

wards, whose terms of office shall be for four (4) years and until the qualifications of their successors; and at the expiration of the term of the said Mayor, President and members of the Council, their successors shall be elected to serve for a term of four (4) years and until the qualification of their successors.\*

1906, ch. 458, sec. 46.

**138.** The town clerk herein provided for shall be the Supervisor of Elections, and have such powers and perform such duties as herein prescribed. There shall be a new registration of the voters of the town of Easton before the election to be held in May, 1906, and in every tenth year thereafter, at which registration the town clerk acting as Supervisor of Elections shall sit in the Council room during the hours from 2 to 5 P. M. and from 7 to 9 P. M., on the first and second Wednesdays and Thursdays of April. In those years in which general elections are to be held, and in which there is to be no new registration, the town clerk shall sit at the same place and hours herein provided, on the second Tuesday and Wednesday of April, for the purpose of registering and revising the registration books. Should a special election be ordered, the Mayor and Council shall name at least two days, not more than thirty days before said election, on which the town clerk, sitting as a register of voters, shall sit for the purpose of registering and revising the registration lists. Any person who feels aggrieved by the action of the town clerk in refusing to register him as a qualified voter, or in erasing or misspelling his name, or that of any other person on the registry or in registering or failing to erase the name of any fictitious, deceased or disqualified person, may at any time, either before or after the last sitting of the town clerk, but no later than Monday after said last sitting of the town clerk, file an appeal in the Circuit Court for Talbot county, in the same manner as is provided in the case of appeals from the board of registry in the election law of the State of Maryland. The town clerk shall immediately make out a true list of all the names which he has erased from the registry, and post one in front of the Council rooms and one in front of the court-house door in the town of Easton, and he shall sit at the Council room on the Monday and Tuesday following the last day of registration from 7 P. M. to 9 P. M., and shall have there the registry of voters for the purpose of inspection by any alleged or qualified voter.

1906, ch. 458, sec. 47.

**139.** All nominations for office must be filed with the town clerk at least two weeks before the election; the manner of nominating candidates, shall be as follows: Every aspirant for the office of Mayor and of president of the Council, or some one on his behalf shall on or before the last day for receiving nominations file with the town clerk nomination papers for said office, in writing, signed by at least thirty of the qualified voters of said town, and no signature shall be counted if it shall be upon the nomi-

\*Sec. 2, ch. 24, 1920, repealed all laws inconsistent therewith.