5,000 to 5 for County or Legislative District, Balto. City, then I for 20,000 or over  $\frac{1}{2}$  20,000 then I for 80,000 or over  $\frac{1}{2}$  80,000, 2 vr. term, powers much same as before.
- October 5, 1867. New Constitution, 2 to 6 from Counties according to population, 18,000 or less 2, 28,000 or less 3, 40,000 or less 4, 55,000 or less 5, over 55,000 6, each Legislative District Balto. City 6, 2 yr. term, etc.

#### Immigration Agent.

- Jan. Session, 1867. Report to Gov.
- Oct. 5, 1867. Duties, etc. taken by Superintendent of Labor and Agriculture, New Constitution.

#### Indexer and Cataloguer, State Library.

Jan. Session, 1900. App. by Gov. with consent of Library Committee, term 2 yrs.

#### Inspector General.

- Jan. Šession, 1868. Militia Act.
- Jan. Session, 1870. Militia Act.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Militia Act mentions.

#### Inspector of Buildings, 12th District of Baltimore County.

Jan. Session, 1904. The Assessor of new and missed property in the 12th District, Balto. County is constituted Inspector of Buildings of this District, large powers.

Inspectors of Plumbing, Allegany County.

Jan. Session, 1004. App. by Town Board of Health with approval of Mayors of every town, one for every town. Inspector of Steam Engines and Boilers, Baltimore City.

Jan. Session, 1872. App. by Gov., 2 yr. term.

Inspectors of Bureau of Statistics and Information.

Jan. Session, 1902. 2 app. by Chief of the Bureau, to inspect tenements, mills, etc., sweat shop work, etc. Insurance Commissioner.

Jan. Session, 1872. App. by Comptroller and holds during his term, inspects all insurance companies, etc., has Seal, etc.

- Jan. Session, 1874. Insurance Companies to hand statements to him by Jan. 1, annually.Jan. Session, 1876. Insurance Companies annually report
- Jan. Session, 1876. Insurance Companies annually report to him and make deposit with him, he issues licenses, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1878. App. by Gov., Treasurer and Comptroller, term 4 yrs.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Insurance Companies cannot do business without license from him.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Can employ Counsel.
- Jan. Session, 1894. App. a person to visit the principal office of every Insurance Company in the State and examine, etc. at least once during his term of office.
- Jan. Session, 1894. All Fraternal and Beneficial Societies, Orders and Associations to file charter and report with him, he acts as Attorney for non-residents.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Insurance brokers must get licenses from him (Act 1894). Sheriffs to send him annually a list of them.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Look after Employers and Employees Cooperative Insurance funds especially, report to Gov.
- Jan. Session, 1902. All Md. Insurance Companies for plate glass, guarantors, public liability, employers, burglars, credits, health, etc. to get license form him but life, fire and marine Insurance Companies are excepted.
- Jan. Session, 1902. See all insurance laws executed, keep record of charters, furnish companies with blanks for Annual Statements, accept Valuations made by Insurance Commissioners of other States.

# Intendant of the Revenues and all Public Money.

- Nov. Session, 1787. Stay at Annapolis, name an assistant, countersign Auditor's acc'ts, if die Gov. may appoint to vacancy, term 1 year beginning Feb. 1, 1782.
- Nov. Session, 1782. Term 1 year beginning Feb. 1, 1783. Apr. Session, 1783. To lay acct's before Assembly and have printed.
- Nov. Session, 1783. To continue another year.
- Nov. Session, 1784. To continue another year, report to Assembly.
- Nov. Session, 1784. To call for any property he thinks is English and if not delivered to direct Attorney General to sue in Chancery.
- Nov. Session, 1786. Late Intendant to have land sold surveyed, Chancellor settle all disputes.

Jail Supervisors, Dorchester County.

Jan. Session, 1884. 5 app. by Co. Coms. at Cambridge, 2 yr. term. 8 Jan. Session, 1890. President of Co. Coms., State's Attorney and County Treasurer to act as Jail Supervisors without pay, make convicts for hard labor work on roads, etc. Jamestown Exposition Commission

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Jan. Session, 1904. 13 Commissioners app. by Gov., to make suggestions to next Assembly.

Judge Advocate.

- Jan. Session, 1864. Militia Act.
- Jan. Sesssion, 1867. Militia Act.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Militia Act.
- Jan. Session, 1870. Militia Act.
  - Judge Advocate General.

Jan. Session, 1892. Militia Act mentions. Judges.

Jan. Session, 1904. Pension Act.

#### Judge of Land Office of Eastern Shore.

- Nov. Session, 1795. App. by Gov., etc., must know law and reside at Easton, appeals from him to Chancellor, 2 Acts.
- Dec. Session, 1841. Abolished. His duties to go to Chancellor.

# Jury Commission, Prince George's County.

Jan. Session, 1904. Gov. app. 2 Coms., term 2 yrs., must not be lawyers, before the commencement of each term of Court they select a Jury Panel of 200 persons who must all be tax payers and able to read and write and Judge selects Jurors from this list of 200 names.

#### Justices of the Peace.

- Jan. 1, 1777. App. by Gov., etc.
- Feb. Session, 1777. Can quarter soldiers if no one appointed by Gov. to so act.
- June Session, 1777. One J. P. to have cases to £3 sterling £5 common or 800 Tob. and appeal to Co. Court if £0.25.0 sterling £0.41.8 common or 336 Tob.
- Oct. Session. 1777. To swear every male over 18 yrs. age to oath of Fidelity by March 1, 1778, send to Co. Court and copy to Gov. and Council.
- Nov. Session, 1781. Jurisdiction in fornication, appeal to Co. Court.
- Nov. Session, 1785. Jurisdiction in fornication Sup. Act, repeals old Acts 1715 and '49, Bond and to be recorded by Co. Court Clerk.
- Apr. Session, 1787. Jurisdiction of one J. P. increased (£10 or 1,000 Tob.).

Nov. Session, 1809. Jurisdiction \$50. Appeal to Co. Court, must keep Docket or P'lt loses but recover from J. P. Co. Court no Jurisdiction \$50 or under.

Dec. Session, 1818. 1 or 2 in each ward Balto City.

- Dec. Session, 1821. 36 in Balto. City to be named by Gov.
- Dec. Session, 1824. Jurisdiction in Baltimore City raised
- to \$100.
- Dec. Session, 1829. Appeals must be taken in 60 days.
- Dec. Session, 1845. Must keep index of their Dockets.
- Dec. Session, 1849. Increases powers, attachment to \$50, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1852. Jurisdiction \$100, but \$50 to \$100 is concurrent with Co. Courts.
- Jan. Session, 1854. One J. P. can take acknowledgement of deeds and 2 not necessary, in effect April 1, 1855.
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, number in each Election District fixed by Legislature and elected by such District for 2 yr. term, appeals go to Co. Courts or to Court of Common Pleas in Balto. City, Gov. fills vacancies.
- Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, app. by Gov. by Election Districts and wards of Balto. City, can be removed by Criminal Judge, 2 yr. term.
- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, same as 1864 except not removed until convicted in a court of Law.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Given concurrent jurisdiction with Circuit Courts for Assault and Battery, Petit Larceny, Assault without felonious intent, misdemeanors not punishable by penitentiary sentences, but prisoner can ask Jury trial, not to apply to Baltimore City.
- Jan. Session, 1892. To have all Assault and Battery cases except in Balto. City and in Frederick, Harford, Queen Anne's and Talbot Counties.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Increased Jurisdiction except in Balto. City and in Frederick, Harford, Queen Anne's, Montgomery and Talbot Counties.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Jurisdiction \$100.

# Justices of the Peace, Allegany County.

- Dec. Session, 1839. Jurisdiction raised to \$100.
- Jan. Session, 1880. Enlarges Jurisdiction.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Security for costs must be furnished by non-residents.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Sue in Deft's District.

# Justices of the Peace, Anne Arundel County.

- Jan. Session, 1870. Enlarges Jurisdiction, \$100 Assault and Battery.
- Jan. Session, 1880. Enlarges Jurisdiction.

# Justices of the Peace for Baltimore County residing in Baltimore City.

Dec. Session, 1825. 4 app. by Gov., to act for both places except recovery small debts, etc.

Dec. Session, 1834. Gov. can appoint any number of such Justices.

Dec. Session, 1842. Act 1834 repealed. Gov. to app. 7, 2 Acts.

#### Justices of the Peace, Baltimore City.

Dec. Session, 1847. Gov. to app. only 40, 2 Acts.

Jan. Session, 1854. Each J. P. to keep place of business in ward where chosen.

April Session, 1861. One J. P. have powers of 2 J. P.s and a Jury in cases of Landlord and Tenant.

Jan. Session, 1890. Jurisdiction defined.

Jan. Session, 1894. Case can be removed to Deft's ward. Jan. Session, 1898. Civil Jurisdiction \$200.

#### Justices of the Peace, Baltimore County.

- Jan. Session, 1876. Gov. app. 6 at large, 6 in District 3, 7 in District 1, 7 in District 2, and select 1 for each Station House.
- Jan. Session, 1882. Gov. selects Station House Justices, try tramps, drunks, vagabonds, paupers, disturbers of public peace, pedlars, license cases, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Criminal Jurisdiction defined, much same as General Act of this Session, no jurisdiction in liquor cases.

Justices of Peace, Calvert County.

Jan. Session, 1870. Enlarges Jurisdiction, \$100 Assault and Battery.

Jan. Session, 1880. Enlarges Jurisdiction.

Justices of the Peace, Caroline County.

March Session, 1841. To have concurrent jurisdiction with Co. Court of cases between \$50 and \$100.

Jan. Session, 1870. Enlarges Jurisdiction, \$100 Assault and Battery.

Jan. Session, 1880. Enlarges Jurisdiction.

Jan. Session, 1886. Sue in Deft's District.

Justices of the Peace, Carroll County.

Dec. Session, 1845. Concurrent Jurisdiction with Co. Court \$50 to \$100.

Jan. Session, 1870. Enlarges Jurisdiction, \$100 Assault and Battery.

Jan. Session, 1878. Suit must be in Deft's District.

Justices of Peace, Charles County.

- Jan. Session, 1870. Enlarges Jurisdiction, \$100 Assault and Battery.
- Jan. Session, 1880. Enlarges Jurisdiction.
- Justices of the Peace, Cecil County.
- Dec. Session, 1839. Jurisdiction raised to \$100.
- Dec. Session, 1840. Gov. to app. 24 J. P.s. Dec. Session, 1844. Gov. to app. 28 J. P.s. March 1, 1845.
- Dec. Session, 1849. Limits.
- Justices of the Peace, Dorchester County.
- Dec. Session, 1841. Jurisdiction raised to \$100.
- Ian. Session, 1870. Enlarges jurisdiction, \$100 Assault and Battery.
- Jan. Session, 1878. Def't can move case to another District. Jan. Session, 1880. Enlarges jurisdiction.
- Justices of the Peace, Frederick County.
- Jan. Session, 1880. Enlarges jurisdiction.

Justices of the Peace, Garrett County.

- Jan. Session, 1880. Can sue only in Deft's District.
- Ian. Session, 1880. Enlarges jurisdiction.
- Jan. Session, 1886. Sue in Deft's District.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Sue in Deft's District unless only one I. P. in the District then may be in adjoining District.
  - Justices of Peace, Harford County.
- Jan. Session, 1870. Enlarges jurisdiction, \$100 Assault and Battery.
- Jan. Session, 1880. Enlarges jurisdiction.
  - Justices of the Peace, Howard District, Anne Arundel County.
- Dec. Session, 1839. Same powers, etc., as those in A. A. Co.

Dec. Session, 1845. Jurisdiction raised to \$100.

Justices of the Peace, Howard County.

Jan. Session, 1880. Enlarges jurisdiction.

Justices of the Peace, Kent County.

- Dec. Session, 1841. Concurrent jurisdiction with Co. Court between \$50 and \$100.
- Jan. Session, 1870. Enlarges jurisdiction, \$100 Assault and Battery.
- Jan. Session, 1880. Enlarges jurisdiction.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Sue in Deft's District.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Act 1896 repealed.

# Justices of the Peace, Montgomery County.

Jan. Session, 1880. Enlarges jurisdiction.

#### Justices of Peace, Prince George's County.

Jan. Session, 1870. Enlarges jurisdiction, \$100 Assault and Battery.

Jan. Session, 1872. Judgements are lien on real and leasehold property. Clerk of Court to keep separate record book for them.

Jan. Session, 1880. Enlarges jurisdiction.

Justices of Peace, Queen Anne's County.

Jan. Session, 1870. Enlarges jurisdiction, \$100 Assault and Battery.

#### Justices of the Peace, St. Mary's County.

Dec. Session, 1841. Jurisdiction raised to \$100.

Jan. Session, 1880. Enlarges jurisdiction.

Jan. Session, 1902. Sue in Deft's District.

Justices of the Peace, Somerset County.

Dec. Session, 1846. Jurisdiction raised to \$100.

Jan. Session, 1856. Any one J. P. can bind out apprentices.

Jan. Session, 1880. Enlarges jurisdiction.

Justices of the Peace, Talbot County.

Jan. Session, 1886. Sue in Deft's District.

Jan. Session, 1890. Enlarges Criminal jurisdiction.

Jan. Session, 1892. Repeals Act 1890.

Justices of the Peace, Washington County.

March Session, 1841. To have concurrent jurisdiction with Co. Court of cases between \$50 and \$100.

Jan. Session, 1880. Enlarges jurisdiction.

Justices of Peace, Wicomico County.

Jan. Session, 1870. Enlarges jurisdiction, \$100 Assault and Battery.

Jan. Session, 1880. Enlarges jurisdiction.

Jan. Session, 1890. Jurisdiction defined, much same as general Act of this Session.

Justices of Peace, Worcester County.

Jan. Session, 1870. Enlarges jurisdiction, \$100 Assault and Battery.

#### Justice of the Peace Commission.

Jan. Session, 1902. Gov. app. 3 recommended by the Bar Association of Balto. City to inquire into laws governing Justices of the Peace, etc., and recommend changes to Assembly.

Keeper of Records of Court of Chancery.

Jan. Session, 1856. App. by Legislature, 2 yr. term, report to Legislature. Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. Abolished, goes to Commissioner of Land Office.

Keepers of Standards of Weights and Measures.

- Dec. Session, 1825. App. by Levy Courts, brands all measures, etc., not to apply to Balto. City if an ordinance is passed there similar to this Act in effect.
- Dec. Session, 1837. Hard and Soft Coal put under their inspection as to weights.

#### Keeper of Weights and Measures, Baltimore County.

Jan. Session, 1890. To keep a record book of all he has done with names and address of persons whose weights, etc., he has inspected with fees, etc., to hand this record book to Co. Coms. annually.

#### Levy Courts.

- Nov. Session, 1794. Definitely established now though actually since Act Nov. 1790, make levy, appoint Collectors, Constables, road overseers, etc., Co. Clerk to keep account.
- Nov. Session, 1795. Can name or discontinue Tob. Warehouses, etc.
- Nov. Session, 1798. Gov. and Council to name 7 of the Co. J. P.s in each County as 'The Justices of the Levy Court' except in Baltimore County where 11 named, 4 of them to be residents of Baltimore City and 7 of Baltimore County.
- Nov. Session, 1801. Recommend Tob. Inspectors to Gov. who names from these names, fix Tob. Warehouses and discontinue, not to apply to Kent, Cecil. Harford, Caroline, Washington, Frederick, Montgomery and Allegany Counties.
- Nov. Session, 1804. Levy Courts are made Corporations, all County property yests in them, sue and be sued, etc.
- Nov. Session, 1805. To name 3 Election Judges for each Election District.
- Nov. Session, 1807. May rectify assessor's errors and repay such money paid in error.
- Dec. Session, 1821. To raise certain Revenues for State Gov't and pay to State Treasurer.
- Dec. Session, 1822. To raise certain Revenues for State Gov't and pay to State Treasurers, same as Act 1821.

Dec. Session, 1823. Same as Act 1822.

- Dec. Session, 1823. Open Public Landings after Court Commission has acted.
- Dec. Session, 1824. To appoint Constables for Election Districts as Hundreds not known.

Dec. Session, 1824. Revenue, etc., same as Act 1822.

Dec. Session, 1825. Revenue, etc., same as Act 1822.

Dec. Session, 1827. Return of all deaf and dumb Whites to Gov.

Dec. Session, 1835. Can grant out pensions, not to apply to Caroline, Dorchester, Prince George's, Queen Anne's, St. Mary's, Somerset and Worcester Cos.

Dec. Session, 1839. To act on petitions for private roads.

March Session, 1841. . To act as Appeal Tax Court, assessment Act this session.

- Dec. Session, 1846. Look up and care for indigent blind whites.
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, Abolished, all duties, etc., go to County Commissioners.

#### Levy Court, Allegany County.

Nov. Session, 1801. Road powers.

Nov. Session, 1804. Road powers enlarged.

Nov. Session, 1807. Road powers enlarged.

Nov. Session, 1808. Road powers enlarged.

Dec. Session, 1816. Road powers.

Dec. Session, 1816. To be paid share of free School fund.

Dec. Session, 1823. 9 members, app. by Gov., 2 from 6th District and 1 from each of other Districts.

Dec. Session, 1829. Shut up certain Sts. in Cumberland.

Dec. Session, 1829. Abolished, County Commissioners take powers, books, etc.

Levy Court, Anne Arundel County.

- Dec. Session, 1816. To appoint 7 Trustees for education of poor children in each Election District, each takes 1-7 and reports number of poor children over 8 yrs. old, Treasurers app. by Court also, 3 yrs. education at public expense.
- Dec. Session, 1818. Repeals Act 1816, education of poor children.

Dec. Session, 1821. App. 5 Trustees of Poor.

- Dec. Session, 1827. Each District and Annapolis to have one member.
- Dec. Session, 1828. Abolished, powers, books, etc., to County Commissioners.

Levy Court, Baltimore County.

- Nov. Session, 1801. App. Supervisor of Turnpikes, also toll gates and collectors, take books, etc., of Coms. of Review of Turnpike who now go out of office.
- Nov. Session, 1801. App. Visitors to Balto. Co. Gaol, 4 from Co., 4 from City, annually.
- Dec. Session, 1813. To levy \$1,200 for Coms. of Precincts of Baltimore for Street repairs, etc.

Dec. Session, 1816. To fix new almshouse.

- Dec. Session, 1817. 5 Trustees app. annually by Gov. and Council, report to Levy Court.
- Dec. Session, 1817. App. Collector for each Election District and as many in Baltimore City as think necessary.
- Dec. Session, 1818. App. County Treasurer.
- Dec. Session, 1818. App. a manager of the Poor in each Election District and Mayor and City Council name one for each Ward Balto. City.
- Dec. Session, 1821. Road powers of 1794.
- Dec. Session, 1823. App. Annually 7 Collectors of County tax.
- Dec. Session, 1825. Roads, method of opening, petition, appointment of Commissioners, etc., Clerk to record all changes of roads in a book.
- Dec. Session, 1826. App. from time to time a Treasurer for County.
- Dec. Session, 1826. Abolished and powers go to County Commissioners.
  - Levy Court, Calvert County.
- Nov. Session, 1801. Road powers, app. not more than 5 overseers to a Hundred, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1829. Road powers, open and alter roads, appeal to Co. Court.
- Dec. Session, 1830. Abolished, Powers, etc., to County Commissioners.
- Dec. Session, 1838. Re-established, takes powers of County Commissioners, each of 3 Districts elect 1 annually for 2 yr. term so 6 members, 6 named to hold until election held.
- Dec. Session, 1840. Road powers, annual appoint Supervisor for every 100 miles, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1844. Road powers, to have those of Co. Coms. under Act 1832, which is hereby revived.
- Dec. Session, 1845. To raise money for Primary Schools, the State Treasurer taking this County's share of School fund to pay State taxes due.
- Dec. Session, 1845. Road powers, to app. I Road Supervisor for each Hundred annually, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1847. 3 members elected every 2 yrs.
- Dec. Session, 1849. Increased to 6 members.
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, abolished, powers, etc., go to County Commissioners.

# Levy Court, Caroline County.

Nov. Session, 1796. To fill vacancies Trustees of the Poor. Nov. Session, 1798. As to roads, name overseers annually, etc., same as Talbot Co. Act 1797. Nov. Session, 1801. To name 5 new Trustees of Poor and 2 annually.

Nov. Session, 1801. Road powers, not more than 5 overseers to a Hundred, etc.

Nov. Session, 1808. To take all powers of Trustees of Poor who are abolished in this County.

Dec. Session, 1813. Road Powers, all roads to be recorded and to be divided into 25 districts and to be given out by contract.

Dec. Session, 1814. Same practically as Dec. 1813.

Dec. Session, 1816. Road powers, to appoint Road Supervisors, etc. [former method].

Dec. Session, 1822. Road powers, small changes, keep up small bridges, etc.

Dec. Session, 1827. Sell part of public land at Denton.

Dec. Session, 1829. Road powers, open and alter roads, etc., appeal to Co. Court.

Dec. Session, 1838. Take powers of Tax Commission.

Dec. Session, 1839. 5 members elected 3 yr. term.

Dec. Session, 1849. App. 5 Trustees of Poor for 7 yr. term.

July 4, 1851. New Constitution, abolished, powers, etc., go to County Commissioners.

# Levy Court, Cecil County.

Nov. Session, 1796. 2 members to constitute a Court.

- Nov. Session, 1797. Can divide Co. into 5 Districts and appoint Collector in each.
- Dec. Session, 1815. To sell almshouse and buy land and erect a new almshouse.
- Dec. Session, 1816. To appoint 7 Trustees for education of poor children in each Election District, each takes 1-7 and reports number of poor children over 8 yrs. old, Treasurers app. by Court also, 3 yrs. education at public expense.

Dec. Session, 1821. Road powers of Act 1794.

Dec. Session, 1827. Abolished, Powers and books to County Commissioners.

#### Levy Court, Charles County.

Nov. Session, 1801. Road powers, app. not more than 5 overseers to a Hundred, etc.

- Nov. Session, 1807. To have Co. Clerk transcribe old land records in bad condition.
- Dec. Session, 1820. Road powers, app. overseers, etc., and can contract, have bridges up to 15 feet.

Dec. Session, 1821. Road powers of Act 1801.

Dec. Session, 1829. Road powers, open and alter roads, etc., appeal to Co. Court.

Dec. Session, 1830. Takes powers, etc., Tax Commission, app. Clerk, etc.

Dec. Session, 1836. To revalue County, under Act 1812.

- Dec. Session, 1836. To app. 3 School Coms. in each Election District who divide into School Districts, report to Register of Wills.
- Dec. Session, 1839. Abolished, Powers go to County Commissioners.

Levy Court, Dorchester County.

- Nov. Session, 1801. Road powers, app. not more than 5 overseers to a Hundred, etc.
- Nov. Session, 1804. App. Constable for village of New Market.
- Nov. Session, 1807. App. as many supervisors of roads as see fit.
- Nov. Session, 1811. App. Trustees of Poor, 7 and none to serve more than 2 years.

Nov. Session, 1812. App. Trustees of Poor annually.

- Dec. Session, 1822. App. 7 Trustees of Poor annually.
- Dec. Session, 1823. Road powers, opening roads, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1827. Each District have one member Levy Court.
- Dec. Session, 1828. Act 1827 Repealed.
- Dec. Session, 1830. Appoint only 2 Constables to a District.
- Dec. Session, 1832. App. Constable for Cambridge.
- Dec. Session, 1837. App. Treasurer for all School Funds and also 5 Coms. in each District.
- Dec. Session, 1838. Abolished. Powers go to County Commissioners.

Levy Court, Frederick County.

- Nov. Session, 1806. Road powers, etc., take private road power of the Co. Court also.
- Nov. Session, 1811. To appoint Trustees of Poor, 5 annually.
- Dec. Session, 1816. To be paid share free School fund.
- Dec. Session, 1824. 11 members, app. by Gov., one from each Election District.
- Dec. Session, 1830. App. assessor for Middletown who reports to them.
- Dec. Session, 1835. To have all original land certificates alphabeted.
- Dec. Session, 1836. To app. Board of Inspectors, 1 from each District to whom Treas. W. Shore pays, must be accepted by voters.
- Dec. Session, 1832. Gov. app. one member from each Election District.

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- Dec. Session, 1838. County divided in 3 parts, 1st and 3rd to elect 3 each and 2nd elect 4 members Levy Court annually beginning Oct. 1839.
- Dec. Session, 1842. 1 member elected from each Election District.
- Dec. Session, 1844. Takes powers of Tax Commission and Clerk of Court to be Clerk of Levy Court, in effect April 1, 1845.
- Dec. Session, 1844. 5 members, Co. divided in 5 Districts and 1 elected from each District.
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, abolished, powers, etc., go to County Commissioners.

#### Levy Court, Harford County.

Nov. Session, 1793. To divide Co. into 4 districts and appoint tax collector for each district.

Nov. Session, 1801. Road powers.

- Dec. Session, 1821. Road powers of Act 1794.
- Dec. Session, 1823. App. many Constables as see fit, Hundred boundaries not well known.
- Dec. Session, 1827. Abolished, powers and books to County Commissioners.

#### Levy Court, Kent County.

- Nov. Session, 1799. To appoint road overseers, not more than 5 to a Hundred, other road powers.
- Nov. Session, 1800. Road powers, appoint Supervisors of roads, levy money for them, etc., etc.
- Dec. Session, 1816. To appoint 7 Trustees for Education Poor Children in each Election District, each takes 1-7 and reports number poor children over 8 yrs. old, Treasurers app. by Court also, 3 yrs. education at public expense.
- Dec. Session, 1827. Grant out pensions.
- Dec. Session, 1830. App. Trustees of Poor annually and fill vacancies of same.
- Dec. Session, 1833. App. 5 Coms. in each Election District who divide into School Districts, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1835. Levy annual tax for Schools, Trustees in each Election District are a Board of Coms., Reports go to Court Clerk who publishes.
- Dec. Session, 1838. 5 elected 3 yr. term, 2 or 1 to be elected annually, app. Clerk, take powers of Tax Commission.
- Dec. Session, 1844. Road powers, alter any road on application, etc.
- Dec. Session, (849. Prim. School Powers, can app. 3 Trustees for new District at any time.
- July 4, 1851. Abolished, New Constitution, Powers, etc., go to County Commissioners.

#### Levy Court, Montgomery County.

- May Session, 1813. App. Constable for town of Brookville. Dec. Session, 1816. To appoint 7 Trustees education poor children in each Election District, each takes 1-7 and reports number of poor children over 8 yrs. old, Treasurers app. by Court also, 3 yrs. education at public expense.
- Dec. Session, 1818. Repeals Act 1816, Education Poor Children.

Dec. Session, 1824. App. bailiff for Rockville.

Dec. Session, 1826. Roads, app. Supervisor for each District and Inspector for each who reports to Levy Court.

Dec. Session, 1828. Roads, appoint Supervisors annually.

Dec. Session, 1829. One member from each District.

Dec. Session, 1830. To distribute School Fund.

Dec. Session, 1831. To give School Fund to Coms. who report to them.

Dec. Session, 1834. App. bailiff for village of Unity.

Dec. Session, 1835. Road powers, opening roads, etc.

Dec. Session, 1837. App. Treasurer of School Fund.

Dec. Session, 1838. Abolished, Powers go to County Commissioners.

#### Levy Court, Prince George's County.

Dec. Session, 1822. App. 7 Trustees of Poor annually.

- Dec. Session, 1826. App. 6 men, 1 in each District who are to ascertain the public roads and Levy Court records them in a book.
- Dec. Session, 1829. Takes powers of Tax Commission, app. \* Clerk, etc.

Dec. Session, 1832. To app. Assessors to revalue County.

- Dec. Session, 1833. To app. Inspector Plaster Paris for Bladensburg and pay Co. Court messenger, 2 Acts.
- Dec. Session, 1833. App. 3 Coms. in each Election District to divide into School Districts.

Dec. Session, 1836. Road powers, can contract, etc.

- Dec. Session, 1836. To sit 12 days in April annually for appeal, etc. [Appeal Tax Court].
- March Session, 1838. To app. 6 Coms., 1 from each District to divide County into Primary School Districts and report to Levy Court, then Levy Court to appoint 12 Trustees, 2 from each District who take charge of Schools and report to Levy Court annually.
- Dec. Session, 1839. School Districts elect 3 Trustees annually, so above Act 1838 changed.
- Dec. Session, 1841. App. 1 instead of 2 from each District as School Trustees, see Act 1838.

- Dec. Session, 1841. County divided into 2 Districts for Collection and Levy Court, app. 2 Collectors.
- Dec. Session, 1843. Road powers, may contract, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1844. App. Clerk annually.
- Dec. Session, 1845. To sell Tobacco Warehouse at Queen Anne.
- Dec. Session, 1846. Repeals road Act of 1843.
- Dec. Session, 1849. App. 8 School Coms., 1 from each Election District as General Board annually.
- Dec. Session, 1849. Abolished, Powers go to County Commissioners, in effect Oct. 1850.

#### Levy Court, Queen Anne's County.

- Nov. Session, 1799. To appoint Road Supervisors not more than 6 to a Hundred, other road powers, all roads to be put in a book.
- Dec. Session, 1828. 5 members, 1 from each District app. by Gov., take powers, etc., of Tax Commission, app. Clerk, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1829. 5 members, 1 from each District, elected by Districts but all voters vote on all.
- Dec. Session, 1832. To revalue County under Act 1812.
- Dec. Session, 1833. 5 members, 1 elected every year for 5 yr. term, present members draw lots.
- Dec. Session, 1845. To raise money for Primary Schools, etc.
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, abolished, powers, etc., go to County Commissioners.

#### Levy Court, Somerset County.

- Nov. Session, 1811. To dispose of Tob. Warehouses and lots.
- Nov. Session, 1812. App. Trustees of Poor annually.
- Dec. Session, 1820. Road powers, annually appoint overseers, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1822. App. 7 Trustees Poor annually.
- Dec. Session, 1823. Road powers, opening roads, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1826. App. 5 Tax Coms.
- Dec. Session, 1827. Contract for removal of street obstructions, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1828. App. 5 Tax Coms.
- Dec. Session, 1837. Abolished.

# Levy Court, St. Mary's County.

- Nov. Session, 1809. To have land records prior to Revolution alphabeted.
- Dec. Session, 1820. Road powers, app. overseers, etc., and can contract, have bridges up to 15 feet.

- Dec. Session, 1821. Road powers of Act 1801.
- Dec. Session, 1824. App. bailiff for Leonardtown.
- Dec. Session, 1830. Takes powers, etc., of Tax Commission, app. Clerk, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1834. To revalue County, app. 3 Assessors for each Election District.
- Dec. Session, 1837. App. 5 Trustees of Poor annually.
- March Session, 1838. Abolished, powers go to County Commissioners.

#### Levy Court, Talbot County.

- Nov. Session, 1797. To name overseers of roads annually, not more than 5 to a Hundred, Co. Clerk keep road proceedings.
- Nov. Session, 1798. To name 8 overseers to a Hundred.
- Nov. Session, 1809. To employ person to transcribe and alphabet certain records of Clerk's office.
- Dec. Session, 1816. To appoint 7 Trustees Education Poor Children in each Election District, each takes 1-7 and reports number poor children over 8 yrs. old. Treasurers app. by Court also, 3 yrs. education at public expense.
- Dec. Session, 1821. To appoint 7 Trustees, etc., as in Act 1816 and also 1 to be called Trustee of School Fund, divide into 7 parts, etc., as before. Levy Court reports to Legislature.
- Dec. Session, 1825. Roads, app. Supervisors, Commissioners to alter roads, etc., repair small bridges, much same as former Acts.
- Dec. Session, 1826. Act 1825 repealed.
- Dec. Session, 1827. Roads, app. Supervisors, etc., etc.
- Dec. Session, 1830. Abolished, powers, etc., to County Commissioners.

#### Levy Court, Washington County.

- Dec. Session, 1816. App. Trustees of Poor.
- Dec. Session, 1816. To be paid share free School fund. Dec. Session, 1821. To app. 5 men in each Election District as Board of Trustees of School Fund.
- Dec. Session, 1826. 7 members, 1 from each District, app. annually by Gov.
- Dec. Session, 1829. Abolished, County Commissioners take powers, books, etc.

#### Levy Court, Worcester County.

- Nov. Session, 1811. To dispose of Tob. Warehouses and lots.
- Nov. Session, 1811. Road powers, appoint as many road overseers as think fit.

Nov. Session, 1812. Road powers.

Dec. Session, 1816. Road powers, Supervisor to each District, take private road powers of Co. Court and record in Co. Court.

Dec. Session, 1817. 'Road powers, small changes.

Dec. Session, 1821. Road powers, small changes, keep up bridges, etc.

Dec. Session, 1821. Appoint 7 Trustees of Poor.

- Dec. Session, 1821. To receive School Fund, etc., appoint 3 men in each District to select children for free education.
- Dec. Session, 1824. Roads, rejected application for road can be appeal to Co. Court.

Dec. Session, 1827. Roads, small changes.

- Dec. Session, 1829. Out pensioners not to apply to Levy Court.
- Dec. Session, 1835. To app. 3 Coms. in each District to divide into School Districts and report to Assembly.
- Dec. Session, 1836. To app. 5 Coms. each side Pocomoke, to divide into school Districts and report to Co. Clk.
- March Session, 1838. Abolished, Oct. 1839, powers go to County Commissioners, in meantime to grant no out pensions unless to sick in bed.

#### Lieutenant Governor.

Nov. 1, 1864. To take Gov.'s place and duties if he dies, resigns, or, etc., is President of Senate but Senate can elect a President *pro tempore*.

Oct. 5, 1867. Abolished, New Constitution.

Lieutenant of Militia, one each County.

- June Session, 1777. Recommended by Assembly to Gov. who appoints with, etc. Lts. appoint persons to make lists of all able bodied between 16 and 50 yrs. age (judges clergy, etc., excepted). Lts. divide into battalions, companies and 8 classes.
- Oct. Session, 1780. To select Select Militia 1200 W. Shore, 800 E. Shore.
- May Session, 1781. Can excuse indigent persons from serving if wife and small children dependent upon him but list must be sent to Gov. and Council.

Library Commission.

Jan. Session, 1902. Gov. app. 5 Coms., 5 yr. term, 1 appointed annually, they chose Chairman and Secretary.

# Library Directors.

Jan. Session, 1902. Co. Coms. *may* app. 9, term 6 yrs., 3 appointed every 2 yrs., elect President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer, annual report to Co. Coms.

#### Liquor License Commissioners, Baltimore City.

Jan. Session, 1890. 3 app. by Gov. 2 yr. terms, 1 of minority party, app. Clerks, keep full record.

Jan. Session, 1802. 3 Coms. app. by Gov., 2 yr. term.

Jan. Session, 1900. App. Counsel and Clerks, keep a full record of all applications, etc. etc.

#### Liquor License Commissioners, Cecil County.

Jan. Session, 1898. 3 named, hold for good behaviour, Co. Coms. fill vacancies, hear all applications for licenses, grant, etc. But they only hold office if County votes for License and not for Prohibition at next Election.

# Magistrates' Courts.

- Dec. Session, 1835. To be established May I, 1836, 3 J. P.s in each Election District to constitute such a Court, one called Chief Justice, app. by Gov., jurisdiction \$100 and assault and battery, etc., Appeal to Co. Court, separate record book by Clk. Co. Court, a single Justice to still have jurisdiction of \$50, removals. Not to apply to Baltimore City, 2 Acts.
- May Session, 1836. Where not organized the Co. Courts have Jurisdiction, Mag. Courts to have no jurisdiction in Assault with intent to rape. Another one in Port Deposit, Cecil Co., to be app. by Gov.
- Dec. Session, 1837. To be 3 in Somerset Co., 6 in Cecil Co., 3 Acts.
- Dec. Session, 1842. One for Town of Havre de Grace, Act 1835.
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, no provision for Magistrates' Courts.

# Magistrates' Courts, Allegany County.

Dec. Session, 1839. Abolished in this County Act 1835. Dockets sent to Co. Court, Jurisdiction of single J. P. raised to \$100.

# Magistrates' Courts, Anne Arundel County.

Dec. Session, 1839. Abolished in this County Act 1835. Co. Court jurisdiction over \$50.

# Magistrates' Courts, Calvert County.

March Session, 1838. Abolished in Calvert County Act 1835.

# Magistrates' Courts, Caroline County.

Dec. Session, 1838. Abolished in Caroline County Act 1835 Chief Justices to turn dockets over to Clk. Co. Court, Co. Court Jurisdiction over \$50.

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Magistrates' Courts, Cecil County.

Dec. Session, 1838. Abolished in Cecil County Act 1835. Chief Justices to turn dockets over to Clk. Co. Court, Co. Court Jurisdiction over \$50.

Magistrates' Courts, Charles County.

Dec. Session, 1841. Concurrent jurisdiction with Co. Court for replevin. trespass, trover and assault and battery.

Dec. Session, 1849. Abolished.

Magistrates' Courts, Dorchester County.

Dec. Session, 1841. Abolished.

Magistrates' Courts, Howard District, Anne Arundel County.

Dec. Session, 1839. Abolished in this County Act 1835, Co. Court jurisdiction over \$50.

Magistrates' Courts, Kent County.

Dec. Session, 1830. Assault and battery taken from this jurisdiction in this County.

Dec. Session, 1841. Abolished.

Magistrates' Courts, Montgomery County.

March Session, 1841. Abolished July 1, 1841, Chief Justices to turn dockets over to Co. Courts, all cases over \$50 except debts \$50 to \$100 go to Co. Court.

Magistrates' Courts, Prince George's County.

- March Session, 1841. Abolished Aug. 1, 1841, cases over \$50 to go to Co. Court.
- Dec. Session, 1841. Re-established as before Act March, 1841, in effect May 1, 1842.

Magistrates' Courts, Somerset County.

Dec. Session, 1841, Concurrent jurisdiction with Co. Court between \$50 and \$100.

Dec. Session, 1846. Abolished, in effect June 1, 1847.

Magistrates' Courts, St. Mary's County.

Dec. Session, 1841. Abolished.

Magistrates' Courts, Talbot County. Dec. Session, 1842. Abolished.

Magistrates' Courts, Washington County.

March Session, 1841. Abolished, Chief Justices turn dockets over to Co. Court in 30 days.

Magistrates' Courts, Worcester County.

Dec. Session, 1846. Concurrent jurisdiction with Co. Court between \$50 and \$100.

#### Magistrate in Juvenile Causes, Baltimore City.

- Jan. Session, 1902. Gov. app. a Justice of the Peace as Magistrate in Juvenile Causes in Balto. City, must be a lawyer, has all cases of minors under 16 yrs. of age in which a Justice of the Peace has jurisdiction.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Gov. app. a Justice of the Peace as Magistrate in Juvenile Causes in Balto. City, must be a lawyer and has the powers of a Police Magistrate, has exclusive jurisdiction for minors under 16 yrs. of age for such in J. P., etc., causes, app. a Clerk, has 2 Police assigned to him by Board of Police Commissioners, in his absence Gov, may designate any other Justice of Peace of Balto. City to act in his place.

Managers of the House of Correction.

Jan. Session, 1884. Gov., Comptroller, Treasurer, Att'y General and 9 app. by Gov. 6 yr. term, 3 appointed every 2 yrs., incorporated.

Managers of House of Refuge.

- Dec. Session, 1830. Gov. appoints 8 and Mayor and City Council appoint 8.
- Jan. Session, 1853. 20 managers, 10 app. by Mayor and City Council.
- Jan. Session, 1856. 24 managers, 10 app. by Mayor and City Council and 4 app. by Gov.
- Jan. Session, 1892. 10 app. by Mayor and City Council annually and 4 by Gov. annually.

Managers of Industrial Home for Colored Girls.

