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I. That where the list of voters has made out from those residing in the district, and such voters have been ascertained by any person who finds his name inserted in the list, and who believes he is duly qualified as a voter, shall, upon presenting to the registration clerk a notice in the following form—have his name added to the list of voters:—

I, John Jones, son of Peter, residing at _____ being twenty-one years of age, and having resided in the above place during the last three months, require to be put on the list of voters, as a qualified elector for the said district.

II. If any person who is qualified as a voter in any electoral division, and shall have removed to any other parish or ward in the district, on which the said electoral clerk of the ward he then resides in, his voter certificate as a voter of the ward or written testimony of any returning officer who has previously received him, he shall be entitled to be placed on the list of voters of the new ward, notwithstanding that he may have been put down as a voter in the old ward.

III. That if an elector of any parish in the district does not give himself up to the custody of any person designated by the Act, he shall not appear as a voter until he has given himself up to the custody of some person so designated, and the return of the electors of the parish shall be taken on the day of the residence of the persons objected to; and the returning officer shall in like manner, send notices of the day of objection to all persons being in any object to, as aforesaid.

To the Returning Officer:—
I, William Smith, elector of the parish of _____ do hereby certify that I am the owner of the premises situate at _____ and I will support the same as a voter for the election of Members of Parliament for the said district.

Dated this day, &c.

V. That if the person thus objected neglect to attend the court of the returning officer at the proper time for the purpose of objecting, he shall be fined ten shillings for every such neglect, and the sum to be levied on his goods and chattels, provided he is not prevented from attending by sickness or accident, in which case his medical certificate, or a certificate signed by ten voters of the ward, street, or estate to which the returning officer was directed to determine whether the claim to be put on the register be allowed or not.

VI. That if the person objected to fails to attend the court of the returning officer at the proper time, to substantiate his claim, his name shall not appear from the register, nor shall he be permitted to vote by sickness or accident, in which case a certificate shall be forwarded, and the returning officer shall determine, as before directed.

VII. Thus it is to be noted that prior to the returning officer's return to the court of objection, if any person has frivolously or vexatiously objected to any one being placed on the list of voters, such person objecting shall be fined twenty shillings and expenses, the sum to be levied on his goods and chattels, and paid to the person objecting to.

VIII. That as early as possible after the lists are revised as aforesaid, the returning officer shall cause a copy of the same to be forwarded to every registration clerk within his district.

IX. That the returning clerk of every parish shall then correctly copy from such list the name, age, and residence of every qualified elector within his parish or parishes, into a book made for that purpose, and shall place a number opposite each name. He shall also enter in a separate column, under the heading of all such electors, a voter's certificate of the following form, the number on which shall correspond with the number in the aforesaid book:—

No. 123. This is to certify that James Jones, of _____ is eligible to vote for one person to be returned to Parliament (as well as two persons) for the return of the year ending on the _____ day of _____ for one year from the date hereof.

Dated _____
Registration Clerk.

X. That if any person loses his voter's certificate by fire, or any other accident, he shall not have a new certificate till the next registration; but on the day of any such event, if he can establish his identity on the testimony of five persons known to the returning officer, he shall be registered as being the qualified voter described in the registration book, he shall be allowed to vote.

XI. That the returning officer is hereby authorised and commanded to attach any small penalties to any adjacent parishes within his district, for the purposes of this Act, and not otherwise; and in like manner to unite all extra parochial places to some regular parish.—See Statute.

ARRANGEMENT FOR NOMINATIONS.

It is enacted, that for the purpose of guarding against too great numbers who might otherwise be indiscriminately proposed, as well as for giving time for the electors to enquire into the merits of the persons who may be nominated for Members of Parliament, we will enact, that no nomination be taken as hereinafter directed.

II. That for all general elections of Members of Parliament a requisition of the following form, signed by at least one hundred qualified electors of the district, is to be delivered to the returning officer on or before the first and the tenth day of May in each year; and that such requisition constitute the nomination of such person as a candidate for the district.

We, the undersigned electors of the district of _____ do hereby recommend A. B. of _____ as a fit person to represent the people of this district in the Commons' House of Parliament, the said A. B. being qualified to be an elector according to the provisions of this Act.

Dated _____
Signed _____

III. That the returning officer of every electoral district shall, on or before the 13th of May in each year, cause a list of all the candidates thus nominated to be stuck up against all church and chapel doors, market-crosses, public houses, schools, workhouses, and union workhouses, and such other conspicuous places within the district as he may deem necessary.

IV. That whenever a vacancy is occasioned in any district, by the death, resignation, or other causes, of the Member of Parliament, the returning officer of the said district shall within three days after the receipt of his orders from the Speaker of the House of Commons give notice thereof in all the parishes of his district in the manner therein set forth for giving notice, and he shall at the only one requisition elector thereon be made as aforesaid, within ten days from the receipt of his order, and shall also appoint the day of election within eight days from the receipt of such order from the Speaker of the House of Commons.

V. That in any circumstances no person has been nominated as a Candidate for the district on or before the 10th of May, persons may then be nominated in the manner described as aforesaid at any time previous to the 20th of May, but not after that date.

VI. That the returning officer, after the passing of this Act, and at the expiration of every year, the nomination of candidates for the returning officer be made in the same manner as for Members of Parliament, and nominations for vacancies that may occur in the House of Commons.

VII. That if two or more persons are nominated as aforesaid for Members to serve in Parliament for the district, the returning officer shall, at the expiration of the 15th and 31st of May (Sundays excepted), deliver to the electors of the district a list of the names of all the persons so nominated, and he shall think most convenient to the electors of the district for the candidates to appear before them, then and there to explain their views and solicit the suffrages of the electors.

VIII. That the returning officer see that the plan above described be convenient for the purpose, and that as many such sections be put up as may be necessary; the same to be paid for by the returning officer, and charged in his account as hereinafter mentioned.

IX. That for the purpose of keeping good order and public decorum, the returning officer either take the chair at such meetings himself, or appoint a deputy for that purpose.

X. That no individual only one candidate be proposed for Member of Parliament for the district by the time hereinbefore mentioned, the returning officer carries notice to be given as hereinafter mentioned, that such a candidate is elected a member for the district; and if any other person is proposed as a candidate, the returning officer shall be liable to be declared voidly elected.

XI. That no other qualification shall be required than the choice of the electors according to the provision of this Act, providing that the person accepting the Chair of Ministers of State is to be sworn in the Commons' House of Parliament who are in the receipt of any emolument derivable from any place or places held under Government, or of retired allowances arising therefrom.

ARRANGEMENT FOR ELECTIONS.

It is enacted, that a general election of Members of Parliament for the said First District in the United Kingdom take place on the first Monday in June in each year; and that all vacancies by death or otherwise, shall be filled up as nearly as possible within eighteen days after they occur.

II. That the returning officers for the district shall be chosen by the electors of the district on the first Monday in June, and at the same time members of Parliament are to be elected; and that all vacancies be filled up, as nearly as possible, within the same period.

III. That every person who has been registered as aforesaid, and who has a voter's certificate, shall have the right of voting in the district in which he has been registered, and in that only, and of voting as a Member of Parliament for the district, and the returning officer for the district, and for the whole only.

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