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AN ACT to amend article ten of the Code of Pub-Passed March lic Local Laws, relating to the Incorporation of 5, 1860. East New Market, by substituting the following sections, and repealing sections one hundred and thirty-four, one hundred and thirty-seven, one hundred and forty-one, one hundred and fortytwo and one hundred and forty-six of said article.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly Election of of Maryland, That the white male citizens of East commission-New Market, of the age of twenty-one years and upwards, who have resided in said town for six months preceding the election, and are otherwise qualified voters by law, shall, on the first Saturday of July next, between the hours of twelve o'clock, M. and three o'clock, P. M., elect five commissioners for said town, who shall be qualified as the said voters, for the term of one, two, three, four and five years, and the first board shall determine, by lot, the term of service, of each commissioner, and on the first Saturday of July in each year thereafter, between the hours aforesaid, shall elect one commissioner for five years, to take the place of the commissioner whose term shall have expired.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That the limits of Town limits. said town shall extend to the distance of one third of a mile from the sign post of the tavern house. known as James Lecompte's, or the frame tavern. each way, and the property within said limits, except such parts of adjacent farms as are embraced in the limits aforesaid, shall be subject to such taxes and charges as may be deemed necessary by the said commissioners, or a majority of them, to support and maintain the expenses which may at any time be incurred in the improvement of said town.

SEC. 3. And be it enacted, That they may pass Ordinances. all such ordinances and by-laws, not contrary to law, as they may think proper for the comfort, health and convenience of the town and its inhabitants, for the prevention and removal of nuisances, and the suppression of vice and immorality within