Jan. Session, 1882. 2 app. by Gov. 2 yr. term, 2 by Mayor of Balto. City annually and 7 elected by the corporation annually, report to Assembly.

Managers of School Fund Lottery.

Dec. Session, 1816. 13, for 5 years, report to Treasurer West. Shore.

Marshal in Admiralty Court.

Oct. Session, 1777. Fees.

- Md. Commissioners (3) to treat with Virginia Commissioners as to Navigation and Jurisdiction in Potomac and Pocomoke Rivers and Chesapeake Bay in Virginia.
- Nov. Session, 1785. Report of their agreement with 2 Va. Coms. ratified.

Md. Board of World's Fair Managers.

Jan. Session, 1892. Consist of Gov. and 11 app. by Gov., chose President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer, also an Executive Commissioner, given \$50,000, report to Gov. Md. School Tax Commission.

- Jan. Session, 1892. 5 Coms. app. by Gov., of which one to be from Baltimore City and one from each Congressional District outside of Balto. City. Report to next Assembly.
   Mason and Dixon Line Re-survey Commission.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Joint Act of Pa. 1899 and Md. 1900, consists of a Commissioner appointed by each State and the Superintendent of U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, has a Surveyor in charge.

Measurers and Special Inspectors of Oysters.

Jan. Session, 1900. App. by Commander of State Fishery Force, 8 for Somerset, 7 Wicomico, 12 Dorchester, 8 Talbot, 7 Queen Anne, 6 Kent, 7 Anne Arundel, 7 Calvert, 7 St. Mary's, 6 Charles County.

Measurer of Wood Carts, etc., Baltimore City.

- Jan. Session, 1876. Gov. app., 2 yr. term, can app. Deputies. Members of U. S. House of Representatives.
- Jan. Session, 1872. 6 Districts.
- Jan. Session, 1882. 6 Districts.
- Jan. Session, 1890. 6 Districts.
- Jan. Session, 1806. 6 Districts.
- Messenger Chancery Court.
- Nov. Session, 1785. App. by Chancellor, can act anywhere in the State.
  - Messenger of the Council.
- Nov. Session, 1782. Pay given.
- Dec. Session, 1837. Abolished.
  - Messenger to the Executive.
- Nov. Session, 1806. Pav given.
- Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. App. by Gov.

Messenger to Governor and Secretary of State.

Dec. Session, 1837. Takes duties of messenger of Council. Jan. Session, 1858. Abolished.

Messenger to Senate.

- Dec. Session, 1813. Pay given.
- Jan. Session, 1864. Mentioned.

Meteorologist.

Jan. Session, 1892. Named by Chief of U. S. Weather Bureau, commissioned by Gov. for 2 yr. term.

#### Military Officers.

Jan. 1, 1777. App. by Gov., etc.

Oct. Session, 1777. To send lists of deserters to Gov. and Council, if officer refuses to march he is reduced to private and if officer resigns he is reduced to private.

Mining Inspector for Allegany and Garrett Counties. Ian, Session, 1876. App. by Gov., inspect each mine once a month.

Jan. Session, 1878. App. by Gov. 2 vr. term.

- Jan. Session, 1898. App. by Gov. 2 vr. term, examine all mines monthly.
- Jan. Session, 1902. App. by Gov. term 2 vrs.

Ministers, of all Denominations.

Feb. Session, 1777. Must send lists of marriages annually to Treasurer of that Shore. Places of worship to be recorded in Co. Courts and banns can be at these places only, if no minister the reader may call the banns.

#### Naval Officers.

Jan. 1, 1777. App. by Gov., etc.

Oct. Session, 1780. To grant registers to vessels. Nov. Session, 1784. To be nine instead of eight Naval Districts, register vessels and send lists to Gov. twice a year, mariners citizens to be enrolled by them and yearly list to Gov., 2 Acts.

#### Naval Officers for Md. Navy.

Jan. 1, 1777. App. by Gov., etc.

Notary Public.

Oct. Session, 1777. Fees.

Notaries Public.

- Nov. Session, 1801. Gov. and Council can name additional but not more than 4 in Baltimore City, Seal, can act in other Counties.
- Dec. Session, 1832. Can administer oath same as J. P.

July 4, 1851. New Constitution, app. as before.

Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, app. as before. Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, app. as before.

Jan. Session, 1902. Women can be Notarys Public.

Officer in charge of Prerogative Office Records.

March Session, 1779. To send all papers as to estates of deceased persons and which are not settled from year 1760 to County Registers of Wills.

- Apr. Session, 1783. To record all unrecorded papers and send all papers to Registers of Wills, if part to go to another Co. to sort out and send to that Co.
- May Session, 1788. Registers of Wills not obliged to sort out other Co. papers as Act Apr. 1783 directed.

Officer in Charge of Provincial Court Records.

March Session, 1779. To send papers, etc., of all suits not finished in Provincial Court for Eastern Shore cases and send to Clerk Eastern Shore General Court.

Orphans' Courts, one in each County.

- Feb. Session, 1777. 5 Judges in each County except 7 Judges for Anne Arundel County, app. by Gov., etc., have powers Commissary General had, validity of marriages however be tried by General Court.
- Oct. Session, 1778. To pay pensions to disabled soldiers, sailors, etc., draw on Treasurers E. and W. Shores, get full records of men and send lists to Gov. and Council, claims begin April 10, 1775.
- Nov. Session, 1779. Enlarges powers, sales personal property for debts, etc.
- Nov. Session, 1790. To be 3 Judges in each County, app. by Gov., etc., 2 can act, Gov. fills all vacancies.
- Nov. Session, 1793. To bind out apprentices.
- Nov. Session, 1798. Testamentary Act, 3 Judges, etc., hold till Gov. issues new Commission, etc.
- Nov. Session, 1807. Enlarges powers.
- Nov. Session, 1809. Inspect Register of Wills' books and report to next Assembly any omissions with year, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1816. Can straighten roads on application, by *pctition* or by Grand Jury and through 5 Commissioners and report to Co. Court.
- Dec. Session, 1817. Petition in Insolvency may be addressed to, etc., subject to appearance in Co. Court, not to affect Balto. Co. and City.
- Dec. Session, 1818. Can bind out children of free negroes.
- Dec. Session, 1818. Appeals from, to Co. Court or to Court of Appeals.
- Dec. Session, 1839. Can bind out free negroes and mulattoes who are idle, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1842. To determine all matters about apprentices.
- Dec. Session, 1847. Chief Justice of each Court to be designated in the Commissions.
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, 3 Judges elected in each County and Balto. City, 4 yr. term.
- Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, 3 Judges elected for 6 yr. term in each County and in Balto. City, but 1 elected every 2 yrs.
- Jan. Session, 1865. Enlarges powers, equity jurisdiction concurrent with Circuit Courts.
- Jan. Session, 1866. Enlarges powers, equity jurisdiction concurrent with Circuit Courts, Sales real estate by Administrators to \$2,500.

- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, 3 Judges elected 4 yr. term in each County and Balto. City, Gov. fills vacancy for remainder of term, powers, duties, etc., as before.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Gov. to designate the Chief Judge in making out Commission.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Extensive Jurisdiction over Estates of those not heard from for 7 years, grant letters of administration, etc., on such estates.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Disbarred lawyers can not practice in Orphans Courts.

Orphans' Court, Allegany County.

- Jan. Session, 1860. App. 5 as Board of School Commissioners annually, also app. one in each Election District to divide into School Districts.
- Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. App. annually 3 as Board of School Commissioners.

Orphans' Court, Baltimore City.

Jan. Session, 1854. Minor Vagabonds, etc., can be sent to Alms House, House of Refuge or House of Correction unless July trial asked when go to Criminal Court, Act vagabonds, etc., 1804 repealed.

Orphans' Court, Baltimore County.

Dec. Session, 1830. Have certain records transcribed.

Dec. Session, 1845. Have Co. Coms. pay to Board of School Coms., Balto. City, the share of intestate estates which are in Balto. City.

Orphans' Court, Calvert County.

- Dec. Session, 1837. Takes direction of Free School Fund, app. 3 Coms. in each District.
- Dec. Session, 1837. App. 3 in each District to divide into Primary School Districts.
- Jan. Session, 1860. App. one in each Election District as Board of School Commissioners.
- Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. App. one in each Election District as Board of School Commissioners.

Orphans' Court, Caroline County.

- Dec. Session, 1821. To receive School Fund, annually report to Legislature about it, Commissioners of School Fund abolished.
- Dec. Session, 1845. To app. 3 Coms. to change Primary School Districts on petition.

Orphans' Court, Carroll County.

Dec. Session, 1836. Gov. app. 3 Judges, sit at Westminster.

# Orphans' Court, Cecil County.

Dec. Session, 1821. To receive School Fund, report annually to Legislature concerning.

Dec. Session, 1842. To allot the money, etc.

Orphans' Court, Charles County.

- Dec. Session, 1835. To app. 3 Coms. to divide County into School Districts and report to next Assembly cost of Schools, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1838. The 5 Trustees of each School District to report to Orphans Court, which through Register of Wills report to Assembly annually.
- Jan. Session, 1858. Vacancies of School Commissioners to be filled by Orphans' Court.

Orphans' Court, Dorchester County.

Jan. Session, 1904. If majority present, it is presumed all the members are present.

Orphans' Court, Frederick County.

Dec. Session, 1816. To complete its unfinished records.

Orphans' Court, Harford County.

- Nov. Session, 1790. Ordered to obtain a Seal but past papers are legalized.
- Nov. Session, 1800. To direct Register of Wills to make corrections of defects in records, papers and proceedings in Register of Wills Office, to note on each paper that it is corrected according to this Act, under inspection of the Orphans' Court.
- Dec. Session, 1829. School Fund paid to Orphans Court who pay to Coms. and report to Assembly.
- Dec. Session, 1837. School Fund paid to Orphans' Court and 5 Coms. elected by voters in each Election District.
- Dec. Session, 1839. To apportion School money among the Election Districts.
- Dec. Session, 1846. Fills vacancies among School Commissioners.

# Orphans' Court, Howard District, Anne Arundel County.

Dec. Session, 1839. 3 Judges.

Orphans' Court, Kent County.

- Dec. Session, 1821. To receive School Fund, annually report to Legislature concerning it, Commissioners of School Fund abolished.
- Dec. Session, 1830. Have certain records transcribed.
- Dec. Session, 1834. School money not paid to them but to Clk. Co. Court.

## Orphans' Court, Montgomery County.

Nov. Session, 1811. To app. person to transcribe records. Jan. Session, 1860. App. 2 yr. term a School Commissioner from each Election District.

Orphans' Court, Prince George's County.

- Dec. Session, 1825. To receive School Fund by May 1, 1826. Report to Assembly, takes duties of School Commissioners.
  - Orphans' Court, Queen Anne's County.
- Dec. Session, 1838. App. 5 Coms. of School Fund, 1 from . each District.

Orphans' Court, St. Mary's County.

Jan. Session, 1853. App. Board of School Commissioners, 5, one from each District.

## Orphans' Court Somerset County.

Dec. Session, 1830. To receive School Fund.

Jan. Session, 1858. App. one from each Election District to be Board of School Commissioners.

#### Ovster Commission.

- Jan. Session, 1882. Gov. app. 3 Commissioners, to examine and report to next Assembly condition of ovster beds.
- Jan. Session, 1884. Discharged with thanks.

# Ovster Commissioners.

Jan. Session, 1890. Gov. app. 3 citizens of Somerset County, 4 yr. term, to help carry out the 5 acre law for Somerset County oyster grounds.

Pan American Exposition Commission.

March Session, 1901. Gov. has named 5 members, appropriation made for them now.

# Patrol, Anne Arundel County.

Dec. Session, 1820. Arrest wandering negroes, etc., take before a J. P.

Patrol, Calvert County.

Dec. Session, 1822. Same as in St. Mary's, Charles, etc. Patrol, Charles County.

Dec. Session, 1820. Arrest wandering negroes, etc., take before a J. P.

Patrol, Frederick County.

Dec. Session, 1821. Levy Court to name J. P. in each District to nominate a Patrol.

Patrol, Prince George's County.

Dec. Session, 1820. Arrest wandering negroes, etc., take before a J. P.

# Patrol, St. Mary's County.

Dec. Session, 1820. Arrest wandering negroes, etc., take before a J. P.

Pay Master General.

- Jan. Session, 1864. Militia Act.
- Jan. Session, 1867. Militia Act.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Militia Act.
- Jan. Session, 1870. Militia Act.
  - Peace Conference.
- Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. Pay for the 7 Md. members app. by Gov. and sent to Washington.
  - Pilot Examiners.
- Nov. Session, 1787. Board of 7 Examiners, 3 ratings of Licenses, pilot must have a boat and an apprentice, in effect Feb. 1, 1788.
- Nov. Session, 1790. Board of 5 Examiners, sit at Georgetown on Potomac.
- Nov. Session, 1803. Board of 3 Examiners.
- Jan. Session, 1852. 4 Examiners constitute the Board, app. Register and have Seal.

Police Commissioners, Annapolis.

Jan. Session, 1874. 3 App. by Gov., one every 2 years, 6 yr. term.

Police Commissioners, Baltimore City.

- Jan. Session, 1867. 3 Coms. elected by Legislature, chose President and app. Clerk and 'Treasurer, enroll Police Force, app. one J. P. to each Station House, may put Park Police under the Park Commissioners, Marshals, Captains, Lts., etc.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Have each officer report every adult on his beat and they deliver list to Officers of Registration.
- Jan. Session, 1874. Elected by joint ballot both House of Assembly, 1 every 2 years for 6 yr. term.
- Jan. Session, 1876. To divide City into Election precincts of about 600 voters.
- Jan. Session, 1880. Can app. another Police Justice if one cannot sit at any time.
- Jan. Session, 1882. Divide City into 180 precincts, send plat Clerk Superior Court.
- Jan. Session, 1882. Annually app. Counsel for Registration officers.
- Jan. Session, 1884. App. a Secretary.
- Jan. Session, 1884. App. a matron at each Station House.
- Jan. Session, 1886. May retire police officers on third pay.

- Jan. Session, 1888. App. annually 3 M. D.s to test police and improve efficiency of the force.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Duties defined.
- Jan. Session, 1898. 3 elected by joint meeting of the General Assembly, 6 yr. term, 1 elected every 2 yrs., elect Secretary, app. matrons, etc., etc.
- Jan. Session, 1900. App. officers to see that the Coal Law is enforced.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Gov. app. 3, 2 yr. term, 1 to be of minority party, chose President and Treasurer.
- Jan. Session, 1900. App. 2 matrons at each Police Station House, 1 day and 1 night, also 2 substitutes and a Superintendent.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Give licenses for Public Dances, Boxing and Athletic contests where an admission fee is charged, license fees to be placed in the Police Pension Fund.
- Jan. Session, 1904. App. 5 M. D.s. one as Chief, term 2 yrs.

Police Justices, Baltimore City.

Jan. Session, 1890. Gov. select from Justices of the Peace one from each Station House and an additional one under the direction of State's Attorney and Police Commissioners.

Public Records Commission.

Jan. Session, 1904. Gov. app. 3 citizens, term 2 yrs., serve without pay, examine into the condition of the public records of the State, and make report to Assembly of 1906 with such recommendations as they may think proper for the better custody and preservation of the same.

# President of the Senate.

Jan. 1, 1777. Chosen by Senate.

- Nov. 1, 1864. Lt. Gov. is President but can chose another *pro tempore*, new Constitution.
- Oct. 5, 1867. Acts as Gov. in case Gov. dies or, etc., until Legislature elects a Gov., New Constitution.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Trustee of Md. Agr. College in place of Lt. Gov.

#### Private Secretary to Governor.

Jan. Session, 1858. App. by Gov.

Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. App. by Gov.

## Purveyor to Penitentiary.

Dec. Session, 1839. App. by Gov., takes place of Agents.

Quarter Master General.

- Jan. Session, 1867. Militia Act.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Militia Act.

Jan. Session, 1870. Militia Act.

Jan. Session, 1892. Militia Act mentions.

Recruiting Officers.

Oct. Session, 1777. App. by Gov., etc., recruits to be passed by Co. Lts.

Nov. Session, 1779. To offer land bounties.

May Session, 1781. Persons also to provide quarters, vagabonds to be considered as soldiers.

Register in Admiralty Court.

Oct. Session, 1777. Fees.

Register in Chancery.

Oct. Session, 1777. Fees.

Apr. Session, 1787. To keep applications of Insolvents (over £300) in separate book.

Dec. Session, 1816. To rebind records, etc., under direction of Gov. and Council.

Dec. Session, 1836. App. by Gov., 7 yr. term.

July 4, 1851. New Constitution, Abolished 2 yrs. from adoption of Constitution and end of session of Legislature thereafter.

Jan. Session, 1854. To be Keeper of Records of Court of Chancery and to transmit all cases not disposed of, to the Courts of Baltimore City and the several Counties.

Register of Land Office, Eastern Shore.

Jan. 1, 1777. Appointed by Governor with consent of Council, holds for good behaviour.

Dec. Session, 1841. Abolished, Duties go to Register Land Office on Western Shore.

Register of Land Office, Western Shore.

Jan. 1, 1777. Appointed by Governor with consent of Council, holds for good behaviour.

- Nov. Session, 1806. To have general alphabet of patents from 1680 to 1759 transcribed into a new book.
- Dec. Session, 1816. Gov. and Council to contract with Register for indices of all Lands surveyed and patented since the Revolution.
- Dec. Session, 1841. Register of Land Office takes duties of Register Land Office Eastern Shore.
- July 4, 1857. New Constitution, abolished, duties go to Commissioner of Land Office.

Registers of Voters.

Jan. Session, 1904. New General Registration in 1906 and bienially in Baltimore City.

## Registers of Wills, one for each County.

- Jan. 1, 1777. Appointed by Governor, etc., upon recommendation of both Houses, holds for good behaviour.
- Feb. Session, 1777. Orphans' Court Act, Registers to have powers that Deputy Commissaries had.
- Oct. Session, 1777. In recess of Orphans' Court can probate wills, grant letters, etc.

Nov. Session, 1809. To record all Releases, etc.

- Dec. Session, 1816. To file Inventories in recess of Orphans' Court.
- Dec. Session, 1818. To issue Letters of Administration in recess of Orphans' Court.
- Dec. Session, 1830. Terms to be 7 yrs. but not to affect present holders but this Act must be confirmed by next Assembly.
- Dec. Session, 1831. Can take Probate of Wills in recess of Orphans' Courts.
- Dec. Session, 1836. App. by Gov., 7 yr. term after Feb. 1, 1845.
- Dec. Session, 1849. To be elected by people, 7 yr. terms after Oct. 1852, must be confirmed.
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, 1 elected each County and Baltimore City, 6 yr. term.
- Jan. Session, 1854. To have Docket for Claims passed by Register in Orphans' Court.
- Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. To have Book of Claims.
- Nov. 1, 1864, New Constitution, 1 elected in each County and Balto. City, 6 yr. term, vacancy filled by Orphans' Court.
- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, 1 elected in each County and Balto. City, 6 yr. term, vacancy filled by Orphans' Court until next general election.

Register of Wills, Anne Arundel County.

- Dec. Session, 1834. To transcribe such Provincial Records as Orphans' Court directs.
- Jan. Session, 1874. Copy and index Wills 1635-1777 and 1778 -----.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Recopy Index of Wills 1777— and to index Inventories and Sales and Guardians' Accounts.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Under his and the Governor's direction the following to be done, index proceedings of Prerogative Court, Administration Accounts, Inventories and Balance Books prior to the Revolution and rearrange 15,000 Wills from 1635-1777.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Hand over all Prerogative Court Records to Commissioner of Land Office.

## Register of Wills, Baltimore County.

March Session, 1779. To send papers, etc., of deceased persons to Harford Co. Register of part now in Harford Co.

Nov. Session, 1862. He or Deputy to daily attend at his office in Balto, City.

Dec. Session, 1831. Make general alphabet under direction Orphans' Court.

Jan. Session, 1865. Index records.

Register of Wills, Calvert County.

Nov. Session, 1801. Need attend only on Court days if Orphans' Court so decide.

Register of Wills, Caroline County.

Nov. Session, 1802. To keep his office, papers, etc., at Denton.

Dec. Session, 1829. To fix key to Guardianship and Administrations if Orphans' Court direct.

Jan. Session, 1898. General Index Wills.

Register of Wills, Charles County.

Nov. Session, 1804. To have office at Co. Court and daily attend self or deputy.

Jan. Session, 1854. Act as Treasurer of School Fund.

Register of Wills, Cecil County.

Jan. Session, 1888. Index of deceased persons and wards. Register of Wills, Dorchester County.

March Session, 1779. To send papers, etc., deceased persons to Caroline Co. Register, part now part of Caroline Co.

Nov. Session, 1804. To have office at Co. Court and daily attend self or deputy.

Dec. Session, 1826. To make annual list of land transfers and give to Tax Commission.

March Session, 1838. To index Wills and Administrations 1823 ——.

Jan. Session, 1884. To record any authenticated copy of any will the original of which was destroyed by fire May, 1852.

Register of Wills, Frederick County.

March Session, 1779. To send papers, etc., of deceased persons to Washington and Montgomery Co. Registers of parts now in Washington and Montgomery Co.

Register of Wills, Harford County.

Nov. Session, 1804. To have office at Co. Court and attend daily self or deputy.

Jan. Session, 1882. General Index Wills from 1774.

Register of Wills, Howard District, Anne Arundel County.

March Session, 1838. Established. To be confirmed. Dec. Session, 1839. Confirmed.

Register of Wills, Kent County.

- Nov. Session, 1804. To have office at Co. Court and attend daily self or deputy.
- Nov. Session, 1807. To transcribe and alphabet under direction of Orphans' Court certain records, etc., of deceased persons.
- Jan. Session, 1894. General Index Orphans' Court records, etc.

Register of Wills, Montgomery County.

- Nov. Session, 1804. To have office at Co. Court and attend daily self or deputy.
- Jan. Session, 1854. To copy Liber 2 if Orphans' Court so directs.

Jan. Session, 1878. General Index to Wills.

Register of Wills, Prince George's County.

- Feb. Session, 1777. Orphans' Court Act, Register Prince George Co. to have custody of Records of Prerogative Court but Gov. may move them.
- June Session, 1777. Prerogative Court Records to be moved to Annapolis.

Dec. Session, 1822. To record all unrecorded papers, etc., under direction of Orphans' Court.

Jan. Session, 1896. General Index Wills.

Register of Wills, Queen Anne's County.

- March Session, 1779. To send papers, etc., of deceased persons to Caroline Co. Register, part now part of Caroline Co.
- Jan. Session, 1876. To make General Index of everything in his office.

Dec. Session, 1878. To transcribe and alphabet certain papers under Orphans' Court direction.

Jan. Session, 1890. Index papers, etc., 1850-1883.

Jan. Session, 1896. General Index for I Administrations,
 2 Inventories, 3 Valuations, 4 Accounts of Sales, 5 Administrators' Accounts.

Register of Wills, St. Mary's County.

- Nov. Session, 1804. To have office at Co. Court and attend daily self or deputy.
- Dec. Session, 1813. To transcribe certain wills and a book of inventories now in bad condition under direction of Orphans' Court.

Dec. Session, 1814. Same as Dec., 1813.

Dec. Session, 1828. To record unrecorded papers, etc.

Dec. Session, 1831. To record all Wills, Releases, etc., brought in [Court House burnt and Records destroyed].

Jan. Session, 1853. Acts as Treasurer of School Commissioners.

Jan. Session, 1884. General Index of Wills.

Register of Wills, Somerset County.

Dec. Session, 1823. Record unrecorded papers, etc.

Jan. Session, 1878. New General Index.

Register of Wills, Talbot County.

Nov. Session, 1804. To have office at Co. Court and attend daily self or deputy.

Jan. Session, 1900. Index Wills, Inventories, Executors and Administrators' Accounts, Distributions.

Jan. Session, 1902. General Index Orders and Petitions for sale of Realty 1800 to date.

## Register of Wills, Washington County.

Nov. Session, 1804. To have office at Co. Court and attend daily self or deputy.

Register of Wills, Worcester County.

- Nov. Session, 1804. To have office at Co. Court and attend daily self or deputy.
- Nov. Session, 1807. To transcribe and alphabet wills anterior to division of Somerset Co. under direction of Orphans' Court.

Jan. Session, 1868. To pass claims of \$100.

## Road Commissioners, Calvert County.

- Jan. Session, 1898. 3 elected 2 yr. term, app. Road Supervisor in each Election District.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Furnish Co. Coms. with a full statement annually.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Co. Coms. to act as Road Commissioners.

## Road Commissioners, Prince George's County.

- Jan. Session, 1900. 3 elected of which one must be of minority party, elected by Districts, they app. 3 District Road Trustees in each Road District who select a chairman, may app. a Secretary, until election 3 Road Coms. are app. by Co. Coms.
- Jan. Session, 1902. County divided into 3 Districts and a 'Road Commissioner elected in each, term 2 yrs.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Have general supervision over whole County.

# Road Directors, Allegany County.

Jan. Session, 1904. 4 elected next election, 2 yr. term, 4 appointed until election, they appoint a Roads Engineer who has C. E. degree.

# Roads Engineer, Allegany County.

Jan. Session, 1904. App. by Road Directors, must have degree of C. E.

#### Roads Engineer, Baltimore County.

Jan. Session, 1900. App. by Gov. and holds until removed by Gov., Road Commissioners report to him, etc., he reports annually to Co. Coms. and to Md. Geological and Economic Survey.

## Road Superintendent, Prince George's County.

- Jan. Session, 1904. App. by Gov. and holds until removed by him, also has charge of sewers and drains, report annually to Co. Coms. and to Md. Geological and Economic Survey.
- Jan. Session, 1904. App. by Co. Coms. 4 yr. term, supervises all roads and bridges, assists District Road Trustees and audits their bills, annual report to Road Commissioners and to Co. Coms.

## Road Supervisors, Baltimore County.

Jan. Session, 1876. Elected 2 yr. term, 5 for Districts 1, 3, 9, 12, 13; 3 for District 8; 1 for Districts 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 11; keep record of work and report to Co. Coms., who keep separate book for each District.

# St. Louis Exhibition Commission.

Jan. Session, 1902. App. by Gov.

Jan. Session, 1904. Given \$40,000 to expend.

### Schley Commission.

Jan. Session, 1902. To obtain a bust of Admiral Schley and place it in State House.

## School Commissioners, in each County.

- Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, app. by State Board of Education upon recommendation of State Superintendent of Education, except those in Balto. City app. by Mayor and City Council, 4 yr. term.
- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, until end of 1st Session of Assembly and to continue then if Assembly so directs.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Board of School Commissioners for each County, 1 Com. elected from each Election District, 2 yr. term, choose President and app. a *Secretary and Treasurer*, not for Balto. City, colored schools to be separate,

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County Examiner acts as Secretary, divide County into School Districts, each Election District elects 3, of whom School Com. is one as District School Board.

- Jan. Session, 1886. To have study of Alcoholic Drinks and Narcotics upon the Human System pursued in the Schools. School Commissioners, Allegany County.
- Jan. Session, 1868. 5 Coms. app. annually. by Orphans' Court as Board of School Commissioners, app. 3 as Board of Examiners, app. Treasurer and Secretary, Incorporated, Orphans' Court can appoint 1 in each District to divide into School Districts.

Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. 3 Coms. app. annually by Orphaus' Court as Board of School Coms. They app. Treasurer, who acts as Secretary, annually, app. 3 Trustees in each School District, app. 12 who constitute 4 Boards of Examiners, 3 in each, one to sit at Cumberland, one at Westernport, one at Oakland and one at Grantsville.

- Jan. Session, 1884. Establish mining school, evening sessions.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Open 3 evening schools on petition of 30 persons.

#### School Commissioners, Anne Arundel County.

Jan. Session, 1808. Elect a Secretary, Treasurer, Examiner, term 2 yrs.

#### School Commissioners, Baltimore City.

- Jan. Session, 1868. App. by Mayor and City Council who have free hand, colored schools to be separate.
- Jan. Session, 1902. App. 12 truant officers, etc., put in parental school.

### School Commissioners, Baltimore County.

Dec. Session, 1847. Board of School Coms., 1 from each Election District app. by Co. Coms., elect President, Secretary, Treasurer, must be approved by voters.

Dec. Session, 1849. t elected annually by each District, app. Clerk, each School annually elects 3 Directors.

Jan. Session, 1853. 1 elected by each District, chose President, app. a Treasurer who acts as Secretary, Incorporated. Jan. Session, 1884. Establish night schools.

Jan. Session, 1898. Can establish Kindergarten Schools.

# School Commissioners, Calvert County.

Jan. Session, 1860. One Com. app. by Orphans' Court from each Election District as a Board of School Commissioners, choose President, and app. Register, each School District elects 5 Trustees.

- Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. One Com. app. from each Election District by Orphans' Court as a Board of School Commissioners, Incorporated.
- Jan. Session, 1890. 3 Coms. app. by Gov., they elect a person as Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner.

School Commissioners, Caroline County.

Jan. Session, 1886. 3 Coms. app. by Gov., 2 yr. terms.

School Commissioners, Carroll County.

- Jan. Session, 1852. 3 Coms. elected as Board of School Coms., 2 yr. terms, chose President and Secretary, are a Board of Examiners, organize new School Districts, each School District elect 3 Trustees annually.
- Jan. Session, 1853. Incorporated.

School Commissioners, Cecil County.

- Dec. Session, 1845. Each Election District elect 3 annually.
- Dec. Session, 1849. 3 Coms. elected 3 yr. term, 1 elected every year, Co. Surveyor divides County into School Districts and reports to School Coms. and they fix them, 3 Trustees elected in each School District and incorporated, Superintendent elected by County who takes money from Orphans' Court, must be approved by voters.
- Jan. Session, 1858. One Com. elected by each District, choose President and app. Treasurer, Co. Coms. *can* app. person in each District to lay out *School* Districts.

School Commissioners, Charles County.

- Dec. Session, 1839. 4 Coms. named, Regulate School Districts, trustees of School Districts can app. President, Treasurer and Secretary.
- Jan. Session, 1854. 5 Coms. named, divide County into School Districts and app. 5 Trustees in each, Register of Wills act as Treasurer of School Fund and Co. Coms. lay tax.
- Jan. Session, 1856. App. annually Treasurer and Register, take School Fund money direct.
- Jan. Session, 1858. Vacancies to be filled by Orphans' Court.
- Jan. Session, 1886. 3 Coms. app. by Gov., 2 yr. terms.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Elect a person as Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner.

#### School Commissioners, Dorchester County.

- Dec. Session, 1839. 5 Coms. who app. 3 or more Trustees for each School.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Issue licenses for dog tax and receive revenue therefrom.

# School Commissioners, Garrett County.

- Jan. Session, 1888. 3 app. by Gov., 2 yr. term, elect person as Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner.
- Jan. Session, 1898. 3 elected 6 yr. term, 1 every 2 yrs., 1 is Secretary, Treasurer, Examiner.

# School Commissioners, Harford County.

- Dec. Session, 1846. I from each Election District elected, vacancies filled by Orphans' Court.
- Dec. Session, 1840. 3 Coms. each Election District app. annually by Co. Coms., 1 of each 3 to be on Executive Board which choses President, Secretary, must be approved by voters.

## School Commissioners, Montgomery County.

- Jan. Session, 1860. One from each Election District app. by Orphans' Court, 2 yr. term. Incorporated. Choose President and app. Treasurer.
- Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. One from each Election District app. by Co. Coms., elect President and Treasurer, can app. 2 District Commissioners for each School District.

Jan. Session, 1886. 3 Coms. app by Gov., 2 yr. terms.

School Commissioners, Prince George's County.

Jan. Session, 1886. 3 Coms. app. by Gov., 2 yr. terms.

School Commissioners, St. Mary's County.

- Jan. Session, 1853. Board of School Coms., 5, one from each District, app. by Orphans' Court. They are a Board of Examiners, choose President, app. 5 Trustees in each School District, Register of Wills acts as their Treasurer.
- Jan. Session, 1854. Make any alteration in School Districts, etc., app. *Secretary*.
- Jan. Session, 1800. 3 Coms. app. by Gov., they elect a person as Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner.

School Commissioners, Somerset County.

Jan. Session, 1858. One from each Election District app. by Orphans' Court as Board of School Commissioners, choose President, Treasurer, Clerk.

School Commissioners, Washington County.

- Dec. Session, 1847. Board of School Coms., I from each Election District app. by Co. Coms., elect President, Secretary, Treasurer, must be approved by voters.
- Jan. Session, 1853. Board of School Coms., 1 from each District app. by Co. Coms., elect President, Secretary, Treasurer, app. 3 of their membership as a Board of Examiners, report to Secretary of State, voters of School Districts elect annually 3 Trustees.

Dec.-Ian. Session, 1861-2. Voters elect 3 Trustees annually for each School District.

Secretaries of Boards of Health.

- Jan, Session, 1000. Each local (Register) Secretary can app. 2 Sub-Registers in each Election District, to issue burial permits, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1902. App. by Local Boards of Health, 2 vr. term, are Executive Officers of Health, and County Health Officers.

## Secretary of State Board of Health and Superintendent of Vital Statistics.

- Jan. Session, 1880. Chosen by State Board of Health, must be an M. D., to collect and tabulate Vital Statistics, etc., and send to the State Library.
- Jan. Session, 1890. All M. D.s to report all deaths from contagious diseases to him, also all other persons to do likewise of any not thus reported.
- Jan. Session, 1808. Be State Registrar Vital Statistics.

Secretary to Board of Health, Baltimore County.

Ian. Session, 1002. App. by Co. Coms. from among the Secretary Officers app. by them, is an M. D.

#### Secretary of State.

- To be confirmed by next Assembly Dec. Session. 1825. [failed to be confirmed].
- Dec. Session, 1836. App. by Gov., to be confirmed.

Dec. Session, 1837. Confirms Act 1836.

Dec. Session, 1845. Reduce Salary.

July 4, 1851. New Constitution, 4 yr. term, app. by Gov. Jan. Session, 1853. To keep the Great Seal, to have a Seal, 2 Acts.

Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, same as 1851. Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, app. by Gov., holds office while the Gov, who appoints him holds office.

Jan. Session, 1884. Have custody of Great Seal.

Jan. Session, 1890. Telephone, Electric Light, Pipe Lines, etc., Companies give 2 agents to him on which legal process may be served and to keep record book of same.

- Jan. Session, 1900. To prepare and publish a Manual on Dec. 31.
- Jan. Session, 1900. To keep dockets of Legislative Counsel and Legislative Agents and every one acting before the Assembly for any interest must be enrolled on one or the other.

Jan. Session. 1904. Issues licenses for motor vehicle drivers, must file declaration of competency to handle motor cars, etc.

Secretary of Senate.

Jan. Session, 1892. To have Journals indexed.

## Secretary and Treasurer, State Weather Service.

- Jan. Session, 1892. Named by President of Md. Agricultural College, commissioned by Gov., for 2 yr. term. Senate.
- Jan. 1. 1777. Chosen by Senate Electors, 24 members, 9 East. Shore, 15 West. Shore, can elect to vacancies, chose President.
- Dec. Session, 1836. 21 members, 1 from each County and Balto. City, 6 yr. terms,  $\frac{1}{3}$  elected every 2 yrs., all elected by people.

Dec. Session, 1837. Confirms Act 1836.

July 4, 1851. New Constitution, I from each County and Balto. City, elected 4 yr. term, half elected every 2 yrs.

- Nov. 1. 1864. New Constitution, same as 1851, except 1 for each Legislative District of Balto. City.
- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, same as 1864. 3 Legislative Districts, etc., Balto. City.

Sergeant at Arms, House of Delegates.

Nov. Session, 1812. Pay given.

Sewer Commission, Western Precincts of Baltimore. Dec. Session, 1815. 5 Coms.

Sewerage Commission, Baltimore City.

- March Session, 1901. 5 members named and 2 to be named by Mayor and confirmed by 2nd Branch City Council, Mayor to be a member and President, elect one of members as Secretary, Balto. City can issue \$12,000,000 stock for this purpose. This Act must be approved by the voters at time named by a City Ordinance. [Never approved by the voters.]
- Jan. Session, 1904. Consist of Mayor and 6 appointed by Mayor, 3 of minority, elect Chairman and Secretary. Sheriffs.
- Jan. 1, 1777. Elected 3 yr. term, 2 voted for and highest vote Sheriff, but if he die refuse, or etc., 2nd gets it, and if he ditto then Governor appoints, not eligible for another term until 4 yrs. out of office.
- Feb. Session, 1777. To pay fines, etc., to Treasurer for Shore.

June Session, 1777. To get from collectors lists of paid and not paid non-enrollers' fines.

Oct. Session, 1780. Can take bail in cases less than felony. Dec. Session, 1841. After 4 yrs. service ineligible for next 4 yrs., to be confirmed.

- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, I for each County and Balto. City, 2 yr. term and ineligible for re-election for 2 2 yrs. after, vacancy filled by Gov., 2 names are voted on, the highest to take unless disgualified, dies, or, etc.
- Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, 1 elected for each County, and for Balto. City, 2 yr. term and ineligible for another term for 2 yrs. after.

# Sheriff, Anne Arundel County.

Jan. Session, 1892. To keep a Jail record.

Jan. Session, 1902. App. Clk. and Deputies and a Warden, keep account of all expenditures.

#### Sheriff, Baltimore City.

Dec. Session, 1842. To be confirmed, 3 yr. term.

Dec. Session, 1843. Confirms Act 1842.

Jan. Session, 1866. Make alpt. list of all licenses.

Sheriff, Baltimore County, outside of Baltimore City. Dec. Session, 1842. 3 yrs. term, to be confirmed.

Dec. Session, 1843. Confirms Act 1842.

# Sheriff, Carroll County.

Dec. Session, 1836. Election provided for.

Jan. Session, 1896. Keep Jail record.

Sheriff, Harford County.

Jan. Session, 1870. Employ Physician for Jail.

Sheriff, Garrett County.

Jan. Session, 1890. App. Warden of Jail.

Sheriff, Howard District, Anne Arundel County.

March Session, 1838. Established, to be confirmed. Dec. Session, 1830. Confirmed.

Sheriff, Kent County.

Jan. Session, 1890. Keep a record book of Criminals, etc Sheriff, Prince George's County.

Jan. Session, 1886. Can.app. Guard at Jail.

Sheriff, St. Mary's County.

Jan. Session, 1896. To keep a Jail Record.

Jan. Session, 1902. Keep a Jail Record.

Solicitors for Loans.

June Session, 1780. Report to Treasurer Western Shore who issues certificates.

## South Carolina Interstate and West Indian Exposition Commission.

March Session, 1901. Gov. has named 9 members, appropriations made for them now.

Speaker of the House.

Jan. 1, 1777. Chosen by House.

Special School Commissioners for Colored Schools.

Jan. Session, 1874. App. by Co. School Commissioners.

# State Agent.

Nov. Session, 1797. Continues as in previous Acts, 1 vr. term.

Nov. Session, 1798. Continues; 1 yr. term, etc.

Nov. Session, 1798. To advertise and sell lands bought from Choptank Indians.

Nov. Session, 1799. Continues, another term 1 vr.

- Nov. Session, 1800. Continues, another term 1 yr. Dec. Session, 1816. Term begins March 1, 1817, seems much same as old Acts for State Agent, confiscated British property, can compromise suits in Chancery, call on Attorney General to defend, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1821. Gov. to appoint 1 or more State Agents, to have powers of State Agent of 1817. State Agents, East. and West. Shores.
- Dec. Session, 1824. Mentions Agents for Eastern and Western Shore.

Dec. Session, 1827. Repeals Acts of 1821 and 1824.

#### State Annex Building Commission.

Jan. Session, 1902. Consist of Gov., Board of Public Works and 8 others named, to erect an addition to State House at Annapolis, elect Secretary.

