

entitled to vote in the State of Maryland at that time had they been residents thereof, at a State election, and the lawful male descendants of any person who prior to January the 1st, A. D. 1868, were entitled to vote in the State of Maryland, or would have been entitled to vote in the State of Maryland at that time had they been residents thereof, shall be entitled to vote for said president and commissioners, and no person not coming within one of the three enumerated classes shall be registered as a legal voter of the town of Elkton or qualified to vote at any town election held in said town.

SEC. 130A. That the Supervisors of Elections for Cecil County be and they are hereby authorized and directed, not later than the tenth day of April, in the year nineteen hundred and ten, and by that date in every year thereafter, to appoint two Registers of Voters for the town of Elkton, one from each of the leading political parties of the State; said Registers of Voters shall receive the same compensation as Register of Voters under the General Laws of the State, and shall hold office for one year and until their successors are duly appointed and qualified; said Registers shall take the usual oath of office before the Supervisors of Elections, and the said President and Commissioners of the town of Elkton shall procure and deliver to the said Registers of Voters two suitable registration books, similar in all respects to registration books now in use under the Election Laws of Maryland, and shall also designate the place where the registration shall be held each year.

SEC. 131. Said Registers of Voters shall open said books of registration at the place designated as provided by Section 130A on the third Monday and Tuesday of April in the year nineteen hundred and ten, for a complete registration of the voters of the town of Elkton who possess the qualifications required by Section 130, and every year thereafter on the third Monday in April, to register new voters and to revise the list of said registration; said Registers of Voters shall give at least five days' notice, by handbills, of the time and place of said registration, which handbills shall be posted in at least ten places in the town, and at said registration of voters said Registers of Voters shall duly register all voters possessing the qualifications as provided in Section 130 who shall apply in person for registration. Any register of voters who shall knowingly violate the provisions of this Act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction, shall be punished as provided under the General Laws of this State relating to registration, and said books of registration shall at the close of each registration be turned over to the Supervisors of Elections for Cecil County for safekeeping, and shall by said Supervisors of