made before any Justice of the Peace in Canada ; but if the applicant is not at the time in Canada, the oath or affirmation may be made before any Minister Plenipotentiary, chargé d'affaires, consul or consular agent, holding commission under the government of 5 the United Kingdom, or any Judge of the Country in which the

applicant happens at the time to be.

12. The Petitioner for a Patent shall for all the purposes of this Petitioner to Act elect his domicile at some known and specified place in elect domicile in Canada: Canada, and mention the same in his Petition for a Patent.

13. The applicant shall, in his petition for a Patent, insert the Contents, &c. 10 title or name of his invention, its object and a short description of of application the same, and shall distinctly allege all the facts which are poors the same, and shall distinctly allege all the facts which are neces-sary under this Act to entitle him to a Patent therefor, and shall with the petition send in a written specification, in duplicate, of his

15 invention, describing the same in such full, clear and exact terms, as to distinguish it from all contrivances or processes for similar purposes.

14. The specification shall correctly and fully describe the mode Specification or modes of operating contemplated by the applicant,—and shall and drawing.

- 20 state clearly and distinctly the contrivances and things which he claims as new and for the use of which he claims an exclusive property and privilege; —it shall bear the name of the place where it is made, the date, and be signed by the applicant and two witnesses;—in the case of a machine the specification shall fully 25 explain the principle and the several modes in which it is intended
- to apply and work out the same; in the case of a machine or in any other case where the invention admits of illustration by means of drawings, the applicant shall also, with his application, send in drawings in duplicate showing clearly all parts of the invention; 30 and each drawing shall bear the name of the inventor and shall
- have written references corresponding with the specification, and a certificate of the applicant that it is the drawing referred to in the specification ; but the Commissioner may require any greater number of drawings than those above mentioned, or dispense
- 35 with any of them, as he may see fit; one duplicate of the specifica-tion and of the drawings, if any drawings, shall be annexed to the Patent, of which it forms an essential part and the other duplicate shall remain deposited in the Patent Office.

15. The applicant shall also deliver to the Commissioner, unless Working 40 specially dispensed from so doing for some good reason, a neat model working model of his invention on a convenient scale, exhibiting its several parts in due proportion, whenever the invention admits of such model ; and shall deliver to the Commissioner specimens of the ingredients, and of the composition of matter sufficient in 45 quantity for the purpose of experiment, whenever the invention is a composition of matter; provided such ingredients and composi-

tion are not of an explosive character or otherwise dangerous, in which case they are to be furnished only when specially required by the Commissioner, and then with such precautions as shall be 50 prescribed in the said requisition.

CONTENTS, DURATION, SURRENDER, RE-ISSUE OF PATENTS AND DISCLAIMERS.

16. Every patent granted under this Act shall recite briefly the Contents of substance of the petition on which it is granted, and shall contain patents. the title or name of the invention and a short description of the same, referring for a fuller detail to the specification,-and shall

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