#### State Auditor.

Jan. Session, 1902. App. by Board of Public Works, term 2 vrs., examine accounts of all Clerks of Court, Registers of Wills, Sheriffs, State's Attorneys and Tobacco Warehouses, make an annual report to Board of Public Works.

State Board of Commissioners of Practical Plumbing. Jan. Session, 1886. 5 Coms. app. by Gov., 2 yr. terms, 3

- must be plumbers, one a member of State Board of Health, one the Commissioner of Health of Baltimore City, report to Gov. every 2 years.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Term to be 2 yrs., plumbers must have certificate from them.

## State Board of Dental Examiners.

- Jan. Session, 1884. 5 practicing Dentists app. by Gov., 4 yr. term, 2 app. every 2 yrs. and 3 every 2 yrs. chose President and a Secretary, annual report to Gov., not to interfere with physicians and surgeons, examine, etc., those wishing to practice dentistry in Md.
- Jan. Session, 1886. Candidates must exhibit diplomas to the Examiners.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Gov. app. 6 out of 9 proposed by Md. State Dental Association, 6 yr. term, 2 appointed every 2 years, must be practicing dentists of 5 yrs. standing, choose President and Secretary, register or examine Dental Graduates, not to interfere with Physicians and Surgeons:

State Board of Education.

Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, consists of Gov., Lt. Gov., Speaker of House of Delegates and State Superintendent of Education, app. Co. School Coms. on State Superintendent's recommendation, except those in Balto. City, app. by Mayor and City Council.

Jan. Session, 1865. App. Schools Coms. of Balto. City also.

- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, in force until end of 1st Session of Assembly and then expire unless continued by Assembly.
- Jan. Session, 1870. 4 Coms., app. by Gov. from Presidents and examiners of County Boards. 1 from Eastern Shore and also Principal of State Normal School, act as trustees of Normal School, Principal of Normal School is a Trustee of Md. Agr. College. Baltimore City under Mayor and City Council.
- Jan. Session, 1872. School Coms. of Balto. City to make annual report to State Board.
- Jan. Session, 1874. Gov. to be member of the Board.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Consist of Gov., Principal of State Normal School and 4 app. by Gov., of which 1 must be from Eastern Shore.
- Jan. Session, 1898. App. one of Faculty of State Normal School to hold Teachers' Institutes in every County, 5 days a year.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Keep a teachers' retired list, if 25 yrs. service and 60 yrs. old to get pension.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Constituted as follows: Governor, State Superintendent of Education and 6 app. by Gov., 6 yr. term, 2 appointed every 2 yrs, and 2 must be of minority party. Principals of State Normal Schools are members ex officio but without a vote, State Board members are

ex officio Trustees of State Normal School, annual report to Gov., State Sup. of Education is Secretary to the Board. 2 State Normal Schools, I in Balto. City and I in Frostburg: teachers 60 yrs. of age who have served 25 yrs. to be pensioned. Clerk app. by State Sup. of Education is also Clerk to the Board and must not be a teacher.

# State Board of Examining Engineers for Stationary Engines and Engineers.

Jan. Session, 1892. 2 Engineers app. by Gov.

## State Board of Examiners of Horseshoers.

Jan. Session, 1898. 5 members app. by Gov., 4 yr. term, 2 to be master horseshoers, 2 journeymen horseshoers, 1 a veterinarian, choose President and Secretary, issue certificates apprenticeship 3 yrs.

# State Board of Examiners of Nurses.

- Jan. Session, 1904. Md. State Association of Graduate Nurses, give 12 names to Gov. and Gov. from these appoints 5, he appoints annually 1 or 2, term 3 yrs., they elect President and a Secretary who is also Treasurer, examine nurses, give certificates, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Md. State Association of Graduate Nurses to give 5 names to Gov. annually from which he selects 2 or 1 as needed, they may revoke a certificate after a hearing.

### State Board of Health.

- Jan. Session, 1874. Gov. app. 5 M. D.s. 2 yr. term, one from each Shore, report to Legislature.
- Jan. Session. 1880. 7 members, Gov. app. 3 M. D.s, and 1 Civil Engineer, also Att'y General and Commissioners of Health of Balto. City, (term 4 yrs., 2 every 2 yrs.), chose President and Secretary who is an M. D. and 'f one of the Board then Gov. app. another, report to Gov. and Legislature, Secretary also Superintendent'of Vital Statistics.
- Jan. Session, 1888. Graduates, M. D.s must present diplomas to State Board of Health, if is practicing without diploma then must pass examination by State Board of Health.
- Jan. Session, 1890. To prevent adulterations, etc., of foods.
- Jan. Session, 1902. May send delegate to any Conference, local, State or National.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Keep record of persons afflicted with Tuberculosis, all Superintendent of Hospitals, etc., all physicians, etc., to report all cases to State Board of Health.

## State Board of Law Examiners.

Jan. Session, 1898. 3 members of the Bar of 10 yrs. standing app. by Court of Appeals, 3 yrs. term, 1 appointed every year, Court of Appeals prescribe rules to govern.

State Board of Managers of Md. House of Correction. Jan. Session, 1878. Consist of Board of Public Works, the Attorney General and 9 app. by Gov., 3 every 2 yrs. for 6 yr. term, annual report to Gov., is incorporated.

#### State Board of Medical Examiners.

- Nov. Session, 1798. 7 M. D.s from W. Shore and 5 M. D.s from E. Shore, license necessary for any one not yet practicing.
- Dec. Session, 1816. Censors appointed in each County to examine diplomas and if correct then can practice without examination.
- Dec. Session, 1818. Repeals Act 1816, no non-resident to practice unless examined.
- Dec. Session, 1838. Thompsonians exempted from State Medical Laws.
- Jan. Session, 1867. Gov. app. 12 M. D.s for Balto. City, and 6 in each County to grant licenses to those entitled to practice medicine, these 12 and 6s to be elected annually by the M. D.s and each Board send a Delegate to constitute a *Permanent Board of Examiners*.
- Jan. Session, 1892. 2 Boards are created. I. 7 named by Medical and Chirurgical Faculty of which 2 must be from East. Shore and 2 west of the Blue Ridge. II, 7 named by State Homeopathic Society of which 3 must be from Balto. City. All must be M. D.s and terms 4 years.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Both Boards to reorganize June, 1902, each to consist of 8 members. I, 8 selected by the Medical and Chirurgical Faculty. II, 8 selected by the Md. State Homeopathic Society, 2 are selected by each annually, all must be M. D.s. Each Board elects a President, Secretary and Treasurer, may revoke licenses by vote of 5 but appeal can be taken to Circuit Court, annual report to their Societies. All M. D.s must be reigstered, all licenses must be filed with Co. Circuit or Superior Court Balto. City.

## State Board of Pharmacy.

Jan. Session. 1902. Gov. app. 5 Pharmacists, 2 of which must be from Balto. City and 3 from the Counties, 5 yr. term, I appointed annually, elect President, Secretary and Treasurer, meet twice a year in Balto. City, annual report to Gov., not to apply to Talbot County.

# State Board of Pilot Examiners.

Jan. Session, 1892. 3 Examiners, 1 app. by President of Board of Trade, Balto. City, 1 by President of Corn and Flour Exchange, Balto. City, and 3rd member to be the President of the Pilots' Association.

# State Board of Undertakers.

- Jan. Session, 1902. Consists as follows: Gov. app. 5 who must be undertakers and 3 must be from Balto. City and the Secretary of the State Board of Health and Health Commissioners of Balto. City, term 2 yrs.
- Jan. Session, 1904. 8 may revoke licenses after hearing. State Bounty Board.
- Jan. Session, 1865. App. by Gov., 3 from each County and each Legislative District, Balto. City.
- Jan. Session, 1868. All County Acts 1864 to 1867 repealed. State Canvassing Board.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Comptroller, State Treasurer, Attorney General, Clerk of Court of Appeals, Secretary of State.

## State Chemist.

- Jan. Session, 1894. Professor of Chemistry Md. Agricultural College to be ex officio State Chemist.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Analyze annually a sample of every concentrated feed stuff.

State Directors in Companies with State interest.

- Dec. Session, 1840. Annually elected by Assembly, but no member of Assembly eligible.
  - State Directors (5) Eastern Shore Railway.

Dec. Session, 1837. App. by Gov.

#### State Entomologist.

- Jan. Session, 1896. Professor of Md. Agricultural College to be app. by Gov., inspect nurseries, to watch for San Jose scale especially.
- Jan. Session, 1898. Same as Entomologist Professor at Md. Agricultural College.

## State Fire Marshal.

Jan. Session, 1894. App. by Gov., 2 yr. term.

## State Game Warden.

- Jan. Session, 1896. App. by Gov., 2 yr. term, warden can app. Deputies.
- Jan. Session, 1904. App. by Gov., 2 yr. term, he can app. Deputies, have powers of constables or police as regards game laws.

## State Geological and Economic Survey.

- Jan. Session, 1896. Consists of Governor, Comptroller, President of the Johns Hopkins University, President of Md. Agricultural College, app. a Superintendent who is a Geologist and who can app. Assistants, report to Legislature.
- Jan. Session, 1898. To make a Topographical Survey of Md.

State Geologist.

Jan. Session, 1896. App. by State Geological and Economic Survey.

## State Horticulturist.

Jan. Session, 1898. Same as Horticulturist Professor Md. Agricultural College.

## State Horticultural Department.

Jan. Session, 1898. Consist of Entomologist, Pathologist and Horticulturist, same as same Professors of Md. Agricultural College, annual written report.

#### State Librarian.

- Dec. Session, 1826. App. by Gov., for State Library, rules made by President of Senate and Speaker of House.
- Dec. Session, 1837. MSS. Declaration of Rights and Constitution to be deposited by him in Western Shore Court of Appeals Office.
- Dec. Session, 1847. App. by vote of Senate and House.
- July 4, 1851. App. by vote of *Senate and House*, New Constitution.
- Jan. Session, 1852. Have general supervision of State House, grounds, etc., employ watchmen, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1854. To complete reports of Chancery decisions.
- Jan. Session, 1856. Have charge of all Public Buildings and grounds within State House Circle, and can employ watchmen.
- April Session, 1861. App. Keeper of Steam House and Keeper Furnace, Record Building, Assistant Librarian, 2 Acts.
- Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, app. by both Houses, 4 yr. term, Gov. fills vacancy.
- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, app. by both Houses, 4 yr. term, no Clerk or Assistant.
- Jan. Session, 1868. To bind all laws of Assembly and distribute.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Rearrange State Records, Catalogue Library, etc.

# State Library Commission.

Jan. Session, 1902. Consist of State Librarian, Librarian of Enoch Pratt Library, Superintendent of Public Instruction and 4 app. by Gov., of which 2 must be women, 2 yr. term, chose President and a Secretary who acts as Treasurer. organize Travelling Libraries, etc.

# State Library. Committee.

Jan. Session, 1892. 3 app. by Court of Appeals to buy books, etc., for Library and make rules, etc., for Library.

# State Live Stock Sanitary Board.

Jan. Session, 1888. 3 app. by Gov., 2 yr. terms, must be engaged in breeding live stock.

# State Lunacy Commission.

- Jan. Session, 1886. 5 Commissioners app. by Gov., 4 yr. terms, one appointed every year and the Attorney General, 2 of them must be M. D.s, 3 must be from Balto. City. They app. a Secretary who must be an M. D., must visit all places where insane persons are kept.
- Jan. Session, 1890. To have convicts insane in penitentiary removed to Insane Asylums. The Directors of Penitentiary apply to them and they examine and remove.
- Jan. Session, 1904. To transfer all indigent insane from Alms Houses and Asylums to State Hospitals for Insane. State Military Board.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Consists of Adjutant General, Comptroller and State Treasurer, handle accounts of Md. National Guards, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1806. Consists of Adjutant General, Comptroller, State Treasurer; Adjutant General is President. State Oyster Police Commissioners.

# Jan. Session, 1868. Coms. are Gov., Treasurer of State, Comptroller, Superintendent of Labor and Agriculture and Clerk to Court of Appeals, app. a Commander of Vessels of Oyster Police, term 2 yrs., buy vessels, etc.

#### State Pathologist.

Jan. Session, 1898. Same as Pathologist Professor at Md. Agricultural College.

# State Pension Commissioners for the War of 1812.

- Jan. Session, 1867. Gov. app. one in each County and in each Legislative District of Baltimore City.
- Oct. 5, 1867. Office of State Pension Commissioner abolished and the Legislature can not create such office or establish any general pension system within the State, New Constitution.

State Printer.

Pay often mentioned by seems no appointive Act until Dec. Session, 1821. Named, if dies, Gov. to appoint.

State Prison Removal Commission.

Jan. Session, 1888. 5 Coms. app. by Gov., report to next Assembly about removing Penitentiary, etc.

State Recorder.

- Jan. Session, 1852. App. by Court of Appeals, 4 yr. term, hurry out Md. Reports.
- Jan. Session, 1865. App. by Court of Appeals, 4 yr. term. State Registrar of Vital Statistics.
- Jan. Session, 1898. Secretary of Board of Health to act as this.

State Reporter.

- Jan. Session, 1867. App. by Court of Appeals, 4 yr. term. State Reporter and Codifier.
- Jan. Session. 1904. To be appointed by Court of Appeals, 4 yr. term.
  - State Representative for State Holdings in Stock Companies, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1829. App. by Gov.
- Dec. Session, 1832. 3 app. by Gov.

Dec. Session, 1840. 5 annually app. by Assembly.

State Shipping Commissioners.

Jan. Session, 1888. App. by Gov., 2 yr. terms, 5 for Balto. City and one for each of the 7 Oyster Districts.

Jan. Session, 1894. Gov. app. 5 for Balto. City and 1 for each of 7 Oyster Districts, 2 yr. term, all crews must be signed before them except not to apply to boats under 10 tons or if person resident in County where Captain resident unless in Balto. City and County.

## State Superintendent of Education.

Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, app. by Gov., 4 yr. term. Jan. Session, 1865. Assist Martenet in preparation Map of State.

Jan. Session, 1865. Have Secretary.

- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, in force until end of 1st Session of Assembly and then expire unless continued by Assembly.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Is member of State Board of Education, app. a Clerk who is also Clerk to State Board of Education and must not be a teacher, he or County Superintendent to preside over Teachers' Institutes which must be held once a year for 5 days in each County.

## State Superintendent of Immigration.

Jan. Session, 1896. Is member of Bureau of Immigration and is app. by Gov. 2 yr. term, must visit Europe once a year, Office in Balto. City.

# State Superintendent of Labor and Agriculture.

- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, elected 4 yr. term, take duties of Commissioner of Immigration and of Immigration Agent, supervise all State Inspectors of Agricultural products and fertilizers, audit their accounts and make regulations for them, supervise Tob. Warehouses and other inspection and storage buildings, inquire into undeveloped resources especially of Chesapeake Bay and tributaries and suggest plans to increase their revenue, reports to Assembly and Gov., expire in 4 yrs. unless Assembly continues.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Organize under Constitution Oct. 5, 1867, must have office in Balto. City, may employ an Assistant, have charge of all Public Buildings of State, receive Inspectors reports as to fertilizers, etc., can employ an agent at Bremen and one at Liverpool to attract immigrants, Commissioner of Immigration and Immigration Agent turn over all papers, etc., to State Sup. of Labor and Agriculture.
- Jan. Session, 1872. Expired by Limitation as per Constitution Oct. 5, 1867.

#### State Tax Commissioner.

- Jan. Session, 1878. App. by Gov., State Treasurer and Comptroller, 4 vr. term.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Telephone, Electric Light, Pipe Line, etc., Companies file copy of Charter.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Telegraph, Cable, Express, Pipe Lines, Insurance, Electric, etc., Companies make sworn statements to him annually.
- Jan. Session, 1800. Presidents of Safe Deposit, Fidelity, Guaranty and Trust, etc., Companies make sworn statements to him as to amount of securities held by their companies.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Distillers to report to him the amount of stock on hand.
- Jan. Session, 1900. After fixing value of distilled spirits to report same to Co. Coms. and to Appeal Tax Court of Balto. City.

Jan. Session, 1902. Have 3 Clerks.

Jan. Session, 1902. Banks to make annual report to him. Jan. Session, 1904.

# State Topographical Engineer and Geologist.

Dec. Session, 1833. App. by Gov., to survey and map the State.

Dec. Session, 1834. Continues Act 1833.

Dec. Session, 1841. Repeals above Act.

State Treasurer.

Jan. Session, 1890. Telephone, Electric Light, etc., Companies pay tax of from 2 to ½% gross proceeds to him.

Jan. Session, 1800. Telegraph, Express, etc., Companies pay him tax of 1% gross proceeds.

Jan. Session, 1890. Telegraph, Express, Cable, Pipe Lines, Insurance, Electric, etc., Companies pay tax on gross proceeds, 2 to  $\frac{1}{2}$ %.

Jan. Session, 1890. He and Comptroller to count State Bonds, etc., 4 times a year, in presence of Governor, etc., etc.

State Trustee of Bank Stock due Md. and now in hands of Accountant General of the High Court of Chancery.

Nov. Session, 1797. Not to take part if release of all is asked. [Resolved].

State Vaccine Physician.

Jan. Session, 1864. App. by Gov.

State Vaccine Agent.

Jan. Session, 1872. App. by Gov., 6 yr. term, must be an M. D.

Jan. Session, 1880. Pay, etc.

State Veterinary Medical Board.

Jan. Session, 1894. 5 app. by Gov., 4 yr. term, must be graduates of a Veterinary School, they examine diplomas, examine those who have no diplomas, keep a register of all practitioners, etc.

Jan. Session, 1896. Not to apply to Montgomery County. State Wharfinger.

Jan. Session, 1865. Same powers as any Harbor Master in Baltimore City.

State's Attorneys.

July 4, 1851. New Constitution, 1 elected for each County and for Balto. City, 4 yr. term.

Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, 1 elected for each County - and for Balto. City, 4 yr. term, vacancy filled by Judge with Criminal jurisdiction, State's Attorney for Balto. City can name a Deputy. Oct. 5. 1867. New Constitution, I elected for each County and for Balto. City. 4 yr. term, removable on conviction in Court of Law or by 23 vote of Senate on recommendation of Att'y General, vacancy filled by Judge with Criminal jurisdiction, State's Attorney for Balto. City can app. - a Deputy.

Jan. Session. 1802. To furnish wardens with Criminal records.

## State's Attorney, Anne Arundel County.

Jan. Session, 1894. May file Criminal information. Jan. Session, 1900. Repeals Act 1894.

# State's Attorney, Baltimore County.

Jan. Session. 1892. Can file criminal information.

# Street Commissioners, Baltimore County.

Jan. Session, 1870. 3 app. annually by Co. Coms. to lay out streets.

## Steward to Governor.

Dec. Session, 1829. App. by Gov., make inventory of household goods, fixes them, etc.

March Session, 1838. Repeals Act 1829.

- Superintendent of Bridges, Baltimore County.
- Jan. Session, 1878. App. by Co. Coms., 2 yr. term.
- Jan. Session. 1894 App. by Co. Coms., term 2 vrs.

Jan. Session. 1900. Abolished.

# Superintendent of part of National Road lying within State of Maryland.

Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. App. biennially by Gov.

## Superintendent of Public Buildings and Grounds.

- Jan. Session. 1888. App. by Gov. also a Keeper of the Governor's Mansion, a guard of Public Buildings, a day watchman, a keeper and an assistant keeper of the Steam House, app. by Gov.
- Jan. Session. 1904. Gov. app. Sup. Pub. Bldgs., also Ass't Superintendent. Watchman. Janitor, Engineers, Electrician. etc.
- Jan. Session, 1904. To have inscription put on pedestal of bronze statue of Roger B. Taney at Annapolis, reciting the offices held by him, etc.

## Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Dec. Session, 1825. App. by Gov.

Jan. Session. 1900. App. by Gov., 4 yr. term, can app. a Clerk who is also Clerk to State Board of Education. He holds Teachers' Institutes in each County and he can remove Examiners with consent of  $\frac{2}{3}$  of the Board.

- Jan. Session, 1902. Have a Clerk. distribute a teachers' manual, institute work, etc.
- Jan. Session. 1902. App. by Gov., 4 yr. term, is ex officio a member of the State Board of Education, with consent of 2/3 of State Board of Education, the Gov. can remove him.

## Superintendent of Roads, Charles County.

Jan. Session, 1868. App. by Co. Coms., must be skilled engin'r and draughtsman, recommends Road Supervisors to Co. Coms., who app. but he controls Road Supervisors, annual report to Co. Coms., must be adopted by voters.

Superintendent of Roads, St. Mary's County.

- Jan. Session, 1868. App. by Co. Coms., must be skilled engineer and draughtsman, recommends Road Supervisors to Co. Coms. who app. but he controls Road Supervisors, annual report to Co. Coms., must be adopted by voters.
  - Superintendent of Roads and Bridges. Baltimore County.

Jan. Session, 1898. App. by Co. Coms., 2 yrs.

## Superintendent of the State Census.

March Session, 1901. App. by Gov. He apps. a person in each precinct in Balto. City and the Counties to take the Census, take name, age, color, place of birth, sex, literacy or illiteracy, naturalized or not, to be compiled by July 20, 1891, and Governor to follow this Census in Apportionment of members of House of Delegates.

Superintendent of Telegraph line from House of Correction to Police Headquarters and from Penitentiary to Police Headquarters.

Jan. Session, 1878. (Office created.)

Jan. Session, 1882. Abolished, line turned over to Mayor and City Council Balto. City.

Superior Court, Baltimore City.

July 4. 1851. New Constitution. I Judge elected 10 yr. term. cases over \$500.

Jan. Session, 1852. Powers as to mortgages. etc.

Jan. Session, 1853. Concurrent jurisdiction with Criminal Court in matter of opening Streets.

- April Session, 1861. Can send cases to Circuit Court of Balto. City.
- Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, I Judge elected 15 yr. term, cases over \$1000, civil cases not given to Court Common Pleas, appeals from Coms. for opening Streets.

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Jan. Session, 1867. Can app. a Stenographer.

Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, concurrent jurisdiction with Common Pleas and Balto. City Courts in all civil

common law cases and with Common Pleas as now have. Jan. Session, 1870. Exclusive jurisdiction to hear motions

for new trial and arrest of judgement heard by this Court. Jan. Session, 1880. Habeas Corpus powers, etc.

Jan. Session, 1904. Keep Stallion lien docket.

Jan. Session, 1904. M. D.s file licenses with Superior Court to be turned over to Circuit Court.

## Supervisors of Elections.

- Jan. Session, 1892. Gov. app. 3 persons in each County, 3 yr. term, 1 to be of minority party, they app. Judges of Election, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Gov. names 3 persons in each County and in Balto. City, 1 from each of two leading parties, 4 names are given him by State Central Committee of the party and if they do not suit then 6 more names given, can employ Counsel, are Canvassing Boards.

Jan. Session, 1898. To have a Clerk.

March Session, 1901. To examine Boundaries of Election Districts and Precincts and wherever more than 600 voters for one voting place then to divide so as to have no more than that number at any one voting place, for Counties only.

March Session, 1901. Duties under New Election Law.

Jan. Session, 1902. Give notice of time of election and registration.

Supervisors of Elections, Baltimore City.

- Jan. Session, 1888. Gov. app. 3, of which one of opposite political party, 2 yr. term, they app. 3 Registers for each precinct and also Judges and Clerks of Election, etc., 1 of opposite political party, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1890. App. 3 Registers of voters in each precinct.

Jan. Session, 1892. 3 app. by Gov., 2 yr. term, one must belong to minority party.

Jan. Session, 1898. Lay off 24 wards into precincts.

Jan. Session, 1898. To have a Clerk and a Messenger.

Supervisors of Elections, Frederick City.

Jan. Session, 1804. 3 app. by Gov., 3 yr. term, t of minority party, they app. Judges of Election, etc., etc.

Jan. Session, 1904. 3 app. by Gov., 3 yr. term.

Jan. Session, 1898. 3 app. by Gov., constitute Board of Canvassers.

Supervisors of Election, Hagerstown.

Jan. Session, 1892. 3 app. by Gov., 2 yr. term. 1 from minority party, app. Judges of Election, etc., etc.

Supervisors of Elections, Harford County.

Jan. Session, 1898. Divide Election Districts into precincts. Supervisors of Printing of Paper Currency.

March Session, 1778. App. by Gov., etc., 2 Supervisors.

May Session, 1781. App. by Gov., etc., 2 Supervisors.

Supervisors of Roads.

July 4, 1851. New Constitution, to be elected by Election Districts.

Jan. Session, 1853. One to be elected in each Election District, can be removed by Co. Coms. for neglect, etc.

Jan. Session, 1854. Enlarges powers.

Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, app. by Co. Coms. who set number and duties.

Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, app. by Co. Coms. who set number and duties.

Supervisor of Tobacco Warehouses, Baltimore City. Jan. Session, 1876. (Office established.)

Supervisor of Turnpikes, Baltimore County.

Nov. Session, 1801. To be app. by Levy Court, Baltimore County.

Supervisors of Wicomico County Jail.

Jan. Session, 1894. Consist of President of Co. Coms., Co. Treasurer and State's Attorney, if prisoners sentenced to hard labor, can make them work on public roads.

Jan. Session, 1896. Repeals Act of 1894.

Supreme Bench, Baltimore City.

- Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, a Chief and 4 Associate Judges elected 15 yr. term, assign Judges from time to time to different City Courts, 3 a quorum, hear all motions for new trial and for arrest of judgement, but no appeal to Supreme Bench from Balto. City Court in J. P. appeal cases.
- Jan. Session, 1892. App. Stenographers, not exceeding number of Judges.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Another Judge to be elected.

Jan. Session, 1896. 2 more Judges to be elected.

- Jan. Session, 1900. Make rules for naturalizations in the City Courts.
- Jan. Session, 1902. App. Probation Officers, to act in conjunction with the Magistrate in Juvenile Causes.

Jan. Session, 1904. App. any number of Probation Officers of either sex, 3 to be designated as paid Officers and under the direction of the Magistrate for Juvenile Causes, to visit Institutions for young.

## Surgeon General.

Jan. Session, 1867. Militia Act.

Jan. Session, 1868. Militia Act.

Jan. Session, 1870. Militia Act.

Jan. Session, 1892. Militia Act mentions.

#### Surveyors.

Jan. 1, 1777. App. by Gov., etc.

Dec. Session, 1849. Can app. Deputies without obtaining consent of Examiner General.

July 4. 1851. New Constitution, 1 for each Co., and Balto. City, elected 2 yr. term, vacancies filled by Co. Coms. or by Mayor and City Council, Balto. City.

Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, same as 1851.

Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, same as 1864.

#### Surveyor, Baltimore County.

Jan. Session, 1904. Prepare an official road map of the County.

Surveyor, Frederick County.

Dec. Session, 1839. To keep alphabet record.

Surveyor, Queen Anne's County.

Dec. Session, 1833. All surveying under law to be given to him.

#### Surveyor, Washington County.

Jan. Session, 1868. Any Surveyor's records to be purchased.

Jan. Session, 1904. Establish grades, etc., on request of Co. Coms.

Jan. Session, 1874. Survey all public roads and make record.

### Surveyor to Survey Allegany and Garrett Counties.

Jan. Session, 1874. App. by Gov., make plats, Report to Gov. and to Co. Coms. and to County Courts and recorded as true boundaries, etc.

# Surveyor to determine the Boundary between Allegany and Garrett Counties.

Jan. Session, 1898. App. by Gov., report to Gov., send one plat to Commissioner of the Land Office and 1 to each Circuit Court, *i. e.*, of Allegany and Garrett Counties.

Surveyor to Lay Out Lands West of Fort Cumberland.

Apr. Session, 1787. To lay out manors, reserves and vacant lands into 50 acre lots and report to next Assembly.

## Tax Collectors, Allegany County.

Jan. Session, 1898. County divided into 4 Collection Districts and Collector elected in each, 2 yr. term.

# Tax Commissions, 5 members, one Commissioner in each County.

Feb. Session, 1777. Appoint Assessor in each Hundred, get list of land from late County Receivers of Quit Rents and of taxables from Co. Court Clerk and of lodgers from householders, appoint Clerk, Sheriff collects Assessors' Lists to Clerk of Commission and he sends to Clerk of House of Delegates, Commission hears complaints, etc., *i. e.*, Appeal Tax Court powers which previously with Co. Courts.

## Tax Commissions.

- June Session, 1780. To recommend men for Tobacco Inspectors to Gov.
- Oct. Session, 1780. To appoint Tobacco Inspectors annually.
- May Session, 1781. Can move warehouses if enemy threaten.
- May Session, 1781. To continue to appoint Collectors, Commissaries of provisions, etc.
- Nov. Session, 1782. To app. 1 person each County to get sworn statements of losses of property destroyed or carried off by English and send to Gov. who sends to minister of foreign affairs under Seal of Md.
- Nov. Session, 1785. 2 Acts, Personal Property Act they appoint Assessor for each 2 or 3 Hundreds and sit 20 days in Counties and 10 days in Baltimore for appeals. Real Property they appoint one or more discoverers of Real Property for each County and Baltimore and the Tax Coms. value it, appeals decided by Appeal Courts for this.
- Nov. Session, 1785. Recommend Tob. Inspectors to Gov., etc., name Tob. Warehouses.
- Nov. Session, 1785. Name Collector for each Co. and for Baltimore and Deputy Collectors, etc., etc.

# Taxation Commission.

Jan. Session, 1900. Gov. app. 3 Coms. to examine taxation laws, prepare amendments, etc., report to next Assembly.

# Tax Commissioners, one each County and Baltimore City.

Nov. Session, 1812. 5 Coms., Real and Personal, assessor in each Election District and 2 in Precincts of Baltimore, sit 20 days for appeals, Clerk, etc.

# Tax Commission, Allegany County.

Nov. Session, 1790. To get property lists from Washington Co., Tax Commission.

Dec. Session, 1829. Abolished, County Commissioners take powers, books, etc.

# Tax Commission, Anne Arundel County.

Apr. Session, 1787. To divide Co. into not more than 7 Districts and appoint a Collector in each.

Dec. Session, 1816. To revalue.

- Dec. Session, 1828. Abolished, powers, books, etc., to County Commissioners.
- Dec. Session, 1842. Publish annual statement.

## Tax Commission, Baltimore County.

- Nov. Session, 1781. To name additional assessor for Baltimore.
- Nov. Session, 1802. To app. assessors of new or destroyed property who make returns to Clerk of Commission.
- Dec. Session, 1822. Appoint 3 Assessors who go together to assess, Tax Coms. can correct.

#### Tax Commission, Baltimore Town.

Nov. Session, 1792. This Act same as that of 1781 except a separate Commission provided for Baltimore Town.

#### Tax Commission, Baltimore City.

Nov. Session, 1802. To name assessors of new or destroyed property, who make returns to Clerk of the Commission.

- Dec. Session, 1822. App. 3 Assessors who go together to assess, Tax Coms. can correct assessment.
- Dec. Session, 1827. Abolished, powers go to Mayor and City Council.

#### Tax Commission, Calvert County.

Dec. Session, 1830. Abolished, powers, etc., to County Commissioners.

#### Tax Commission, Caroline County.

Dec. Session, 1831. New Coms. named.

Dec. Session, 1838. Abolished, powers go to Levy Court. Tax Commission, Carroll County.

- Dec. Session, 1836. 9 Coms., 1 from each District app. by Gov., and Incorporated, Clerk, app. Assessors, revalue County under Act 1812.
- Dec. Session, 1836. To appoint Constables, Supervisors, etc., annually.
- Dec. Session, 1837. To make annual report.
- Murch Session, 1838. Road powers, those of Balto. Co. Coms. and Act 1825-1837 Balto Co. to apply.

Dec. Session, 1839. App. 3 Trustees of the Poor.

Dec. Session, 1842. 5 elected, 2 yr. term, 2 one year, 3 next vear, alternately and Co. divided into 5 Districts for such election.

Tax Commission, Charles County.

Dec. Session, 1830. Abolished, powers, etc., to Levy Court. Tax Commission, Dorchester County.

Dec. Session, 1838. Abolished, powers go to County Commissioners

Dec. Session, 1843. Publish annual statement.

Dec. Session, 1843. App. constable for Town of Vienna.

Tax Commission, Frederick County.

Dec. Session, 1834. App. Assessors, etc., to revalue County, under Act 1812.

Dec. Session, 1844. Abolished, powers go to Levy Court, in effect April 1, 1845.

Tax Commission, Harford County.

Dec. Session, 1827. Abolished, powers and books to County Commissioners.

Tax Commission, Howard District, Anne Arundel County.

Dec. Session, 1840. 3 annually app.

Tax Commission, Kent County.

Dec. Session, 1835. To revalue County, act under Act 1812.

Dec. Session, 1838. Abolished, powers go to Levy Court.

Tax Commission, Montgomery County.

Dec. Session, 1835. To sit 3 times a year for appeals and transfers [Appeal Tax Court].

Dec. Session, 1836. To sit 12 days in April for appeals. Dec. Session, 1838. Abolished, powers go to County Commissioners.

Tax Commission, Prince George's County.

Dec. Session, 1829. Abolished, powers go to Levy Court.

Tax Commission, Queen Anne's County.

- Dec. Session, 1828. Abolished, powers, books, etc., to Levy Court
  - Tax Commission, St. Mary's County.

Dec. Session, 1830. Abolished, powers, etc., to Levy Court. Dec. Session, 1841. App. a Collector in each District.

Tax Commission, Somerset County.

Dec. Session, 1816. To revalue. Dec. Session, 1826. 5 Coms., app. by Levy Court.

Dec. Session, 1828. 5 Coms., app. by Levy Court.

## Tax Commission, Talbot County.

Dec. Session, 1816. To revalue, 5 new Coms. named.

Dec. Session, 1842. To publish annual statement.

Tax Commission, Washington County.

Dec. Session, 1820. Abolished, County Commissioners take powers, books, etc.

# Tax Commission, Worcester County.

- Dec. Session, 1841. App. Collector in each District. Dec. Session, 1836. To sit 12 days in April annually for appeals, etc. [Appeal Tax Court].
- March Session, 1838. Abolished Oct., 1839, powers go to County Commissioners.

# Telephone Commissioners.

Jan. Session, 1894. 3 Coms. app. by Gov., report to next Assembly, may employ expert Accountant.

## Tobacco Inspectors.

- Jan. Session, 1872. 5 app. by Gov., 2 yr. term, one for each warehouse Balto. City, app. Clerks, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1878. 5 app. by Gov., 2 yr. term, Balto. City, Clerks, etc., as before.
- June Session, 1777. Co. Court appoints 2 or 4 by July 21, vestries no longer act.
- June Session, 1780. App. by Gov., etc., upon recommendation of Tax Commissioners.
- May Session, 1781. May inspect at private houses if enemy threaten.
- Nov. Session, 1785. Recommended by Tax Coms. and appointed by Gov., keep accts., etc., complaints heard by Co. Courts and appeal to Gov. and Council.
- Nov. Session, 1787. To send list of 3 vrs. Tob. to Co. Court Clerk who sells, etc.
- Nov. Session, 1789. Recommended by Co. Courts and app. by Gov., can be removed by Co. Court, Report Acct's to Co. Court, Cecil Co. Court need not act, Fred. and Washington Cos. can use any warehouses.
- Nov. Session, 1790. Those in Baltimore to attend at all times except holidays.
- Nov. Session, 1793. Harford Co. inspection abolished.
- Dec. Session, 1820. Various tobacco exempted from inspection.
- Dec. Session, 1836. Limited to 5 yrs, term of office but reeligible after out 1 year.
- Jan. Session, 1852. Repeals Act 1836, can serve any length of time.

- Jan. Session, 1890. Gov. app. 3, each has Chief Clerk, 2 Ass't Clerks, Laborers, etc., Warehouses I and 2 to be consolidated as I and 3 and 4 as 3 but if necessary Gov. may app. another Inspector and separate houses.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Each employs Deputy, Chief Clerk, 2 Assistant Clerks, Laborers, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1898. Gov. app., 2 yr. terms, 1 Chief Inspector and 2 Deputies, Chief app. 5 Clerks but does not have No. 2 Warehouse.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Deputies to app. Assistant Deputies.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Chief Inspector app. Chief Clerk and an Assistant. Deputy Inspectors appoint Assistant Deputy, 5 Clerks, etc.

Tobacco Inspectors, Baltimore County.

- Jan. Session, 1858. Each one can app. Chief Clerk, Weighing Clerk, Shipping and Receiving Clerk.
- Jan. Session, 1860. 5 Inspectors, 1 for each warehouse, app. by Gov., term 2 yrs.
- Jan. Session, 1864. 5 Inspectors, 1 for each warehouse, app. by Gov., 4 to be from tobacco growing district.
  - Tobacco Commissioners (3) for St. Mary's, Charles, Calvert, Prince George, Anne Arundel, Howard, Montgomery and Carroll Counties.
- Jan. Session, 1860. App. by Legislature, 3 Coms. for 2 yr. term.
- Jan. Session, 1867. Appropriation for the 3 Coms.
  - Treasurer, Allegany County.
- Jan. Session, 1898. Elected 2 yr. term.

Jan. Session, 1902. Elected 2 yr. term, collect all taxes, Co. Coms. fill vacancies, has powers of general assessor, can appoint Deputies.

Jan. Session, 1904. Electric roads pay 10% gross proceeds to him or if in Cumberland, to Treasurer of Cumberland.

Jan. Session, 1904. Have his accounts audited by an auditor appointed by Governor.

Treasurer, Anne Arundel County.

- Jan. Session, 1884. App. by Co. Coms., 2 yr. term, duties, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Elected, 2 yr. term, collect all taxes, Co. Coms., can fill vacancy and can remove for cause, Co. Coms. to appoint a Treasurer until next election.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Elected 4 yr. term, (until election one is app. by Co. Coms.), collects all taxes, app. Clerk or Deputy.

## Treasurer, Baltimore County.

Dec. Session, 1818. App. by Levy Court.

Dec. Session, 1826. App. by Levy Court from time to time.

Dec. Session, 1826. App. by County Commissioners, who take Levy Court's powers.

- Dec. Session, 1846. Elected at General Election, acts as Clk. to Coms.
- Dec. Session, 1846. Taxes paid to him.
- Jan. Session, 1853. To keep School Fund separate from other money.
- Jan. Session, 1876. Elected, 2 yr. term, visit each Election District and also Balto. City, report monthly to Co. Coms., Co. Coms. fill vacancy; no more Tax Collectors for Balto. County.
- Jan. Session, 1878. To collect all State and County taxes. Treasurer, Calvert County.
- Jan. Session, 1888. Elected by Co. Coms. from their members and is also President of Board of Co. Coms.
  - Jan. Session, 1890. After 1893 elected 4 yr. term and until then appointed by Gov., not reeligible until out of office 4 yrs., and collect all taxes, appoint a Deputy who acts as Clerk to Co. Coms., report every 2 months to Co. Coms.
  - Jan. Session, 1892. "App. by Gov., 2 yr. term, collect all taxes.

Jan. Session, 1898. Elected 2 yr. term.

## Treasurer, Caroline County.

- Jan. Session, 1882. App. by Co. Coms., 2 yr. term.
- Jan. Session, 1884. Elected 4 yr. term, also to act as Clerk to Board of Co. Coms.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Collect all taxes.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Collect all taxes, visit each election precinct annually.

## Treasurer, Carroll County.

Jan. Session, 1872. Elected 2 yr. term, acts also as Clerk to Co. Coms.

## Treasurer, Charles County.

Jan. Session, 1882. App. annually by Co. Coms.

Jan. Session, 1904. Elected, 4 yr. term, collects all taxes, Co. Coms. fill vacancy, he can appoint an Assistant Treasurer.

