pay the same to the Treasurer of the School fund of Dorchester county, to be applied to the benefit of the Public Schools of said county.

Sec. 5. *And be it enacted*, That before this act shall become a law it shall be submitted to the qualified voters of that part of the Fork District included within this act, to determine its application thereto, at a special election to be held on the third Tuesday in April, eighteen hundred and eighty-six; and the County Commissioners of Dorchester county are hereby authorized and directed to appoint three Judges for said election, which shall be conducted in accordance with the requirements of the law regulating elections, and the poll and other registration books or lists used at the last general election for said district shall be used by said Judges to determine the qualification of voters; provided, further, that the voters shall reside within that part of said Fork District included in this act; and the Judges of Election, or a majority of them, shall be satisfied that said voters reside within said territory, either from their own knowledge, or from evidence furnished by the persons offering to vote; and the Sheriff of Dorchester county shall give at least ten days' notice of the time and place of holding said election, by advertisements in one newspaper published in said county, and he shall furnish said Judges of Election with the necessary poll-books and registration list, the same to be made out by the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Dorchester county, from registration books for said District Number One or Fork, now in his office; and at said election the ballots shall have written or printed on them the words "For the stock law," or "Against the stock law;" and if it shall be ascertained and returned to the Clerk of said Circuit Court by the Judges of said Election that a majority of said votes were cast against the "stock law," then the law at present existing shall continue in full force and virtue in said terri-

Special election.

Proviso.

Ten days' notice.

Manner of voting.