CHAPTER 180.

AN ACT providing for the erection of a new Jail in Washington county.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the County Commissioners of Washington county be and they are hereby authorized and empowered, at their discretion, either to erect a new Jail upon the site of the present Jail of said county, or to change the present location of said Jail, to sell the present site, and the building and lands thereto belonging, and to purchase a new site, and to erect a new Jail upon said new site, at such time as they may deem expedient; provided, that the provisions of this act shall first be approved by a majority of the votes cast by the qualified and registered voters of said Washington county by ballot, at the ensuing election for a Representative in the Congress of the United States, in the Fall of the year A. D. eighteen hundred and eighty-six.

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SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That at said election the ballots cast favoring said erection of a new Jail for said county, shall have printed or written on them the words "For the erection of a new Jail," and the ballots cast opposing the erection of a new Jail, shall have written or printed upon them the words "Against the erection of a new Jail;" and the said ballots so cast, immediately after said election, shall be carefully counted by the Judges of said Election in each district of said county: and the said Judges shall, at the time they cast up the vote for a Representative in Congress, also cast up the vote "For and against the erection of a new Jail," and certify the result of said voting to the Clerk of the Circuit Court for said county, who shall file the same in his office, and certify the result of the same under his hand and the seal of his office, to the County Commissioners of said county.

Ballots.

Approved April 1, 1886.