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Instructions to Scrutineers

The following persons may vote in Algoma, at the coming election.

"Every male person of the full age of twenty-one years, being a subject of Her Majesty by birth or naturalization, and not otherwise disqualified, who is at the time of the election actually and bona fide the owner of real estate, in the Electoral District of Algoma, of the value of two hundred dollars or upwards, or who is at the time of the election a resident householder of such place, and has been such owner or householder for the six months next preceding the election."

"All Indians or persons with part Indian blood who have been duly enfranchised, and all Indians or persons with part Indian blood, who do not reside among Indians, though they participate in the annuities, interest moneys, and rents of a tribe, band, or body of Indians, subject to the same qualifications in other respects, and to

the same provisions and restrictions, as other persons in the Electoral District."

(1.) If you are at all doubtful as to whether a person presenting himself as an elector and asking for a ballot paper, is in all respects qualified and entitled to vote, request the Deputy Returning Officer to administer the following oath:—

"You swear (or solemnly affirm) that you are (name the voter.)

"That you are actually, truly, and on good faith, possessed to your own use and benefit as owner of real estate, in this Electoral district, of the value of two hundred dollars or upwards, (or that you are actually, truly, and in good faith, a resident householder in this Electoral District.)

"That you have been such owner (or householder as the case may be) for the six months next preceding this election, and are entitled to vote at this election.

"That you have not

"voted before at this election, either at this or any other polling place.

"That you have not received anything, nor has anything been promised you, either directly or indirectly, either to induce you to vote at this election, or for loss of time, travelling expenses, hire of team, or any other service connected therewith. And that you have not, directly or indirectly, paid or promised anything to any person, either to induce him to vote or to refrain from voting at this election. So help you God."

(2.) Examine the ballot boxes, at the hour fixed for opening the poll, and assure yourselves that there are no ballot or other papers in them.— See sec. 37 of the consolidation of the Election Acts of 1874 and 1878.

(3.) If a voter refuses to take the oath, or affirmation, above recited under No. 1, he cannot vote.— See sec 51.

(4.) Watch carefully when the ballot boxes are opened, and while the