#### Treasurer, Cecil County.

Jan. Session, 1886. App. annually by Co. Coms., may app. Deputies.

- Jan. Session, 1894. Elected 2 yr. term, app. Assistant, acts as Secretary to Co. Coms. as Clerk to Co. Coms. formerly acted.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Elected 2 yr. term, collect all taxes, app. an Assistant Treasurer but after 1901 the Assistant to be also elected, 2 yr. term, act as Secretary to Co. Coms. and do duties now performed by the Clerk to the Co. Coms. **Treasurer**, **Dorchester County**.
- Jan. Session, 1882. Elected 4 yr. term, until election one appointed by Co. Coms.
- Jan. Session, 1886. App. by Co. Coms., 2 yr. term, acts also as Clerk to Board of County Commissioners.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Act as Clerk to Co. Coms., Co. Coms. app. an Accountant to audit his accounts at the end of his term.

#### Treasurer, Frederick County.

Jan. Session, 1896. Elected 2 yr. term, collects all taxes, vacancy filled by Gov.

Jan. Session, 1898. Elected 2 yr. term, collect all taxes.

Jan. Session, 1904. App. a Clerk.

Treasurer, Garrett County.

Jan. Session, 1888. App. by Co. Coms., term 2 yrs., duties, etc.

Jan. Session, 1890. Chosen by Co. Coms., term 2 yrs., and they can remove him for cause, collects all taxes, visit in person or by deputy each Election Dictrict 2 days between July 1, and Sept. 1, annually.

Jan. Session, 1892. Elected 2 yr. term (1893), collect all taxes.

Treasurer, Harford County.

Jan. Session, 1898. Elected 2 yr. term, collects all taxes, Co. Coms. fill vacancies, Gov. app. one to serve until election.

Jan. Session, 1900. Collect all taxes.

Jan. Session, 1904. Elected, 4 yr. term.

Treasurer and Clerk to Commissioners, Howard District, Anne Arundel County.

Dec. Session, 1849. To be elected 3 yr. term, also act as Clerk to Commissioners.

# Treasurer, Howard County.

Jan. Session. 1852. 2 yr. term.

- Jan. Session, 1896. App. by Co. Coms. until next election, then elected 2 yr. term, collects all taxes.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Elected 2 yr. term, may be removed by Gov. for cause.

#### Treasurer, Kent County.

Jan. Session, 1890. App. by Co. Coms., term 2 yrs., collect all taxes.

Jan. Session, 1894. Elected, 2 yr. term, collects all taxes. Treasurer, Prince George's County.

Jan. Session, 1872. App. by Co. Coms., 5 yr. term, collects all taxes, monthly report to Co. Coms.; furnished assessment lists by Clerk of Co. Coms.

Jan. Session, 1874. Elected, 4 yr. term, vacancy filled by Gov.

Jan. Session, 1876. Collect all State and County Taxes.

Jan. Session, 1882. Collect all State and County Taxes.

Jan. Session, 1888. Elected 4 yr. term, not eligible for reelection for 4 yrs.

Jan. Session, 1890. To visit himself or by deputy 2 days annually each Election District between the time of the Levy and Oct. 1.

Jan. Session, 1890. Pubilsh weekly for 6 weeks a list of all taxes in default.

Jan. Session, 1898. Elected 4 yr. term.

Treasurer, Queen Anne's County.

Jan. Session, 1882. Appointed by Co. Coms. from their own members.

Jan. Session, 1898. Elect 4 yr. term, collect all taxes, vacancy filled by Co. Coms.

Treasurer, St. Mary's County.

Jan. Session, 1888. Elected by Co. Coms. from their members.

Jan. Session, 1890. Elected by Co. Coms., 2 yr. term, is Clerk to Co. Coms. and serves as Treasurer in addition.

Jan. Session, 1900. Elected 2 yr term, can app. Assistant Treasurer, Gov. fill vacancy, one app. until election.

Jan. Session, 1902. Elected 2 yr. term, collect all taxes, not reeligible until out of office 2 yrs., can name an Assistant, Gov. fill vacancy.

Treasurer, Somerset County.

Jan. Session, 1888. App. by Co. Coms. annually and acts as Clk. to Co. Coms.

Jan. Session, 1894. Elected 2 yr. term, collects all taxes.

Jan. Session, 1896. Co. Coms. app. a Clerk 2 yr. term, who acts also as Treasurer.

Jan. Session, 1902. Furnish assessment lists to Collectors, 4 Collection Districts.

# Treasurer, Talbot County.

- Jan. Session, 1900. Elected 4 yr. term, collects all taxes, Gov. fills vacancy, act as Clerk to Co. Coms., app. a Clerk, Circuit Court can remove him for cause, to visit each Election District once a month.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Elected, 6 yr. term, collect all taxes, Co. Coms. fill vacancy, act as Clerk to Co. Coms.; app. a Clerk, can be removed by Circuit Court for cause, visit each Election District twice a year.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Visit each Election District in August and December of each year.

Treasurer, Washington County.

Jan. Session, 1870. App. annually by Co. Coms.

Treasurer, Wicomico County.

Jan. Session, 1884. Clerk to Co. Coms. to be Treasurer.

Jan. Session, 1886. Publish a yearly statement.

- Jan. Session, 1894. Elected 2 yr. term, acts as Clerk to Co. Coms.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Collect all taxes, Co. Coms. fill vacancy, he can app. a Deputy, acts as Clerk to Co. Coms., can be removed by Circuit Court for cause.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Collect all taxes, Co. Coms. fill vacancy, he can app. a Deputy, 4 yr. term, acts as Clerk to Co. Coms., visit each Election District annually.

# Treasurer, Worcester County.

- Jan. Session, 1890. Clerk to Co. Coms. to act as Treasurer, holds office as long as terms of those who appointed him.
- Dec. Session, 1846. Foreign Corporations must get license from him.

# Treasurer of the State.

- Dec. Session, 1847. To be app. by *Senate and House*. To be confirmed.
- July 4, 1851. New Constitution, app. by Senate and House, sign all State Stock, pay warrants signed by Comptroller, etc., quarterly reports to Comptroller, decides when Coms. of Public Works are equally divided upon some matter.
- Jan. Session, 1852. Can app. Agent to pay interest on Public Debt.
- Jan. Session, 1852. Take duties of late Coms. of Loans as to renewal of Stock Certificates.
- Jan. Session, 1854. Have Journals of both Houses indexed 1777-1828.
- Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, elected by joint ballot of both Houses, powers and duties much same as 1851, report to Legislature, submit to Comptroller's inspection at all times.

Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, elected by joint ballot of both Houses, powers and duties much same as 1864, also monthly statement published, Gov. fills vacancy and can remove after a hearing.

Jan. Session, 1868. To be a Commissioner of State Oyster Police, issues oyster licenses also, etc.

# Treasurer Eastern Shore.

Jan. 1, 1777. Chosen by House of Delegates.

- Dec. Session, 1825. To hold office permanently at Easton.
- Dec. Session, 1841. Abolished, duties go to Treasurer Western Shore.

## Treasurer Western Shore.

Jan. 1, 1777. Chosen by House of Delegates.

- May Session, 1781. Send list of public tob. to Co. Tax Coms.
- Nov. Session, 1783. To advertise as to claims against those convicted of treason, must be filed by Oct. 1, 1784.
- Nov. Session, 1801. To furnish list of State debtors to Gov. on application.
- Dec. Session, 1813. To negotiate Loan \$150,000 on terms and periods approved by Gov. and Council.
- Dec. Session, 1814. Same as Dec., 1813.
- Dec. Session, 1816. Not to make loan of \$150,000 but only \$20,000.
- Dec. Session, 1828. To represent State Holdings in Stock Companies, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1828. Takes Duties of Trustee of State.
- Dec. Session, 1829. Powers to represent State Holdings in Stock Companies, etc., taken away.
- Dec. Session, 1834. Enlarged powers, appointment Clerks, etc., require annual reports from Banks, to keep Militia Accounts, etc., 3 Acts.
- May Session, 1836. All Schools, Colleges, etc., receiving State aid to annually report to him or he not to pay them.
- Dec. Session, 1838. To take powers of Coms. of Internal Improvements Act 1836.
- Dec. Session, 1839. All Insurance Companies to report annually to him.
- Dec. Session, 1841. Takes duties of Treasurer Eastern Shore.
- Dec. Session, 1845. State Treasurer to make Annual Report to Gov., to be confirmed.

Dec. Session, 1846. Confirms Act 1845.

Treasurer of School Fund, Dorchester County. Dec. Session, 1837. App. by Levy Court. Treasurer of School Fund, Montgomery County. Dec. Session, 1837. App. by Levy Court.

Troop "A" Armory Building Commission.

Jan. Session, 1902. Gov. app. as many Coms. as he thinks best.

Trustees of Confederate Cemetery at Point Lookout.

Jan. Session, 1870. 8. President and Secretary hold for life.

Trustees (3) London, Md. Holding of Bank of England Stock.

June Session, 1780. Bills to be drawn upon them.

Apr. Session, 1783. To hand over to State Agent, are thereby discharged.

Trustees (4) in London for Md. Bank of England Stock Holding.

Nov. Session, 1791. To receive all moneys, etc.

Trustees of Md. Agricultural College.

- Jan. Session, 1856. State appropriation, report to Legislature.
- Jan. Session, 1866. 11 Trustees instead of 22, 4 to be the members of State Board of Education, 6 more from Md. and 1 from Dist. of Columbia, they app. Visitors, 1 from each County and 2 from Balto. City.
- Jan. Session, 1868. President of Senate a Trustee, in place of Lt. Gov. abolished.
- Jan. Session, 1888. Consist of the following: 5 elected by stockholders of which one must be from Dist. of Columbia, Gov. app. one farmer from each Congressional District, 6 yr. term, 2 appointed every 2 yrs., and the Governor, Comptroller, Treasurer, President of Senate, Speaker of House of Delegates and the Attornev General.

Trustees of M'Donough Charity School.

Nov. Session, 1807. 7 Trustees, app. by Charles County Orphans' Court.

Trustees of Montevue Hospital.

Jan. Session, 1880. Takes powers of Trustees of Poor Frederick County, receive insane sent by any State Court.

Trustees of the Poor.

- Nov. Session, 1799. Enlarges powers, may keep out pensioners even in Counties where alms houses are established.
- Nov. Session, 1809. Enlarges powers except in Anne Arundel, Cecil, Calvert, Harford, Queen Anne, Dorchester and Caroline Cos.

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Dec. Session, 1817. Can send pauper Lunatics to Md. Hospital at County expense.

Dec. Session, 1820. Can bind pauper female minors until 18 yrs. of age or married.

Jan. 1, 1865. App. by Co. Coms.

Trustees of the Poor, Anne Arundel County.

Nov. Session, 1804. Enlarges powers.

Dec. Session, 1821. 5 app. by Levy Court.

Jan. Session, 1892. 7 app. annually by Co. Coms.

Jan. Session, 1894. 7 app. by Co. Coms. annually, incorporated, app. overseers, etc., quarterly reports to Co. Coms.

Trustees of the Poor, Baltimore City and County.

Dec. Session, 1821. 3 app. by Gov. and 4 app. by Mayor and City Council, supersedes others.

Dec. Session, 1822. 3 app. by Gov. residents Balto. Co. and 4 by Mayor, etc., residents Balto. City. Incorporated, powers of Act 1773, Clerk, etc.

Trustees of the Poor, Baltimore County.

Dec. Session, 1818. Levy Court names a Manager of the Poor in each Election District, and Mayor and City Council names one for each Ward in Balto. City, in effect May 1, 1819.

Dec. Session, 1838. App. annually by Balto. Co. Coms., beginning Feb. 1, 1840, 3 Trustees.

Dec. Session, 1844. Repeals Act 1838.

Trustees of the Poor, Baltimore City.

Dec.-Jan. Session, 1851-2. App. by Mayor and City Council, 5 Trustees, Incorporated.

Jan. Session, 1868. App. by Mayor and City Council.

Trustees of the Poor, Calvert County.

Nov. Session, 1790. 7 Trustees, they elect 2 annually, appoint overseer who makes list of poor, etc.

Trustees of the Poor, Caroline County.

Nov. Session, 1788. 5 Trustees, elect 1 annually, appoint overseer who makes list of poor, etc.

Nov. Session, 1796. All vacancies to be filled by Levy Court.

Nov. Session, 1801. 5 new Trustees to be named by Levy Court, 2 annually elected by Levy Court.

Nov. Session, 1804. Enlarges powers.

Dec. Session, 1817. 7 named by Act, incorporated, fill their own vacancies. Report to Levy Court, 1 may retire after

2 yrs. service, app. overseers who make lists of poor, etc. Dec. Session, 1821. 7 named, in office April 1, 1822.

- March Session, 1838. Cultivate mulberry and make silk at Poor House.
- Dec. Session, 1849. 5 Trustees app. by Levy Court, 7 yr. terms.

Jan. Session, 1852. 5 Annually app. by Co. Coms. Jan. Session, 1904. Part of the Poor House to be the Alms House for the poor and part to be the Work House for beggars and vagrants.

# Trustees of the Poor, Carroll County,

- Dec. Session, 1839. 3 Trustees app. by Tax Commission. Trustees of the Poor, Cecil County.
- Nov. Session, 1787. 9 Trustees, they elect 3 annually, appoint overseer who gives list of poor, etc., are given the free school property in Cecil Co.
- Nov. Session, 1804. 5 new Trustees, to be app. by Levy Court, yearly report to Levy Court, old ones out of office 1st Monday May, 1805.
- Jan. Session, 1884. 5 app. annually by Co. Coms., elect one of their numbers as Treasurer, app. overseer of Alms House, etc.

#### Trustees of Poor and Insane, Cecil County.

Jan. Session, 1888. 9 named, 1 from each Election District, incorporated, fill their vacancies themselves, chose President and Secretary, app. overseer, etc., report annually to Co. Coms.

# Trustees of Poor, Cecil County.

Jan. Session, 1890. 3 app. by Co. Coms., 6 yr. term, 1 appointed every 2 vrs. and I must be of opposite political party from majority of Co. Coms., chose President, Secretary and overseer, etc.

# Trustees of Poor, Charles County.

March Session, 1838. Cultivate mulberry and make silk at Poor House.

Dec. Session, 1830. Pension powers, etc.

- Jan. Session, 1892. 5 app. annually by Co. Coms. Jan. Session, 1894. 3 app. by Co. Coms., 2 yr. term, may lease alms house.

# Trustees of the Poor, Dorchester County.

Nov. Session, 1785. 7 Trustees who elect one annually, corporation, appoint overseer, etc., etc.

- May Session, 1788. Free school property given to Trustees of the Poor.
- Nov. Session, 1788. Must receive poor as Justices direct.
- Nov. Session, 1793. Can place out children until 3 yrs. of age.

Nov. Session, 1811. App. by Levy Court, 7, none to serve more than 2 years.

Nov. Session, 1812. App. by Levy Court annually.

Dec. Session, 1822. 7 app. by Levy Court annually.

March Session, 1838. Cultivate mulberry and make silk at Poor House.

### Trustees of Poor, Frederick County.

Oct. Session, 1780. Can rent alms house, proceeds to poor. Apr. Session, 1783. Repeals Act Oct. 1780.

Nov. Session, 1804. Enlarges powers.

Nov. Session, 1811. 5 Trustees app. annually by Levy Court.

Dec. Session, 1841. Pubilsh accounts annually.

- Jan. Session, 1856. 5 app. by Co. Coms., Trustees app. overseer of poor, etc., one of their members as Treasurer.
- Jan. Session, 1880. To be called Trustees of Montevue Hospital, receive insane from any State Court.

#### Trustees of the Poor, Harford County.

Nov. Session, 1787. 7 Trustees, they elect 1 annually, appoint overseer who gives list of poor, etc.

Nov. Session, 1794. To give annual account to Levy Court. Nov. Session, 1804. Enlarges powers.

Nov. Session, 1828. 5 Trustees, I from each District, app. by Co. Coms., report to Levy Court.

Dec. Session, 1828. 5 Trustees app. by Co. Coms., 1 from each District, report to Levy Court.

Dec. Session, 1849. Abolished, powers go to County Commissioners.

# Trustees of the Poor, Howard District, Anne Arundei County.

Dec. Session, 1839.

#### Trustees of the Poor, Kent County.

Nov. Session, 1787. 9 Trustees, they elect 3 annually, appoint overseer who gives list of poor, etc.

Dec. Session, 1830. Appointed annually by Levy Court, report to Levy Court.

- March Session, 1838. Cultivate mulberry and make silk at Poor House.
- Jan. Session, 1854. 3 Trustees, app. annually by Co. Coms., 1 from each District 1, 2, 3.
- Jan. Session, 1896. 5 app. by Co. Coms., 3 yr. term, annually 2 or 1 appointed, 2 must be of minority party, 1 must be from 5th District, 1 from 4th, 1 from 3rd, 1 from 2nd or 6th, 1 from 7th or 1st.

#### Trustees of the Poor, Montgomery County.

Nov. Session, 1787. 7 Trustees, they elect 1 annually, appoint overseer who gives list of poor, etc.

March Session, 1838. Cultivate mulberry and make silk at Poor House.

Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. 5 Trustees annually app. by Co. Coms.

#### Trustees of the Poor, Prince George's County.

Nov. Session, 1804. Enlarges powers.

Dec. Session, 1822. 7 app. annually by Levy Court, report to Levy Court.

Jan. Session, 1884. 5 app. annually by Co. Coms.

### Trustees of the Poor, Queen Anne's County.

Nov. Session, 1788. 9 Trustees, they elect 3 annually, appoint overseer who makes list of poor. etc., get Free School Property.

Dec. Session, 1813. Enlarges powers, out pensioners.

March Session, 1838. Cultivate mulberry and make silk at Poor House.

#### Trustees of the Poor, Somerset County.

Nov. Session, 1785. 7 Trustees who elect one annually corporation, appoint overseer, etc.

Nov. Session, 1788. Must receive poor as Justices direct.

Nov. Session, 1793. Can place out children until 3 yrs. of age.

Nov. Session, 1812. App. by Levy Court annually.

Dec. Session, 1822. 7 app. by Levy Court annually.

March Session, 1838.

March Session, 1838. Abolished, Powers go to County Commissioners.

Dec. Session, 1840. 6 app. annually by Co. Coms., 2 from each Commissioner's District.

Dec. Session, 1845. Make annual report to Co. Coms.

- Dec. Session, 1845. App. Physician and Overseer to Almshouse when turned over to them, no out pensions unless person is sick.
- Jan. Session, 1853. 3 app. annually by Co. Coms., 1 from each District, Act of 1840 repealed.

Trustees of the Poor, St. Mary's County.

Nov. Session, 1810. Enlarges powers, out pensioners.

Dec. Session, 1837. 5 app. annually by Levy Court, report to Levy Court.

March Session, 1838. Cultivate mulberry and make silk at Poor House.

# Trustees of the Poor, Talbot County.

Nov. Session, 1785. 5 Trustees who elect one annually, corporation, appoint overseer, etc., etc.

Nov. Session, 1806. Levy Court to appoint 5 Trustees and app. one annually thereafter.

Jan. Session, 1868. 5 Trustees, app. by Co. Coms., 2 yr. term, app. overseer, etc.

Trustees of the Poor, Washington County.

Nov. Session, 1796. 7 Trustees, elect one annually, appoint overseer who makes list of poor, etc.

Nov. Session, 1797. 3 Trustees, Co. Court to fill vacancies, corporation seal, etc.

Dec. Session, 1816. App. by Levy Court, report accounts to Levy Court.

Jan. Session, 1868. 3 Trustees app. annually by Co. Coms., app. overseer, etc., etc.

Trustees of Poor, Wicomico County.

Jan. Session, 1870. 3 app. annually by Co. Coms.

Trustees of Poor, Worcester County.

Dec. Session, 1821. 7 to be appointed by Levy Court, in office July.

Dec. Session, 1829. Out pensioners to apply to them.

- Dec. Session, 1835. 25 named, annual report to Levy Court.
- March Session, 1838. Grant no out pensions unless to sick in bed.

Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. Annually publish accounts.

Jan. Session, 1870. 3 app. annually by Co. Coms.

Trustee to sell remainder of Nanticoke Indian Land, . Dorchester County.

Dec. Session, 1822. App. by Gov.

- Trustee to Subscribe to U.S. Loan.
- Nov. Session, 1790. All Continental State Money, Delivered to him by Treasurer Western Shore.

Trustee of the State.

Dec. Session, 1828. Office abolished, Treasurer takes his duties, etc.

Trustees of State Normal School.

Jan. Session, 1868. 3 Trustees app. by Gov., app. a Treasurer, School to be in Baltimore City.

Tuberculosis Commission.

Jan. Session, 1904. Gov. app. 5 Coms., term 2 yrs., of which 3 must be M. D.s, investigate and plan for restriction of Tuberculosis and cost of Sanitarium.

## Uniform Laws Commission.

- Jan. Session, 1896. 3 Commissioners app. by Gov., term not to exceed 4 yrs., Report to Legislature from time to time.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Gov. to app. new Commissioners and keep this Commission alive.

U. S. Senators.

Nov. Session, 1809. To be elected by joint ballot, both Houses one from each Shore.

Vestries.

Jan. Session, 1869. I from each Shore.

March Session, 1779. Act select Vestries, no longer public officers, so only state here that Register to keep register of births, marriages and deaths (negroes and mulattoes excepted).

Nov. Session, 1798. Act incorporating.

Veterinary Inspector.

Jan. Session, 1884. App. by Gov., 4 yr. term.

Visitors Anne Arundel Free School.

Nov. Session, 1795. New ones appointed.

Visitors Kent County Free School.

March Session, 1779. New ones appointed.

Apr. Session, 1782. Free school changed to College at Chestertown and visitors increased to 17, corporation.

Visitors Talbot County Free School.

Nov. Session, 1782. Since school burnt to sell land and give proceeds to Washington College.

Visitors of the Alms House, Harford County.

Jan. Session, 1898. 3 ladies annually appointed by County Circuit Court.

Visitors to Baltimore County Gaol (Jail.)

Nov. Session, 1801. 4 from Co., 4 from City, app. by Levy Court, annual account to Levy Court when it elects anew.

Dec. Session, 1826. Gov. app. annually 4 Balto. City and 3 Balto. Co., who appoint warden, etc.

Dec. Session, 1831. Incorporated.

March Session, 1838. 4 app. by Mayor and City Council Balto. City and 3 by Balto. Co. Coms., annually Visitors to Jail.

Jan. Session, 1868. App. by Mayor and City Council.

Warden of Jail, Anne Arundel County.

Jan. Session, 1902. App. by Sheriff.

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Warden of Jail, Baltimore County.

Jan. Session, 1902. App. by Co. Coms., keep a record of prisoners, feed them, etc., can app. a Deputy, term 2 yrs.

Warden, State Penitentiary.

Dec. Session, 1837. App. by Gov., app. Assistant.

- Dec.-Jan. Session, 1861-2. Prepare list of vagrants weekly for Criminal Court.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Annually app. by Directors of Penitentiary.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Annually app. an Assistant, Bookkeeper, Physician, Matron.

Western Md. Fruit Growers' Association.

Jan. Session, 1800. App. annually 3 of its members in each Election District to try to stamp out disease of Yellows among peach trees.

Wreck-Master, Worcester County.

- Nov. Session, 1799. May demand reasonable reward with appeal to Associate Justice and then to Chief Justice, can demand Constables and Md. vessels to aid vessel in distress. Bond £1000.
- Nov. Session, 1806. Can employ laborers and to have to 20% at discretion of Co. Court.
- Nov. Session, 1807. Clerk of Court can take his bond at any time.

July 4, 1851. New Constitution, elected 2 yr. term, vacancy filled by Co. Coms.

Nov. 1, 1864. New Constitution, elected 2 yr. term, vacancy filled by Co. Coms.

Oct. 5, 1867. New Constitution, elected 2 yr. term, vacancy filled by Co. Coms.

#### III. TOBACCO WAREHOUSES.

# At Macclefish's, alias Howard's Point, on South side of South River, Anne Arundel County.

- May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.; Maccle-fish's,
- Nov. Session, 1758. Act. This warehouse has been burnt, so is abolished.

#### At Annapolis, Anne Arundel County.

May Session, 1748. Sup. Act, Tob. Warehouses.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Annapolis at warehouse of Pat Creagh.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

At Ferry, North Side of Magothy River, Anne Arundel County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. May Session, 1750. Sup. Act abolishes.

At Elk Ridge Landing on Patapsco River, on Southern side of the Old Elk Ridge or Middle Landing, near where Thos. Johnson lately dwelt on land now of Philip Hammond, Anne Arundel County.

May Session, 1748. Sup. Act, Tob. Warehouses.

At Elk Ridge Landing, on Patapsco River, Anne Arundel County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

- Oct. Session, 1753. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Elk Ridge.
- Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Elk Ridge.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Elk Ridge Landing on Patapsco River.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Elk Ridge Landing. Queen Caroline and not St. Margaret's, Westminster Parish, to choose Inspectors for this warehouse.

# At "Land of Ease," on land of Nicholas Maccubbin, on South River, Anne Arundel County.

Nov. Session, 1758. Act, takes place of Macclefish's.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., "Land of Ease," on South River.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., "Land of Ease," on South River, on land of Nicholas Maccubbin.

# At Thos. Spriggs' Point, near where ships lie in West River, Anne Arundel County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

May Session, 1748. Sup. Act; abolishes.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Thos. Spriggs' Point. St. James' and not All Hallows' Parish to name Inspectors.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc. Same provisions as Act 1753. Both say Watkins' Creek. At Head of Creek called commonly Watkins' Creek, issuing out of West River on land of Thos. Spriggs, Anne Arundel County.

May Session, 1748. Sup. Act. Tobacco Warehouses. See Thos. Spriggs' Point.

At Landing commonly called Taylor's, near Kilkenny, on Patuxent River, Anne Arundel County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warchouses, etc.

Oct. Session. 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Taylor's Lunding.

Oct. Session. 1763. Act. Tob. Warehouses., Taylor's Landing.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Taylor's Landing, near Kilkenny, on Patuxent River.

June Session, 1780. Act. Tob. Warehouses. etc., Taylor's Landing.

### At Indian Landing, on Severn River, Anne Arundel County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

May Session, 1750. Sup. Act—Queen Anne's Parish to elect inspectors and not St. Margaret's, Westminster Parish.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

### At Pig Point, on Patuxent River, Anne Arundel County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

June Session, 1780. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

## At Ferry Landing, near the Point House, on Gunpowder River, Baltimore County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc., at the Ferry Landing on Gunpowder River.

#### At Joppa, Baltimore County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. Oct. Sesion, 1753. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. Oct. Session, 1763. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. Nov. Session, 1773. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. At Fork of Gunpowder at Old Landing, Baltimore County.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc.

At Ragland Landing, on Patapsco River, Baltimore County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

At John Loney's, on Swan Creek, Baltimore County.May Session, 1747.Oct. Session, 1753.Oct. Session, 1763.Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.Oct. Session, 1763.Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.Nov. Session, 1773.Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

At the Rock Run, on Susquehanna River, Baltimore County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

At Otter Point Landing, near the Red Cliff on Bush River, Baltimore County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehoues, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses (Harford Co.)

# At Baltimore Town, on West side of the Falls, Baltimore County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Baltimore Town on West side of Falls on T. Harrison's land. Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

May Session. 1766. Act, Vestry St. Paul's Parish, Balto. Co., to name inspectors for this warehouse.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Baltimore Town.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Baltimore Town.

At Head of St. Leonard's Creek, on lower side of Hunting Creek, near Mr. Hance's Warehouse, Calvert County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

May Session, 1748. Sup. Act ; abolishes.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Head of *Leonard's* Creek.

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Oct. Session, 1763. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Head of *Leonard's* Creek.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., on land of late John Somerville.

June Session, 1780. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Head of St. Leonard's Creek, on Land of Alexander Somerville.

At Plumb Point, on Sutton Isaacs' land, Calvert County.

May Session, 1749. Sup. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Plumb Point.

Sept. Session, 1757. Act; abolishes. (Plumb Point on Joseph Isaacs' land.)

#### At Lower Marlborough, Calvert County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Lower Marlborough on land of late John Smith.

June Sesion, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Lower Marlborough on land of Col. Wm. Fitzhugh.

# At Hunting Creek, Calvert County. (See Hunting Town.)

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

- Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Hunting Creek on land of late Robert Freeland.
- June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehousees, etc., at Hunting Creek on land of Frisby Freeland.

At Hunting Town—can rent a house until Public Warehouse is built—Calvert County. (See Hunting Creek.)

May Session, 1749. Sup. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

At Choptank Bridge, Caroline County.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc. See Choptunk Bridge, Queen Anne Co.

At Frederick Town, on Sassafras River, Cecil County. May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. Oct. Session, 1753. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. Oct. Session, 1763. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. Nov. Session, 1773. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

At Charles Town, on Northeast River, Cecil County. May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. Oct. Session, 1753. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc., Charles Town. At John Holland's, at Bohemia Ferry, Cecil County. May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Bohemia Ferry.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

At Pamunkey Creek, Charles County.

May Session, 1750. Sup. Act, Tob. Warehouses.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Pamunkey Creek, on land of late John Truman Stoddert.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Pomonkey Creek, on land of late John Truman Stoddert.

At Chickamuxon Creek, Charles County.

May Session, 1750. Sup. Act, Tob. Warehouses.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Chickamuxon Creek on land of Bayne Smallwood.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Chickamuxon Creek on land of William Smallwood.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Chickamuxon Creek, on land of Wm. Smallwood.

# At Chandler's Point, on Wm. Neale's land, Charles County.

May Session, 1748. Sup. Act, Tob. Warehouses.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Chandler's Point.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Chandler's Point on Port Tobacco Creek.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Chandler's Point.

# At Lower Cedar Point, on Chas. Jones' land, Charles County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. Oct. Session, 1753. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. Oct. Session, 1763. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. Nov. Session, 1773. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

June Session, 1780. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

# At Nanjemoy, on Potowmack River, on land of Ric. Harrison, Charles County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. Oct. Session. 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Nanjemoy. Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Nanjemoy. Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Nanjemoy. on land of Richard Harrison.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Nanjemoy, on land of Richard Harrison.

At Benedict Town, on Patuxent River, Charles County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session. 1753. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc., Benedict Town.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc., Benedict Town.

Nov. Sesion, 1773. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc., Benedict Town.

June Session, 1780. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc., Benedict Town.

At Piles' Fresh, on Mrs. Jane Parnham's land at Head Wiccocomico River, Charles County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc., Pile's Fresh.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc., Pile's Fresh.

Nov. Sesion, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Pile's Fresh, on land of John Parnham.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Pile's Fresh, on land of John Parnham.

At Mattawman Creek, on Beng. Ballet's land, Charles County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

At Head of Port Tobacco Creek, at place called Washtank, on land of Wm. Neale, Charles County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

May Session, 1748. Sup. Act; abolishes.

At Choptank, on Henry Ennall's Jr. land at the Ferry Landing, Dorchester County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc, at Choptank Ferry, H. Ennalls' Warehouse.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Choptank Ferry, later H. Ennalls' Warehouse.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc., at-Choptank Ferry, later H. Ennalls' Warehouse.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

At Nanticoke, on Thos. Cannon's Jr. land, Dorchester County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

At Little Choptank, on Arth. Whiteley's land, Dorchester County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

May Session, 1748. Sup. Act; abolishes. June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., on Little Choptank, at warehouse now the property of Arthur Whitely.

At Mouth of Slaughter Creek, in Dorchester Parish, on land of John Airey, Dorchester County.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act established a Tob. Warehouse, etc. At Choptank Bridge, on Peter Rich's land, Dorchester County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. May Session, 1748. Sup. Act; abolishes.

At Hunting Creek, on Dr. Murray's land, Dorchester County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. May Session, 1748. Sup. Act; abolishes.

On Hunting Creek, on land of Major Thos. Nevett,

Dorchester County.

May Session, 1748. Sup. Act, Tob. Warehouses.

At Hunting Creek Warehouse, Dorchester County.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

At East side North West Fork of Nanticoke above Cratcher's Ferry, Dorchester County.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

On Great Choptank, on land of David Melvill, Dorchester County.

May Session, 1748. Sup. Act, Tob. Warehouses.

D. Melville's Warehouse, Dorchester County.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc. Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at late David Melvill's Warehouse.

At Vienna Town, on Henry Hooper's Jr. land, Dorchester County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. See Vienna Town—land Joshua Edmondson. Is same, I think, as families intermarried.

# On Little Choptank, on land of Edward White, Dorchester County.

May Session, 1748. Sup. Act, Tob. Warehouses.

Oct. Session. 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at warehouse on Little Choptank, late Edward White's.

# At Vienna Town, on land of Joshua Edmondson, and Inspectors to be named by Great Choptank Parish, Dorchester County.

March Session, 1762. Act, establishes it a Tob. Warehouse; special.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Sesion, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc. (late Joshua Edmonston).

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc. (late Joshua Edmonston).

See Vienna Town—land Henry Hooper. Is same, I think, as families intermarried.

# At Plymouth Town, on Phillips' land, Dorchester County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Plymouth Warehouse on Fishing Creek.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act; discontinued.

At Georgetown, Frederick County.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

See Georgetown, Montgomery Co.

At the Head of Rock Creek, the Rolling House of G. Gordon, Frederick County.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Mouth of Rock Creek. Is same place, however.

See Georgetown, Frederick Co.

# At Otter Point Landing, near the Red Cliff on Bush River, Harford County.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

See same, Baltimore Co.

# At Miles Mason Shehawn's, on Langford's Bay, Kent County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Langford's Bay.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Langford's Bay, on land of Richard Gresham.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc., Langford's Bay, on land of late Richard Gresham.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Langford's Bay, on land of late Richard Gresham.

At Widow Clannahann's, above Mouth of Morgan's Creek, Kent County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

At Capt. Sam Tovey's, on Gray's Inn Creek, Kent County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Gray's Inn Creek.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Gray's Inn Creek, at late Samuel Tovey's.

## At Chestertown, Kent County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

# At Georgetown, on Sassafras River, Kent County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

At Worton Creek, on land of Wm. Graves called Buck Neck, Kent County.

May Session, 1748. Sup. Act, Tob. Warehouses.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Worton Creek.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Worton Creek on land of Richard Graves called Buck Neck.

# At Ab. Falkner's, at Head of Chester River, Kent County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

At Georgetown, Montgomery County.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc. See Georgetown, Frederick Co.

# At Piscataway Creek, at or near Ric. Rawlings' Landing, Prince George County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

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Oct. Session. 1753. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc., Piscataway.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc., Piscataway.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Piscutaway, on land of late John Hawkins, Jr.

June Session, 1780. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc., Piscataway, on land of John Baynes.

At or near Truman's Point, on Patuxent River, Prince George County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

May Session, 1748. Sup. Act; abolishes.

At Hannah Brown's Landing, on Patuxent River, Prince George County.

May Session, 1748. Sup. Act, Tob. Warehouses.

At Broad Creek, on Humphrey Batt's land, Prince George County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Broad Creek.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc., Broad Creek (late Batt's).

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses. etc., Broad Creek, on land of Enoch Magruder.

June Session, 1780. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc., Broad Creek, on land of Enoch Magruder.

At Head of Rock Creek, at Rolling House, built by George Gordon, Prince George County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. See Head of Rock Creek, etc., Frederick Co.

# At Upper Marlborough, Prince George County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

May Session, 1749. Sup. Act. A Warehouse can be rented here.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Upper Marlborough on land of Thos. Sim Lee.

June Session, 1780. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Upper Marlborough on land of Thos. Contee.

At Bladensburg, at Warehouse and Lot of Dr. David Ross, Prince George County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Bladensburg.

- Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Bladensburg.
- Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Bladensburg, on land Dr. David Ross.
- June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Bladensburg.
  - At Nottingham, Prince George County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. Oct. Session, 1753. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc. Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Nottingham, on land of James Russell.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Nottingham, on land of James Russell.

## At Queen Town, on Patuxent River, Prince George County. Queen Anne Town.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

- Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Queen Anne Town.
- Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Queen Anne Town.
- Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Queen Anne Town.
- June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Queen Anne Town.

### On Land of Alexander Magruder, Prince George County.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., on land of Alexander Howard Magruder.

# At the Church Landing, near Collins' Mill, Queen Anne County.

- May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. May Session, 1748. Sup. Act: moved to Richard Porter Ir.'s land.
- Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Porter's Warehouse on W. Campbell's land.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Porter's Warehouse on late W. Campbell's land.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Porter's Warehouse on late Wm. Hackett's land.

# At Landing of Humphrey Wells, Jr., Queen Anne County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc., Wells' Warehouse on Chester River.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., commonly called Wells' Warehouse on Chester River.

# At Sam Blunt's Dwelling Plantation, Queen Anne County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

# At Chas. Brown's Landing, Queen Anne County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Charles Brown's Landing on Wye River.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Robert Brown's Landing on Wye River.

# At Head of Corsica Creek, on Wm. Hopper's Land, Queen Anne County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

May Session, 1748. Sup. Act; removed to Millstone Landing.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., again on Wm. Hopper's land, Corsica Creek.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Corsica Creek, on Wm. Hopper's land.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Corsica Creek, on Wm, Hopper's land.

# At Porter's Warehouse, on W. Campbell's Land, Queen Anne County.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at house commonly called Porter's Warehouse on land of William Hackett.

# At house commonly called Pemberton's warehouse, Queen Anne County.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc. June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

At Tuckahoe Bridge, Queen Anne County. May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. May Session, 1750. Sup. Act; on Pemberton's land.

At Choptank Bridge, Queen Anne County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

May Session, 1749. Sup. Act; to be part in Talbot Co., i. e., Wharf, etc., Grundy Pemberton.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Choptank Bridge.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Choptank Bridge.

See Choptank Bridge, Caroline Co.

At Head of St. Mary's River, at usual landing, St. Mary's County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. May Session, 1748. Sup. Act; abolishes.

On St. Mary's River, on Land of Vernon Hebb, St.

Mary's County.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

At Cole's Creek, at Mr. Cole's, St. Mary's County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Mr. Cole's.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

At Wiccocomoco, on Land of John Llewellin, St. Mary's County.

May Session, 1748. Sup. Act, Tob. Warehouses.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., "Wiccocomico."

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., "Wicco-moco."

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., "Wiccomico."

# At St. Inegoe's, on Land of Stephen Milburn, St. Mary's County.

May Session, 1748. Sup. Act, Tob. Warehouses.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., "Austin Milburn."

At Town Creek, on Land of Hugh Hopewell, St. Mary's County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., "James Hopewell."

At Chaptico, on Land of Philip Key, St. Mary's County.

May Session, 1747. Act establishing Tobacco Warehouses. ctc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc. June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

June Session, 1780.

At Leonardtown, on Land of Col. Richard Barnes, St. Mary's County. (See Court House.)

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

At Court House, on Land of Ab. Barnes, St. Mary's County. (See Leonardtown.)

May Session, 1747. Act establishing Tobacco Warehouses. etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Court House.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Court House on hund of Abraham Barnes.

On St. Cuthbert's Creek, on Land of Francis Brooke, St. Mary's County.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., on St. Cuthbert's Creek on land of Col. Ignatius Fenwick.

# On Plantation of Gibert Mackay, at Head of St. Mary's River, St. Mary's County.

May Session, 1748. Sup. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc. Act, G. Mackey's.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., on a Plantation where a certain Gilbert Mackey lived.

River on Wm. Brown's Land, Somerset County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

At Head of Barren Creek, on Nanticoke River, on Wm. Brown's Land, Somerset County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

May Session, 1748. Sup. Act ; abolishes.

See Barren Creek, Gillis's Landing.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., on Wm. Brown's land.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act. Tob. Warehouse, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., late Wm. Brown.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., late Wm. Brown.

# At Princess Anne Town, near Menoken Bridge, Somerset County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Princess Anne Town.

