

Qualification of Electors in Townships attached to Town for Electoral purposes.

lying within the limits of any of the said Cities or Towns respectively, whether there is erected thereon a dwelling house or not, any law, usage or custom to the contrary notwithstanding ; but for all purposes, except those of this Act, the said several Cities and Towns shall be deemed to make part of the Counties in which they are respectively situate, in all cases where it is not otherwise provided by law : Provided also, That where any Parish or part of a Parish, Township or part of a Township, is by this Act made part of any City or Town for the purpose of Representation, although it is not within the limits of such City or Town for other purposes, the qualification of Electors voting at any Election of a Member for such City or Town, on property situate within such Parish or part of a Parish, Township or part of a Township, shall be the same as that required of Electors voting at an Election for a County.

As to Polls, &c., in Townships or parts of Townships made part of Towns in U. C. for Electoral purposes only.

V. And be it enacted, That any Township or part of a Township in Upper Canada, which is by this Act made part of a Town for the purpose of Representation, although not otherwise within the limits thereof, shall, for the purpose of holding any Election of a Member of the Legislative Assembly for such Town, be dealt with (except as aforesaid as to the qualification of Electors) as if it were a Ward of such Town, and if a Poll be demanded and granted at such Election, a Deputy Returning Officer shall be appointed for such Township, or part of a Township and all other proceedings shall be had, as if it were a Ward of such Town, except that the Town Clerk of such Township or part of a Township, or in case of his absence, sickness, death or incapacity to act, then the Assessor or Collector thereof, shall be appointed Deputy Returning Officer therefor ; and that whenever any Township in Upper Canada is by this Act divided into two Townships, for the purpose of Representation only, then the Town Clerk of the Municipal Township so divided shall be appointed Deputy Returning Officer for that one of the Representation Townships which is first mentioned in this Act, and the Assessor or Collector of such Municipal Township shall be appointed for the other ; Provided always, that if in any case in Upper Canada, there be more than one person who may by law be appointed Deputy Returning Officer, then the Returning Officer may appoint either of such persons ; and if there be no person who ought to be appointed, or the person who ought to be appointed be absent, or from sickness or otherwise be unable to act, the Returning Officer may appoint such person as he shall think proper to be Returning Officer.

As to Townships divided for representation.

Proviso : as to Deputy Returning Officers in U. C.

Separate Polls to be held for incorporated Towns and Villages in U. C. and for wards in

VI. And be it enacted, That in Upper Canada whenever a Poll shall be demanded and granted at any Election of a Member of the Legislative Assembly for a County or Riding, a separate Poll shall be held for each Incorporated Village or Incorporated Town not divided into Wards and for the purpose of Representation lying within such County or Riding, and for