

- Address. 2. It shall be addressed to the person appointed by him as hereinafter provided.
- Transmission. 3. It shall be transmitted to such person by mail, unless otherwise ordered by the Governor General.
- Form. 4. It shall be in the form A. 5  
R.S.C., c. 8, ss. 3 and 6.

## ELECTION OFFICERS.

- Returning officers. 11. The person to whom a writ is addressed, as herein before provided, shall be the returning officer at the election to which such writ relates; Provided always, that if the person to whom the writ has been addressed refuses, or is disqualified or unable 10 to act, the Governor General may appoint another person to be such returning officer.
- Proviso. R.S.C., c. 8, s. 3, *part.*

- Who shall not act as election officers. \*12. None of the persons following shall be appointed returning officers, or deputy returning officers, election clerks or poll 15 clerks:—
- (a.) Members of the Queen's Privy Council for Canada or of the Executive Council of any Province;
  - (b.) Members of the Senate or members of the Legislative 20 Council of any Province;
  - (c.) Members of the House of Commons or members of the Legislative Assembly of any Province;
  - (d.) Ministers, priests or ecclesiastics of any religious faith or worship;
  - (e.) Judges of the courts of superior, civil or criminal juris- 25 diction, or judges of any county or district court, insolvent court or admiralty court;
  - (f.) Persons who have served in the Parliament of Canada in the session immediately preceding the election, or in the then present session of Parliament; 30
  - (g.) Persons who have been found guilty by the House of Commons, or by any court for the trial of controverted elections, or other competent tribunal of any offence or dereliction of duty in violation of this Act, or of the *Act to disfranchise voters who have taken bribes*, being chapter 14 of the statutes of 35 1894.
- \*[(h.) Persons who have been convicted of an offence under the provisions of *The Criminal Code*, 1892, or any amendment thereof.] 40
- R.S.C., c. 8, s. 7; 1894, c. 14, s. 15.

- Residence of election officers. \*13. No person shall be appointed deputy returning officer or election clerk or poll clerk who is not a resident of the electoral district within which he is to act.]

- Who shall not be bound to act as such. 14. None of the following persons, unless they are sheriffs, registrars, town clerks or assessors, shall be obliged to act as 55 returning officers, deputy returning officers, election clerks or poll clerks, that is to say:—
- (a.) Professors in any university, college, high school or academy;
  - (b.) Physicians or surgeons; 50
  - (c.) Millers;