## Below Mouth Back Creek, on Thos. Maddox's Land, Somerset County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc., "John Maddox."

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., "John Maddox."

## At Land of Outerbridge Horsey, on Coleburne's Creek, on Great Animessex, Somerset County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

# On Pocomoke, Rehobeth Town, Somerset County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

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# On Barren Creek, at Landing commonly called John Gillis's, Somerset County.

May Session, 1748. Sup. Act, Tob. Warehouses. See Barren Creek, Brown's Landing.

At a place called Old Town, Somerset County. May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. Oct. Session, 1753. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. Oct. Session, 1763. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

At Day Scott's Warehouse, near Greenhill Town, on Wiccocomico River, Somerset County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

May Session, 1748. Sup. Act; abolishes.

At Greenhill Town near the Church, Somerset County. May Session, 1748. Sup. Act, Tob. Warehouses.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Warehouse near Greenhill.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Warehouse near Greenhill Town on Wiccomico River.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

At T. Bruff's Landing on Miles River, Talbot County. May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

- Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Bruff's Landing on Miles River, now belonging to Anthony Banning.
- June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at Bruff's Landing on Miles River, now property of Anthony Banning, provided a warehouse can be procured.

# At Warehouse of Philip Emmerson at his Dwelling Plantation, Talbot County.

May Session, 1750. Sup. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

- Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., P. Emerson's Landing.
- Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., late P. Emerson's Landing, now Maxwell's.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Whrehouses, etc., Emerson's Landing, now belonging to George Maxwell.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., Emerson's Landing, belonging to heirs of George Maxwell.

At Kings Town, on Land of Wm. Gale, Talbot County. May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

May Session, 1748. Sup. Act: adds House of William Wilson.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

At Dan Sherwood's Landing on Broad Creek, Talbot County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc.

June Session 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., "Thos. Sherwood's" Landing on Broad Creek.

At Oxford, on Ric. Gildart's Land, Talbot County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

May Session, 1748. Sup. Act; adds House of Grundy Pemberton.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., land lately Richard Gildart's.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., land lately Richard Gildart's.

# At Parson's Landing, on Land of Capt. James Lloyd, Talbot County.

May Session, 1748. Sup. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Sesion, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

June Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

At Oldfield Landing, lately belonging to Harris Clayland, on East Branch Wye River, Talbot County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

At Berry's Landing on King's Creek, Talbot County. May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. May Session, 1748. Sup. Act : abolishes.

At Barker's Landing, Talbot County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. May Session, 1748. Sup. Act; abolishes.

# At Morris Gideon's Landing on Dividing Creek, Talbot County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. May Session, 1748. Sup. Act ; abolishes.

# At Newport Town, at Major Hopkins' Warehouse, Worcester County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

May Session, 1749. Sup. Act; buy a house of Major Hopkins—not his dwelling house.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc., New Port.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., New Port.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at the warehouse in New Port.

June, Session, 1780. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at the warehouse in New Port.

# At Snow Hill Town, at Col. Scarborough's Warehouse, Worcester County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

- Oct. Session. 1753. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc., Snow Hill Town.
- Oct. Session, 1763. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc., Snow Hill Town.
- Nov. Session, 1773. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc., Snow Hill Town.
- June Session, 1780. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc., Snow Hill Town.

At Broad Creek, on the North side at the Wading Place, Worcester County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc.

Oct. Session, 1763. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc., at "Broad Creek."

Oct. Session, 1753. Act. Tob. Warehouses, etc., "at Broad Creek" on the North Side of the Wading Place.

## At Baltimore Town, on Indian River, Worcester County.

May Session, 1747. Act estab. Tobacco Warehouses, etc. Oct. Session, 1753. Act, Tob. Warehouses, etc.

### IV. TOWNS.

#### Abingdon, Harford County.

[Nov. Session, 1794. Cokesbury College to be here.] Dec. Session, 1828. Incorporated; elect Burgess and 5 Coms.; appoint *Town Clerk*; tax, etc.

# Aberdeen, Harford County.

- Jan. Session, 1892. Incorporated. Elect 2 yr. term 5 Coms. who chose President and appoint Town Clerk, Bailiff; assess, tax, etc. Coms. have powers as Board of Health for the Town. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Enlarges powers of Coms.; assess, tax, etc.; can issue \$15,000 Bonds if voters approve.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Enlarges powers of Coms.; water supply, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1904. 3 Acts. Amend. 5 Coms. elected 2 yr. term; qualifications of Coms. and voters. Coms. appoint for 2 yr. term Treasurer, who acts also as Collector. Enlarges powers of Coms.; assess, tax, etc.; also can borrow money if voters approve of any such loan.

Anne Arundel Town and Port, Anne Arundel County. Town Land at Seavern where Town was formerly.

Sept. 15, 1686. Seavern Town-Council appoints officers to see Act enforced.

Sept. Session, 1694. By Act of Assembly erected a town.

Feb. 25, 1694/5. To be laid out by this date.

'Annapolis, Anne Arundel County.

- May Session, 1695. Name changed by Assembly to *Annapolis*.
- April Session, 1706. Annapolis Town and Port, in Act erecting Towns; also made a Port.
- March Session, 1707. New sanction. as not laid out in time.

Nov. 22, 1708. Charter given by Queen Anne. Recorder.

June Session, 1777. Act giving certain powers of taxation to the Corporation.

- Nov. Session, 1779. Act giving certain powers of taxation to the Corporation.
- Nov. Session, 1784. Act giving certain powers of taxation to the Corporation.
- Nov. Session, 1790. Act giving certain powers to Corporation and naming boundaries.
- Nov. Session, 1796. Act giving certain powers to Corporation.
- Nov. Session, 1797. Act giving certain powers of taxation to Corporation.
- Dec. Session, 1813. Act giving certain powers to Corporation: wharves, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1818. Alters and amends Charter—Mayor, Recorder, 5 Aldermen, 7 Common Council: extensive powers.

- Dec. Session, 1822. Changes time of election-April instead of October.
- Dec. Session, 1827. Enlarges powers of Corporation.
- Jan. Session, 1867. Amend and alter Charter. Elect Mayor, Recorder and 5 Aldermen, 2 yr. terms. Appoint City Com., Police, Market Master, etc., etc. Survey signed by Mayor and deposited with Clerk. Mayor gives in print annual financial statement.
- Jan. Session, 1870. Alters Charter. Elect Mayor, Counsellor and 5 Aldermen, term 2 yrs., beginning in 1871. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1874. Gov. names Board of Police, 3 members, 1 annually; they appoint Police, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1876. Divided into 3 wards. Elect 2 yr. term Mayor, Counsellor and 2 Aldermen from each ward.
- Jan. Session, 1880. Amend and alter City Charter. Enlarges powers Mayor, Com. and Aldermen; streets, etc.; mentions City Com., Police, Market Master, Harbor Master, Gauger, Inspectors Hay, Coal, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1884. Enlarges powers Mayor, Counsellor and Aldermen.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Enlarges powers Mayor, Counsellor and Aldermen; streets, etc.; grant all liquor licenses, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Amends. Powers enlarged, as to special elections, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1898. Amends. Enlarges powers Mayor, Counsellor and Aldermen; can issue Bonds for Public Indebtedness. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Amends. Enlarges powers Mayor, Counsellor and Aldermen; can issue Bonds for Public Indebtedness and for Permanent Improvements.

Arundel on the Bay, Anne Arundel County.

- Jan. Session, 1898. Incorporated. Elect ann. 7 Coms., chose President who is Mayor, *Secretary* and Treasurer, Bailiff, Collector, etc.; tax, street powers, appoint firemen, establish schools. *Boundaries.*
- Jan. Session, 1900. Amends. Enlarges powers of Coms.

# Baltimore Town, Baltimore County.

Sept. 15, 1686. Council appoints officers to enforce Act laying it out.

Baltimore Town, St. Mary's County.

Sept. 15, 1686. Council appoints officers to see Act enforced.

#### Baltimore Town, Baltimore County.

(Now Baltimore City.)

- July Session, 1729. Erected by Assembly. Commissioners to lay out. 100 acres.
- Aug. Session, 1745. Jones Town united to Baltimore; both resurveyed. Commission permanent and commissioners to settle disputes as to lots, etc.
- May Session, 1747. Act enlarging.
- May Session, 1750. Act enlarging.
- Oct. Session, 1753. Act enlarging.
- Nov. Session, 1765. Act, Market; Market Clerk, etc., under Town Coms.
- Nov. Session, 1765. Act enlarging; 35 acres; Town Coms. to survey and lay out.
- June Session, 1768. Balto. Co. Court House and Prison moved here from Joppa.
- June Session, 1773. Act enlarging; 80 acres; Town Coms. and 3 others to survey and lay out and Plat recorded at Balto. Co. Court.

Nov. Session, 1773. Act enlarging; 18 acres.

- -Nov. Session, 1773. Town Coms. powers enlarged; market established; Coms. name Market Clerk, etc.
- April Session, 1782. Town Coms. to survey an addition to Town and put survey on Town records.
- April Session, 1782. 7 Coms. to repair streets.
- April Session, 1782. Addition; Town Coms. to put on Town records.
- Nov. Session, 1782. Special Street Coms. made body corporate and powers much enlarged.
- April Session, 1783. Port Wardens; make survey of port, clerk, etc.
- Nov. Session, 1784. Regulate auctions.
- Nov. Session, 1784. Establish new markets.
- Nov. Session, 1784. Establish night watch and erection of lamps.

Nov. Session, 1784. Town Coms. to have survey of whole Town and put on Town records.

- Nov. Session, 1785. Market, etc.
- Nov. Session, 1785. Boundaries of Town declared in State assessment Act.
- Nov. Session, 1786. Powers of Town Coms. enlarged.
- Nov. Session, 1791. Taxation for paving, etc.
- Nov. Session, 1792. Enlarges powers of Town Coms.
- Nov. Session, 1792. Enlarges boundaries.
- Nov. Session, 1793. To change Town to City. [This Act not put in effect.]

# Baltimore City, Baltimore County.

Nov. Session, 1796. Baltimore Town erected into a City, Mayor and City Council, etc.

- Nov. Session, 1797. 2 Sup. Acts.
- Nov. Session, 1800. Enlarge powers Mayor and Council.
- Nov. Session, 1803. A Market Act.
- Nov. Session, 1803. A Sup. Act to Act erecting city.
- Nov. Session, 1805. A Sup. Act to Act erecting city-
- Nov. Session, 1805. Enlarging powers of City Coms.
- Nov. Session, 1807. Sup. Act; elections, etc., to be accepted by the electors.
- Dec. Session, 1813. 2 Acts enlarging powers of Mayor and City Council.
- Dec. Session, 1816. Enlarging boundaries.
- Dec. Session. 1817. Sup. Act; enlarges powers, fixes wards. etc.
- Dec. Session, 1821. Division into 12 Election Districts, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1824. Same representation as a Co. in Gen. Assembly.
- Dec. Session, 1825. Mayor and City Council to establish Public Schools in Baltimore City. This Act, however, must be adopted by Mayor and City Council in first session of Council in 1827.
- Dec. Session, 1826. Mayor and City Council to take over powers of Levy Court of Balto. Co. as far as Balto. City concerned. [Levy Court abolished.]
- Dec. Session, 1827. 6 Acts, enlarging powers and amending incorporation.

Dec. Session, 1829. Concerning street powers, etc.

- Dec. Session, 1831. Mayor and City Council power to grant R. R. and St. R. R. grants.
- Dec. Session, 1832. Act concerning Mayor's election and vacancy arising, how filled.
- Dec. Session, 1833. Enlarges powers Mayor and City Council; paving, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1834. Enlarges powers Mayor and City Council.
- May Session, 1836. Enlarges powers Mayor and City Council; streets, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1838. Enlarges powers Mayor and City Council; 2 Acts—streets and taxing.
- Dec. Session, 1840. 2 more wards.
- Dec. Session, 1841. Mayor and Council name 3 as Appeal Tax Court. etc: Assessment Law for State.
- Dec. Session, 1844. To be divided into 20 wards; Gov. to name Commission of 5 for this.

Dec. Session, 1845. Sup. to Act of 1844.

- Dec. Session, 1845. Mayor to appoint 3 Lime Inspectors, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1845. Mayor and Council may make new assessment.

Jan. Session, 1852. Extends Boundaries.

- Jan. Session, 1852. Enlarges powers of Mayor and of Mayor and City Council; 4 Acts.
- Jan. Session, 1853. Enlarges powers of Mayor and City Council; taxation.
- Jan. Session, 1854. Enlarges powers of Mayor and City Council, etc.; 4 Acts.
- Jan. Session, 1858. Enlarges powers of Mayor and City Council; 2 Acts—assessment and gas inspection.
- Jan. Session, 1860. Changes powers of Mayor and City Council; 2 Acts—streets and police.
- Jan. Session, 1860. Police Board to divide into precincts and appoint election officials.
- April Session, 1861. 5 Acts ; Police and Mayor and City Council, Park tax, liquor selling, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1861. 5 Acts; Police and Mayor and City Council, Parks, Poor, etc., etc.
- Jan. Session, 1866. Enlarges powers Mayor and City Council; 4 Acts.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Enlarges powers Mayor and City Council; 5 Acts; poor, jail, sewers, education, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1870. Enlarges powers Mayor and City Council—education, etc.; Mayor's term 4 yrs. and ineligible for re-election.

Jan. Session, 1874. Extend Boundaries.

- Jan. Session, 1882. Police Board to divide City into 20 wards and 180 precincts; goes on Superior Court Records; 3 Legislative Districts.
- Jan. Session, 1886. Mayor and City Council to renumber houses.
- Jan. Session, 1888. Extend Boundaries; to be adopted by voters in each of the 3 sections to be annexed. [Adopted by 2 sections.]
- Jan. Session, 1888. Amends; elect Mayor and Second Branch City Council 2 yr. terms and elect First Branch City Council 1 yr. terms; qualifications, etc.

Jan. Session, 1890. Changes Wards 9, 11, 12, 20.

Jan. Session, 1892. Changes 2nd and 3rd Legislative Districts of Baltimore City.

Jan Session, 1894. Changes Legislative Districts of Baltimore City [22 wards].

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- Jan. Session, 1894. Enlarges powers of Mayor and City Council; inspector of milk and other foods; may appoint Inspectors or analysts.
- Jan. Session, 1898. New Charter; see Act, as too long to give here.
- Jan. Session, 1898. To be divided into 24 wards and election precincts by Board of Election Supervisors; record in Superior Court.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Paving Loan, \$5,000,000; must be adopted by voters.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Public Lighting Plant Loan, \$1,300,-000: must be adopted by voters.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Amends, concerning Franchises, Water Supply, etc., Health, Streets, Park Commissioners.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Mayor and Council may appeal from Tax Coms. to State Comptroller and Treasurer.
- March Session, 1901. Amends; Renumber wards and fix 3 Legislative Districts and 4 Councilmanic Districts, elect 2 members 2nd Branch from each of 4 Councilmanic Districts and President from whole city. Present terms of City Officers not affected.
- March Session, 1901. Sewerage Commission Act; Mayor and Council issue \$12,000,000 Loan; 5 Coms. named and Mayor to name 2 and 2nd Branch to confirm them; must be approved by voters.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Gov. to appoint Board of Police Examiners for Baltimore City, 3 for 2 yr. terms.
- Jan. Session, 1902. \$1,000,000 loan for extending underground conduits; must be adopted by voters.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Mayor and Council borrow \$2,000,000. Fire Emergency Act.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Annex Loan, must be adopted by voters [Adopted May 2, 1905].
- Jan. Session, 1904. Park Loan, must be adopted by voters [Adopted May 2, 1905].
- Jan. Session, 1904. Sewerage Loan, must be adopted by voters [Adopted May 2, 1905.]
- Jan. Session, 1904. Docks Loan, must be adopted by voters [Adopted.]
- Jan. Session, 1904. Burnt District Loan, must be adopted by voters [Adopted.]
- Jan. Session, 1904. Burnt District Commission, 3 named by Mayor, etc., powers, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Mayor and Council given power to appropriate from fund acquired by sale of City's interest in Western Md. R. R.

- Jan. Session, 1904. Amends; Department of Finance, Board of Estimates to be composed of Mavor, City Solicitor, Comptroller, President 2nd Branch City Council and President of the Board of Public Improvements.
- Jan. Session, 1904. State property, certain Tobacco Warehouse sites can be sold by Gov., Comptroller and Treasurer to Mayor and City Council. [Have been sold.] [See also Jonestown.]

Baltimore Town, on Indian River, Worcester County. May Session, 1744. Erected a Town.

Aug. Session, 1745. A Sup. Act.

Battle Creek Town. See Calvertown.

Barnesville, Montgomery County.

[Nov. Session, 1805. Mentioned but not erected as a Town.] Nov. Session, 1811. Erected a Town: 3 Coms.; survey, etc.; Constable by Co. Levy Court.

Jan. Session, 1888. Incorporated; elect ann. 5 Coms. who chose President and appoint Town Clerk, Bailiffs, Assessors. Boundaries.

Jan. Sesion, 1890. Enlarge powers of Coms.; streets, etc.

Jan. Session, 1900. Repeals Incorporation Act, 1888.

Jan. Session, 1904. Incorporated; elect ann. 3 Coms. who chose President and appoint Town Clerk, Treasurer (Clerk may be Treasurer), Assessor, Bailiff who is Collector; street powers, etc. Boundaries.

Barton, Allegany County.

- Jan. Session, 1900. Incorporated; elect 5 Coms., 2 every year; elect Town Clerk and Bailiff 2 yr. terms; appoint Treasurer, police; tax, etc. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Incorporated; elect 5 Coms., 2 one year and 3 next year, for 2 yr. terms; elect ann. Town Clerk and Bailiff; Coms. appoint Treasurer, Attorney, Police. Boundaries. Must be adopted by the voters.

Beckwith's Island, St. Mary's County. April Session, 1706. Also made a Port. March Session, 1707. Is called Port St. George.

Bel Air or Bellair or Belair, Harford County.

Nov. Session, 1786. Mentioned, but not erected a Town. [Co. Court is here.]

Dec. Session, 1817. 5 Coms.; lay out town, etc.; may enlarge; plat goes on Co. Records.

Jan. Session, 1874. Incorporated; elect ann. 5 Coms., who chose from their members a Secretary, a Treasurer and a Chairman; appoint Collector. Boundaries.

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- Jan. Session, 1876. Treasurer take money of old lottery for street paving.
- Jan. Session, 1882. Enlarges powers of Coms.; assess, tax, appoint Collector, Bailiff.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Enlarges powers of Coms.: assess, tax, street powers, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Amends; elect ann. 5 Coms.; defines powers of Coms., etc.; qualifications of Coms. and of voters.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Amends; Coms. to appoint for 2 yr. term a Treasurer who also acts as Collector and can also assess new property, etc.

# Benedict Leonard Town—where formerly laid out— Charles County.

April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

- March Session, 1707. New sanction, as it had not yet been laid out.
- July Session, 1732. Benedict Leonard Town on Patuxent River to be laid out anew by Act of Assembly; 15 acres of 100 formerly laid out.
- March Session, 1732/3. Sup. Act to laying town out anew. *T*oren Clerk.

Berlin, Frederick County. (See Brunswick.) Berlin, Worcester County.

[Nov. Session, 1811. Mentioned, but not erected a Town.]

Jan. Session, 1868. Incorporated; elect ann. 5 Coms., chose President, appoint *Town Clerk*, Collector, Assessor, Bailiff. *Boundaries*.

Jan. Session, 1870. Amends : 5 Coms., etc.

- Jan. Session, 1896. Repeals and *reenacts*; elect 2 yr. term Mayor and 5 Council, but 3 Council elected annually. Mayor appoints 1 of Council as *Secretary and Treasurer*; also Police, Collector, 3 Assessors, Counsel to the Board, Night Watchman; large powers; annual statement. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Enlarges powers of Mayor and Council; streets, etc.

#### Berwyn Heights, Prince George County.

Jan. Session, 1896. Incorporated; elect ann. 3 Coms. who chose a President and appoint *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, Assessor. Heretofore known as Carlton Heights.

# Bishopville, Worcester County.

Jan. Session, 1884. Incorporated; elect 2 yr. term 3 Coms. who chose President and appoint *Town Clerk*, Collector, Treasurer, Bailiff, can assess. *Boundaries*. Bladensburgh, South Side at Head of Eastern Branch of Potomack, at place called Garrison Landing, Prince George County.

Sept. Session, 1742. Erected a Town.

May Session, 1744. A Sup. Act.

Jan. Session, 1854. Incorporated; elect ann. 5 Coms. who chose President and appoint *Town Clerk*, Assessor Bailiff, Constable and Collector; tax, etc.

Jan. Session, 1856. Coms. not to levy taxes.

Jan. Session, 1868. Repealed and reenacted ; small changes.

- Jan. Session, 1870. Enlarges powers Coms.; appoint Police, lay out Boundaries and put on Co. Records.
- Jan. Session, 1872. Amends; Co. Coms. to appoint annually 5 Coms. and they appoint Bailiff who acts also as Collector.

Jan. Session, 1874. Amends : elect 5 Coms. for 2 yr. term.

Jan. Session, 1876. Enlarges powers of Coms.

- Jan. Session, 1896. Amends; Coms. appoint ann. a Bailiff and a Collector.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Amends; enlarges powers of Coms.; to appoint ann. a Police Magistrate; also street powers; Coms. to get ½ of money for liquor licenses in the Town.

# Bloomington, Garrett County.

Jan. Session, 1853. Name changed to Llangollen.

Jan. Session, 1856. Name changed of Llangollen to Bloomington; Act of 1854 repealed.

Jan. Session, 1868. Incorporated; elect ann. 5 Coms., chose President and appoint Bailiff, *Town Clerk*, Collector. *Boundaries*. Must be accepted by voters.

Jan. Session, 1878. Incorporated : elect ann. 5 Coms. who chose President and appoint *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, Collector. *Boundaries*.

Bogue's Bay Town, Calvert County.

Sept. 15, 1686. Council appoint officers to see Act enforced. Boonesborough, Washington County.

[Nov. Session, 1797. Mentioned, but not erected a Town.] Dec. Session, 1831. Incorporated; Burgess, Assistant Bur-

- gess and 5 Coms. annually; *Town Clerk*. Boundaries. Powers.
- Dec. Session, 1835. Boundaries enlarged.
- Dec. Session, 1843. Boundaries enlarged.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Enlarges powers of Coms.; water supply.

Jan. Session, 1900. Enlarges powers of Coms; bonds for water supply if approved by voters.

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Jan, Session, 1904. Repealed and reenacted; elect ann. Burgess and 5 Coms. Burgess appoints *Town Clerk*, Collector, Bailiff, and Coms. chose one of their members as Treasurer or Ass. Burgess; powers as to taxation, saloons, street franchises, water and lighting systems; codify ordinances. Burgess is Police Justice. *Boundaries*.

Bowie, Prince George County.

- Jan. Session, 1882. Name Huntington changed to Bowie. Powers of Coms. enlarged; appoint Treasurer annually; assess.
  - Bowlington, Calvert County, at Bowling's point in the freshes of Patuxent River to be called Bowlington. For Mattapany Hundred.

Nov. Session, 1688. By Assembly erected a Town.

- Bridgetown, commonly called Nine Bridges, Caroline County.
- Dec. Session, 1839. Incorporated; elect annually 5 Coms. who chose a President and appoint *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, Collector. *Boundaries*.
  - Bridge Town, at the Bridge near Head of Great Choptank River, Dorchester and Queen Anne's Counties.

July Session, 1732. Erected a Town.

Bridgetown, Kent County.

Nov. Session, 1797. Market; 5 Coms. elected annually; Market Clerk. Sand Town, Queen Anne's Co., to benefit.

Nov. Session, 1798. Sandtown to also vote for the 5 Coms.

- Nov. Session, 1804. Sup. to Market Act of 1797; Coms. can tax, name Bailiff, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1817. Name changed to Millington. (See Millington.)
  - Bristol, Dorchester County. In Hunger River on the east side of said river on Andrew Fusleyes Neck, to be called Bristol.

Oct. Session, 1686. By Assembly erected a Town.

Bristoll, Charles County.

Sept. 15, 1686. Council appoints officers to see Act enforced.

Brookeville, Montgomery County.

Nov. Session, 1808. Erected a Town: 5 Coms. to survey, etc.; goes to Co. Records.

May Session, 1813. Constable, by Co. Levy Court.

- Jan. Session, 1890. Incorporated; elect 2 yr. term 3 Coms. who chose President and appoint *Town Clerk*, Bailiffs, Assessor. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Enlarges powers of Coms.; streets, etc. Bruceville, Frederick County.
- Dec. Session, 1815. 7 Coms. to survey ; plat goes on Co. Records.

Brunswick, Frederick County (formerly Berlin.)

- Jan. Session, 1890. Incorporated; elect 2 yr. terms Mayor and 4 Council; appoint *Town Clerk*, Bailiffs, assess, tax, etc. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Enlarge powers of Coms.; can issue Bonds for Public Improvements.
- Jan. Session, 1894. 2 Acts; Enlarge powers of Coms.; can issue Bonds for Public Improvements, can issue Bonds for Water Supply, but this Act must be approved by voters.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Amends; elect 2 yr. term Mayor, 6 Council, 2 from each ward, 4 yr. term, but 1 from each ward elected every other year; appoint ann. Town Clerk who acts as Treasurer; ann. Bailiffs, assess, tax, etc. Council has powers of State Board of Health. *Boundarics.* Gov. appoints a Register for each ward.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Amends; elect 2 yr. term Mayor, 4 yr. term 6 Council, 3 to be elected every other year, 1 from each ward. Gov. appoints Register for Town 2 yr. term. Registration provisions, powers of Council and powers of Mayor defined.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Enlarge powers Mayor and Council; can issue Bonds for Water Supply if voters approve.
- Jan. Session, 1898. Enlarge powers Mayor and Council; can issue Bonds for Public Building if voters approve.
- Jan. Session, 1898. Amends; Mayor and Council elected as in Act 1896 and same terms; also Gov. appoints Register; Council appoints Town Clerk who acts as Treasurer, Bailiffs, Judges of Election, etc.; can asess, tax, etc. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Amends; enlarges powers of Council; Registration provisions some change.

Jan. Session, 1904. Amends; enlarges powers of Council.

Jan. Session, 1904. Amends; enlarges powers of Mayor and Council; can issue Bonds for Street Improvements if voters approve.

Burkittsville, Frederick County.

[Dec. Session, 1831. Mentioned, but not erected a Town.]

Jan. Session, 1894. Incorporated: elect ann. 3 Coms. who chose President and appoint *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, assess, tax, etc. *Boundaries*.

Bush Town, on Bush River, Baltimore County.

Nov. Session, 1769. Act directing next Balto. Co. election to be held here.

See Harford Town, 1773.

Caecill Towne, Cecil County. In Elk River at a place called Caecill Towne at the mouth of Bohemia River.

Oct. Session, 1686. By Assembly crected a Town.

Caecil Town, at Broxen's Point, Cecil County. (See Cecilton.)

May Session, 1730. Erected a Town by Assembly.

Calvert Towne, on Battle Creek, Calvert County.

April Session, 1684. By Assembly erected a Town.

Sept. 15, 1686. Battle Creek Town. Council appoints officers to see Act enforced.

# Cambridge, at Daniel Joanses Plantation on South Side of Great Choptancke, Dorchester County.

- April Session, 1684. By Assembly erected a Town.
- Sept. 15, 1686. *Cambridge*. Council appoints officers to see Act enforced.
- April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.
- Oct. Session, 1778. Constable appointed by Dorchester Co. Coms.
- Nov. Session, 1793. 5 Town Coms., 5 yr. term, 1 retiring every year; Town Clerk; Market, Market Clerk; tax, etc.; Town Coms. to lay out Town anew, etc.
- Nov. Session, 1799. Constable appointed by Dorchester Co. Levy Court.

Nov. Session, 1806 Enlarges powers of Coms.

Dec. Session, 1815. Enlarges powers of Coms.

- Dec. Session, 1832. Dorchester Co. Levy Court appoints a Constable for Cambridge.
- Dec. Session, 1838. Enlårge powers Coms.; streets, also liquor licenses must be recommended by Coms. and they can remove license same as Judge Co. Court.

Jan. Session, 1853. Coms. can extend the Town.

- Dec. Session, 1861. I Com. to be elected every year, term 5 years.
- Jan. Session, 1872. Enlarges powers of Coms.; Assessor, tax, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1880. Boundaries.

- Jan. Session, 1882. Amends; to be divided into 5 wards; elect 2 yr. term 5 Coms., one from each ward; Coms. chose Mayor, Town Clerk who acts as Treasurer, Bailiff, 3 Assessors, market powers, etc. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1884. 3 named as Water Cours. for Cambridge.
- Jan. Session. 1888. Amends; Mayor, State's Attorney and President of the Board of Trade to constitute a Board of Police Commissioners, appoint Police, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Amends: Coms. to constitute a Board of Police Commissioners and appoint Police. Bailiffs, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Enlarges powers, etc., concerning Water Supply, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Amends: 5 ward divisions defined. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1894. 3 Acts; Amends; enlarges powers of Coms.; fines, etc.; water supply powers, etc.; bonds, streets, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1898. Amends; elect 2 yr. term 5 Coms., one from each ward; qualifications, voters, etc.; issue Sewer Bonds, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Amends: 2 Acts: elect 5 Coms., 2 yr. term, 1 from each ward; Coms. chose one of their members Mayor, Town Clerk and Treasurer; Collector, election officials, Bailiffs, Police, 3 Assessors; 5 wards bounded; street powers; borrows money: 3 classes Records—1, Minute: 2, Ordinance; 3, General Record. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Amends; 5 wards bounded; enlarges powers, etc., to borrow money and street powers, etc.; 2 Acts.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Amends; Coms. to appoint Town Clerk and Treasurer, 2 yr. term; Bailiff, 2 yr. term; Police, election officials, etc.; 3 classes Records—1. Minute;
  2. Ordinance; 3. General Record, also assessment book and others necessary; codify ordinances; powers enlarged.

# Canterbury on Shipping alias Coxe's Creek, Kent County.

Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly erected a Town.

March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date-100 acres.

Sept. 15, 1686. *Canterbury*. Council appoints officers to see Act enforced.

# Catonsville, Baltimore County.

[Jan. Session, 1860. Mentioned, but not erected a Town.] Jan. Session, 1884. Incorporated; elect ann. 5 Coms. chose President, who is also Treasurer; *Town Clerk*, Collector, Police. *Boundaries*. Jan. Session, 1886. Incorp.; officers same as Act 1884; Coms. to survey and put plat on Co. Records.

Jan. Session, 1886. Sanitary officer appointed by Co. Coms. Cecilton, Cecil County. (See Caecilton.)

[Dec. Session, 1823. Mentioned as Cecilton.]

Jan. Session, 1864. Incorporated : elect ann. 5 Coms. who chose President and appoint *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, etc.

Jan. Session, 1866. Amends; elect ann. Mayor and 5 Council, *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, Assessor; streets, etc.

Jan. Session, 1870. Bailiff subject to Coms.

Jan. Session, 1882. Amend; elect ann. Bailiff and 5 Coms., who chose a President, a *Secretary* and Treasurer from their own members; Bailiff is Collector also. Coms. can establish *Boundaries*.

## Centreville, Queen Anne County.

- Nov. Session, 1794. Erected a Town: 7 Coms. named to survey, etc., and plat goes on Co. Records. New Court House to be here. To be called Centreville.
- Nov. Session, 1796. Sup. Act to Act erecting Town. Town
- Coms. appoint *Toren Clerk*, market, market clerk, tax, etc. Nov. Session, 1802. Enlarge powers of Town Coms., tax, etc.
- Nov. Session, 1804. Enlarge town limits.
- Dec. Session, 1822. 7 Coms, elected annually.
- Dec. Session, 1823. Enlarge town limits.
- Dec. Session, 1830. Enlarge town limits; Incorporated, Coms, appoint Bailiff, street powers, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1865. 3 Cours. elected annually.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Coms. survey and put on Co. Records; Bailiff, assess, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1876. Amends; elect 2 yr. term 3 Coms., assess, market house, annual statement.
- Jan. Session, 1878. Amends; elect 2 yr. term 3 Coms., market powers, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1882. Enlarges powers of Coms.; Co. Coms. to fix streets, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1888. Coms. may enlarge *Boundaries*. Plat to be put on Co. Court Records.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Enlarge powers of Coms.; appoint ann. Collector; may abate, transfer, etc., as to taxes, etc.; 3 Asessors are *named*.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Amends; Coms. appoint ann. Collector, etc.; Bailiff may act as Collector if Coms. wish.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Amends; clect 2 yr. term 3 Coms.; qualifications, voters, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Enlarges powers of Coms. : streets, etc.

# Chandler Town, Charles County.

Sept. 15, 1686. Council appoints officers to see Act enforced.

Oct. Session, 1727. Court House and Prison to be erected at a place called Chandler Town.

See Charles Town, 1729, and Port Tobacco, 1820.

Chapel Point, Charles County.

Jan. Session, 1894. Voters of Charles Co. to decide in June, 1895, whether the County Seat be located here or at La Plata.

Charles Town, at a place called Long Point, on West Side of North East River, Cecil County.

Sept. Session, 1742. Erected a Town.

May Session, 1744. A Sup Act.

Aug. Session, 1745. A Sup. Act. May Session, 1748. Powers of Town Coms. enlarged.

- May Session, 1750. Powers of Town Coms. enlarged; appoint Overseer of Streets, etc.
- Nov. Session, 1786. Incorporated. "The Commissioners of Charlestown;" by-laws, etc.
- Nov. Session, 1786. Cecil Co. Court House removed from here.
- Nov. Session, 1806. Enlarges powers of Coms.

Dec. Session, 1849. Sup. Act ; 5 Coms., etc.

Charles Towne in his Lordship's Forest nigh Humphrey Warren's Plantation in Wiccocomoco River, Charles County.

June 5, 1668. Named. Port named by Governor and Council. by direction of Lord Proprietor.

Aug. 20, 1668. To take effect.

Sept. 15, 1686. Council appoints officers to see Act of 1684 for *Charles Town* enforced.

Charles Towne, at the Court House at Head of Port Tobacco Creek, Charles County.

July Session, 1729. Erected by Assembly, but lot holders of the old town of Chandler Town to retain their lots.

Nov. Session,1779. Commission of 3 to resurvey, as old plat torn from Charles Co. Records.

Nov. Session, 1789. Commission of 5 to resurvey, as those of 1779 did not do their duty.

Nov. Session, 1794. Market, under Co. Coms.; Market Coms. and Market Clerk.

Nov. Session, 1811. Co. Prison here. Dec. Session, 1820. Name changed to Port Tobacco. See Port Tobacco, 1820.

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# Chesapeake Beach, Calvert County.

Jan. Session, 1886. Incorporated; elect ann. Secretary and Treasurer and 3 Coms. who chose President; Constable, Assessor, Collector; President has powers of a J. P. Boundaries.

Jan. Session, 1888. Act Incorporation 1886 Repealed.

Jan Session, 1894. Incorporated: elect ann. 7 Coms. who chose from their members a Mayor, also a *Secretary and Treasurer*, Bailiff, Collector; tax. *Boundaries*.

Chesapeake, at Mouth of Susquehanna River, Cecil County.

Nov. Session, 1795. Act erecting; 6 Coms. of Town, Town, Clerk, who keeps plat, etc.

Chesapeake City, Cecil County.

- [Dec. Session, 1830. Mentioned, but not erected a Town.]
- [Dec. Session, 1839. Gov. to appoint inspector and measurer of lumber.]
- Dec. Session, 1840. Incorporated; annually elect 5 Coms. who chose President and appoint *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, Assessor. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1856. 5 Coms. to lay out Boundaries as in Act 1849 Session.
- Jan. Session, 1876. Repeal and reenact; elect ann. 5 Coms., chose President and appoint Secretary who acts as Treasurer, Assessor, Bailiff, Collector; street powers. Boundaries; plat now on Co. Court Records.
- Jan. Session, 1888. Amends; Bailiff to be elected annually; Coms. may appoint any necessary officers.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Amends; enlarges powers of Coms.; taxation, etc.; assessor, etc.
  - Chester Town, in Chester River, on Mr. Joce's Plantation, between Mr. Willmore's and Edward Walvin's Plantations, Kent County.

April Session, 1706. Also made a Port as well as Town.

March Session, 1707. Its site changed slightly to place bought by Town Commissioners and Court House to be located here.

May Session, 1730. Act laying out anew.

Oct. Session, 1753. Act enlarging Commissioners' powers. Nov. Session, 1784. Market established: *Market Clerk*, named by Kent Co. Orphans Court.

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Nov. Session, 1793. Powers Town Coms. enlarged.

Nov. Session, 1805. 7 Coms. elected annually; Town Clerk, Bailiff, etc.; tax; street powers, etc., etc.

- Dec. Session, 1828. Act concerning qualifications for Town Coms.
- Dec. Session, 1837. Coms. appoint Clerk of the Market. Dec. Session, 1839. Enlarge powers of Coms.; regulate market, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1845. Enlarge powers of Coms.; 2 Acts.
- Jan. Session, 1864. Enlarges powers of Coms.; appoint Collector, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1866. Coms. not to appoint Supervisor of Streets, but appointed by Co. Coms.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Elect ann. 7 Coms.; appoint Collector, etc.; small change.
- Jan. Session, 1876. Enlarge powers of Coms.; appoint Supervisor of Streets, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1880. Extends Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1880. Amends; elect 3 yr. term 3 Coms., one to be elected every year; app. Collector, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1880. Co. Coms. appoint Wharf Master for Chestertown.
- Jan. Session, 1882. Enlarge powers of Coms.; streets, etc.; appoint Supervisor of Streets, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1884. Amends; Collectors, etc.

Jan. Session, 1888. Amends; enlarges powers of Coms.; taxation, etc.; street powers, etc. *Town Clerk* acts as Collector. *Boundaries*.

- Jan. Session, 1898. Enlarge powers of Coms.; can issue Bonds for Water Supply.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Amends ; Town Clerk may act as Collector or Coms. may appoint a Collector ; taxation powers of Coms., etc., increased.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Amends; duties of Treasurer enlarged, etc.

Church Creek, Dorchester County.

Jan. Session, 1867. Incorporated: elect 2 yr. term 5 Coms. who chose President and appoint, *Town Clerk*, Collector, Bailiff. Boundaries.

Church Hill, Queen Anne's County.

[Dec. Session, 1813. Mentioned, but not erected a Town.]

- Dec. Session, 1817. 5 Coms., elected annually; survey, make by-laws, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1876. Repeals and reenacts; elect ann. 3 Coms., chose President and appoint *Town Clerk*, Treasurer, Bailiffs, 3 Assessors. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1886. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Enlarges powers of Coms.

Jan. Session, 1896. Enlarges powers of Coms.; can issue Bonds for Water Supply and Fire Protection.

Clarksburg, Montgomery County.

[Dec. Session, 1823. Mentioned, but not erected a Town.]

Jan. Session, 1892. Incorporated; elect ann. 3 Coms. who chose President and appoint Town Clerk, Bailiff, Assessor. *Boundaries*.

Jan. Session, 1898. Repeals Incorporation.

### Clear Springs, Washington County.

- Dec. Session, 1826. Plat of Town recorded Dec. 28, 1825, validated.
- Dec. Session, 1836. Incorporated; Burgess, Ass. Burgess and 5 Coms. elected annually; *Town Clerk*: Burgess is Treasurer. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Amend; elect ann. Burgess, Ass. Burgess, and 3 Coms. who chose President and a Treasurer from their members; Collectors. *Boundaries*.

Clement's Town, St. Mary's County.

