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By Section 16, Dominion Elections Act, candidates at the last Dominion election are entitled, free of charge, to 20 copies of the Voters' Lists for their ridings from the King's printer, Ottawa, Ont., and by Sec. 23, any person may secure copies of said lists, or for one polling division, at a price not to exceed ten cents for each copy for a polling division.

By Sec. 6 the Voters' Lists to be used for the several polling divisions in a Dominion election shall be the lists "which, on the sixtieth day next preceding the day fixed for nomination were in force, or were last in force for the purpose of Provincial elections."

By Sections 7, 8, 9 and 9A provision is made for registration in towns and cities, and for lists in unorganized districts when not regularly prepared.

The basis of the Voters' Lists as printed at Ottawa are the Lists as printed by the various municipalities and subsequently revised. It is, therefore, essential to carefully examine the lists as printed at Ottawa, comparing them with the lists as finally revised in the municipalities or polling divisions. When the list for any municipality is finally revised and certified to, the Clerk of the municipality sends a copy of such list to the Clerk of the Peace (usually in Ontario the Crown Attorney,) and retains a copy himself. Now, such lists as finally revised are not printed either by the Clerk of the Municipality, the Municipal Council, or the Clerk of the Peace.

Certified copies of the lists are sent by the Municipal Clerk to the Clerk of the Peace and by the latter to the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, who transmits them to the King's Printer, who in turn prints some at Ottawa and the remainder at various offices throughout the country.

It would be strange, indeed, if in all these movements, differences of handwriting, proof-reading, &c., &c., &c., no mistakes occurred either by way of omissions, misspelling or other error. The lists as printed by the Municipal bodies do not as a rule contain the corrections made by the County Court Judges, but these corrections must appear on the lists as printed by the King's Printer, Ottawa.

Copies of the lists should be had from the King's Printer at once and compared with the lists in the hands of the municipal clerks and the lists as in the hands of the Clerks of the Peace and all errors or omissions brought officially to the notice of the Returning Officer, and any omissions should be inserted by him for there is no such thing as a tendered ballot in a Dominion Election and although the misspelling of a name does not "spoil" the vote yet it creates great annoyance and the voter leaves in disgust without casting his ballot. No one can vote (except a few specially classed by section 11 Dominion Elections Act) unless his name is on the list as furnished to the deputy returning officer through the returning officer. See Sections 19, 22 and 23 of the Dominion Elections Act.

The Organization of a Polling Sub-Division.

The basis of organization in an election campaign is the polling sub-division. If each committee in all the polling sub-divisions in the constituency is well managed, if the work is conducted in a business-like and systematic way, then the results are sure to be most satisfactory for the candidate in whose interest the committee is working. The experience of those who have had to do with work of this kind is that it is absolutely essential to obtain the services of some active, energetic and intelligent man, who will take charge of the polling sub-division