Candidate may act as his own agent.

56. A candidate may himself undertake the duties which any agent of his, if appointed, might have undertaken, or may assist his agent in the performance of such duties, and may be present at any place at which his agent may, in pursuance of this Act, be authorized to attend.

R.S.C., c. 8, s. 127.

Who may not

57. Every returning officer or deputy returning officer of act as agents an electoral district, and every partner or clerk of either of them, who acts as agent for any candidate in the management or conduct of his election for such electoral districts, is guilty 10 of an indictable offence.

R.S.C., c. 8, s. 104.

Oath of secreev.

58. One of the agents of each candidate, and, in the absence of such agent, one of the electors representing each candidate, if there is such elector, on being admitted to the polling 15 station, shall take an oath to keep secret the names of the candidates for whom any of the voters has marked his ballot paper in his presence, as hereinafter required,—which oath shall be in the form Q.

R.S.C., c. 8, s. 38.

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Inspection of ballot papers, etc., before opening of poll.

*[59. Agents and electors entitled to be present in the room of the polling station during polling hours, shall be entitled to have the packets of ballot papers intended for use thereat carefully counted in their presence before the opening of the poll, and shall be entitled to inspect such ballot papers 25 and all other papers, forms and documents relating to the poll, provided such agents or electors are in attendance at least fifteen minutes before the hour fixed for opening the poll.] Ingram's Bill, clause 8.

Where electors shall vote.

*60. [Where there is a voters' list each elector shall, subject 30 to the provisions contained in the next following section of this Act, be entitled to vote only at the polling station of the polling division or one of the polling divisions, upon the list of voters for which his name is entered as such voter, and at no other [except as otherwise provided by paragraph (f) of 35 section 5 of The Franchise Act, 1898.

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*[2. In the province of Prince Edward Island, subject to the provisions contained in the next following section of this Act, every elector qualified to vote in the electoral district in which he resides shall vote in such district in the polling divi- 40 sion in which he resides, and not elsewhere.]

R.S.C., c. 8, s. 43, part; 1898, c. 14, ss. 5 and 19.

Provision as to election officers or agents entitled to vote.

*61. The returning officer, on the request of any elector entitled to vote at one of the polling stations, who is appointed deputy returning officer or poll clerk, or who is named the 45 agent of any of the candidates for a polling station other than the one where he is entitled to vote, shall give to such elector a certificate that such deputy returning officer, poll clerk or agent is entitled to vote at such election at the polling station where such elector is stationed during the polling day, and on 50 the production of such certificate such deputy returning officer, poll clerk or agent shall have the right to vote at the polling