first Monday in March, in the year nineteen hundred and thirty-nine, and their duly elected and qualified successors by the first Monday in March, in every year thereafter to appoint two registers of voters for the Town of Northeast, said registers of voters shall receive the same compensation as registers of voters under a General Law of the State, and shall hold office for one year, and until their successors are duly appointed and qualified; said registers shall take the usual oath of office before the President of said Commissioners of the Town of North East, and the President and Commissioners of the Town of North East shall procure and deliver to the said registers of voters two suitable registration books, similar in 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.

- (b) 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 nineten hundred and thirtynine 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.
- (c) Any register of voters who shall knowingly violate the provisions of this [Act] sub-title 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 Commissioners of North East for safe-keeping, 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