

ing judges and clerks shall select the same so as to give each side an equal representation, so far as practicable in their discretion, and shall publish the list of judges and clerks in at least two newspapers at least two weeks prior to the day of election, and shall consider any protest made to them, and in their discretion make removal and new appointment, as in case of death or declination; the judges of election shall receive two dollars per day each and the clerks the same amount, to be paid by Prince George's county; and at least ten days before said day of election the Supervisors of Election shall publish a copy of this Act and a sample ballot for public information in at least three newspapers in said county; and it shall be the duty of said Supervisors of Election to have surveyed or properly designated on a plat or plats the portions of the eighth district, ninth district, thirteenth district, sixteenth district and seventeenth district where prohibition now prevails or will prevail at the time of the election, that the judges of election may ascertain what registered voters of the respective districts are entitled to vote under this Act, and who are not so permitted to vote; which plats and information shall be furnished by the Supervisors of Election to the judges of election, through the sheriff at the time the ballots, ballot-boxes, registration books, etc., are furnished; the registration books being the same used at the last general election.

SEC. 4. At the close of said election, the judges of election shall in the manner provided by the general law proceed to count said ballots publicly and canvass the vote, make out the return, and under their hands certify the result of the said election in accordance as far as practicable with the general law, and shall within three days return to the Supervisors of Election the poll books, registration books, tally sheets, etc., as ordinarily required, and shall also within three days deliver to the clerk of the Circuit Court for Prince George's county, a certificate of the result in each of their respective districts, under their hand, attested by the clerks, and the said clerk of the Court shall forthwith file and record said certificate, and he shall at once issue a proclamation declaring the result of said election, and publish the same in one or more newspapers; but a failure to issue said proclamation shall not affect this Act or operate to prevent its taking effect, and the original certificates of the judges of election, copies thereof, or the said proclamation, or a copy thereof, shall be sufficient evidence of the adoption of this Act in any action civil or criminal.

SEC. 5. That should it be found that in the aforementioned districts and portions of districts that a majority of votes have