

certificate of the justice, for the use of the person holding the same.

WOODSBORO'.

326. The citizens of Woodsboro', in Frederick county, are a body corporate by the name of The Burgess and Commissioners of Woodsboro', and by that name may sue and be sued, and have and use a common seal.

327. The corporate limits of the town of Woodsboro' shall be as follows: Commencing at a spring owned by David Davis, from whence he leads water in pipes to his house, and running thence to Michael Shank's watering place, (Israel's Creek;) thence with said creek to the line dividing the farms owned by Messrs. John Clempson and John Miller; thence with said line to John Crambough's line, east of his farm; thence, with a straight line, to the beginning; and the taxable limits of said town shall include all that part of said town, now improved, or that may hereafter be improved by the citizens of said town, together with the property owned by George Shank, in the year eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, the same being the bounds and limits laid down in the act of eighteen hundred and thirty-seven, chapter two hundred and thirty-nine.

328. The free white male citizens of Woodsboro', of the age of twenty-one years and upwards, who shall have resided in said town twelve months next preceding the election, shall, on the first Monday in April, annually, at such place as shall be designated by the burgess and commissioners, elect a burgess and three commissioners, qualified in all respects as the said voters.

329. All elections shall be held and conducted as shall from time to time be directed by the ordinances of the corporation, not inconsistent with the provisions of this charter.

330. If, during the year for which they may be elected, the burgess, or any of the commissioners, shall die, resign, remove from said town, or be *non compos*, or displaced, an election to fill such vacancy shall be held, and all persons qualified to vote at a regular shall be entitled to vote at such special election.

331. The burgess, before he enters upon the duties of his office, shall qualify as required by section 6 of article sixty-eight of the code; each commissioner, before he acts as such, shall make oath