

of the wards thereof for fifteen days prior to any regular election to be held in said town shall, on the first Monday of August, in the year 1898, and every second year thereafter, on the same day, at such place as the council shall designate, between the hours of seven o'clock A. M. and six o'clock P. M. elect one person, at least thirty years of age, Mayor of said town, and three persons, one from each ward, not less than twenty-one years of age, on the first Monday of August, in the year 1898, for one year, and three persons, one from each ward, not less than twenty-one years of age, for two years, each year thereafter, councilmen of said town; all of whom shall be *bona fide* residents and owners of real estate in said town at the time of their election. The Mayor of said town shall receive for his services such compensation, not exceeding one hundred dollars per year, as may be determined, from time to time, by the council, and the members of the council thereof shall receive for their services such compensation, respectively, not exceeding twenty-five dollars per year, as may be determined from time to time by the council.

4. The Governor shall, on or before the first Monday of May, in the year 1898, and every two years thereafter, appoint one person as officer of registration of said town of Brunswick, who shall be a resident and qualified voter of said town at the time of his appointment, and such officer of registration shall revise and correct the lists of qualified voters as contained in the registration books of the respective wards, registering therein all persons who shall have the qualifications to entitle them to vote for Mayor and councilmen of said town, and who shall apply in person for the purpose of being registered, and striking therefrom the names of all persons who have died, removed away or become for any reason disqualified to vote at any election to be held therein. But before registering any person as a qualified voter, the officer of registration 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 and laws of Maryland and the charter of the town of Brunswick, to be registered as a qualified voter therein," but nothing in said oath or affirmation contained shall be construed to authorize said register to ask any question touching any cause of disqualification not expressly enumerated in the Constitution of Maryland or the United States, and no person shall be permitted to register who is disqualified under the provisions of the Constitution of Maryland.

Officer of registration.

Oath to be taken.