

Election Laws of this State existing at the time of holding of said election, except as otherwise provided by this Act.

'Section 7. And be it further enacted, That the Board of Supervisors of Election for Wicomico county in preparing the official ballot to be used at the said general election hereinbefore mentioned in this Act, shall have printed on said official ballot in a separate column the title of this Act and underneath of same the words "For Public Improvement Bonds of Wicomico county," and "Against Public Improvement Bonds of Wicomico County," in order to ascertain the vote of this question. A square shall be opposite the words "For Public Improvement Bonds of Wicomico County" on said ballot, and opposite the words "Against Public Improvement Bonds of Wicomico County" on said ballot and every ballot voted on which the cross-mark (X) shall be placed in the square opposite the words "For Public Improvement Bonds of Wicomico County" by the voter, shall be counted as a vote in the affirmative, and every ballot voted on which the cross-mark (X) shall be placed in the square opposite the words "Against Public Improvement Bonds of Wicomico County" by the voter, shall be counted as a vote in the negative; but no ballot shall be counted as a vote upon the question unless a cross-mark (X) shall be placed opposite one of said phrases. The manner of canvassing the ballots and making returns thereof shall conform to the requirements of the General Election Laws of the State, except the certificate of the Supervisors of Election of said county shall be as follows: We hereby certify that at the election held in Wicomico county on the seventh day of November, 1916,———votes were cast "For Public Improvement Bonds of Wicomico County," and———votes were cast "Against Public Improvement Bonds of Wicomico County," and said certificate of election shall be returned to the County Commissioners for Wicomico county, and upon receipt of said certificate of election aforesaid it shall be the duty of the said County Commissioners, if it shall appear that a majority of the votes cast were "For Public Improvement Bonds of Wicomico County," to issue said bonds as provided for under the provisions of this Act.'" [*Which was read and adopted.*]

No. 3—"Strike out the word 'special,' after the word 'said,' in line 1 of Section 8, on page 6 of said printed Bill, and insert in lieu thereof the word 'general.'" [*Which was read and adopted.*]