

erty belonging to said corporation; provided that it shall not buy or dispose of any property to the value of five thousand dollars, or over without first submitting the question of buying or selling and disposing of said property to the voters of Willards at a general or special election of which at least twenty days' notice shall be given in the manner provided for holding general elections under this act.

1927, ch. 278, sec. 4.

406. The government of the said Town shall be vested in three Commissioners, to be selected as hereinafter provided. Such Commissioners shall be qualified voters and residents of said Town and they must continue to reside therein during the term of their offices and they must be the owners of real estate within the said Town. The said Commissioners shall hold office for two years and serve without pay.

1927, ch. 278, sec. 5.

407. The citizens of Willards, who have resided within the corporate limits of said Town for twelve months next preceding the election, and who were qualified voters at the last preceding State or Congressional election, shall, on the first Monday in May, in the year 1927, and on the same day every two years thereafter, elect by ballot three persons to be Commissioners; and said Commissioners before they enter upon the duties of their office shall make oath before a Justice of the Peace or Notary Public of Wicomico County, State of Maryland, that they will diligently and faithfully without partiality, favor or prejudice, well and truly perform the duties of Commissioners of said Town; and said Commissioners so elected shall meet on the second Monday of each month, and as much oftener as they desire. Wilmer C. Ennis, H. Carlton Adkins and Granville C. Wilkins be and they are hereby appointed Judges of Election, to hold the first election under this Act. The said Judges shall give notice that the election of Commissioners will be held and of the time and place thereof by hand-bills posted in not less than three public places in said Town at least ten days before the date thereof. Such Judges of Election shall, before opening the polls, make and subscribe an oath, to be recorded among the minutes of the Town, before some Justice of the Peace in and for Wicomico County, Maryland, that they will diligently and faithfully, without partiality, favor or prejudice, well and truly perform the duties of Judges of such election. A majority of such Judges shall have power to do all things committed unto said Judges. Any vacancy in said Judges caused by death or otherwise shall be filled by the remaining Judges. The Judges shall appoint one of their number as Clerk to the election; they shall keep the polls open from two P. M. to five P. M. and voting shall be by written or printed ballot; they shall within two days report the number of votes cast for each person voted for in said election, and the three persons appearing by said election to have received the largest number of votes shall be declared elected Commissioners of Willards. The Commissioners of Willards shall organize the first regular meeting after their election and qualification, and shall