

SEC. 8. *And be it enacted*, That said districts number seven and fourteen shall be entitled in all respects to all the rights and privileges held or to be held, or enjoyed by the other election districts in said county. Rights and Privileges.

SEC. 9. *And be it enacted*, That all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act, be and the same are hereby repealed. Repeal.

SEC. 10. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage. Effective.

Approved February 11, 1898.

## CHAPTER 5.

AN ACT to repeal Sections one, three, ten and eleven of Article eleven of the Code of Public Local Laws of the State of Maryland, entitled "Frederick County," sub-title "Alms-house," and to re-enact the same with amendments.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That sections one, three, ten and eleven of Article eleven of the Code of Public Local Laws of the State of Maryland, title "Frederick County," sub-title "Alms-house," be and the same are hereby repealed and re-enacted so as to read as follows: Repeal.

1. On the second Monday of February of every second year, commencing with the year 1898, the County Commissioners of Frederick County, shall appoint five discreet and competent persons, of well known probity and intelligence, residents of said county, two of whom shall be of an opposite political party from that of a majority of said County Commissioners, to be Commissioners of Charities and Corrections, who shall hold office for the term of two years from the second Monday of February of their appointment, and until their successors are appointed and qualified; and should any person appointed by the County Commissioners to be Commissioner of Charities and Corrections fail or neglect to qualify for thirty days, the County Commissioners shall fill the vacancy. Appoint five persons.

3. They shall meet within ten days after their appointment, and shall severally qualify by subscribing to the following oath, before the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick County, viz: "I, A. B., do swear that I will duly and faithfully discharge the duties and trusts committed to me as Commissioner of Charities and Corrections of Frederick County, according to the best of my skill and knowledge, and that I have had no understanding or agreement, directly or indirectly with the Oath.