

Male citizens 77. The male citizens of Bloomington aforesaid, of the age of twenty-one years and upwards, being citizens of the United States who have resided in said town for and during six months next preceeding the first Monday in June, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, may on that day, at the place designated by the three judges appointed as hereinafter provided in said town, and on the first Monday in June, in each and every year thereafter, at such houses as thereafter shall be designated by the municipality be authorized to elect five commissioners for said town, who also shall have resided within the limits of the same six months next preceeding the election.

Authorized to elect Commissioners

Appoint three judges. 78. A justice of the peace for the time being holding office in said town, shall appoint, by writing, under his hand and seal, three judges to hold the first election, who shall keep the polls open from nine o'clock in the morning until five o'clock in the afternoon, and shall conduct the said election in the same manner in which the judges of elections have been directed to conduct an election for delegates to the General Assembly, by all acts passed at the January session, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, relating to holding of elections and the said judges shall make, return under their hands and seal of the persons elected to the clerk of Garrett county to be retained by him.

Holding of elections.

Shall be held and conduct'd 79. All future elections shall be held and conducted as shall from time to time be directed by the laws of the corporation, the same not being inconsistent with the provisions of this act or laws of this State.

Choose president

80. Said commissioners elected according to the provisions of this act, shall on the first meeting after said election choose some one of said commissioners as president of the board, whose duty it shall be to preside at the meetings of said commissioners, and preserve order, and give such directions as may be deemed necessary by the said commissioners to carry into effect the full provisions of this act.

Meetings.

81. The commissioners aforesaid or a majority of them may meet together from time to time as occa-