

thereafter under the provisions of this charter, each member of said council shall be elected every four years.

SEC. 5. The Governor shall, on or before the first Monday of May in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-four and every two years thereafter, appoint three persons as officers of registration, one for each ward or precinct of said town of Brunswick, each of whom shall be a resident and qualified voter in the ward or precinct for which he is appointed as said registration officer at the time of his appointment; and the said officers of registration shall each register in a book to be prepared for the purpose, all the male citizens above the age of twenty-one years in their respective wards or precincts, who shall have the qualification to entitle him to vote for mayor and council; and the said officers of registration, before registering any person as a qualified voter, shall administer to him the following oath: "I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will true answer make to all questions necessary to ascertain my qualifications or disqualifications under the Constitution, to be registered as a qualified voter;" but nothing in said oath or affirmation contained shall be construed to authorize said registers to ask any questions touching any cause of disqualification, not expressly enumerated in the Constitution of Maryland or of the United States; and no person shall be permitted to register who is disqualified under the provisions of the Constitution of Maryland.

SEC. 6. Said officers of registration, before entering upon the discharge of their duties, shall qualify before the clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick county, by taking and subscribing the oath prescribed by the Constitution of Maryland.

SEC. 7. The council shall have a book of registration prepared for each of said officers of registration, and the said officers of registration shall, after having inserted an advertisement in some newspaper published in Frederick county, once a week for two successive weeks, and by hand-bills or such other notice as he may deem necessary, of his intention so to do, proceed, at some convenient place in said town, to be designated in said advertisement, at the hour of eight o'clock A. M., on the first Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of the last week of June, in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-four, and every two years thereafter, at the same time, to open said books of registration, and the same keep open until the hour of eight o'clock P. M. of said days, for the purpose of registering all the qualified voters of said town who shall be