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provided for shall be made, which said special election shall be held under the provisions of law now governing elections in said town; provided, however, that notices of said special election shall be printed in one newspaper published in the town of Williamsport for at least twenty days prior to the date of said special election, and that notices shall be posted in at least ten public places in said town of Williamsport, giving notice of the said election. The notices posted and notices published in said newspaper shall state clearly the object and purpose of said special election; and for the purpose of taking said vote at said election there shall be printed on the ballot to be used at said election in one column the words "For the Bond Issue," and in another column the words "Against the Bond Issue," and if a majority of the legally qualified voters shall vote in favor of said bond issue, then the said Burgess and Commissioners shall issue said bonds, and provide for the supplementing, enlarging and increasing of and adding to the said electric light plant and system now owned and operated by the said town; but if the majority of the legally qualified voters of the said town shall vote against the issue of said bonds, then this Act shall be null and void. The judges of election at said election shall at the close of the polls on said election day count up the votes and make a certificate of the same in the usual form and forward the said certificate and return the ballots to the clerk of the court for said Washington county, and upon receipt by said clerk of the said certificate and ballots, he shall make proclamation of the result by publication in one or more newspapers (not exceeding two), published in said Washington county, one of which shall be published in Williamsport, Maryland.

Notices posted

SEC. 3. *Be it enacted*, That if the result of said election shall be in favor of the bond issue, then all proceeds from the sale of the said bonds be turned over to the treasurer of the board of supervisors holding office under the provisions of Chapter 27 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at its January Session, A. D. 1898, entitled, an Act to authorize and empower the Burgess and Commissioners of Williamsport, Washington County, Maryland, to borrow money on the credit of the said town for the purpose of constructing water works and electric light, heat and power plant, or either of them, in said town, and to issue

Bonds to be turned over to treasurer or the board of supervisors.