On the morning of the said election the said Supervisors of Elections shall cause to be conspicuously posted in each polling place said cards of instruction and fac-simile ballots, and one of said cards of instruction shall be affixed in each booth or voting compartment, and the specimen ballots shall be conspicuously displayed in said polling room and on the outside of the building wherein said voting shall take place. than three of said cards and three of said specimen ballots shall be posted outside the guard rails, and not less than three of each of the same shall be securely and conspicuously posted on the outside of the building in which the polls are held, before the balloting begins, in such position that the same may be easily examined by the public.

Attorneys to

270 BBBBB. The Board of Supervisors of Election shall be employed, have power to employ an attorney, who shall also be the attorney for the judges of election, whether acting as such or as registration officers, to receive such compensation as shall be allowed by the Board of Aldermen upon the approval of the Mayor.

Salary.

## CONTESTED ELECTIONS.

For what offices, by whom decided.

270 cccc. All cases of contested elections of Mayor or City Register shall be decided by the Circuit Court for Frederick County. Said Courts may adopt such modes of proceedings and adjudging costs in such cases as to it should seem most satisfactory, but the rules of taking testimony therein shall be the same as those which regulate the taking of testitimony in other cases cognizable by said Court.

Right of appeal.

270 DDDDD. If either party shall deem himself aggrieved by the decision of said Court in cases of contested elections he shall have a right to appeal to the Court of Appeals, as in other cases, said appeal to be taken within five days from the date of the decision complained of, and shall be heard and decided by the Court of Appeals as soon after the transmismission of the record as may be practicable, and the testimony taken in such cases shall be sent up to the Court of Appeals as part of the record.

Copies of papers evidence.

270 EEEE. The copies of any papers recorded in any office of record, attested under the hand and seal of the admitted as recording officer, shall be admitted at all such trials in the same manner as the originals would be if produced. The copies of any other papers of a public nature, and remaining in possession of a public officer, and extracts from the poll books, under the hand and seal of the public officer in whose custody they are, shall be admitted as evidence.