January Session, 1894, Chapter 488, Section 15, and as repealed and re-enacted by the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January Session, 1906, Chapter 727, Section 15, and to re-enact the same with amendments, and also to repeal Section 16 of Chapter 136 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January Session, 1892, and entitled as aforesaid.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 15 of Chapter 136 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland passed at the January Session, 1892, entitled "An Act to incorporate the Town of Aberdeen, in Harford County," as amended by the Acts of 1894, Chapter 448, and the Acts of 1906, Chapter 727, and Section 16 of Chapter 136, of the said Acts of 1892, be and the same are hereby repealed, and said Section 15 is hereby re-enacted with amendments, so as to read as follows:

Section 15. *And be it enacted,* That all property located within the corporate limits of said town and all property owned by residents of said town or corporations having their principal office therein, assessable for the purpose of State and county taxes, as now or hereafter shall be provided, and all franchises and easements held and exercised in said town or hereafter granted, shall be taxed for corporate purposes; provided, however, that lands lying within the corporate limits of said town, which in the judgment of said commissioners are used only for agricultural purposes, shall not be taxed hereunder to a depth greater than 125 feet from the side line of any of the streets and alleys of said town to which said lands or any part thereof may be contiguous. The commissioners may whenever they think the public interest requires it appoint three taxpayers, residents of said town and men of good judgment, to assess said property. Each of said assessors, before entering upon his duties as such, shall take and subscribe to an oath before a Justice of the Peace or Notary Public residing in said town, a copy of which oath shall be returned to the commissioners, that they will well and truly, without partiality or prejudice, perform the duties of assessor, and diligently value and assess at the full cash value thereof all property subject to taxation in said town. They shall value and assess the real estate and the improvement thereon separately, describing such real estate so the same may be identified, and list all other property. The commissioners may by ordinance further provide for the manner of conducting said assessment and for assessors obtaining information; and power and authority is hereby given to each assessor appointed as aforesaid, and each of said commissioners, to administer an oath to all such persons as they may deem necessary