

commissioners shall not exercise said powers, or any of them.

SEC. 8. *And be it enacted*, That all laws inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Inconsistent  
acts repealed.

Approved May 3, 1882.

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### Chapter 300.

AN ACT to enable the qualified voters of certain districts of Worcester county to determine by ballot whether spirituous or fermented liquors or alcoholic bitters shall be sold in said districts.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the question of whether or not any person or persons, or any house, or any corporation, may be licensed to sell spirituous or fermented liquors or alcoholic bitters in the first, second, fourth, sixth, seventh and eighth districts of Worcester county, shall be submitted to the registered qualified voters of the said districts of said county at a special election to be held on the first Tuesday in April, in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-three, in said districts, and the ballots for or against such sale shall have printed or written on them the words "For the sale of spirituous or fermented liquors or alcoholic bitters," or "Against the sale of spirituous or fermented liquors or alcoholic bitters;" and that the ballots so cast shall be carefully counted by the judges of said election, who shall, within three days thereafter, make a written return of such vote to the clerk of the Circuit Court for Worcester county, and said clerk shall record said returns among the records of his office; and if it shall appear that there shall have been cast a majority of votes in said districts against the sale of spirituous or fermented liquors, then the clerk of said court shall prepare a certificate proclaiming the result of such election in said districts of said county, and cause

Question  
submitted to  
voters.

Ballots—how  
prepared.

Clerk to pro-  
claim result.