

ONTARIO ELECTIONS, 1894.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR AGENTS
OF
LIBERAL CANDIDATES
AT THE POLLS.

The Voters' List under the Franchise Act, must give the name of every Voter. No person can vote more than once, and only then in the subdivision of the electoral district in which he resides. "ONE-MAN, ONE VOTE."

Opening of Poll.

1. The poll opens at 9 a.m. and closes at 5 p.m.

Oath of Secrecy.

2. Take the oath of secrecy before a Magistrate, if possible, previous to polling day, and hand it and your appointment as Agent, to the Deputy Returning Officer before the poll opens. The Deputy Returning Officer will, if required, put the oath of secrecy to any Agent. If he has no single form he can read it from the Election Act, form No. 27.

Prepare Voters' List.

3. Have a Voters' List carefully prepared, with notes for your guidance. Each name should be marked, "Liberal," "Conservative," "Patron," or "Doubtful," or to be objected to, or to be sworn. Be prepared to sustain the cause of any of your own voters who may be objected to by the opposing Agent.

Check off Voters.

4. Check off your list each voter as he votes, and specially note those sworn.

Causes of Objection.

5. Objection must be taken against an elector voting. (1) If he is not twenty-one years of age. (2) Is not a subject of Her Majesty. (3) If you believe he has been offered any inducement to vote, directly or indirectly, or for loss of time, travelling expenses, or hire of team. (4) If he has not been continuously for the six months immediately preceding the date of election, a resident of the electoral district (except Manhood Suffrage Electors). (5) If you believe he has voted elsewhere. (6) If he is not now a resident of that electoral district.

When an opposing Scrutineer asks to have a voter sworn, be sure to see that the voter knows which side has objected to his vote.