

Sec. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the provisions contained in sections one hundred and sixty-five, one hundred and sixty-seven, one hundred and sixty-eight, one hundred and sixty-nine, one hundred and seventy-one, one hundred and seventy-two, one hundred and seventy-five, one hundred and seventy-six, one hundred and seventy-seven, one hundred and seventy-eight, of Article nineteen, sub-title, Salisbury, of the Public Local Laws of Somerset county, be and the same are hereby extended to the citizens of Salisbury town. Provisions extended.

Sec. 4. *And be it enacted*, That sections one hundred and sixty-six, one hundred and seventy-one, one hundred and seventy-three and one hundred and seventy-four, of Article nineteen, sub-title, Salisbury, of the Public Local Laws of Somerset county, be and the same are hereby repealed, amended and re-enacted so as to read as follows : Sections repealed.

Sec. 5. *And be it enacted*, That the free male white inhabitants of the town of Salisbury above the age of twenty-one years, who have resided within the limits of said town for six months next preceding the election and twelve months in the State, and all non-residents of said town who own any real estate within the corporate limits of said town and pay taxes thereon, and a resident of the State of Maryland, shall on the first Monday of April annually to elect five persons who have resided twelve months previous to the election in said town, and who at the time are conducting some business or are tax-payers therein, Commissioners for said town for the ensuing twelve months, or until their successors are elected and duly qualified. Voters and Commissioners.

Sec. 6. *And be it enacted*, That the Commissioners elect shall within thirty days after their election duly qualify before any Justice of the Peace for Somerset or Worcester by taking the oath required by law, and if any one shall fail to qualify within the required time he shall be considered as refusing to accept the office and the vacancy shall be filled by a majority of those remaining, and if during the year for which they are elected any one shall die, resign, remove from said town or in any other manner be disqualified from holding said office a majority of the remaining Commis- Oath of Office.