election then the retiring president and commissioners shall fill said vacancies immediately after the election to be held as aforesaid.

- SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That all Acts, or parts of Acts, inconsistent with the aforegoing Sections are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.
- SEC. 3. And be it further enacted, That before this Act shall become effective The President and Commissioners of Port Deposit shall submit the question of amending said Charter to the qualified voters of said town at an election to be held on Monday, October 6th, 1924, at a time and place to be designated by said President and Commissioners, and notice of said election shall be given by posting notices of said election in five of the most public places at least ten days before said election.

The ballots shall be prepared by the said President and Commissioners of Port Deposit and shall have printed thereon the words:

- "For amendment of charter" with a blank square opposite the right of said words and immediately thereunder shall be the following words:
- "Against amendment of charter" with a blank square opposite said words.

And the voter shall indicate his choice by making a cross in one of the said blank squares.

And the said President and Commissioners shall appoint the necessary officers to conduct the election in the way and manner herein provided.

And in the event that at such election the majority of votes cast for or against the amendments to said charter shall be in favor of amending said charter then this Act shall be of full force and effect, but if a majority of the votes cast shall be "Against the Amendment of Charter." then this Act shall be void and of no effect.

Sec. 4. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1924.

Approved April 9, 1924.

## CHAPTER 322.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments Section 279 of Offutt's Code of Public Local Laws of Baltimore County of the Edition of 1916, title "Baltimore County", sub-title