

ferent from that in which they are to appear on the ballot and with said statement to mail also to each voter a detailed statement from the Mayor and the Common Council of the financial condition of said town, and all receipts and disbursements of the town during the preceding year, and it shall further be the duty of the Mayor and Common Council annually to prepare such statements for distribution by said clerk.

SEC. 8. All elections hereunder shall be held within the town limits at such place as the Mayor and Common Council of Capitol Heights shall designate, after at least ten days' public notice of the same given by them and said elections shall be conducted by the judges of election and two clerks thereof appointed by said Mayor and Common Council as hereinbefore provided. Said elections shall be held from two o'clock P. M. to seven o'clock P. M., when the polls shall be closed and the ballots publicly counted, and the said judges shall within two days after each election make a true and correct return of the same under their hands to be addressed and transmitted to the Mayor and Common Council.

SEC. 9. At a meeting of the said Mayor and Common Council held on the second day after the election the returns shall be opened by the presiding officer, and certificates of election shall forthwith be issued by the clerk to the persons appearing to be elected as mayor and treasurer, respectively, and to each person appearing to be elected as councilman by having received the highest number of votes, and the said certificates shall be recorded among the proceedings.

SEC. 10. If at any election it shall appear from the returns of the Judges of Election, that any two or more persons voted for as Mayor, Treasurer or Common Councilmen have received the same number of votes, so that there is no choice for the office, a new election shall be immediately proclaimed by the Mayor and Common Council to fill the vacancy, from among such tie candidates, which election shall be held on ten days' notice and in all respects as aforesaid, except as to day of election and convening of the Mayor and Council.

SEC. 11. In case of failure to elect a Mayor and at least three councilmen, those in office shall continue to perform the duties pending an election which shall be held in the manner and upon the notice prescribed in section 8. Every Judge of Registration and Election before he proceeds to take registration of voters and thereafter to take or receive any votes shall take an oath that he will permit every duly qualified person to register and every duly registered person and none