

his incapacity to vote without such assistance in the form following, that is to say :

Oath of voter
in such case.

" I solemnly swear (*or, if he is one of the persons entitled by law to affirm in civil cases, solemnly affirm*) that I am unable to read (*or*) that I am incapacitated by physical cause from voting without the assistance of the deputy returning officer." 5

Interpreter.

2 Whenever the deputy returning officer does not understand the language spoken by any such elector claiming to vote he shall swear an interpreter who shall be the means of communication between him and such elector with reference to all matters required to enable such elector to vote. 10

Deputy to
enter reasons
for casting
vote by him.

3. The deputy returning officer shall enter in the poll book opposite the names of the voters whose votes have been so cast, in addition to what is required in the next following section of this Act, the reason why each such vote was cast by him. 15

Entry of
names of
electors
voting.

18. The poll clerk shall enter in the poll book to be kept by him as foresaid opposite the name of each elector the word "Voted" as soon as his pellet has passed through the machine, and he shall enter in the same book the word "Sworn" or "Affirmed" opposite the name of each elector to whom the oath of qualification has been administered, and the words "Refused to be sworn" or "Refused to affirm" opposite the name of each elector who has refused to take the oath or to affirm. 20

Voter refusing
to be sworn.

19. No voter who has refused to take the oath of qualification mentioned in section 12 of this Act, when requested so to do, shall receive a voting pellet or be admitted to vote. 25

Elector in
whose name
another has
previously
voted.

20. If a person representing himself to be a particular elector named in the list of voters applies for a voting pellet after another person has voted as such elector, the applicant, upon taking the oath in the form II in the schedule to this Act, and otherwise establishing his identity to the satisfaction of the deputy returning officer, shall be entitled to vote as any other elector. 30

Entry in poll
book.

2. The name of such voter shall be entered in the poll book and a note shall be made of his having voted under this section, and of the oath of qualification having been required and made, as well as of any other objections made on behalf of any and which of the candidates. 35

D. R. O. to
prepare a
statement of
votes cast, etc.

21. Immediately after the close of the poll, the deputy returning officer shall, in the presence of the poll clerk and the candidates or their agents, and if the candidates or their agents or any of them are absent then in the presence of such if any of them as are present and of at least three electors, open the box, first dropping the stop bar and locking it down, and read off and make a statement of the numbers shown on the dials, placing opposite the name of each candidate the number shown on the dial of the register attached to the tube placed under the opening in the section containing the name of such candidate ; such statement shall then be signed by the deputy returning officer, the poll clerk, and such of the candidates or their electors or agents as are present and desire to sign it, and he shall make and keep a copy of such statement 40 45 50

Statement,
etc., to be
included in
voting box.