- Sept. 15, 1686. Council appoints officers to see Act enforced.
  - Colchester, Kent County. (See Georgetown, Kent County.)

# Coxe's Town, Coxe's Creek, in Patuxent River, Calvert County.

 April Session, 1684. Added by Assembly to those of 1683.
 Sept. 15, 1686. Coxe's Town. Council appoints officers to see Act enforced.

# Crisfield, Somerset County.

Jan. Session, 1872. Incorporated: 5 Coms., one elected ann.; *Town Clerk*, President, Assessor, Bailiff who is Collector and Supervisor of Streets and Markets, etc. *Bounduries.* 

Jan. Session, 1878. Boundaries enlarged if voters approve.

- Jan. Session, 1886. Reenacts; officers same except more Bailiffs and Assessors. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Reenacts; elect two yr. term 5 Coms.; enlarges powers, streets, market, assess tax, etc.; Assessors; mentions Bailiff, Collector; old Coms. to hold office until terms expire. Enlarges *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Amends qualifications of voters; Coms. appoint Treasurer, Bailiffs, Police, Night Watchmen, Register of Voters, Election Judges and Clerks, Police Justices.

Jan-Session, 1896. Enlarges powers of Coms.; sales, etc.

- Jan. Session, 1898. Enlarges powers of Coms.; Improvements, Bonds for, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Amends: elect 2 yr. terms 5 Coms., 3 to be elected one year and two the next year, and so on alternately; qualifications for voters.

Crumpton, Queen Anne County.

Jan. Session, 1900. Incorporated; elect ann. 3 Coms.; Toren Clerk, Bailiff; tax powers, etc.

Cumberland, at or near mouth of Will's Creek, Washington County.

- Nov. Session, 1786. Act erecting Town; Coms.; 200 acres; Town Clerk.
- Nov. Session, 1793. Alegany Co. Court House and Prison to be built here.
- Nov. Session, 1795. Market.
- Nov. Session, 1805. Act erecting[Act 1786 repealed, as no action taken under it]; 3 Coms. to act; record at Co. Court.
- Dec. Session, 1815. Incorporated; Burgers and 4 Coms. elected; *Clerk*, Bailiff, etc..
- Dec. Session, 1816. 3 Coms. lay out streets, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1816. 5 Coms. to correct original plat of Town.
- Dec. Session, 1818. 2 Coms. added to 5 to correct original plat of Town.
- Dec. Session, 1818. Enlarge powers of Coms.
- Dec. Session, 1824. Act 1816 and its Sup. 1818 repealed.
- Dec. Session, 1829. Allegany Levy Court to shut certain streets in Cumberland.
- Dec. Session, 1832. Act reviving Incorporation Act of 1815; elect annually 7 Councilmen, who elect a Mayor (1 of the 7); *Town Clerk*, etc. *Boundarics*.
- Dec. Session, 1834. Revives previous Acts; much same as 1832 Act; 7 Coms. and 1 elected Mayor, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1834. Market; Superintendent, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1838. Mayor and Council to resurvey town; also certain street powers.
- Dec. Session, 1839. Survey of Aug. 1, 1839, by Mayor and Council recorded in Co. Clerk's Office; to be binding and be taxable limits of town.
- Dec. Session, 1843. Enlarge powers of Mayor and Council; 2 Acts—streets, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1849. Sup. Act; elect annually Mayor and 6 Councilmen; Town Assessors to assess annually.

- Dec. Session, 1849. Education : Mayor and Council a Board of Trustees : Town Treasurer and Town Clerk to act same for schools.
- Jan. Session, 1856. Name changed to Cumberland City.
- Jan. Session, 1856. Name Town of Cumberland changed to Cumberland City.
- Jan. Session, 1864. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Boundaries, as per survey by Mayor and Council in Co. Clerk's Office.
- Jan. Session, 1872. Divided into 2 wards; elect ann. Mayor and 6 Council, 3 from each ward.
- Jan. Sesion, 1874. Divided into 6 wards: elect 2 yr. Mayor and 12 Council, 2 from each ward, and but 6 Council elected ann. 2 yr. term; Council chose President and appoint Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector; Mayor veto and three-quarters passes over; word "Collector" takes place word "Bailiff" in previous Acts.
- Jan. Session, 1876. Amends; Mayor veto, three-quarters passes over; Mayor and Council elect a J. P. as Police Magistrate.

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- Jan. Session, 1878. Amends; to be divided in 6 wards and survey go on Co. Records; elect 2 yr. terms Mayor and 11 Council, 6 one from each ward and 5 at large; also elect ann. City Clerk; Mayor and Council appoint Judges of Elections, etc; Council appoints City Treasurer, 3 Asessors: establish markets, etc.; street powers, etc; City Treasurer mentioned.
- Jan. Session, 1880. Amends; elect 2 yr. term City Clerk; Council appoints City Treasurer, Collector: Mayor appoints with consent of Council all other officers not elected.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Amends; Council appoints City Treasurer, Police Magistrate, Collector, 3 Assessors; Clerk of City Council; Mayor appoints all other non-elective officers; water powers; Board of 3 Waters Coms. and Mayor ex officio chairman; Mayor and Council have survey of Town and Plat go on Co. Court Records.
- Jan. Session, 1804. Amends; concerning Street and Water Powers; also Mayor can veto any *item* in any appropriation, and two-thirds Council passes over his veto.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Amends; Mayor and Council can acquire Public Parks.
- Jan. Session, 1898. 3 Acts; *Boundaries* extended; street powers, etc.; elect 2 yr. term Mayor; Head of Dep't of Law to be Attorney and Counsellor for the City; Mayor and Council to provide a Board of Water Coms., of which Mayor is a member.

Jan. Session, 1900. Extend Boundaries.

- Jan. Session, 1900. Enlarges powers Mayor and Council; nuisances, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Enlarges powers Mayor and Council; streets, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Enlarges powers Mayor and Council; streets. etc.

Jan. Session, 1904. Enlarges powers Mayor and Council; issue Bonds for Fire Protection, etc.

Jan. Session, 1904. Extends Boundaries, etc.

## Damascus, Montgomery County.

[Dec. Session, 1842. Mentioned, but not erected a Town.] Jan. Session, 1890. Incorporated; elect ann. 3 Coms. who chose President and appoint *Town Clerk*, Bailiff. Boundaries.

## Deer Park, Garrett County.

Jan. Session, 1884. Incorporated; elect 5 Coms. 2 yr. terms, chose President and appoint *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, Treasurer, Collector, 2 Assessors. *Boundaries*.

Jan. Session, 1886. Reenacted; elect Mayor and 4 Council 2 yr. term; Town Clerk, 2 Assessors, Collector ann.; Bailiff ann.; Treasurer. *Boundaries*.

Jan. Session, 1888. Amend; enlarge powers Mayor and Council; streets, etc.; assessor, etc.

Jan. Session, 1890. Enlarges powers Mayor and Council; streets, etc.

Jan. Session, 1900. Enlarges powers Mayor and Council; taxation; Collector, etc.; publish annual statement.

Jan. Session, 1904. Enlarges powers Mayor and Council; licenses, etc.

## Delmar, Wicomico County.

Jan. Session, 1888. Incorporated; elect 2 yr. term 3 Coms. who chose President and appoint *Town Clerk* from their members; Bailiff, Collector. *Boundaries*.

Jan. Session, 1894. Enlarge powers of Coms.; streets, etc.

- Jan. Session, 1896. Amends; enlarge powers of Coms.; streets, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Incorporated; elect 2 yr. term 3 Coms. who chose from their members a President, a Treasurer and a Town Clerk; appoint Bailiff, Counsel, Collector, 3 Asessors, Judges of Elections. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Enlarge powers of Coms.; can issue Bonds for Water Supply, etc.

Jan. Session, 1904. Boundaries.

# Denton, Caroline County. (See Eden Town.)

Nov. Session, 1791. Co. Prison to be built here.

Nov. Session, 1796. 7 Coms. to lay out "village of Denton," 50 acres; plat goes on Co. Records.

Nov. Session, 1802. Erected; 5 Coms.

Nov. Session, 1804. Enlarge powers Town Coms.

Nov. Session. 1807. Enlarge powers Town Coms.; tax; Bailiff, etc.

Dec. Session, 1815. Limits Bailiff.

Dec. Session, 1826. Coms. appoint Town Clerk; Bailiff, Assessor, tax, etc.

Dec. Session, 1831. To be 9 Coms., 3 elected every year; Treasurer; Boundaries, etc.

Dec. Session, 1833. 7 Coms. instead of 9.

Jan. Session, 1858. Incorporation Act revived; voters elect Bailiff; Coms. powers changed somewhat.

Jan. Session, 1866. Repeals an reenacts Incorporation: elect ann. 5 Coms., chose President, *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, Assessors, Treasurer. Boundaries.

Jan. Session, 1884. Amends: officers, etc., same as Act 1866; Bhiliff acts as Collector. *Boundaries*.

Jan. Session, 1896. Enlarges power of Coms.; can issue bonds for Water Supply.

Jan. Session, 1902. Amends; officers, etc., same as previous Acts: also Coms. appoint Police: Treasurer mentioned. *Boundaries.* 

Doncaster, in Wye River, Town Land, Talbot County. Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly crected a Town. March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date : 100 acres.

Sept. 15, 1686. *Doncaster*. Council appoints officers to see Act enforced.

April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

Dorchester, Dorchester County.

Nov. Session, 1688. By Assembly erected a Town.

# Dorsett, on Morgan's Land near the Head of Fishing Creek, in Little Choptanke, Dorchester County.

Oct. Session, 1683. By act of Assembly erected a Town.

March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date; 100 acres.

Sept. 15, 1686. Dorsett. Council appoints officers to see Act enforced.

Oct. Session, 1686. Annulled by Assembly.

Nov. Session. 1688. Re-established by Assembly; to be called *Dorchester*.

## East New Market, Dorchester County.

Dec. Session, 1832. Incorporated; elect 5 Coms. annually; . appoint Town Clerk, Bailiff, who chose President; tax, etc.

Dec. Session, 1834. Sup. Act; Boundaries changed; Bailiff has powers of an overseer of roads.

Dec. Session, 1830. Incorporated; elect annually 5 Coms. who chose a President and appoint Town Clerk, Bailiff, Collector. Boundaries.

Jan. Session, 1854. Enlarges Coms. powers; Liquor License needs their endorsement.

5 Coms., I'to be elected every year for Ian. Session, 1860. 5 year term. Boundaries.

Jan. Session, 1867. Can organize as under the Act of 1860.

Jan. Session, 1874. Incorp.; elect ann, 5 Coms., chose President and appoint Town Clerk. Boundaries.

Jan, Session, 1884. Repeals and Reenacts; elect 2 vr. term 5 Coms. who chose President and appoint Town Clerk, who acts as Treasurer, Bailiff, Assessor; old Coms, hold office until new Coms. elected. Boundaries.

Jan. Session, 1902. Enlarges powers of Coms. a little.

Jan. Session, 1904. Enlarges powers of Coms.; taxation; appoint assessor, etc. Boundaries.

June 5, 1668. Named. Port named by Governor and Council. by direction of Lord Proprietor.

Aug. 20, 1668. To take effect.

### Easton, Talbot County.

[Talbot Town of 1785?]

Nov. Session, 1789. Co. Court House to be built here. Nov. Session, 1790. 5 Town Coms., Town Clerk, Market, Market Clerk, Bailiff, etc.

Nov. Session, 1790. Town Coms., power to tax in limits named.

Nov. Session, 1791. Town Coms., powers enlarged.

Nov. Session, 1794. Town Coms., powers enlarged.

Nov. Session, 1794. Co. Prison.

Nov. Session, 1799. Town Coms. to take surveys, notes, etc., of Coms. for Talbot Town [Easton].

Addition : survey by Town Coms. etc; Nov. Session, 1806. appoint Bailiff.

Dec. Session, 1822. Sup. Act; Clerk, Collector, etc.

Book of Surveyor who laid out Talbot, Dec. Session, 1849. later called Easton, under Act 1785, to be placed among Land Records of County.

Dec. Session, 1849. Enlarging powers of Coms.; streets, etc.

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Jan. Session, 1867. Bailiff.

Jan. Session, 1868. 3 Coms, one to be elected annually.

Jan. Session, 1880. Extends Boundaries. Plut goes on Records of County Court.

- Jan. Session, 1882. Coms. to publish annual statement. Jan. Session, 1895. Enlarge powers of Coms.; streets, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1894. 2 Acts; amends; defines powers of Coms.; Coms. appoint ann. Bailiff who is also Clerk of the Market; provisions concerning Market; ordinances to be codified.
- Jan. Session, 1896. 2 Acts; amends; enlarges powers of Coms. : streets. etc. : can grant franchises for use of streets : tax on billiard tables abolished.
- Jan. Session, 1898. Amends; Coms. appoint Assessors; enlarges powers; tax, etc.; Coms, appoint ann. Bailiff who acts as Clerk of the Market ; mentions Collector.
  - Eden Town, at or adjoining Pig Point, on East Side Choptank River below Melvin's Warehouse, Caroline County. (See Denton.)

Nov. Session, 1773. Caroline Co. Court House and Prison to be here to be called Eden Town.

March Session, 1779. Caroline Co. Court House removed.

Nov. Session, 1790. Caroline Co. Court House to be at Pig Point.

Elizabeth Town, Washington County.

[April Session, 1782. Mentioned, but not erected a Town.]

- April Session, 1783. Market established and Market Clerk. Nov. Session, 1791. Incorporated; 7 Town Coms., Town Clerk, etc.
- Nov. Session, 1793. Powers Town Coms. enlarged.

Nov. Session, 1808. Powers Town Coms. enlarged.

Dec. Session, 1813. Change name Elizabeth Town to Hagerstown and incorporate.

See Hagerstown.

# Elkton, Cecil County.

Land between Fork of Elk "heretofore called Head of Elk."

April Session, 1787. Act crecting Town; 7 Town Coms. and Town Clerk; Market for which Town Clerk acts as Market Clerk.

Nov. Session, 1794. Enlarging powers Town Coms.

- Nov. Session, 1808. 11 Coms. to survey as boundaries are doubtful; go to Co. Records.
- Dec. Session, 1821. Old Coms. to be replaced by 7 Coms. who chose President and appoint Town officers, etc.

- Dec. Session, 1843. Coms. to Survey Town; goes on Co. Records.
- Dec. Session, 1845. Enlarging powers of Coms.; Sup. to Incorp. Act.

Jan. Session, 1853. Coms. extend Town.

- Jan. Session, 1872. Enlarge powers of Coms.: Assessor, tax, etc.; Bailiff's duties.
- Jan. Session, 1880. Incorp.; elect ann. 5 Coms. who chose a President, also a *Secretary* and Treasurer from their members; Assessors, etc.; Bailiff elected annually. Boundaries same as before.
- Jan. Session, 1886. Amends; changes qualifications for voters and Coms. somewhat.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Amends; elect 2 year term President and 4 Coms.; Secretary; Assessor; Bailiff; Treasurer who acts as Collector.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Amends; defines powers of President and Coms. and also of Treasurer; enlarges powers of President and Coms. as to taxation; Assessor. *Boundaries*.

Ellicott City, Howard and Baltimore Counties.

Jan. Session, 1867. Incorporated; Town of Ellicott Mills to be Ellicott City; elect for 2 year term Mayor and 6 Council, *City Register* ann.; Assessors, Collectors, Police, etc.; Markets, etc. *Boundaries*.

Jan. Session, 1892. Enlarges powers of Coms. ; streets, etc.

- Jan. Session, 1894. Enlarges powers of Coms.; can issue Water and Internal Improvement Bonds if voters approve.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Gov. to appoint Register of Voters and 3 Supervisors of Elections for Ellicott City; Supervisors appoint 3 Judges and Clerks of Elections, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Enlarges powers of Coms.; can issue Bonds for Water Supply if voters approve.

Emmittsburg, Frederick County.

[Nov. Session, 1791. Mentioned, but not erected a Town.] Dec. Session, 1824. Incorporated: Burgess and 6 Coms. elected annually; tax; Town Clerk; Boundaries, etc.; Emmittsburg and Shields Addition to Emmittsburg united.

Dec. Session, 1831. Powers Burgess and Coms, enlarged. Dec. Session, 1838. Sup. Act.; powers of Coms.

Dec. Session, 1843. Sup. Act.; to be adopted by voters; Burgess and 6 Coms.

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- Jan. Session, 1854. Incorp.; elect ann. Burgess and 6 Coms., Town Clerk, Constable, Collector; assess, tax, etc. Boundaries. Acts 1824, 1831, 1833, 1838, 1843 Repealed.
  Federalsburg, Caroline County (formerly partly in Dorchester County).
- Dec. Session, 1823. Incorporated: 5 Coms. elected annually; *Clerk*: President.
- Dec. Session, 1831. Revives Act 1823; 5 Coms. elected annually, etc. Boundaries.

Dec. Session, 1849. Incorporated; 5 Coms. elected annually; chose President; Town Clerk; Bailiff. Boundaries.

Jan. Session, 1880. Town to be all included in Caroline Co.

Jan. Session, 1894. Amends; elect 5 Coms. ann.; slight changes as to qualifications for voters, Coms., etc.

Jan. Session, 1904. Amends; enlarges powers of Coms.

Franklin, Baltimore County.

- Dec. Session, 1833. Incorporated; elect annually 5 Coms. who chose President, *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, Collector, etc. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1872. Streets on Poppleton's plat of the Town not to be closed.

Frederick Town, on North Side Sassafras River, at place called Pennington's Point, Cecil County.

March Session, 1735/6. Erected a Town.

April Session, 1736. Another erection Act; at Pennington's Point; Commissioners name a *Clerk*; survey and Proceedings filed with Clerk of County Court; 30 acres.

April Session, 1737. A Sup. Act.

- Frederick Town, Frederick County (now Frederick City).
- May Session, 1748. Co. Court House to be built at a place commonly called *Frederick Town*.
- Nov. Session, 1770. Market established; County Court to name Market Clerk.
- Nov. Session, 1786. Incorporated; the Commissioners of Frederick Town; Town Clerk,
- Nov. Session. 1794. Enlarging powers Town Coms.
- Nov. Session, 1795. Market in Bentztown, an addition to Frederick: Clerk.
- Nov. Session, 1796. Additions to Frederick.
- Nov. Session, 1804. Enlarge powers Town Coms.
- Nov. Session, 1805. Sup. Act to Act Market.
- Dec. Session, 1816. Incorporate Frederick Town; Mayor, Aldermen and Common Council; *Register*; Town Coms. legislated out and their papers, etc., go to Register.

Dec. Session, 1818. Bounds of 6th Ward.

- Dec. Session, 1826. Enlarges powers of Council and Aldermen: as to police, streets, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1827. Education; 22 Superintendents and Presidents; School Districts, etc.; report to the Corporation.
- Dec. Session, 1832. Extends taxable limits one-eighth mile.
- Dec. Session, 1837. Mayor can appoint extra Constables, not to exceed 20.

## Frederick City, Frederick County.

- Dec. Session, 1840. To vote whether Board of Aldermen be abolished at next election.
- Jan. Session, 1867. Enlarge powers Mayor, Aldermen and Council; Markets, streets, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Enlarge powers Mayor; Assessors.
- Jan. Session, 1870. 2 Acts; each ward elect 1 member Council; enlarges powers, etc. *Boundarics*.
  - Jan. Session, 1872. Gov. names 3 Coms. to divide into 10 wards and 5 Aldermanic Districts of 2 wards; plat to City Register: Mayor and Aldermen for 3 yr. term; 10 Council annually, one from each ward; Gov. names Register for each ward.
  - Jan. Session, 1878. Boundaries.
  - Jan. Session, 1878. Amends: elect 3 yr. terms Mayor and 5 Aldermen. 1 from each Aldermanic district; qualifications, voters, etc.
  - Jan. Session, 1888. Amends: taxable. Boundaries.
  - Jan. Session, 1892. Amends; taxable. Boundaries.
  - Jan. Session, 1892. Amends; Mayor and 5 Aldermen, 1 from each ward elected 3 yr. terms.
  - Jan. Session, 1894. 4 Acts; enlarges powers, etc.; nuisances, etc.; issue more bonds for water supply, etc.; taxable Boundaries and Police Boundaries; Registration Law; Gov. names Register in each Aldermanic District and City Register revises, etc.
  - Jan. Session, 1894. Election Act; Gov. appoints 3 Supervisors of Elections, 3 yr. term; they appoint Judges of Elections, etc.; extensive details.
  - Jan. Session, 1898. Election Act; Gov. appoints 3 Supervisors of Elections; they appoint election officials, etc.; each Supervisor has a veto; Registration provisions, etc.
  - Jan. Session, 1898. Amends; qualifications voters, Aldermen; provisions in case death Mayor, etc.; Mayor President of Board of Aldermen; City Register keeps seal,

handles all moneys, etc.; Mavor appoints City Constable, Coms. to revise assessments and all other necessary officers.

- March Session, 1901. Election Act; details; all under control of Board of Supervisors of Elections; arangement of names, etc., etc.
- Jan. Session, 1902. 2 Acts; enlarging powers, etc.; streets, etc.; water supply, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Concerning nominations, etc.; Primary Law.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Amends; duties, qualifications, etc., of City Register; Mayor appoints Constables or Police; also powers enlarged of Assessors to correct assessments.
- Jan. Session, 1004. Amends; Election Law; elect 3 yr. term Mayor, City Register, 5 Aldermen; City Register keeps the seal; Gov. appoints 3 as Board of Election Supervisors, and they name Election Officials, extra Police for election, etc.; Registration provisions. etc.

# Friendsville, Garrett County.

- Jan. Session, 1902. Incorporated; elect 2 yr. terms Mayor and 6 Council; Council appoints *Town Clerk*, Assessor and Collector.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Amends; elect 6 Council 4 yr terms, but 3 to be elected every other year; elect Mayor 2 yr. term; Council appoints *Town Clerk*, Assessor and Collector; extensive powers; to vote for or against liquor licenses. *Boundaries*,

## Frostburg, Allegany County.

- Dec. Session, 1834. 3 Coms. appointed to lay out the Town; goes on Co. Court Records.
- Dec. Session, 1839. Incorporated; elect annually 5 Coms. who chose President and appoint *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, Collector. *Boundaries*.
- Dec. Session, 1840. Incorporated; same officers, etc., as in Act 1839, which is repealed; survey to be made as set out in Act of 1834.
- Dec. Session, (849. Incorporated; same officers as under old Acts. Boundaries, etc., to be adopted by voters or rejected.
- Jan. Sessiou, 1866. Sup. Act.; Assessors, tax, etc.; Coms. file description at Co. Court.
- Jan. Session, 1867. Boundaries; to be voted on in June.
- Jan. Session, 1870. Incorporated; elect ann. Mayor and C. Council; Mayor has powers of J. P.; *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, Treasurer, 3 Assessors, Supervisor of Streets, etc. *Boundaries*.

- Jan. Session, 1874. Mayor and Council and 5 Fire Coms. to fix water, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1878. Amends; Town Clerk, etc.; Treasurer, etc.; slight changes.
- Jan. Session, 1884. 11 Coms. appointed as Water Commission to get water supply started, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1886. Amends; elect ann. Mayor and 6 Council, but 3 Council to be elected every year; qualifications, voters, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Mayor and Council to elect one of their members and 2 others, now members, as a Water Board for Frostburg.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Enlarges powers, etc.; water supply; appoint superintendent, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Amends; elect 2 yr. terms Town Clerk, Bailiff, Night Policeman, Supervisor of Streets; Mayor and Council appoint Treasurer.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Amends; Mayor and Council ann. appoint *Town Clerk*, Treasurer, Supervisor of Streets; have voters registered.
- Jan. Session, 1898. Amends; concerning Council meetings, etc. *Boundarics*. 2 Acts.
- Jan. Session, 1900. 2 Acts; amend; Mayor and Council ann. appoint Collector; Collector's duties defined; concerning criminal jurisdiction, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Enlarges powers, etc.; water supply increase; must be approved by voters.
- Jan. Session. 1902. Amends; to be divided into 2 wards; elect ann. Mayor and 6 Council, 3 each, appoint election officials, etc.; mentions Police, Bailiff, Treasurer, Town Clerk.

Funkstown, Washington County. (See Jerusalem.) [Nov. Session, 1811. Mentioned, but not erected a Town.] Dec. Session, 1840. Name changed to Jerusalem and incorporated; see Jerusalem.

Jan. Session, 1896. Jerusalem or Funkstown; see Jerusalem.

## Gaithersburg, Montgomery County.

Jan. Session, 1878. Incorporated; ann. elect 5 Coms., Town Clerk, Bailiffs, Assessor. Boundaries.

- Jan. Session, 1888. Amends; elect 2 yr. term 5 Coms., Town Clerk, Bailiff, etc. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Enlarge powers of Coms.; streets, etc.

Jan. Session, 1898. Amends; elect 2 yr. terms Mayor and 4 Coms., *Town Clerk*, Bailiffs, Assessors, Treasurer, who acts as Collector, Scavenger; publish annual statement. *Boundaries.* 

# Galena, Kent County.

- Jan. Session, 1858. Name of Georgetown Cross Roads changed to Galena.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Incorp.; elect ann. 3 Coms.; streets, etc. *Boundaries*.

## Garrett Park, Montgomery County.

- Jan. Session, 1898. Incorporated; elect Mayor 2 yr. term, 4 Council 4 yr. term, but 2 elected every other year; prepare plut of Town; Act as a State Board of Health; Assessors; street powers; Mayor appoints Town Marshal; Health Officer; Town Clerk and Treasurer; Marshal can appoint deputies. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Amends; as to Assessors, etc.

#### Geneva, Washington County.

- Jan. Session, 1894. Nume of Smithsburg to be changed to Geneva if voters so decide in May election, 1894. [Does not seem to have been adopted.]
  - George Town, on South Side Sassafras River, on a Tract of Land called Tolchester where Ferry is kept, Kent County.

March Session, 1735/6. Erected a Town.

- April Session, 1736. Another crection Act: 60 acres: Commissioners name a *Clerk*: survey and Proceedings to be filed with Clerk of County Court.
- April Session, 1787. Commission of 5 to resurvey as "old hook is lost;" to be put by Town Clerk on Town Records; also goes on Co. Records.
- Nov. Session, 1811. Name changed to Colchester.
- Nov. Session, 1812. Name changed back again to Georgetown. Act 1811 repealed.

See Georgetown.

- George Town, on Potowmack River, above Mouth of Rock Creek, Frederick County. Later in Montgomery County and in the District of Columbia.
- May Session, 1751. Erected by Act; Commissioners who regulate fairs, etc.

# Georgetown, Montgomery County.

- Nov. Session, 1783. Addition 61 acres; 5 Coms. to survey; put on Co. Records.
- Nov. Session, 1784. Addition 20 18-32 acres ; Town Coms. to survey ; put on Town Records.

- Nov. Session, 1789. Incorporated ; Mayor, Recorder, 6 Aldermen, 10 Councilmen, Mayor's Court, etc.
- Nov. Session, 1792. Enlarges powers Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen and Council.
- Nov. Session, 1795. Addition : survey by 3 Coms. ; Recorded in Territory of Columbia.
- Nov. Session, 1796. Additions; recorded by Clerk, Territory of Columbia.
- Nov. Session, 1797. Sup. Act enlarging powers of Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen and Council.
- Nov. Session, 1799. Sup. Act enlarging powers of Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen and Council and plan of Town to be kept by Clerk of the Mayor's Court.

Georgetown Cross Roads, Kent County.

[Nov. Session, 1796. Mentioned, but not erected a Town.] Jan. Session, 1858. Name changed to Galena.

#### Girdle Tree, Worcester County.

Jan. Session, 1884. Incorp.; elect ann. 5 Coms., chose President and app. *Town Clerk*, Collector, Assessor, Bailiff. etc. *Boundaries*.

Glen Echo, Montgomery County.

Jan. Session, 1904. Incorporated; elect Mayor, term 2 yrs., 4 Council, 2 every year, term 2 vrs., have same power as State Board of Health: Mayor appoint, a Marshal, a *Town Clerk, and Treasurer*, a Health Officer: Assessors, extensive powers. *Boundaries*.

# Gloucester Town, Kent County. On Cackaway point in Langford bay on land formerly that of Toby Wells.

Nov. Session, 1688. By Assembly crected a Town.

#### Grantsville, Allegany County.

[Dec. Session, 1861. Mentioned, but not erected a Town.] Jan. Session, 1864. Incorporated; elect ann. 5 Coms., who chose President and appoint. *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, Collector. *Boundaries*.

Jan. Session, 18—. Incorp.; much same as previous Act.

- Greenhill Town (?), on Northwest Side of Wiccomoco River, on the woodland reach below Daniel Hast Creek, Somerset Co.
- [Town formerly laid out?] Somerset Co. called Greenhill Town?

April Session, 1706. Also made a Port as well as Town.

Greensborough, at Choptank Bridge, Caroline County. Nov. Session, 1791. Act erecting [called 'village'], 5 Coms.,

plat goes on Co. Records.

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Nov. Session, 1803. 5 new Coms., as old ones neglected to lay out, etc.

Nov. Session, 1806. Enlarges from 100 to 200 acres, survey by Coms. Bailiff.

Dec. Session, 1819. 5 Coms. to carry into effect Act to erect a village at Choptank Bridge.

Dec. Session, 1826. Act appointing Coms., 5 Coms. elected annually, Town Clerk, Bailiff, tax, assess, etc.

Dec. Session, 1830. Coms. to survey Town, etc.

Jan. Session, 1866. Reviews Act 1826.

Jan. Session, 1870. Incorporated, elect ann. 5 Coms., chose President and appoint, Bailiff, *Town Clerk*, 2 assessors, treasurer. Coms. fix the *Boundaries*.

Jan. Session, 1900. Enlarges powers of Coms.

Hagerstown, Washington County.

- Dec. Session, 1813. Name of Elizabethtown changed to Hagerstown and it is *incorporated*. 5 Coms. elected who chose one as Moderator. *Town Clerk*, Treasurer, Market Inspector, tax, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1814. Act almost identical with that of 1813, powers changed slightly.
- Dec. Session, 1823. Enlarges powers.
- Dec. Session, 1834. Enlarges powers, taxation nuisances, etc., also *Moderators*, and powers.
- Dec. Session, 1836. Extends limits.
- Dec. Session, 1839. Elect moderator and 1 Com. from each ward annually.
- Dec. Session, 1847. Sup. to Incorp. Act, Mayor for 2 yr. term, 5 Councilmen, 1 yr. terms, enlarge powers. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1854. Amends, as to Mayor's duties, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1866. Enlarges powers Mayor and Council, streets, etc.

Jan. Session, 1867. Enlarges powers Mayor, police.

- Jan. Session, 1868. Mayor and Council to enlarge Boundaries and put plat on Co. Records.
- Jan. Session, 1872. Divided in to 5 wards, 1 member Council elect ann. from each ward, Clerk for Council. Treasurer, Mayor appoints police, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1872. Enlarges powers Mayor and Council, Water Supply, Water Board, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1878. Annend, elect Mayor 2 yr. term and 5 Council 2 yr. term, one from each ward, 2 to be elected one year and 3 the next and so on alternately. Council

appoints, Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, Market Inspector. Mayor appoints Police and has powers of a J. P. Street powers. *Boundaries*.

- Jan. Session, 1884. Amends, elect Mayor 2 yr. term and 5 Council 2 yr. term, one from each ward, 2 to be elected one year and 3 the next and so on alternately. Mayor with advice and consent of Council appoints, *Town Clerk*, Collector, Market Inspector, 2 Police Justices from town J. P.'s. Mayor and Council appoint 3 Street Coms., I to be appointed every year. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1886. Amends, If Mayor die or, etc., Council to chose Mayor, Clerk's duties as to taxes received by him from Collector, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1888. Amends, Street Coms. to have control of lighting of Town, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1890. 2 Acts, Amends. Mayor with consent of Council appoints, Town Clerk, Collector, Police Justice, Market Inspector and any other necessary officers, powers Drainage, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1892. 8 Acts, Amend. Elect, 2 yr. term Mayor and 5 Council but 3 Council elected one year and 2 the next and so on alternately. Board of Election Supervisors, Enlarges powers Mayor and Council, Street lighting, Paving, Sanitary Sewerage, Public Improvement Fund, Street Railways, Mayor and Council appoint Police, Election Act for Town, Methods of Election, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1894. 3 Acts. Amend powers of Mayor, water supply powers, issue Fire Bonds, Fire tax, street, powers, Board of Street Coms. to have all charge repairs of streets, etc. Election Act, details as to election methods, ballots, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1896. 3 Acts, enlarge powers, etc., issue Drainage Bonds if vo'ers approve, issue Bonds Public Buildings, etc. Registration Act, Gov. appoints Register in each District, 2 vr. term, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1898. Amends. Police not to exceed 10 in number. Board of Street Coms. to have control of Town lighting, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1900. 4 Acts, Amend; Mayor and Council can establish garbage system, can tax telegraph, etc. Board Street Coms. can put in Electric Lighting, can appoint Police up to 10 in number and name Chief Police and Lt.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Amends: Mayor with consent of Council appoints, Town Clerk, Collector. Market Inspector and other necessary officers. The 6 J. P's. are to be Police Justices.

Jan, Session, 1904. 2 Acts, Amend: street powers, etc. Board of Street Coms. to appoint Police up to 10 in number and name Chief and Lieutenant, also during fires Fire Marshal and Asst. have police powers.

Hampstead [Baltimore County]. Carroll County.

[Dec. Session, 1816. Mentioned, but not erected a Town.] Jan. Session, 1888. Incorporated, elect ann. Mayor and 6 Council, highest vote to be Mayor; *Secretary* and Treas-

urer, Constables, Assessor, Collector. Boundaries.

- Jan. Session, 1892. Amends, elect ann. Mayor and 6 Council, appoint Town Clerk, who acts as Treasurer. Bailiff appointed annually, assess, tax, etc.
- Jan. Session. 1894. Amends. Elect ann. Mayor and 6 Council. Mayor, with consent of Council, appoints *Town Clerk*, who acts as Treasurer; also Bailiff; can assess, tax, etc. *Boundaries*.

Jan Session, 1898. Regulating Elections ; methods, etc.

Jan. Session, 1900. Enlarging powers of Coms. Streets, etc.

Hancock, Washington County.

[Nov. Session, 1791. Mentioned, but not erected a Town.] Jan. Session, 1853. Incorporated, elect annually Burgess,

- Ass. Burgess and 3 Coms. *Town Clerk*. Collector. Burgess acts as Treasurer. *Boundaries*. For 30 years.
- Jan. Session, 1878. Incorporated : seems much same as Act of 1853, but *no time limit* is set.

Jan. Session, 1886. Amends, enlarges powers, taxation, Collector, etc, *must be adopted by voters*.

Jan. Session, 1892. Amends, enlarges powers, taxation, Collector, etc.

Jan. Session, 1904. Amends, enlarges powers, taxation, licenses, etc.

#### Harford Town, Harford County.

Nov. Session, 1773. Bush Town at Head of Bush River to be called Harford Town-and Harford Co. Court House and Prison to be here.

Harvey Towne, Calvert County.

Oct. Session, 1686. By Assembly, erected a Town.

Havre de Grace, Harford County.

Nov. Session, 1785. Act creeting Town, 5 Coms. and a *Clerk* of Town.

Nov. Session, 1795. Enlarges, Town Coms. survey, Co. records.

Növ. Sessiön, 1796. Enlarges powers of Town Coms.

Nov. Session, 1800. Enlarges powers of Town Coms.

- Nov. Session, 1802. Enlarges powers of Town Coms.
- Nov. Session, 1805. Enlarges powers of Town Coms.
- Nov. Session, 1809. Annual election of 5 Town Coms.
- Nov. Session, 1811. Sup. Act of election.
- Nov. Session, 1812. Enlarges powers of Town Coms.
- Dec. Session, 1821. Enlarges powers Town Coms, regulate school, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1839. Incorporated, annually elect 5 Coms., whose chose a President and appoint *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, Assessor. *Boundaries*. To continue for 30 years unless repealed before such term's end.
- Dec. Session, 1840. Boundaries.
- Dec. Session, 1842. Certain tax exemptions of certain portions of the Town.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Elect ann. 5 Coms., etc. *Town Clerk*, 2 Assessors, Bailiff and Collector, Supervisor of Streets, . etc.
- Jan. Session, 1876. Enlarges powers of Coms., to be adopted by vote.
- Jan. Session, 1878. Incorporated, town is incorporated as the "City of Havre de Grace." Elect ann. Mayor and 6 Council. Council appoints 2 Assessors, Mayor appoints Counsel, mentions Treasurer, Bailiff, etc. See former Acts. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1882. Amends, changes powers of Treasurer. Jan. Session, 1890. Amends, defines powers of Mayor, of Council, and of Bailiff.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Amends, elect 2 yr. terms Mayor and 6 Council, 3 elected each year, Council chose President. Mayor appoints ann. with consent of Council, Bailiff, *Town Clerk*, Treasurer, who acts as Collector, 3 as Board Election Supervisors for 1, 2 and 3 yrs. each, 3 as Board of Health with Mayor and City Attorney as members also, Day and Night Police, Register Voters, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Repealed and *Reenacted*, Elect 2 yr. term Mayor and 6 Council, 3 elected each year, Council chose President, Mayor appoints ann. with consent of Council City Clerk, who assesses all new property, Treasurer who acts as Collector, Bailiff, 3 as Board of Election Supervisors for 1, 2 and 3 yrs., who appoint Judges and Clerks of Elections, etc., 3 as Board of Health together with Mayor and City Attorney, 2 yr. terms. City Clerk register voters, revised by Mayor and Council, enlarged powers Mayor and Council, can borrow for Gas, Electric Lights, Water or Sewers, but such loan must first be approved by the voters.

Herring Creek, Town Land at, Anne Arundel County. Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, crected a Town.

March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres.

Sept. 15, 1686. Herring Creek Town, Council appoints officers to see Act enforced.

April Session, 1706. Re-established by Assembly, 'Where the Town was formerly laid out."

March Session, 1707. To have but 50 acres.

Hillsborough-Hillsboro-Caroline County.

- [Nov. Session, 1806. Mentioned, but not erected a Town.]
- Dec. Session, 1822. Coms. elected annually. Town Clerk, tax, by-laws, etc.

Dec. Session, 1838. Act of 1822 repealed.

- Jan. Session, 1853. Incorporated, elect annually 5 Coms., who chose a President and appoint Town Clerk, Bailiff, Assessor. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1874. Incorp., elect ann. 5 Coms., who chose President and I Com. as Town Clerk. Co. Coms. appoint Constable subject to Town Coms. orders. Boundaries.

Jan. Session, 1876. Boundaries, Coms. appoint Assessor.

Jan. Session, 1904. Incorp., elect ann. 5 Coms., who chose President and appoint Town Clerk, Bailiffs, Treasurer. Assessors. Boundaries.

Huntington, Prince George County.

- Jan. Session, 1874. Incorporated, elect ann. 3 Coms. and Treasurer, President chosen by Coms., Town Clerk, Assessor, Bailiff, Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1880. Amends, elect ann. 3 Coms., chose President, Toxen Clerk, Treasurer, Assessor, Bailiff.
- Ian. Session, 1882. Name changed to Bowie, enlarges powers Coms., Treasurer, Assessor.

See Bowie.

Hurlock, Dorchester County.

Jan. Session, 1892. Incorporated; elect 2 yr. term, 3 Coms. who chose Chairman and also Secretary or Clerk, Bailiff. Boundaries.

Jan. Session, 1904. Enlarges powers of Coms., streets.

# Hyattstown, Montgomery County.

- Nov. Session, 1809. Erected a Town, 3 Coms., Survey, Co. Records, Constable, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1888. Incorporated, elect ann. 3 Coms., who chose President and appoint Town Clerk, Bailiff, Assessor. Boundaries.

