

EXCEPTIONS.—Change of residence from one ward to another not to disqualify a person otherwise qualified; in each case tenant to vote in the ward where he resides at the time he votes.

*Freeholders, Tenants, or Occupiers (Act of 1855.)*

RULE III.—Land (not necessarily with a dwelling-house) to be owned or occupied for 6 calendar months' before the day of voting, and if within the limits of the City or Town for Municipal purposes to be of the actual value of £75 or of the yearly value of £7 10s.

EXCEPTION.—Land within the limits of the City or Town for purposes of representation, though not for municipal purposes, to be, instead of the above of the actual value of £50, or of the yearly value of £5; Lease to be at least for the term of one year.

N. B.—One of several joint tenants, or tenants in common, may vote if the "actual" or "yearly" value of his part or share equal the foregoing.

No registry necessary as to cases falling within this Division.

RURAL CONSTITUENCIES.

I. *Proprietors (Act of 1849.)*

Same as Division I, of "Cities and Towns" above—save that yearly value need only be £2 4s. 5½d.

II. *Tenants (Act of 1849.)*

No enactment to correspond with Division II. of "Cities and Towns" above.

III. *Freeholder, Tenants or Occupiers (Act of 1855.)*

Land of the actual value of £50, or of the yearly value of £5, owned or occupied for six calendar months before the tender of the vote.

*In what manner Aliens may be naturalized so as to be entitled to vote*

Stats. 12 Vic. cap. 27, 12 Vic. cap. 197, and 18 Vic. cap. 6.

*Right to Vote*—No person is entitled to vote at a General Election, unless at the time of his voting he is a British subject by birth or naturalization (12 Vic. cap. 27, sec. 42.)

*How naturalized*—Before an alien can be deemed "naturalized," the following is necessary:

1. Residence in this Province with intent to settle therein for five years or upwards (12 Vic. cap. 197, sec. 4, as amended by 18 Vic. cap. 6.)

2. An oath or affirmation of residence in this form, "I, A. B. do swear (or being one of the persons allowed by law to affirm in judicial cases, 'do affirm') that I have resided seven years in this Province with intent to settle therein without having been during that time a stated resident in any foreign country. So help me God."

3. The ordinary oath of allegiance.

4. The oaths to be taken before a justice of the peace, which justice shall thereupon grant unto the said alien a certificate of residence setting forth that such alien has taken and subscribed the oaths, and that he has every reason to believe that such alien had been so resident within this Province for a period of five years or upwards, that the alien is a person of good character, and