

all respects to the registration books now in use under the Election Laws of Maryland, and also designate the hour and place where the registration shall be held each year. Said registers of voters shall open their books of registration at the hour and place designated by the said President and Commissioners on the first Monday and Tuesday of March, in the year nineteen hundred and thirty-nine for a complete registration of the voters in the Town of North East, who possess the necessary qualifications, and every year thereafter on the first Monday in March to register new voters and to revise the list of said registration; notice of said registration and subsequent registrations as provided herein shall be given by hand bills to be posted in at least ten places in said town, at least ten days before the first Monday in March, and said registers of voters shall duly register all persons possessing the qualifications as required by Section 287 of Article 8 of the Public Local Laws of the State of Maryland, who shall apply in person for registration. Any register of voters who shall knowingly violate the provisions of this Act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished under the General Laws of this State relating to registration, and said books of registration shall be turned over to said President and the Commissioners of North East for safekeeping, and shall by said President and Commissioners be delivered to the Judge or Judges of any regular Town or special election, or other elections, authorized heretofore or hereafter by the General Assembly of Maryland, for the purpose of holding said Town or Special Elections, and no person shall be entitled to vote at any Town or Special Elections unless his or her name shall have been duly registered as aforesaid, and power and authority is hereby given to the President and Commissioners of said Town to call a special registration prior to any special election or elections authorized by the General Assembly, to register new voters and revise the list of said registration as herein provided, upon giving notice thereof as provided herein; and no person shall be entitled to have his or her name on any ballot or to be voted for as a Candidate or President or Commissioner of said town who shall not have filed with said President and Commissioners at least ten days before the third Monday of March, or the date on which an election is to be held for President and Commissioners of the Town of North East, a certificate certifying for what office he is a candidate and that he is qualified under the provisions of this Act for such office.