Jan. Session, 1890. Enlarges powers of Coms., Streets, etc.

Jan. Session, 1900. Amends, elect ann. 3 Coms., slight changes of qualifications of Coms., Voters, etc. small changes.

## Hyattsville, Prince George County.

- Jan. Session, 1856. / Incorporated; elect Treasurer 2 yr. term and ann. 5 Coms. who chose President, Town Clerk, Bailiff. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1886. Incorporated, elect ann. 5 Coms. who chose President, elect 2 yr. term Treasurer; Coms. appoint, *Town Clerk*, Bailiffs, etc. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Amends; Treasurer and 2 Assessors to make an annual assessment, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1892. 2 Acts; Amends; elect 2 yr. term 5 Coms. but 3 elected one year and 2 the next year, and so on alternately: Treasurer and 2 Assessors to make an assessment every other year; street powers enlarged, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Reenacted, elect ann. 5 Coms., who chose President and appoint Bailiffs, Judges of Elections, 3 Assessors, Police Magistrate, who is commissioned by Gov.; Town Clerk, Street powers, etc., voters elect 2 yr. term Treasurer. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1898. Enlarges powers of Coms., can issue Bonds for Water Supply and Sewers, Improvements, Commission of 7 named, Act must be adopted by voters.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Enlarges powers of Coms., can issue Bonds for Water Supply if voters approve this Act.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Reenacted, elect Mayor and 6 Council, 2 yr. terms, but 3 elected every year. Elect Town Clerk ann. Elect Treasurer, 2 yr. term, who acts as Collector. Coms. appoint ann. 3 assessors, one from each ward, Bailiffs, Election officials, etc. Mayor and Council appoint Supervisor of Improvements, street powers, etc. Boundaries.
- March Session, 1901. Sup. Act to Water Act 1900, now approved by voters. Mayor and Council for President and Coms., etc.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Reenacted, elect ann. Mayor and 6 Council, 2 yr. term, but 3 elected every year, one from each of the 3 wards. Treasurer, who acts as Collector, elected 2 yr. term. Mayor and Council appoint *Town Clerk*, Attorney, Election officials, etc., 3 Assessors. Extensive powers, Bailiffs, Ward Boundaries given. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Enlarge powers Mayor and Council, can issue Bonds for Sewers, etc., if voters adopt this Act.

# Islington, in little Choptanck River at Nicholas Maryes poynt, Dorchester Co., to be called Islington.

Oct. Session, 1686. By Assembly, erected a Town.

April Session, 1706. Re-established by Assembly, where town was formerly laid out."

Janssen Town, at Elk Ridge Landing, at Head of Patapsco, Anne Arundel County.

March Session, 1732. Erected a Town.

Jefferson, Frederick County.

Dec. Session, 1831. Incorporated, New Town (Trap) and New Freedom united as Jefferson, annually elected on July 4th 5 Coms., who chose a President, appoint Town Clerk, Bailiff, tax, etc.

Dec. Session, 1836. Election time changed to May.

Dec. Session, 1839. Boundaries, Mayor to have powers of a I. P.

## Jeffersonville, Cecil County.

Dec. Session, 1840. Incorporated; elect annually 5 Coms. who chose a President and appoint Town Clerk, Bailiff, Constable and Collector. Boundaries.

Jerusalem, Washington County.

[Nov. Session, 1809. Mentioned but not erected a Town.]

Dec. Session, 1840. Incorporated, Town of Jerusalem, commonly called Funkstown; elect annually Burgess, Ass. Burgess and 5 Coms. Town Clerk, Collector. Burgess acts as Treasurer.

Dec. Session, 1843. Enlarge powers of Coms., Streets, etc.

- Jan. Session, 1870. Incorporated; elect ann. Burgess, Ass. Burgess and 5 Coms. Town Clerk, Collector. Burgess acts as Treasurer.
- Jan, Session, 1804. Amends; Burgess and Coms. to chose a Treasurer from their members, also appoint, Bailiff, Collector, enlarges powers as to Streets, etc. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Amends, as to tax and tax collector, etc., called in this Act Jerusalem or Funkstown the old name. See Act 1840.
  - Jones Town, on a Creek divided on the East from a Town lately laid out in Baltimore County called Baltimore Town on land where Edward Fell keeps store, Baltimore County.

July Session, 1732. Erected a Town. Aug. Session, 1745. United to Baltimore and so ceases to be a Town.

Joppa, on Ann Felk's Land on Gunpowder River, called Taylor's Choice, Baltimore County.

- March Session, 7707. 50 acres, Court House to be built here, erected a Town.
- Oct. Session, 1712. Called *Joppa* and Baltimore County Court House established here.

Oct. Session, 1724. Joppa; Town of Joppa erected by Act of Assembly, 20 acres to be laid out by Commissioners.

April Session, 1737. A Sup. Act. *Town Clerk* mentioned. Keedysville, Washington County.

- Jan. Session, 1872. Incorporated; elect ann. Burgess, Ass. Burgess and 3 Coms. *Town Clerk*, Collector. Burgess is Treasurer. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1876. Amends, as to Burgess.
- Jan. Session, 1886. Enlarge powers Burgess and Coms., tax, etc.

Jan. Session, 1896. Amends, as to Collector, etc.

Jan. Session. 1904. 2 Acts, enlarging powers Burgess and Coms., licenses, etc.

Kensington, Montgomery County.

- Jan. Session, 1894. Incorporated; elect ann. Mayor and 4 Council, appoint *Town Clerk* who acts as Treasurer, Bailiffs, Assessor, Judges of Elections, etc., street powers, publish annual statement. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Enlarge powers Mayor and Council, may borrow for Sewer purposes if so desire.
- Jan. Session, 1898. 2 Acts; Amend; elect Mayor 2 yr. term, 4 Council 4 yr. term, but 2 to be elected every 2 yrs., act as State Board of Health, appoint Judges of Elections, Assessors, tax. etc., street powers, etc; Mayor appoints, Town Marshal, Health Officer; Town Clerk who acts as Treasurer, publishes ann. statement, can issue bonds for Sidewalks and Public Improvements. *Boundarics*.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Enlarge powers Mayor and Council, can issue Bonds for Water Supply if voters approve.
- Jan. Session, 1902. 2 Acts, enlarge powers Mayor and Council, can issue Bonds for Sidewalks and Public Improvements, enlarges Street powers, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Enlarge powers Mayor and Council, can issue Bonds for Water Supply, Sewers and Electric Lighting if voters approve.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Amends: Mayor and Council, appoint 3 Assessors, taxation, etc.

King's Creek Town, in King's Creek, near Old Town Land, Talbot County.

Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town. March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres.

Sept. 15, 1686. King's Creek Town, Council appoints offi-

King's Town, in Great Choptank, Talbot County. April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

King's Town, on Chester River opposite Chester Town, Kent County, on land possessed by John Dempster, Queen Anne's County.

July Session, 1732. Erected a Town.

La Plata, Charles County.

- Jan. Session, 1882. Charles County Seat to be moved from Port Tobacco to La Plata if voters approve at Nov. election, 1882.
- Jan. Session, 1888. Incorporated: elect ann. 5 Coms., appoint Town Clerk who acts as Assessor, Bailiff, Coms. chose a President. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Voters of Charles Co. to decide whether the County Seat shall be moved from Port Tobacco to La Plata.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Voters of Charles Co. to decide whether the County Seat shall be moved to La Plata or to Chapel Point, election June, 1895.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Amends; elect ann. 5 Coms., qualifications voters, etc. Coms. appoint Judges of Election, etc. *Town Clerk* who acts as Assessor, can tax, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Amends; elect ann. 5 Coms. who chose President, Act as a State Board of Health, appoint *Town Clerk* who acts as Assessor, Bailiff who acts as Collector, Judges of Elections, etc. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Amends; enlarges powers of Coms., Streets, etc., borrow money, etc., get \$25 per annum from every one selling liquor, etc. *Boundaries*.

Laurel, Prince George's County.

- Jan. Session, 1870. Incorporated; elect ann. 5 Coms. and Treasurer, President chosen by Coms. Town Clerk, Assessor, Collector, Bailiff. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1874. Amends; much same as 1870, elect ann. 5 Coms, Assessor, Treasurer, Bailiff, etc.

Jan. Session. 1878. Amends; elect ann. 5 Coms. and biennial elect Treasurer, Supervisor of Improvements.

Jan. Session, 1880. Enlarges powers of Coms., Streets, etc. Jan. Session, 1882. Enlarges powers of Coms., Streets, etc.

- Jan. Session, 1890. Amends; elect Mayor and 9 Council, 3 from each ward and every year 1 or 2 from each ward alternating. Council choses President, 3 Assessors, 1 for each ward, voters elect Bailiff term 1 yr., Treasurer term 2 vrs., and Supervisor of Improvements term 1 yr.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Amends; Mayor and Council appoint 3 Assessors, term 3 yrs., I from each ward, Treasurer term 2 yrs., annually Bailiff and a Supervisor of Improvement. Voters must have adopted this act *except* assessor provisions.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Amends; elect ann. Mayor and 5 Council, 2 of Council at large and other 3, one from each ward. Council choses President, Mayor and Council appoint Bailiff, Supervisor of Improvements.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Amends; Sidewalks, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1898. Amends : 3 Acts, Mayor appoints Bailiffs, water powers, sidewalk powers, sidewalk tax, Act of 1896 repealed.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Enlarge powers, etc., Electric Light and Power Bonds, Mayor and 3 members of Council to be a Water Board, voters, etc.
- March Session, 1901. Sup. Act to Water Act 1900 that has been approved by voters.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Amends; elect 2 yr. term Mayor and 5 Council, one from each of 3 wards and 2 at large, Council choses President, Mayor appoints ann. Bailiff. Mayor appoints 2 as Board of Election Supervisors who appoint all election officials, act as Judges and act as a Board of Registration also. *Boundaries*.

Laytonsville, Montgomery County.

[Jan. Session, 1884. Mentioned but not erected a Town.] Jan. Session, 1892. Incorporated; elect ann. 3 Coms. who chose President, appoint, *Town Clerk*, Bailiff. Assessor.

Leitersburg, Washington County.

Boundaries

[Dec. Session, 1839. Mentioned but not crected a Town.] Jan. Session, 1853. Incorporated; elect annually Burgess,

- Ass. Burgess and 3 Coms. Town Clerk, Collector, Burgess acts as Treasurer. Boundaries. For 30 years. Jan. Session, 1870. Enlarges powers of Coms., appoint
- Jan. Session, 1870. Enlarges powers of Coms., appoint Constable, etc. Charter to continue until repealed upon petition of 34 of the voters.

Leonard Town—Leonardtown— St. Mary's County. At a place called Seymour Town, where Court House stands.

- Oct. Session, 1728. Erected as a Town and Commissioners named to lay it out.
- Jan. Session, 1858. Incorporated; elect ann. 5 Coms. Town Clerk, Bailiff, Assessor, Treasurer. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Enlarges powers of Coms., Fire Protection, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1000. 2 Acts, Amend; enlarge powers of Coms., appoint ann. Bailiff, Collector, taxation, streets, etc.

Jan. Session, 1902. Enlarges powers of Coms., streets, etc.

Jan. Session, 1904. Incorp.; elect 2 yr. term 5 Coms., to be elected 2 one year and 3 the next year alternately. They chose a President and appoint, Town Clerk, Treasurer, Assessor, Bailiff, Boundaries, Coms. to locate, Plat to be recorded at office of Clerk of County Court.

# Leonard's Creek Town, St. Leonard's Creek on Richard Smith's Land, Calvert County.

Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town.

March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres.

Sept. 15, 1686. Leonard's Creek Town, Council appoints officers to see Act enforced.

# Little Yarmouth, on Transquakin River, Dorchester County.

April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

March Session, 1707. Annulled by Assembly.

Llangollen, Allegany County.

- Jan. Session, 1853. Name of Bloomington changed to Llangollen.
- Jan. Session, 1854. Incorporated; elect ann. a Chief and 4 Ass. Coms., can appoint Police. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1856. Name changed again to Bloomington and Act 1854 *Repealed*.

Loch Lynn Heights, Garrett County.

- Jan. Session, 1806. Incorporated; elect 3 yr. terms Mayor, Town Clerk, Treasurer, Chief Bailiff and 6 Council, 2 of Council to be elected every year. Mayor appoints Under Bailiffs, Mayor and Council appoint Scavenger. Can tax, assess, etc., publish annual statement; not to interfere with Mountain Lake Park.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Amends: Mayor, Town Clerk, Treasurer, Chief Bailiff and Treasurer to be elected annually.

6 Coucil elected 3 yr. term but 2 to be elected every year. Council may employ an Attorney and also select one of J. P.'s there as Police Magistrate.

Lonaconing, Allegany County.

- Jan. Session, 1880. Incorporated: elect ann. Mayor and 6 Council. *Town Clerk*. Supervisor of Streets, Bailiff and Police, Assess.
- Jan. Session, 1888. Incorp.; elect ann. Mayor and 6 Council, appoint, *Town Clerk*, Treasurer, Bailiff, Police, 3 Assessors. *Boundaries*. Must be adopted by the voters.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Incorporated; elect Mayor and 6 Council, 3 Council elected every year, appoint Town Clerk, Treasurer, Police, 3 Assessors, Reg. Officer, Bailiff who acts as Supervisor of Streets. *Boundaries*. Must be adopted by the voters.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Amends; elect ann. Mayor and 3 Council who chose President and appoint *Town Clerk*, Treasurer, Bailiff, Police, Supervisor of Streets, 3 Assessors, Judges of Elections. Can erect Water Works. *Boundarics*.
- Jan. Session. 1804. Mayor and Council to erect Water Works *or* contract for water supply. This Act must be adopted by the voters.
- Jan. Session, 1896. For protection against Fires. Act must be adopted by voters.
- Jan. Session, 1900. For protection against Fires. Act must be adopted by voters.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Amends; elect ann. Bailiff, but can be removed for cause by Mayor and Council who then appoint Bailiff. Mayor and Council appoint Deputy Bailiffs or Police.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Amends; enlarges powers of Mayor and Council, nuisances, etc.
  - London Town, on South Side of South River, Anne Arundel County.
- Sept. 15. 1686. London Town, Council appoints officers to see Act enforced.
- April Session, 1706. Established by Assembly as Town. Lutherville, Baltimore County.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Incorporated; elect ann. 3 Coms., one to be from Eastern Section. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Repealed and Reenacted; elect ann. 3 Coms., can tax for Streets. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1874. Act Incorporating 1868 *Repealed*. Town Coms. to deliver all books and papers to Co. Coms.

Manchestertown, Baltimore (now Carroll) County. [Nov. Session, 1808. Mentioned but not erected a Town.] Dec. Session, 1833. Incorporated; elect annually 5 Coms. who chose President, *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, Tax, etc. Boundaries.

Dec. Session, 1838. Incorporation Act of 1833 revived.

- Dec. Session, 1845. Incorporated; Manchester and Germantown as Manchester, elect annually 5 Coms. who chose a President and appoint *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, Collector, etc., tax. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1870. Incorp. elect ann. Mayor and 5 Council, Bailiff, Collector, 3 Assessors, Treasurer. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1872. Amends: appoint Bailiffs, Mayor try offenders against Ordinances.
- Jan. Session, 1878. Elect Mayor and 5 Council annually.
- Jan. Session, 1886. Enlarges powers Mayor and Council, Streets, Paving, etc.
- Jan Session, 1894. 2 Acts, Relating to Bonds, etc., nothing much.
- Jan. Session, 1896. 3 Acts, enlarging powers Mayor and Council, Streets, etc., taxation, etc., nuisances, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Enlarging powers Mayor and Council, taxation, streets, Fire Protection, etc.
  - Marlborough, Prince George's County (See Upper Marlborough).
- April Session, 1718. Prince George Co. Court House moved from *Charles Town* to *Marlborough* by Act of Assembly. Mechanicstown, Frederick County.
- Dec. Session, 1831. Incorporated; Burgess and 3 Coms. elected annually, appoint *Town Clerk*. Burgess is Treasurer. Boundaries, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1867. Revives Incorporation Act of 1831.
- Jan. Session, 1870. Repealed and Reenacted; elect ann. 5 Coms., President who acts as J. P. *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, Assessor. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1872. Confirmatory Act, States repeal Act 1831 and its sup, and that Act 1870 in force.
- Jan. Session, 1882. Amends; 5 Coms. elected annually, the voters naming one of the five as President.
- Jan. Session, 1888. Enlarges powers of Coms.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Name changed to Thurmont.
- Jan. Session, 1904. This Act is same as Act of 1882 and name Mechanicstown is used.

Middle Town, at Middle River on Land of Cornwallis or Leakin, or both, at the discretion of the Commissioners, Baltimore County.

April Session, 1684. By Assembly, erected a Town.

Midle Town in Midle River, Council ap-Sept. 15, 1686. points officers to see Act enforced.

#### Middletown, Frederick County.

[Nov. Session, 1791. Mentioned but not erected a town.]

[Dec. Session, 1830. Frederick Co. Levy Court appoints an Assessor for Middleton, reports to Court.]

[Dec. Session, 1832. Collector for Middleton named.]

- Dec. Session, 1833. Incorporated; elect annually Burgess and 5 Coms. Town Clerk, Collector, Burgess is Treasurer. Dec. Session, 1836. Sup. Act.
- Dec. Session, 1839. Elect Burgess and 5 Coms. in April annually.
- Dec. Session, 1847. Act 1833 and its Sup. Act revived, election next April. Burgess J. P. powers.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Enlarges powers of Coms., Water Supply.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Amends; elect ann. Burgess and 5 Coms., Register who acts as Treasurer and Collector, Police, Assessor, Lamplighter. Water Sup. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Enlarges powers of Burgess and Coms., Streets, etc.

## Middletown, Prince George's County.

Dec. Session, 1816. 5 Coms. to lav out Town: plat goes on Co. Records.

#### Midland, Allegany County.

- Jan. Session, 1900. Incorp., elect ann. 5 Coms. who chose President who acts as Treasurer and appoint, Town Clerk, Bailiff, Police, tax, Registration, etc. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Incorporated; elect Mayor term 1 yr., 4 Council term 2 vrs., 2 elected every year, Bailiff term I vr., Secretary to Board of Health term I year. Mayor and Council to appoint 2 Registers and have Registration. Council appoints, Treasurer, Judges of Election, etc., also one of Council to be a member of Board of Health, Board of Health also has Bailiff as a member. Boundaries. This Act to be in force must be approved by the voters of Midland.
- Jan, Session, 1904. Incorporated; elect Mayor, Town Clerk, Bailiff. Secretary to Board of Health term 1 vr., and 4 Council term 2 yrs., 2 elected every year. Mayor and Council appoint Treasurer, Registers, Judges of Elections,

etc. 'Mayor and Council appoint 3 of their members on the Board of Health to which the Bailiff and Secretary to Board of Health are attached as members. *Boundaries*.

Millford, Kent County, at Swan Creek on the Plantation and Land of Wm. Stanly, to be called Millford Town.

Oct. Session, 1686. By Assembly, erected a Town.

#### Millington, Kent and Queen Anne's Counties.

Dec. Session, 1817. Name of Bridgetown, Kent Co., and Studtown, Queen Anne's Co., changed to *Millington*.

Dec. Session, 1824. 5 Coms, elected annually.

- Jan. Session, 1890. Incorp., elect ann. 3 Coms., appoint, Town Clerk, 2 Assessors, Bailiff who is Collector. To include Sandtown, Oueen Anne's Co., within Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1898. Amends; Coms. to appoint 1 of their members as Treasurer, 2 Assessors, Collector, Bailiff. Enlarges powers of Coms., nuisances, etc.

## Mt. Airy, Carroll and Frederick Counties.

- [Dec. Session, 1840. Mentioned but not erected a Town.] Jan. Session, 1894. Incorporated, elect 2 yr. terms Mayor and 6 Council who chose President and appoint, *Toren Clerk* who acts as Treasurer and also Judges of Elections, Mayor appoints, Bailiff who acts as Collector. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1896. 2 Acts that are similar, Amends; Council appoint for 2 yr. term a *Register* who keeps all books, acts as Treasurer and as Collector. Mayor appoints ann. Bailiff or Policeman.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Enlarges powers Mayor and Council. Can issue Improvement Bonds if voters approve.
- Jan. Session, 1898. 2 Acts, Amend; elect 2 yr. terms Mayor and 5 Council. Council chose President, appoints, Assessor, tax, etc. Enlarges powers, streets, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Incorp., elect 2 yr. term Mayor and 5 Council, Mayor appoints ann. Bailiff, Assessor, Judges of Elections. Mayor with consent of Council appoints for 2 yr. term, *Town Clerk* who acts as Treasurer. Mayor has powers of a J. P. *Boundaries*.

#### Mountain Lake Park, Garrett County.

- Jan. Session, 1888. Elect 5 annually to direct affairs, elected b · lotholders and stockholders.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Enlarges powers, may appoint Police, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1806. Amends; sole powers to be for Police and Sanitary purposes only; no Political Franchises or, etc., qualifications defined of those entitled to vote at the annual meeting.

Myersville, Frederick County,

[Jan. Session, 1853. Mentioned but not erected a Town.] Jan. Session, 1904. Incorporated; elect 2 yr. term Burgess and 3 Coms, who chose from their members a Secretary and a Treasurer who is also Collector, appoint Police, Water Superintendent, Lamplighter, can assess, tax, etc. Burgess has powers of a J. P. Boundaries.

New Market, Frederick County.

[Nov. Session, 1799. Mentioned but not erected a Town.] Jan. Session, 1878. Incorporated; elect 5 yr. term 5 Coms., I elected annually, they chose President and appoint,

Town Clerk, Collector, Assessor, Bailiff, Boundaries,

New Port-where formerly laid out-Charles County. April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

Newport, St. Mary's County.

Sept. 15, 1686. Council appoints officers to see Act enforced. Newport Town, at Head of Asseteague Creek at a place commonly called the Trapp, Worcester County.

May Session, 1744. Erected a Town.

Aug. Session, 1745. A Sup. Act.

May Session, 1748. Time of laving out Town extended.

Newtown, Trap or Freedom, Frederick County.

[Nov. Session, 1797. Mentioned but not erected a Town.] Dec. Session, 1831. Name changed to Jefferson and is In-

corporated.

See Jefferson.

Newtown, St. Mary's County.

Sept. 15, 1686. Council appoints officers to see Act enforced.

New Town, Worcester County (See Pocomoke City). [Dec. Session, 1813. Mentioned but not erected a Town.] Jan. Session, 1865. Incorporated; elect 2 yr. term 5 Coms. who chose a President and appoint Town Clerk, Bailiff.

Boundaries.

New Windsor [Frederick County], Carroll County. [Nov. Session, 1804. Mentioned but not erected a Town.] Dec. Session, 1836. 3 Coms. to lay out the town, Carroll Co. Dec. Session, 1843. Incorporated; [called here Windsor],

elect annually Burgess and 3 to 5 Coms., Toten Clerk, Collector, Burgess acts as Treasurer. Boundaries.

Jan. Session, 1867. Revises Act of 1843, also Bailiff. Boundaries.

Jan. Session, 1872. Enlarges powers B. and Coms., streets, nuisances, etc.

Jan. Session, 1896. Enlarges powers B, and Coms., streets. Jan. Session, 1900. Repeals and Reenacts; elect ann. Burgess and 5 Coms. Burgess appoints Town Clerk who acts as Treasurer and Burgess appoints Bailiff who acts as Collector. Burgess has powers of a J. P. Coms. can assess, tax, etc. Boundaries.

New Yarmouth, in Gray's Inn Creek, Kent County, Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town. March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres.

Sept. 15, 1686. New Yarmouth, Council appoints officers to see Act enforced.

North East, Cecil County.

[Dec. Session, 1840. Mentioned but not erected a Town.]

- [Dec. Session, 1842. Gov. to appoint wood-corder for North East.]
- Dec. Session, 1849. Incorporated, elect annually 5 Coms. who chose a President and appoint Town Clerk. Bailiff, Assessor. Town Coms. to fix Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1870. Repeals and Re-enacts; same in most respects as Act of 1840.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Repeals and Reenacts; elect ann. 3 Coms., much same as former Act, enlarges powers of Coms. streets, etc.

Jan. Session, 1894. Amends; elect ann. 5 Coms., etc., Coms. to appoint a Treasurer, Treasurer's duties.

Jan. Session, 1894. Enlarges powers Coms., issue Bonds for street improvement.

Nottingham-Addition to it-Prince George's County. March Session, 1707. Adds 3 acres to Nottingham on which

George Harris has dwelling and storehouse, as Town.

Nov. Session, 1805. To lay out Town anew, 5 Coms., copy to Co. Court.

#### Oakland, Allegany (now Garrett) County.

[Dec. Session, 1839. Mentioned but not erected a Town.] Dec. Session, 1861. Incorporated; elect ann. Burgess and 4 Coms., Town Clerk, Assessor, Collector and Constable.

Burgess is Treasurer. Boundaries.

Jan. Session, 1872. Enlarges powers of B. and Coms.

Jan. Session, 1874. Locates Oakland as County Seat of Garrett Co.

Jan. Session, 1878. Incorp., elect ann. Burgess and 4 Coms., appoint, Town Clerk, Assessor, Collector, who acts as

Constable. Burgess acts as Treasurer. Boundaries.

Jan. Session, 1884. Amends; elect 2 yr. terms Burgess and 6 Coms., but 3 Coms. to be elected every year, appoint ann. Town Clerk, Collector. Burgess acts as Treasurer.

- Jan. Session, 1886. Amends; elect 2 yr. term Mayor and 6 Council, but 3 Council to be elected every year. Council appoints Town Clerk, Treasurer. Mayor with consent of Council appoints ann. Bailiff. Collector, Police, etc., Council appoints 3 Assessors.
- Jan. Session. 1890. Amends: Mayor and Council to provide for elec. Town Clerk and Treasurer, enlarges powers, etc., bonds for streets, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Confirmatory Act that Oakland is the County Seat of Garrett Co.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Reenacted: elect 2 yr. terms Mayor and 6 Council but 3 Council to be elected every year; Council choses President and appoint, *Town Clerk*, Treasurer, Collector, annually. Mayor appoints. Police Magistrate, Bailiff, Attorney, annually. Ordinances to be codified. Council to have survey of Town and place Plat on Co. Court Records.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Repeals Act 1890 for bonds for streets, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Amends; elect 2 yr. terms Mayor and 6 Council but 3 elected every year. Mayor appoint, Bailiff, Police Magistrate, Attorney, Weigh Master. Council appoints Town Clerk, Treasurer, Election Officers, Collector, 3 Assessors, Supervisor of Streets, chose President, can extend *Boundaries*, survey old *Boundaries*, both named.
- Jan. Session, 1898. 3 Acts, Amend; elect 2 yr. terms Mayor and 6 Council but 3 elected every year. Mayor appoints, Police Magistrate, Bailiff, Attorney, Weigh Master. Council appoints. Town Clerk, Treasurer, Election Officers, 3 Assessors, etc., Street Com., taxation powers, ordinances to be codified. Boundaries, issue Bonds for Streets, Electric Lighting, Floating Debt and Water Works. Mayor and Council to be a Water Board and appoint an Engineer.
- Jan. Session, 1900. 2 Acts, Amend; Qualifications for members of Council, enlarge powers Mayor and Council concerning Electric Lighting.

## Ocean City, Worcester County.

- Jan. Session, 1880. Incorporated; elect 3 Coms. 2 yr. term, chose President. *Town Clerk*, Treasurer, Bailiff, Collector, etc. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1886. Extends Boundaries, Coms. to have surveyed.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Amends; elect 2 yr. term 3 Coms., qualifications for Coms. and for voters.

- Jan. Session, 1894. Amends; elect 2 yr. term Mayor and 3 Council, Counc. chose a President. Mayor appoints Police. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1898. Amends; elect 2 vr. terms Mayor and 3 Council. Council selects Council Clerk, Judges of Election, etc. Mayor appoints Police, Collector, Treasurer 2 yr. term. Mayor and Council to employ Water Engineer, assess, tax, etc. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Amends; elect 2 yr. term Mayor and 5 Council.
- Jan. Session, 1904. 5 Acts, Amend; elect 2 yr. term Mayor and 5 Council, qualifications voters, etc., enlarges powers Mayor and Council, sea wall, streets, etc., taxation, Collector, can issue Bonds for Public Improvements, get ½ money for liquor licenses in the town, publish annual statement. *Boundaries*.
  - Ogle Town Upon Chester, on South Side Chester River at the Mouth of Southeast Branch on South Side thereof on Point called Hawkins' Prize House Point, Queen Anne's County.

July Session, 1732. Erected a Town.

Oxford, near Tred Aven Creek, at the Town Land, Talbot County.

Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town. March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres.

Sept. 15, 1686. Oxford, Council appoints officers to see Act enforced.

Sept. Session, 1694. Erected a Town.

Feb. 25, 1694/5. To be laid out by this date.

- May Session, 1695. Name changed by Assembly to *William Stadt*.
- April Session, 1706. 'Formerly erected a Port and Town,' Act erecting Towns. Also made a Port.
- May Session, 1747. Swine prohibited in 'Oxford Town.'
- Dec. Session, 1825. Act appointing Coms. for Town of Oxford, to open and mark lands as per Act of 1694 and its Sup. Act of 1695.
- Dec. Session, 1831. 2 Coms., replaced by 2 others named.
- Dec. Session, 1840. 5 Coms, named to lay out streets, build wharves, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1852. Amends Act Incorp.; elect annually 5 Coms. who chose a President, appoint *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, Assessor. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1865. Coms. to chose President, powers of Coms, enlarged.

Jan. Session, 1876. Repeal and Reenact. little change, Treasurer, Collector.

Jan. Session, 1884. Amends; elect 3 yr. term 3 Coms., 1 being elected annually.

Jan. Session, 1898. Amends; Bailiff is to be elected annually, enlarge powers of Coms., streets, etc.

#### Perryville, Cecil County.

[Dec. Session, 1840. Mentioned but not erected a Town.] [Dec. Session, 1845. Gov. appoints lumber inspector.]

Jan. Session, 1882. Incorporated; elect ann. 2 Coms. who chose President and appoint. *Town Clerk*, Assessors, Collectors, Bailiff, limits.

## Piscataway, Prince George's County.

[Nov. Session. 1806. Mentioned but not erected a Town.]

- Dec. Session, 1843. Elect 3 Coms. annually, appoint Bailiff, pass by-laws, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1849. Amendatory, 3 Coms. annually, etc., keep all By-Laws in book for inspection.

## Pocomoke City, Worcester County.

- Jan. Session. 1878. Town 'New Town' to be known as Pocomoke City, elect biennial 5 Coms. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Amends; Coms. to appoint a Treasurer and publish an annual Statement. Elect 2 yr. term 5 Coms. Qualifications voters, etc., 2 Acts.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Repeals and Reenacts: Pocomoke City, elect Mayor 2 yr. term and 3 Council 3 yr. term but I elected every year. Mayor with consent of Council appoints, *Town Clerk*, Treasurer, Police, Night Watchman, Collector, 3 Assessors, can assess, tax, etc. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Enlarges powers Mayor and Council, can issue Bonds for Water Supply and Electric Lighting if voters approve.
- Jan. Session, 1898. Enlarges powers Mayor and Council, can issue Bonds for Water Supply, Sewerage, and for Electric Lighting if voters approve.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Enlarges powers Mayor and Council, can issue Bonds for Electric Lighting if voters approve.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Enlarges powers Mayor and Council, streets, etc.

Ian, Session, 1902. Fire Alarm System.

- Jan. Session, 1904. Amends; *Voters qualifications changea*, elect Mayor 2 yr. term and 5 Council 2 yr. term but 2 to be elected every year.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Amends; enlarges powers Mayor and Council; Water powers, can establish Board of Health, etc.

#### Point of Rocks, Frederick County.

Dec. Session, 1847. Incorporated; elect annually Burgess and 3 Coms. *Town Clerk*, Burgess acts as Treasurer. *Boundaries*.

## Poole's Island, Baltimore County.

- June 5, 1668. Port named by Governor and Council named. By direction of Lord Proprietor.
- Aug. 20, 1668. To take effect.

## Pooleville, Montgomery County.

- Jan. Session, 1867. Incorporated, ann. elect 5 Coms. who chose President and appoint, *Town Clerk*, Collector, Bailiff. President is Treasurer. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1884. Amends; elect ann. 5 Coms., President, Town Clerk, Bailiff, Assessor. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Enlarges powers of Coms., streets, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Enlarges Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Defines duties of Chief Bailiff.
- Port Deposit, Cecil County.
- [Nov. Session, 1812. Name of Creswell's Ferry changed to Port Deposit.]
- Dec. Session, 1824. Incorporated; 5 Coms. elected annually. *Town Clerk*, tax, Boundaries, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1838. Coms. to establish boundaries and record among their papers.
- April Session, 1861. Enlarges powers of Coms., market, nuisances, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1864. Boundaries and enlarges powers of Coms.
- Jan. Session, 1872. Repeals and Reenacts; elect ann. 7 Coms. who chose President and appoint Town Clerk, Assessor, Bailiff, Collector; Enlarged Street Powers. *Boundaries. Must be adopted by voters* and if so in effect June I.
- Jan. Session, 1874. Repeals and Reenacts Act of 1872; small changes, no mention of need of voters' approval. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1898. Enlarges powers of Coms., streets, etc. Borrowing money, etc.
  - Port Tobacco-where formerly laid out-Charles County.
- April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

## Port Tobacco, Charles County.

Dec. Session, 1820. Name of Charlestown changed to Port Tobacco. 5 Coms. to resurvey and plat to Co. Records, 3 Town Coms. elected annually. *Town Clerk*, tax, etc.

- Dec. Session, 1821. Repeals part of powers of Act 1820 as to Bailiff, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1858. Incorporated; 5 Coms. chose President, appoint Town Clérk, Bailiff, Assessor, etc. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1888. Amends, elect 2 yr. term 5 Coms., chose President, Treasurer, Bailiff, Collector, Secretary. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Voters of Charles Co. to decide whether the County Seat shall be moved from Port Tobacco to La Plata.

## Preston, Caroline County.

[Jan. Session, 1856. Name of village of Snow Hill changed to Preston.]

Jan. Session, 1892. Incorporated; elect ann. 5 Coms. who chose President and appoint, Town Clerk, Bailiffs, assess, etc. Voters elect a Treasurer for 2 yr, term. Boundaries.

Jan. Session, 1896. Amends; Coms. to appoint Treasurer annually, Bailiffs, Collector, tax, etc.

## Prince Fredericktown, Calvert County.

Nov. Session, 1804. Calvert Co. new Prison here.

Princess Anne, Anne Arundel County.

Dec. Session, 1815. 5 Coms. elected. I every year. *Clerk*, Supervisor Streets, etc.

## Princess Anne Town, near Head of Manokin River, Somerset County.

March Session, 1732. Erected a Town.

- Sept. Session, 1742. Court House to be here for Somerset Co.
- Aug. Session, 1745. Laying out the Town anew, name to be same.
- Nov. Session, 1800. Resurvey and laying out the Town new, as old plat lost, 5 Coms. to resurvey, etc., plat to Co. Records.
- Dec. Session, 1817. Sup. Act., Coms. erected Market. Market Clerk, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1830. Coms. for Town, etc., repeals part of Act of 1815 [1817?].
- April Session, 1861. Constable, to be appointed by Somerset Co. Levy Court.
- Jan. Session, 1867. Incorporated; elect ann. 5 Coms. chose President and appoint *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, 3 Assessors. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Elect annually 3 Coms.
- Jan. Session, 1878. Coms. to publish annual account.

Jan. Session, 1894. Amends; elect 2 yr. term 3 Coms. who chose President and appoint Town Clerk, Collector, Bailiffs, 3 Assessors. *Boundaries*.

Jan. Session, 1900. Boundaries.

- Jan. Session, 1900. Enlarges powers of Coms., can issue Bonds for Sewerage, Fire Protection and Public Improvements if voters approve.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Amends; elect for 6 yr. term 3 Coms., 1 to be elected every other year, chose President, qualifications of Coms. and of voters.

Queen Ann's Town, Prince George's County.

March Session, 1707. Mentioned in this Session. Which location is meant of Town of 1706?

Queen's Town, Queen Anne's County.

March Session, 1780. Mentioned but not erected as a town, Nov. Session, 1784. Public land to be surveyed and sold. Court House to be at Head of Corsica.

Jan. Session, 1892. Incorporated. Elect ann. 3 Coms., *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, etc. *Boundaries*.

Jan. Session, 1896. Enlarges powers of Coms., Streets.

Jan. Session, 1904. Enlarges powers of Coms., Streets, Sidewalks, etc.

Rehoboth in Pocomoke River—where Town was formerly laid out—Somerset County.

Sept. 15, 1686. *Rehoaboth*, Council appoints officers to see Act enforced.

April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

Ridgely, Caroline County.

[Jan. Session, 1882. Mentioned but not erected a Town.]

- Jan. Session, 1896. Incorporated, elect ann. 5 Coms. who chose President and appoint, *Town Clerk*, Bailiffs, Treasurer, 1 or more Assessors. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Enlarge powers of Coms., can issue Bonds for Water Supply.

Rising Sun, Cecil County.

[Nov. Session, 1809. Mentioned but not erected as a Town.]

- Jan. Session, 1860. Incorp., elect ann. 5 Coms. who chose President and appoint *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, Collector. *Boundaries*.
- Dec. Session, 1861. Incorporated, same officers as Act 1860 and Assessor. *Boundaries*.

Jan. Session, 1894. Boundaries.

Rockville, Montgomery County.

Nov. Session, 1801. Erected a Town, 5 Town Coms., Constable, plat on Co. Records. Nov. Session, 1802. New Coms. named.

Nov. Session, 1805. Addition, to be surveyed and-go to Co. Records.

Dec. Session, 1824. Bailiff appointed by Co. Levy Court.

Dec. Session, 1825. Montgomery Levy Court appoint 3 Trustees for Rockville to take its portion of road tax and spend on Streets and report to Court.

Dec. Session, 1835. Co. Court House here.

Jan. Session, 1860. Elect ann. 3 Coms. and Bailiff. Town Clerk, President chosen, under Bailiff, etc. Boundaries. Jan. Session, 1867. Coms. acts to be valid notwithstanding

the Confederates carried away the Town Records.

Jan. Session, 1870. Repeals and Reenacts, 3 Coms. ann. appointed by Montgomery Co. Coms. one being named President, app. Bailiff.

Jan. Session, 1872. Much same as Act of 1870. Boundaries.

Jan. Session, 1880. Amends, elect 2 yr. term 3 Coms., one with highest vote to be President.

Jan. Session, 1884. Amends, elect 2 yr. term, 3 Coms., qualifications, voters, etc., Coms. to have Boundaries surveyed and Plat goes on Co. Records., 2 Acts.

Jan. Session, 1888. Amends, elect 2 yr. term Mayor and 4 Council, *Town Clerk* who acts as Treasurer, Bailiffs, Supervisor of Streets, Scavenger, can assess, tax, etc. *Boundaries*.

Jan. Session, 1890. Enlarges powers of Coms., Streets, etc., assess, etc.

Jan. Session, 1896. Enlarges powers. of Coms., can issue Bonds for Water Supply, Mayor and Council constituted a Water Board, can employ a Hydrographical Engineer.

Jan. Session, 1896. Boundaries.

Jan. Session, 1898. 3 Acts; Amend; defines duties of Bailiff, collects taxes, sells for taxes, pays taxes to Town Clerk, etc., Mayor and Council authorized to erect Electric Light Plant and can issue Bonds for this purpose.

Rockville, Trustees of, Montgomery County.

Dec. Session, 1826. App. by Levy Court, Montgomery Co., to expend money on streets there and report to Levy Court.

