

lowed by the designation of the polling place for which it is prepared, the date of the primary election, and a fac-simile of the signature of the President of the Board of Supervisors of Elections by whom the official envelopes and ballots for said primary election have been prepared. Said official envelope shall be provided with a detachable stub or coupon in the same manner as is now provided by law for official ballots, and the number of such envelopes so furnished shall be in number twenty-five per cent. more than the estimated vote of the several political parties participating in such primary in such election district or precinct, as the case may be.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 16th, 1914.

CHAPTER 715.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 51 of Article 33 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland (Bagby's Code), title "Elections," sub-title "Nominations."

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 51 of Article 33 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland (Bagby's Code), title "Elections," sub-title, "Nominations," be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

51. Should any persons so nominated die before election day or decline the nomination, as in this Article provided, or should any certificate of nomination be or become insufficient or operative from any cause, the vacancy or vacancies thus occasioned may be filled in the manner required for original nominations. If the original nomination was made by a party convention which had delegated to a committee the power to fill vacancies, such committee may, upon the occurring of such vacancies proceed to fill the same; the chairman and secretary of such committee shall thereupon make and file with the proper officer a certificate setting forth the cause of the vacancy, the name of the person nominated, the office for which he was nominated, the name of the person for whom the new nominee is to be substituted, the fact that the committee was authorized to fill vacancies and such further information as is required to be given in