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SUB-SEC. 9. The judges of election, under the provisions of this law, shall receive the ballot of every qualified voter presented to them, whose name and designation shall appear upon the list of registered voters, and who shall present his ballot to them during the hours appointed for holding any election, and refuse the ballots of every person whose name and designation shall not appear upon the list of said qualified voters of his ward; and any judge of election wilfully and corruptly violating any of the provisions of this section, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and liable to presentment and indictment therefor in the Circuit Court of Frederick county, and on conviction thereof shall be punished by confinement in the Penitentiary [house] of the State of Maryland for a period not exceeding seven years. Duty of judges of election. Penalty for violating.

SUB-SEC. 10. This Act shall not interfere with the term of office of the present Mayor, Board of Aldermen, or Board of Common Councilmen of Frederick city. Not to interfere.

SUB-SEC. 11. Said judges of election shall have and exercise the powers and authority of Justices of the Peace in and about the polls in their respective wards, during all elections held under this Act, for the purpose of *maintaining* order and preserving peace. Judges of election to exercise powers of justice.

SUB-SEC. 12. The said judges of election shall, within two days after any election, make a correct return of the result thereof to the Register of Frederick city, who shall immediately thereafter publish the same. Make return.

SUB-SEC. 13. All laws or parts of laws inconsistent with this Act, and not herein expressly repealed, are hereby expressly repealed so far as necessary to give full effect to this Act, and no further. Repealed.

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