

and Samuel Lewis and William Thompson as Clerks of Election, and if any of said Committee are unable or decline to serve, the remaining members of said Committee are empowered to select some resident voter of said town to fill his place.

The qualifications of voters on the referendum election shall be the same as those herein before set forth in regard to general elections.

The said Committee shall, not less than five (5) days before said referendum election, post in five (5) conspicuous places in the said town a typewritten or printed notice notifying all the residents of said town who are qualified to vote under this Act that an election will be held on the date fixed in this Act at a certain place and between certain hours, which notice shall contain the said date, the hours that the polls will remain open and the location of the polling place or places, and a statement that the election is to be held for the purpose of deciding whether or not to adopt this charter and form an incorporated town.

The said Committee, shall provide and furnish the place or places where such an election shall be held, the booths, ballot-boxes, and sufficient number of printed ballots, upon which on one line the words "For Incorporation," shall be printed, and on another line the words "Against Incorporation" shall be printed, with squares opposite each.

Said election shall be conducted as nearly as practicable as an election for County officers, is conducted in all ways not specially provided for in this Act, and on the closing of the polls the said Committee shall canvass said votes and publicly announce the result of said canvass. In the event that the majority of the votes cast are for incorporation, this act shall immediately become effective, and in the event that a majority of said votes are against incorporation, it shall be null and void. The Judges of Election shall certify the results of this election to the Secretary of State of Maryland.

SEC. 19. *And be it further enacted,* That if this charter is adopted by the citizens of said Glenarden under the provisions of the referendum above set forth, then the same committee that conducted the referendum election with the same powers of filling vacancies thereon shall on the 15th and 20th days of May, 1939, conduct a registration of voters in the manner in this Act provided for. They shall receive petitions of candidates for the office of Mayor and Councilmen on or before May 22, 1939. They shall post the notices of election in this Act provided for on or before May 25, 1939, and on the first Monday in June, hold another election for the election of the first Mayor and Common Councilmen provided for herein in the manner and form prescribed herein for gen-