

as it may deem proper, under such procedure as it may adopt; it shall provide for reasonable notice to the owner or owners, and for appeals to the Circuit Court for Frederick County, by any person interested, including the corporation of Walkersville, from the decision of any jury, commissioners or persons appointed to value any such land or property or interest therein. Nothing herein contained shall deprive said corporation from pursuing any other method of condemnation which may be provided for by law.

1914, ch. 237, sec. 32. 1918 Code, sec. 827. 1922, ch. 235, sec. 32.

**857.** The Burgess and Commissioners shall annually, on or before the first Monday in April, appoint three judges of election, who shall conduct the election and receive the ballots of all citizens of said town, qualified to vote therein. The polls shall be open at three o'clock P. M. and close at seven o'clock P. M., on the day of election. The judges of election, or a majority of them, shall determine all questions arising under said election, and shall issue to the Burgess and Commissioners who have been duly elected, a certificate to that effect, under their hands and seals. All elections herein provided for shall be conducted according to such rules and regulations as shall be provided for, from time to time, by ordinance.

1914, ch. 237, sec. 33. 1918 Code, sec. 828.

**858.** Neglect or non-user shall not work a forfeiture of this Charter.

1914, ch. 237, sec. 34. 1918 Code, sec. 829. 1922, ch. 235, sec. 34.

**859.** All citizens of Maryland, above the age of twenty-one years, who shall be citizens of the United States, and who shall have resided within the corporate limits of Walkersville for ninety days next preceding the election, possessing the qualifications now or hereafter provided for by law or ordinance, shall be entitled to vote at all elections hereafter held. Women shall have equal privileges with men in registering, voting and holding municipal office in Walkersville, anything in any section of this Article to the contrary notwithstanding.

1914, ch. 237, sec. 35. 1918 Code, sec. 830.

**860.** All nominations for Burgess and Commissioners shall be made by the qualified voters of the town, on or before the first day of April, in each and every year, in which a Burgess and Commissioners are to be elected, or in which Commissioners or a Burgess and one Commissioner are to be elected, at a town meeting to be held for that purpose, provided, that before said meeting is held two weeks' notice shall be given by posting printed notices, in at least four public places in said town, giving notice that said nominations will be held at the time and place specified in said notice, for the nomination of officers to be elected at the ensuing election; provided, however, that in the event there is not sufficient time between the passage of this Act and the holding of the first general election thereunder to give such notice and make such nominations thereunder within