

bonds and shall designate the same on the said bonds and the coupons thereto attached.

SEC. 7. *And be it further enacted as aforesaid*, That the money arising from the sale of said bonds or so much thereof as may be necessary shall be available for the purchase of the existing electric light plant in Snow Hill but only upon the conditions hereinafter set out.

SEC. 8. *And be it further enacted as aforesaid*, That the foregoing sections shall not become effective unless the same be approved by a majority of the qualified voters of Snow Hill participating in the town election to be held in the town of Snow Hill on the first Monday in May, 1920, at which time the question of the bond issue as hereinbefore provided shall likewise be submitted to said qualified voters; and it shall be the duty of the Mayor of Snow Hill at least ten days before said election to cause a copy of this Act, together with a statement of the amount of the appraisal hereinafter provided for, to be set up in at least six public places of said town and to cause at least seven days' previous notice of such proposed submission of bond issue and of the amount of the appraisal by advertisement in both newspapers published in Snow Hill, which advertisement shall contain a statement of the amount of the appraisal and a condensed statement of the substance of this Act; and it shall be the duty of the Mayor to cause to be printed for use in voting on said question official ballots and each ballot shall have printed on it in parallel lines and in plain type the words "For Electric Light Bond Issue," and "Against Electric Light Bond Issue." Each such ballot on which a cross (X) shall be placed in the square opposite the words "For Electric Light Bond Issue" or "Against Electric Light Bond Issue" shall be counted as a vote in the affirmative or negative, as the case may be, but no ballot shall be counted as a vote upon the question unless said official ballot is used and unless a cross (X) shall be placed opposite one of the said phrases. Such official ballots shall be in the custody of and supplied by the town election officials at the opening of said polls and shall be identified by the initials of the said election officials placed thereon by them at the time of issuing the same and before the same are marked and voted. The manner of canvassing the vote and making the returns thereof shall be the same as in the ballots cast for Mayor and City Councilmen.