

fac simile of his signature, upon the said ballots; the names of the candidates for mayor, arranged alphabetically, shall first be placed, with a square at the right of each name, and immediately above the names the words "Vote for one." Following these names, likewise arranged in alphabetical order, shall appear the names of the candidates for aldermen with a square to the right of each name and above the names of the candidates shall appear the words "Vote for two." The ballot shall be printed upon plain, substantial white paper, and shall be headed Candidates for Nomination for Mayor and Aldermen of Frederick at the Primary Election, but shall have no party designation or mark whatever. And the ballot to be used shall be in the same general form as the ballot which is used at the general municipal election, as far as applicable. Having caused said ballots to be printed, the said city register shall cause to be delivered at each polling place a number of said ballots equal to twice the number of votes cast in such polling precinct at the last general municipal election for mayor. The persons who are qualified to vote at the general municipal election shall be qualified to vote at such primary election, and challenges can be made by not more than two persons to be appointed at the time of opening the polls by the judges of election; and the law applicable to challenges at a general municipal election shall be applicable to challenges made at such primary election. Judges of election shall immediately upon the closing of the polls, count the ballots and ascertain the number of votes cast in such precinct for each of the candidates, and make a return thereof to the city register, upon proper blanks to be furnished by said register before noon of the following day, on which day the said city register shall canvass said returns so received from all polling precincts and shall make and publish in all the newspapers of said city at least once, the result thereof on or before the following Saturday. Said canvass by the register shall be publicly made. The two candidates receiving the highest number of votes for Mayor shall be the candidates and the only candidates whose names shall be placed on the ballot for mayor at the next succeeding municipal election, and the four candidates receiving the highest number of votes for aldermen, or all such candidates if less than four, shall be the candidates, and the only candidates whose names shall be placed upon the ballot for aldermen at such municipal election. All electors of the city who would be entitled to vote for the election of officers at any general municipal election in said city shall be qualified to vote at all elections under this act; and in all elections in