Saint Clement's Town, St. Mary's County. April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

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St. Jerome's Town, St. Mary's County. At the Head of St. Jerome's Creek on Land of Mr. Wm. Gwyther, to be called St. Jerome's Town. For St. Michael's Hundred.

Nov. Session, 1688. By Assembly, erected a Town.

St. Joseph's Town, Calvert County. On South Side of Petuxent River between Abington's Creek and Joseph Edloes, as Town Commissioners direct, to be called St. Joseph's Town.

Nov. Session, 1688. By Assembly, crected a Town.

St. Mary's City, St. Mary's County.

Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town.

March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres.

Sept. 15, 1686. St. Mary's City, Council appoints Officers to see Act 1683 enforced.

April Session, 1706. Also made a Port.

- Dec. Session, 1839. Lottery to establish a Female Seminary on the site of the Ancient City of St. Mary's.
- Dec. Session, 1845. The Seminary of Act 1839 is now incorporated, the buildings are built.

St. Michael's, Talbot County.

Nov. Session, 1804. Erecting Town, 5 Town Coms., Town Clerk, Bailiff, etc., Plat on Town Records.

Dec. Session, 1817. Enlarge powers of Town Coms., Streets. Dec. Session, 1841. Coms. to appoint Bailiff.

Dec. Session, 1847. Reviving Act Incorporating, elect annually 5 Coms. and a Bailiff.

Jan. Session, 1852. Extends Boundaries.

- Jan. Session, 1860. Extends Boundaries and Coms. powers enlarged, Collector.
- Jan. Session, 1868. To appoint a Harbor Master.
- Jan. Session, 1880. Incorp., elect 3 Coms. 3 yr. term, 1 elected every year, chose President, also a Treasurer from their members, appoint *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, Collector, Assessor. Old Coms. hold till terms expire. *Boundaries*.

Jan. Session, 1882. Bailiff's powers extend over Talbot Co. Jan. Session, 1894. Enlarges *Boundaries*.

Jan. Session, 1894. Enlarges powers of Coms., taxation, Assessor, etc.

Jan. Session, 1900. Enlarges powers of Coms., can issue Bonds for Water Supply and for Electric Lighting.

Salisbury Town, at Head of Wiccomoco River in fork at Landing called Handy's or Carr's Landing, Somerset County. [Now Wicomico County.]

July Session, 1732. Erected by Assembly.

- Nov. Session, 1793. 7 Coms. to resurvey, plat goes on Co. Records.
- Nov. Session, 1811. 5 Coms. to be elected annually, Town Clerk, Bailiff, tax. Boundaries said here Somerset and Worcester Cos.
- Dec. Session, 1816. 6 Coms., 'for regulation and improvement' survey, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1817. Sup. Act, Assessor, Collector, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1826. Revives Act of 1812 [1811?], Boundaries, *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1828. Repeals Acts 1826 and 1827 that revived Act 1811, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1847. Revives Act for Coms., elect 7 Coms., 3 yr. terms but 3, 2 and 2 elected annually.
- Jan. Session, 1854. Incorp., elect ann. 7 Coms., chose President, name *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, Collector, tax, etc. Boundaries, Plat to go on Co. Records.
- Jan. Session, 1864. Revives Incorporation Act, 5 Coms. elect ann., Bailiff, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1867. Revives Incorporation Act, 5 Coms. elect ann., Bailiff, tax, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1872. Amends, elect ann. 5 Coms., Town Clerk, Bailiff, 2 Assessors, Coms. to make annual report, enlarges powers, Streets. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1884. Co. Coms. to help repair Streets.
- Jan. Session, 1886. Enlarge powers of Coms.
- Jan. Session, 1888. *Reenacted*, elect 2 yr. terms Mayor and 5 Council. but 3 Council elected every year, appoint, *Town Clerk*, Treasurer, Bailiff, Collector, Police, Watchmen, Police Justice, Counsel to the Board, 3 Assessors, publish annual statement. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Amends: enlarges powers Mayor and Council, Markets, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1894. 3 Acts, Amend; enlarges powers Mayor and Council, fire sales, etc., changes time of Elections, duties of Treasurer and of Collector defined, Clerk of Council takes Ordinances to Mayor who may veto, 4-5 of Council passes over his veto.
- Jan. Session, 1900. 2 Acts, Amend; Mayor can appoint Special Police, 3 Assessors. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Enlarges powers Mayor and Council, Streets and franchises, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Enlarges powers Mayor and Council, can issue Street Bonds, etc.

Jan, Session, 1904. Amends, Mayor appoints Police, Street Supervisor, Counsel, one of the J. P.s as Police Magistrate, all annually, also, Town Clerk, Collector, Treasurer. Council appoints 3 Assessors, Council to confirm all Mayor's appointments.

## Sandtown, Queen Anne's County.

- Nov. Session, 1797. Mentioned to benefit from marker at Bridgetown, Kent Co.
- Nov. Session, 1798. Mentioned to vote for Coms. of market at Bridgetown, Kent Co.
- Dec. Session, 1817. Together with Bridgetown, Kent. Co. to be called Millington.

Sassafras. Kent County.

Jan. Session, 1867. Incorporated, ann. 5 Coms., chose President and appoint Town Clerk, Bailiffs, Collector. Boundaries, formerly called Village of Sassafras.

Secretary, Dorchester County.

- Jan. Session, 1900. Incorporated, elect ann. 5 Coms, who chose President, Town Clerk who acts as Treasurer, Bailiff, Assessors, Collectors. Boundaries.
- Ian. Session, 1902. Amends: enlarges powers of Coms. licenses, etc.
  - Seymour Town, at Shepherd's old fields near Head of Brittain's Bay on Land of Philip Lynes, St. Mary's County.
- Nov. Session, 1708. Added to Towns of 1706, 50 acres, St. Mary's Co. Court House to be moved to this new town and the public buildings and public lands in St. Marv's Town to be sold.
- Oct. Session, 1710. Is mentioned as Surveyed Toren and Court House is built and Act directing Court to be held in it. See Leonard Town.

#### Sharpsburgh, Washington County.

[Nov. Session, 1791. Mentioned but not erected a Town.] Dec. Session, 1832. Incorporated, elected annually Burgess, Ass. Burgess and 5 Coms., appoint Town Clerk, tax, etc.

Jan. Session, 1852. Incorporated, same officers, Collector. Jan. Session, 1853. Amends Act 1852, as to election of the Burgess, Ass. Burgess and 5 Coms. annually.

Jan. Session, 1880. Enlarges powers, appoint Collector, etc.

Jan. Session, 1894. Repeals and Reenacts, Elect 2 yr. term Burgess, Ass. Burgess and 5 Coms., Burgess appoints Clerk, Assessor, Collector, Judges of Election, etc., Treasurer mentioned. Boundaries.

- Jan. Session, 1896. Amends; Burgess and Coms. appoint Collector who pays to Treasurer, etc., Burgess can veto but 4-5 vote passes over veto. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1898. Amends; Burgess, Ass. Burgess and 5 Coms., etc., as before but Burgess to appoint, Town Clerk, Collector and other necessary officers with consent of Coms., qualifications for Burgess, Ass. Burgess, Coms. and voters.

Sharptown [Somerset County], Wicomico County. [Jan. Session, 1853. Mentioned.] Jan. Session, 1874. Incorp., elect ann. 5 Coms. who chose

- Jan. Session, 1874. Incorp., elect ann. 5 Coms. who chose Pres., appoint *Town Clerk*, Assessor, Bailiff, Collector. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1880. Repeals Incorporation Act 1874.
- Jan. Session, 1888. Incorporated, elect ann. 5 Coms. who chose President and appoint *Town Clerk*, Collector, Assessor, Bailiff. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Enlarges powers of Coms., nuisances, etc., taxation, Collector, Assessor.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Amends: elect 5 Coms. annually, qualifications for Coms. and for voters, enlarges powers of Coms., taxation, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Amends; Coms. to appoint Town Clerk who is to act also as Collector.

Shrewsberry Town—at Sassafras River—Kent County. April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

March Session, 1707. Shrewsberry Town's site changed slightly to place bought by Town Commissioners.

Smithsburg, Washington County.

[Dec. Session, 1833. Mentioned but not erected a Town.] Dec. Session, 1841. Incorporated, elect annually Burgess,

- Ass. Burgess and 3 Coms., *Town Clerk*, Collector, Burgess to act as Treasurer. To continue for 30 years unless repealed before end of this period.
- Dec. Session, 1842. Burgess and Coms. to have survey made.
- [an. Session, 1870. Boundaries.

Jan. Session, 1878. Boundaries.

- Jan. Session, 1888. Incorporated. Much same as Act 1841, mentions Police to be appointed by Burgess, Ass. Burgess and Coms., no time limit as in Act of 1841, same officers, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Name to be changed to Geneva if voters so decide at election May, 1894.

- Jan. Session, 1900. Amends; elect ann. Burgess, Ass. Burgess and 3 Coms., Burgess acts as Treasurer and tries all offenses against Ordinances, Burgess and Coms. appoint Bailiff, qualifications of Burgess, Ass. Burgess, Coms. and voters. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Amends; elect ann. Burgess, Ass. Burgess and 3 Coms., qualifications for them and for voters. Solomon's, Calvert County.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Incorporated, elect ann. 3 Coms. who chose President and appoint, *Town Clerk*, Bailiff who assesses and collects. *Boundaries are the entire Island of Solomon's*.

Snow Hill, Caroline County.

- Jan. Session, 1856. Name changed to Preston. See Preston.
  - Snow Hill, Somerset County. At Snow Hill on land formerly belonging to Henry Bishop and last to Ann Bishop, his widow. Persons having built already at Snow Hill to have the rights of lot holders.

Oct. Session, 1686. By Assembly, erected a Town.

April Session. 1706. Re-established by Assembly, 'where Town was formerly laid out.'

Snow Hill—on Pocomoke River where old Snow Hill Town was laid out—Worcester County.

Sept. Session, 1742. Erected a Town. Also Court House to be here for Worcester Co. now erected.

May Session, 1747. A Sup. Act.

Nov. Session, 1792. Commission of 5 to resurvey, etc., plat goes on Co. Records.

Nov. Session, 1794. Co. Prison.

Nov. Session, 1812. 10 Coms. elected, *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, etc., 2 new Coms. elected every year.

May Session, 1813. Sup. to Act 1812, Nov.

- Dec. Session, 1825. Revives Act appointing Coms., election May, 1826, Collector, Bailiff, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1849. Revives Act appointing Coms., Coms. can extend Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Repeals and Reenacts new Charter, elect ann. 7 Coms., President, Town Clerk, Bailiff, Treasurer, 2 Assessors, may extend old Boundaries if wish.
- Jan. Session, 1870. Amends; elect 2 yr. term 5 Coms., chose President, *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, Collector, 2 Assessors, Treasurer. *Boundaries. Coms. can change Boundaries*.

- Jan. Session, 1878. Amends; elect 2 yr. term 3 Coms. who chose President and appoint, *Town Clerk*, Collector, Bailiff who acts as Assessor, Coms. chose one of their members Treasurer. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1882. Amends; elect 2 yr. term 3 Coms. who chose President, 2 Assessors, mentions Town Clerk, Bailiff, qualifications voters, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1888. Amends, Coms. appoint Collector, taxation, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Amends; elect 2 yr. terms Mayor and 5 Council but 3 elected one year and 2 the next year and so on alternately. Mayor with consent of Council appoints, Secretary who acts as Treasurer, Police, Collector; he may appoint Night Watchman, Counsel to the Board, Establish Market, etc., when a reassessment is voted appoint 3 Assessors. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Enlarge powers Mayor and Council, can issue Water Bonds if voters approve. if adopted Mayor and Council appoint a Water Engineer.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Water Bond Act 1894 repealed and another passed which must be approved by voters.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Enlarge powers, etc. Bonds for Street Improvements and for Electric Lighting to be issued if voters approve.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Enlarge powers, etc., Streets, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Enlarge powers, etc. Bonds for Street Improvement to be issued, 2 Acts.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Amends; changes voters' qualifications, Old Coms. to lose their offices.

Stevensville, Queen Anne's County.

Jan. Session, 1886. Incorporated, elect ann. 3 Coms., may appoint Collector, Bailiff, tax, etc., Coms. to mark out the *Boundaries*.

Jan. Session, 1888. Amends, Bailiffs to act as Collector, etc. Jan. Session, 1892. Repeals Incorporation.

Stumpneck Town, Stump Neck, near Climyemuxen, on Mr. Reddish Land, Charles County.

Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly.

March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres.

- Sept. 15, 1686. Stumpneck Town, Council appoints officers to see Act enforced.
- Oct. Session, 1686. Annulled by Assembly.
  - Sudlersville, formerly Sudler's Cross Roads, Queen Anne's County.

[Nov. Session, 1804. Mentioned but not erected a Town.]

[Dec. Session, 1838. Name changed to Sudlersville.]

- Jan. Session, 1870. Incorporated, elect ann. 3 Coms., Town Clerk, Bailiff, 2 Assessors, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1888. Amends; elect ann. 3 Coms., voters' qualifications changed slightly.

## Sykesville, [Baltimore County,] Carroll and Howard Counties.

[Dec. Session, 1832. Mentioned but not erected a Town.]

- Jan. Session, 1004. Incorporated, elect ann. Mayor and 6 Council, *Town Clerk*, Treasurer, Bailiff, Attorney, 3 Assessors, Mayor is a Police Justice. *Boundaries*.
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- Jan. Session, 1890. Incorporated, elect 2 yr. term Mayor and 4 Coms., appoint, *Town Clerk*, Bailiffs, Supervisor of Streets, etc., Scavenger, etc., street powers. *Boundarics*.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Amends; elect 2 yr. terms Mayor and 6 Coms., assess, tax, etc., Bailiff acts as Collector, issue Improvement Bonds, Scavenger ann., publish Annual Statement, extensive Powers.
- Jan. Session, 1898. Enlarges powers, Sewers and Electric Lights, can issue Bonds for, etc.
- Jan. Session 1900. Enlarges powers, Liquor, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Enlarges powers, can license or prohibit the sale of Liquors.
  - Talbott Town, Talbot County. On North Side of Corsica Creek at a place called Gleven's Point, to be called Talbott Town.

Nov. Session, 1688. By Assembly, erected a Town.

Talbot Town. Talbot County.

Nov. Session, 1785. Act creeting Town, 5 Town Coms. and a *Clerk* of Town. See Easton. See Easton Act 1849.

Taneytown, [Frederick County,] Carroll County.

[Nov. Session, 1791. Mentioned but not erected a Town.] Dec. Session, 1836. Incorporated, Burgess and 3 Coms.

- Dec. Session, 1836. Incorporated, Burgess and 3 Coms. elected annually, *Town Clerk*, tax, etc., Burgess is Treasnrer, Carroll Co.
- Dec. Session, 1837. Act of Incorporation of 1836 *revived*, can appoint a Constable.

Dec. Session, 1838. Boundaries.

Dec. Session, 1849. Repeals Incorporation Act of 1836.

- Jan. Session, 1878. Incorporated, elect ann. 5 Coms. who chose President and appoint *Town Clerk*, Constable, Collector, Boundaries, *must be* adopted by voters before effective.
- Jan. Session, 1882. Amends; elect ann. Burgess and 5 Coms., appoint Town Clerk who acts as Treasurer, Bailiff who acts as Collector, Burgess has powers of a J. P., assess, tax, etc. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1884. Amends; much same as Act of 1882, same officers, terms, etc., must be adopted by voters before effective.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Enlarge powers of Burgess and Coms., assess, tax, changes.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Enlarge powers of Burgess and Coms., concerning Water Supply, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Enlarge powers of Burgess and Coms., increased taxation powers, must be adopted by the voters.
- Jan. Session, 1894. 2 Acts, Amend; Defines powers of Coms. in extenso, can issue Bonds for Street Improvements, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Enlarges powers, etc., street powers, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1896. Enlarge powers, etc., issue Water Bonds and employ Engineers if voters approve.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Enlarge powers, etc., nuisances, licenses, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1902. Building for Fire Department and for Municipal purposes.
  - Templeville, [Templesville,] Caroline and Queen Anne's Counties.
- [Dec. Session, 1843. Name Bullet Town changed to Templeville.]
- Jan. Session, 1865. Incorporated, elect ann. 7 Coms., Bailiff, etc.

Thurmont, Frederick County.

Jan. Session, 1894. Name of Mechanicstown changed to Thurmont. Remains incorporated under name of Thurmont. But see Mechanicstown 1904.

Towsontown, Baltimore County.

- Jan. Session, 1870. Incorporated, elect ann. 5 Coms. who chose from their own members a Chairman, a Secretary, a Treasurer. *Boundaries*.
- Jan. Session, 1872. Incorporation Act *Repealed*. Town Coms. to deliver all books and papers to Co. Coms.

#### Trappe, Talbot County.

Jan. Session, 1856. Incorporated, elect annually 5 Coms., Town Clerk, Bailiff, etc., 5 Coms. appointed until election is held.

Jan. Session, 1878. Enlarge powers of Coms.

Traptown, Talbot County.

Dec. Session, 1827. Incorporate town commonly called 'The Trap', elect annually 5 Coms. who chose President and appoint, Town Clerk, Bailiff, Collector, tax, etc. Boundaries.

## Union Bridge, Carroll County.

[Jan. Session, 1868. Mentioned but not erected a Town.]

- Jan. Session, 1872. Incorporated, elect ann. Mayor and 4 Council, one to be Treasurer, Town Clerk, Bailiff, Boundaries. Plat to go on Co. Records.
- Jan. Session, 1880. Amends, elect ann. Mayor and 5 Council. Town Clerk, Assessor, Bailiffs, Treasurer.
- Jan. Session, 1898. Amends, enlarges powers, streets.
- Jan. Session, 1900. Amends; elect 2 yr. term Mayor and 5 Council, Mayor appoints, Town Clerk, Bailiff, Counsel, 3 Judges of Election, Council appoints, Treasurer, 2 Assessors, may codify ordinances, Mayor and Council provide for Registration. Boundaries.

Jan. Session, 1902. Enlarges Boundaries.

Uniontown, [Frederick County,] Carroll County.

- [Dec. Session, 1818. Mentioned but not erected a Town.]
- Jan. Session, 1860. Incorporated, elect ann. Burgess, Ass. Burgess and 3 Coms., Town Clerk, Collector, Burgess acts as Treasurer. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1876. Repeals and Reenacts, elect ann. Burgess and 4 Coms., Town Clerk, Treasurer, Bailiff. Boundaries.

#### Upper Marlborough Town, Prince George County.

- July Session, 1732. Mentioned [swine prohibited]. May Session, 1744. Laying out anew the Town commonly called Upper Marlborough Town laid out by Act of Assembly, April Session, 1706.
- April Session, 1787. Commission of 5 to survey, plat put on County records.
- Jan. Session, 1870. Elect 3 yr. term 3 Coms. who appoint officers, keep books of Ordinances, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1880. Elect 2 yr. term, 3 Coms. who appoint officers, Collector, etc., Streets, etc.

Jan. Session, 1902. Repeals and Reenacts Incorporation, elect 2 yr. term 3 Coms. who chose a President, a Secretary, a Treasurer from their own members, appoint Bailiffs, have powers of State Board of Health in the Town and 1/4 mile beyond town, street powers, get 1/2 money for Liquor licenses in the town. Boundaries.

Vans Ville, Prince George's County.

Nov. Session, 1799. Erected a Town, 5 Town Coms., Town Clerk who keeps a plat of Town and Co. Court Clerk one.

Vienna, Dorchester County.

[Nov. Session, 1783. Mentioned but not erected.] [Dec. Session, 1824. Bailiff appointed by Co. Levy Court.]

- Dec. Session, 1833. Incorporated, elect annually 5 Coms. who chose a President, Town Clerk, Bailiff, Collector, tax, etc. Boundaries.
- Dec. Session, 1835. Enlarges powers of Coms., Streets, etc. Bailiff has powers of an Overseer of roads.
- Jan. Session, 1853. Revives Act Sup. to Act 1833 incorporating.
- Jan. Session, 1868. Incorporated, 5 Coms., one elected annually, President, Town Clerk, Bailiff, Collector. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1874. Much same as Act of 1868, Bailiff has power of Supervisor over Streets, etc. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Repeals Incorporation.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Incorporated, elect ann. 3 Coms. who chose President and appoint, Town Clerk, Collector, Bailiff. Boundaries.

Walkersville, Frederick County.

Jan. Session, 1892. Incorporated, elect ann. 3 Coms. who chose President and appoint, Town Clerk, Bailiff, Assessor, etc. Boundaries.

Jan. Session, 1904. Extends Boundaries.

Warrington on the Clifts Town Land, Calvert County. Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town. March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres.

Warwick, Cecil County.

[Dec. Session, 1830. Mentioned but not erected a Town.] Jan. Session, 1867. Incorporated, elect ann. 3 Coms., one to be President, Town Clerk, Assessor, Bailiff, etc. Boundaries.

Jan. Session, 1892. Repeals Incorporation.

## West Annapolis, Anne Arundel County.

Jan. Session, 1890. Incorporated, elect ann. 3 Coms. who chose President and appoint, *Town Clerk*, Bailiff. *Boundaries*.

Westernport, Allegany County.

[Nov. Session, 1800. Mentioned but not erected a Town.] Jan. Session, 1858. Incorporated, elect ann. 5 Coms., *Torun* 

Clerk, Bailiff, Collector. Boundaries.

Jan. Session, 1868. Incorporated, elect ann. 5 Coms., chose President •and appoint, *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, Collector. *Boundaries*.

Jan. Session, 1870. Boundaries.

- Jan. Session, 1878. Amends; Coms. chose President and appoint, Treasurer, Bailiff is Collector, Police, etc., tax, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1882. Enlarges powers of Coms., appoint Fire Inspectors, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1886. Repealed and Reenacted, elect ann. Town Clerk, Bailiff and 5 Coms., Coms. appoint Treasurer, Police. Boundaries.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Amends; elect ann. *Town Clerk*, Bailiff and 5 Coms, qualifications voters, etc., Bailiff act as Collector, Coms. appoint Assessors.
- Jan. Session, 1892. Amends; Coms. appoint Assessors, tax, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1904. Incorp., elect 2 yr. terms Mayor and 4 Coms, 2 Coms. to be elected every year, elect annually *Town Clerk*, Mayor and Coms, appoint Bailiff, Treasurer, Assessors,

Westminster, [Frederick County,] Carroll County.

- [Nov. Session, 1794. Market for live stock here, Market Coms., and Market Clerk.]
- [Nov. Session, 1797. Mentioned as 'town' but not erected.]
- Dec. Session, 1818. Incorporated, Burgess and 6 Coms. elected annually, *Clerk*, tax, etc., includes Westminster,

Winters Addition to Westminster and New London.

Dec. Session, 1827. Enlarges Powers, streets, etc.

- Dec. Session, 1830. Incorporated, 5 Coms. elected annually, Town Clerk, tax, Boundaries, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1838. Incorporated, Burgess and 5 Coms. elected annually, Town Clerk, tax, Boundaries, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1849. Incorporated, elect annually Mayor and 5 Conneilmen, Bailiffs. *Boundaries, much same.*
- Jan. Session, 1856. Enlarge powers Mayor and City Council, appointment of Assessors.

- Jan. Session, 1874. Enlarge powers Mayor and City Council, Collector, Streets, etc., Street Com., Mayor given veto, 4-5 passes over veto.
- Jan. Session, 1876. Enlarge powers Mayor and City Council, Water.
- Jan. Session, 1878. Mayor, Council and 5 named Coms. to arrange Water Supply, Coms. to hold positions until work finished.
- Jan-Session, 1890. 2 Acts, enlarging powers of Mayor and Council, Streets, licenses, etc.
- Jan. Session, 1892. 3 Acts, enlarging powers of Mayor and Council, licenses, etc., can issue Bonds for Paving and Sewers and Water Supply.
- Jan. Session, 1894. Enlarging powers of Mayor and Council, Streets, etc.

Wharton Town, Charles County.

Sept. 15, 1686. Council appoints officers to see Act enforced erecting Town.

Wiccccomocoe Town, St. Mary's County.

On North of Wiccocomocoe River between White Point and Bluff Point, on the Land of Capt. Gerrard Slye, to be known as Wiccocomocoe Town.

Nov. Session, 1688. By Assembly, erected a Town.

[Williamsport,] at Mouth of Conococheague Creek,' Washington County.

- Nov. Session, 1786. Act erecting Town, 5 Coms. and a Town Clerk.
- Nov. Session, 1804. To have Market.

Nov. Session, 1809. Act concerning Market.

- Dec. Session, 1823. Incorporated, Burgess, Assistant Burgess and 5 Coms. elected annually, Town Clerk, bylaws, tax, etc.
- Dec. Session, 1831. Act of 1809 as to Market House repealed and Market House Coms. powers given to Burgess, Ass. Burgess and Coms.

Dec. Session, 1833. Enlarges powers over Streets, etc.

Jan. Session, 1864. Incorporation Act of 1823 revived.

- Jan. Session, 1876. Repeals and *Reenacts*, elect ann. Burgess, Ass. Burgess and 5 Coms., chose Treasurer from their members, Appoint *Town Clerk*, Bailiff, Collector. *Boundaries* those on Plat in Co. Court Records.
- Jan. Session, 1890. Amends; same officers as Act 1876, qualifications of Coms., voters, etc. Boundaries.

Jan. Session, 1898. Enlarges powers, Water, Electric Light, Heat and Power Plants, bonds, etc. Jan. Session, 1900. Amends; Burgess appoint Police Justice annually, Burgess and Coms. appoint Bailiff.

Jan. Session, 1002. Enlarge Powers, more bonds for Electric Light if voters approve.

Jan. Session, 1904. 2 Acts, Amend; elect Burgess, Ass. Burgess and 5 Coms. 2 yr. terms but 2 Coms. elected one yr. and 3 next year. Appoint Treasurer from their numbers, Town Clerk, Bailiff, Collector, appoint a J. P. as Police Justice, license saloons, etc., tax, etc., fire protection, streets franchises to street railways, etc., Lighting powers, etc. Boundaries.

Woodsboro, Frederick County.

Dec. Session, 1836. Incorporated, Burgess and 3 Coms. elected annually, Town Clerk, Burgess is Treasurer. tax. etc.

Dec. Session, 1837. Boundaries.

Yarmouth. On Traverse-"his land"-on West Side of the Northwest Branch of Transguaguin River, Dorchester County.

Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town. March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres.

Sept. 15, 1686. Yarmouth, Council appoints officers to see Act enforced.

Yorke, Talbot County.

At or near the Court House upon the Land of James Downes and the Land adjacent to be be called Yorke.

Oct. Session, 1686. By Assembly, erected a Town,

## V. TOWNS ERECTED WITHOUT ANY NAME.

#### At Richard Acton's Land, Anne Arundel County.

June 5, 1668. Port, named by Governor and Council, named by direction of Lord Proprietor.

Aug. 20, 1668. To take effect.

April 20, 1669. Ordinance erecting ports.

In Maggetty River on Plantation late Thomas Hemson's on South Side of said River, Anne Arundel County.

April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

Pigg Point on Patuxent River, Anne Arundel County [?]

March Session, 1707. Added to Towns of 1706. See Pigg Point, Calvert Co., 50 acres.

Town Land at Proctor's, Anne Arundel County.

Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town. March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres.

South River on Col. Burgess' Land, Anne Arundel County.

Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town. March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres.

## At West River, on Land of John Hillen, deceased, Anne Arundel County.

April Session, 1684. By Assembly, erected a Town.

April Session, 1706. Re-established by Assembly, 'where the Town was formerly laid out.'

March Session, 1707. To have but 50 acres.

Before Herrington in Herring Creek, Anne Arundel Co. April 20, 1669. Ordinance erecting Ports.

## In Patapsco River near Humphrey's Creek, Baltimore County.

Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town. March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres.

Sept. 15, 1686. Council appoints officers to see Act enforced for Town in Patapscoe.

On Forster Neck on Gunpowder River, Baltimore County.

April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

March Session, 1707. Annulled by Assembly.

## On Bush River on Town Land near the Court House, Baltimore County.

April 20, 1669. Ordinance erecting ports.

Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town. March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres.

In Spesuty Creek on land formerly Mr. John Colleet's, now in possession of John Mould, and the land adjacent, Baltimore County.

Oct. Session, 1686. By Assembly, erected a Town.

Westbury's Point, Baltimore County.

In Gunpowder River, upon the point commonly called Westburies Point.

Oct. Session, 1686. By Assembly, erected a Town.

On land called Chilberry in Bush River, Baltimore County.

April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

# At Whetstone Neck in Patapsco River, Baltimore County.

April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

Before Town land in Sassafras River, Baltimore Co. April 20, 1669. Ordinance erecting Ports.

John Bowling's Land near Gaunt's Land, Calvert Coun-

Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town. March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres. April Session, 1684. Annulled by Assembly.

Brickhill Point in Mattapany Manor, Calvert County. June 5, 1668. Port, named by Governor and Council, named by direction of Lord Proprietor.

Aug. 20, 1668. To take effect.

## Holling Point on the Lord Proprietor's Land, Calvert County.

Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town. March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres. Sept. 15, 1686. Mount Calvert Town, Council appoints

officers to see Act enforced.

Hollowing Point in Calvert Manor in Patuxent River, Calvert County.

June 5, 1668. Port, named by Governor and Council, named by direction of Lord Proprietor.

Aug. 20, 1668. To take effect.

At Head of Hunting Creek on both sides of said Creek, Calvert County.

April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

In the Freshes of Petuxent River at the Plantation of George and Thomas Hardesty, Calvert County.

April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

Before Calverton in Battle Creek in the Patuxent River, Calvert Co.

April 20, 1669. Ordinance erecting Ports.

In Patuxent River before Herrington, Calvert Co. April 20, 1669. Ordinance erecting Ports.

At Head of Saint Leonard's Creek, on both sides the mill branch, at the mouth of the said branch, Calvert Co.

April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

At Pigg Point upon Mount Calvert Manor in Patuxent River, Calvert Co.

Pig Point.

April Session, 1684. By Assembly, erected a Town.

See Pigg Point, Anne Arundel Co., March Session, 1707.

- On North Branch Petuxent River opposite to Queen Ann's Town in Prince George's Co., Anne Arundel Co. [?] [Calvert Co.?]
- March Session, 1707. Added to Towns of 1706.

Williams Old Field, Calvert Co.

Nov. Session, 1725. Court House removed here from Battle Creek by Act of Assembly.

At Choptank bridge, Caroline Co.

March Session, 1779. Caroline Co. Court to be held here instead of at Melvin's warehouse.

Nov. Session, 1779. Caroline Co. Court removed.

Near Melvill's Warehouse on Choptank River, Caroline Co.

Nov. Session, 1785. Co. Court House to be built here and not at Pig Point or Edenton.

Nov. Session, 1786. Act of 1785 suspended.

Nov. Session, 1787. Act of 1785 suspended.

Nov. Session, 1790. Co. Court House removed.

At land lately purchased by John England and Benjamin Rozer nigh Edmund Lindseys at Portobacco, Charles Co.

June 5, 1668. Port, named by Governor and Council, named by direction of Lord Proprietor.

Aug. 20, 1668. To take effect.

At Dangyes point in Mattawomen or St. Thomas Creek, Charles Co.

Oct. Session, 1686. By Assembly, erected a Town.

In Wicomico River as near the Town land as Ships can ride, Charles Co.

April 20, 1669. Ordinance erecting Ports.

Lower Cedar Point, Charles Co.

At lower Cedar poynt in Pukewaxen hundred on or near the land of Mr. James Tire, deceased.

Oct. Session, 1686. By Assembly, erected a Town.

At the mouth of Nanjemy Creek at or near Lewisses Neck, Charles Co.

April Session, 1684. By Assembly, erected a Town.

Upper side Nanjemy Creek on Potomack River land now or late owned by Martin Campbell and land adjoining, Charles Co.

March Session, 1707. Added by Assembly to Towns of 1706, 100 acres.

East side Portobacco Creek near mouth of the creek on the Church Land, Charles Co. [Is this Chandler Town?]

Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town. March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres.

At the head of Portabacco Creek near the Church, Charles Co.

April Session, 1684. By Assembly, erected a Town. See April Session, 1706.

In Wiccocomico River on Diggs purchase, formerly Fendalls on the Creek, Charles Co.

Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town, March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres.

Capt. John's Creek, William Price's plantation, in Elke River, Cecil Co.

Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town. March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres.

Sept. 15, 1686. Town in Elk River, Council appoints officers to see Act enforced.

April Session, 1706. Re-established by Assembly, 'where Town was formerly laid out.'

March Session, 1707. Court House to be built here.

Head of Elk, Cecil Co.

Nov. Session, 1786. Cecil Co. Court House to be built here. See Elkton.

## In Sasafrax River, William Frisbey's plantation, Cecil Co.

Oct, Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town.

March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres.

Sept. 15, 1686. Town on Wm. Frisbyes plantation, Council appoints officers to see Act enforced.

## At plantation called John West in Sassafrax River, Cecil-Co.

April Session, 1684. By Assembly, erected a Town.

Sept. 15, 1686. Town on John West's plantation. Council appoints officers to see Act enforced.

#### In Sassafras River, land belonging to Isaac Calk, Cecil Co.

April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

March Session, 1707. 50 acres to be added.

In Worton Creek, Cecil Co.

Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, crected a Town. March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres.

Sept. 15, 1686. Town in Worton, Council appoints officers to see Act enforced.

At the Emperors Landing in Nanticoke River, Dorchester Co.

April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

Phillips' Point, North Side Fishing Creek, in Hunger River, Dorchester Co.

March Session, 1707. Added by Assembly to other Towns. At Chester Ferry, at or near where the Old Court House stood, Kent Co.

Nov. Session, 1707. Added to Towns of 1706, 50 acres.

In the Creek before Morgan's Plantation, Kent Co. April 20, 1669. Ordinance crecting Ports.

At Morgan's plantation, in Morgan's Creek, Kent Co. June 5, 1668. Port, named by Governor and Council, named by direction of Lord Proprietor.

Aug. 20, 1668. To take effect.

In Worton Creek on tract of land where Frances Barnes lives, formerly laid out for a Town, Kent Co. April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

At Upper Landing in Northern Branch, on west side Said Branch, commonly called Anderson's Landing, Prince George's Co.

April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

At Upper Landing, in the Western Branch, commonly called Col. Bell's Landing, Prince George's Co.

April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

At Broad Creek, in Potomock River, on south side said Creek, at Thomas Lewis' Landing, Prince George's Co.

April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

At Mattapany Landing, on Thos. Brooke's land, Prince George's Co.

April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

At Mount Calvert, where Court House stands, Prince George's Co.

April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

At Wm. Mill's land, on Patuxent River, Prince George's Co.

April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

South Side Piscattaway Creek, at or near its head, Prince George's Co.

March Session, 1707. Added to Towns of 1706, to be 40 or 50 acres.

At Broad Creek, on Kent Island, where Town formerly was laid out, Queen Anne's Co.

April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

At Head of Corsica Creek, Oueen Anne's Co.

April Session, 1782. Co. Court House to be built here, until built to be held near Chester Mill.

In Courseca Creek, on plantation where Robert Smith lives, Queen Anne's Co.

April Session, 1706. Erected a Town. March Session, 1707. Annulled by Assembly.

On plantation of Major John Hawkins, in Coursey's Creek, and adjacent lands, Court House to be located here, Queen Anne's Co.

March Session, 1707. Added to Towns of 1706.

On plantation of Master Wm. Swetenham, in Courswall Creek, in Chester River, Queen Anne's Co.

March Session, 1707. Added to Towns of 1706.

On or near land of Col. Nicholas Low, at mouth of Tuckahoe Creek, Queen Anne's Co.

Nov. Session, 1708. Added to Towns of 1706, 50 acres.

Britton's Bay, John Bayley's or Taunts, St. Mary's Co. Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town. March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres.

In St. George's River before City of St. Mary's, St. Mary's Co.

April 20, 1669. Ordinance erecting Ports.

At Britton's neck, between Britton Bay and St. Clement's Bay, St. Mary's Co.

April Session, 1684. - By Assembly, erected a Town.

The Indian Town at Chaptico, which is a manor of the Lord Proprietor's, St. Mary's Co.

Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town. March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres.

At Piles fresh on both sides of said fresh on land of Mr. Joseph Pile and Thomas Sympson, Pile's Fresh, St. Mary's Co.

Oct. Session, 1686. By Assembly, erected a Town.

At Westwood, on land of Mr. Thomas Gerard, St. Mary's Co.

April Session, 1684. By Assembly, erected a Town.

At the head of Wickacomaca River, St. Mary's Co.

April Session, 1684. By Assembly, erected a Town.

On Mr. Horsey's Land, in Annamessex, Somerset Co. Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town. March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres.

At Colebourne's Creek, in Annamessex, Somerset Co. April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

At some convenient place between the going into Selbye's Bay and Cornelius Jones, his land, in Assateague Bay, on the Seaboard side, at the discretion of the Commissioners, Somerset Co.

April Session, 1684. By Assembly, erected a Town,

Before James Jones' Plantation, Somerset Co. April 20, 1669. Ordinance erecting Ports.

At Deepe Point, at Randall Revell's, Somerset Co.

June 5, 1668. Port, named by Governor and Council, named by direction of Lord Proprietor.

Aug. 20, 1668. To take effect.

In Arnold Elzye's land and the land adjacent at Oyster Neck, at the mouth of Manokin. Somerset Co.

Oct. Session, 1686. By Assembly, erected a Town.

On point of land lying in fork of Manokin River, where Capt. Henry Smith formerly lived, sometimes called the White House, Somerset Co.

April Session, 1706. Erected a Town.

On land between Mr. Jenkins and Mr. Howard's plantations, on north side Pokamoake, Somerset Co.

Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town. March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres.

On Morgan's land, formerly called Barrowe's, towards the head of Pokamoake, Somerset Co.

Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town. March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres. Oct. Session, 1686. Annulled by Assembly.

On land of John Walton, in Sinepuxent Neck, Somerset Co.

Nov. Session, 1708. Added to Towns of 1706, 50 acres.

At or near Tipquin, on south side of Nanticoke River, Somerset Co.

April Session, 1684. By Assembly, erected a Town.

In Wiccocomico River, on South side, on the land next above the land of the orphans of Charles Bollard, Somerset Co.

Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town. March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres. April Session, 1684. Annulled by Assembly. At or near a parcel of land in Wiccocomico River, called Lot's Wife, on the land which was formerly William Wrights, Somerset Co.

April Session, 1684. Added by Assembly to those Towns of 1683.

Place called 'Half Round Hill,' on south side of Wicocomoco River, Somerset Co.

March Session, 1707. Added to Towns of 1706.

North side of Windford Creek, on Smith and Glannill's land, Somerset Co.

Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town. March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres.

At Armstrong's old fields, near Pitts Bridge, on land of Philemon Armstrong, Talbot Co.

Oct. Session, 1710. Talbot Co. Court House moved here from Oxford.

Chester Point, in Chester River, Talbot Co.

June 5, 1668. Port, named by Governor and Council, named by direction of Lord Proprietor.

Aug. 20, 1668. To take effect.

At Town Land, at fork of Chester River, Talbot Co. Oct. Session, 1683. By Act of Assembly, erected a Town. March 25, 1684. To be laid out by this date, 100 acres. Sept. 15, 1686. Town at Major Courseyes Fork. Council

appoints officers to see Act enforced.

Before Town land in Chester River, Talbot Co.

April 20, 1669. Ordinance erecting Ports.

Before Town land in Tredaven in Choptank, Talbot Co. April 20, 1660. Ordinance erecting Ports.

At Capt. Robert Morrice's land, in Tredaven Creek, Talbot Co.

June 5, 1668. Port, named by Governor and Council, named by direction of Lord Proprietor.

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Aug. 20, 1668. To take effect.

