

o'clock in the forenoon and two o'clock in the afternoon, of the day so by him fixed for opening such Election as aforesaid ; See also 19, 20 V. c. 140, s. 11.

5. In and by the Proclamation aforesaid, the Returning Officer shall also fix the day on which, in case a Poll be demanded and granted as hereinafter provided, such Poll shall be opened, in conformity to this Act, in each Parish, Township or Union of Townships or Ward, or part of a Parish or Township, (as the case may be,) for taking and recording the Votes of the Electors according to law ;

Polling days.

6. If the Election be for a City or Town, he shall cause the said Proclamation to be posted up, in Upper Canada, at the City or Town Hall, and in some public place in each Ward of such City or Town, and, in Lower Canada, at the door of at least one Church or Chapel, or other place of Public Worship, and in some public place in each Ward of such City or Town ;

Place of posting up Proclamation in Cities and Towns.

7. If the Election be for a County or Riding, or for an Electoral Division for the Legislative Council, he shall cause the said Proclamation to be posted up, in Upper Canada, at the Town Hall where there is one, and in at least one other public place in each Township or Union of Townships in the Electoral Division in which the Election is to be held, and, in Lower Canada, at the door of at least one Church or Chapel, or other place of Public Worship, where there is one, and in at least one other public place in each Parish, Township or extra-Parochial place in such Electoral Division ; And if only part of any Parish, Township or extra-Parochial place in Lower Canada is within such Electoral Division, he shall cause the said Proclamation to be posted up in such part only, in the manner above prescribed ;

In Counties in Upper Canada.

In Counties in Lower Canada.

8. Neither the day of nomination nor that of the posting of such proclamation, shall be included within the said eight days ; 12 V. c. 27, s. 9.

How the eight days' notice shall be reckoned.

9. The Proclamation issued by a Returning Officer of the County of Gaspé, Chicoutimi or Saguenay, fixing the place, day and hour at which he will proceed to hold the election, shall be posted up at least twenty days before the day which by such Proclamation he has fixed for holding such election ; 14, 15 V. c. 87, s. 2, *part*.

Proviso as to the Counties of Gaspé, Chicoutimi and Saguenay.

10. Any Returning Officer refusing or neglecting to cause such Proclamation to be posted up as above required, shall, for such neglect or refusal, incur a penalty of one hundred dollars. 12 V. c. 27, s. 9, and 14, 15 V. c. 87, s. 2.

Penalty on Returning Officer neglecting to cause Proclamation to be posted up.

32. Each Returning Officer shall, before the day so by him fixed for opening the Election, take and subscribe before a Justice

Returning Officer to take an oath of office.