

to affix their seals, and shall otherwise take precautions for the security of such papers and documents :

4. The judge shall proceed to re-count or re-sum up the votes, according to the rules set forth in section *sixty-nine*,
 5 and shall verify or correct the ballot paper account and statement of the number of votes given for each candidate; and upon the completion of such re-count or re-summing up, or as soon as he has thus ascertained the result of the poll, he shall seal up all the said ballot
 10 papers in separate packets, and shall forthwith certify the result to the returning officer, who shall then declare to be elected the candidate having the highest number of votes; and in case of an equality of votes, the returning officer shall give the casting vote, in like manner as provided in
 15 section *seventy*.

And shall certify the result to the returning officer, who shall have in certain cases a casting vote.

5. The returning officer, after the receipt of a notice from the judge of such re-count or re-summing up of ballots, shall delay making his return to the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery until he receives a certificate from the judge of
 20 the result of such re-count, and upon the receipt of such certificate the returning officer shall proceed to make his return in the form of schedule S of this Act.

R.O. shall delay his return to Clerk of Crown in Chancery.

6. In case the re-count or addition does not so alter the result of the poll as to affect the return, the judge shall order
 25 the costs of the candidate appearing to be elected to be paid by the applicant, and the said deposit shall be paid out to the said candidate on account thereof, so far as necessary and the judge shall tax the costs on giving his decision; and if the deposit is insufficient, the party in whose favor
 30 costs are allowed shall have his action for the balance.

Costs.

CERTAIN ACTS MADE CRIMINAL.

78. No person shall—

Firstly: Forge or counterfeit or fraudulently alter, deface or fraudulently destroy any ballot paper or the initials of the deputy returning officer signed thereon; or

Certain acts prohibited.

35 *Secondly*: Without authority supply any ballot paper to any person; or

Thirdly: Put into any ballot box any paper other than the ballot paper which he is authorized by law to put in; or

Fourthly: Take out of the polling place any ballot paper; or

40 *Fifthly*: Without due authority, destroy, take, open, or otherwise interfere with any ballot box or packet of ballot papers then in use for the purposes of the election; or

Sixthly. No deputy returning officer shall give to or supply any person with a ballot unless such person's name
 45 appears on the voters list supplied to such deputy returning