

forms E. I. and P. which the returning officer shall himself cause to be printed.]

R.S.C., c. 8, s. 124; R. S. Ont., c. 9, s. 33.

POLLING DIVISIONS AND VOTERS' LISTS.

- Returning officer to obtain voters' lists, etc. *22. Forthwith after the receipt of the writ for a Dominion election the returning officer shall obtain from the officers who are the legal custodians thereof, or of duly certified duplicates or copies thereof, such provincial voters' lists, or such certified copies thereof or extracts therefrom, and such certified copies of by-laws, orders, proclamations or other documents or proceedings defining the several provincial polling divisions situate either wholly or partially within the territory comprised in the electoral district for which such election is to be held as are necessary, or as he deems necessary, to the performance of his duties as returning officer; and every such officer who omits or refuses to furnish within a reasonable time any such voters' list or copy thereof, or extract therefrom, or any such copy of a by-law, or order, or proclamation or other document or proceeding demanded by the returning officer shall be guilty of an indictable offence and incur a penalty not exceeding two thousand dollars and not less than two hundred dollars. 5
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- Penalty for not furnishing them. *2. The legal custodian from whom any such document is so obtained shall be paid therefor the same fees (if any) as in the case of such document being obtained by a returning officer for the purposes of a provincial election.] 15
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- Fees. *3. The legal custodian of any voters' list shall deliver certified copies thereof, or of any part thereof, as last revised and corrected, to any person applying therefor, on payment therefor of a fee not exceeding the fee (if any) allowed by the provincial law in the like case, and not exceeding in any case ten cents for a printed list and one cent for every two names in writing if the list or part of the list is written.] 25
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- Any person entitled to copy of list on payment of fee. *23. Where under the laws of the Province there are no polling divisions for the purpose of provincial elections, the returning officer shall forthwith after the receipt of the writ subdivide the electoral district into as many polling divisions as he deems necessary for the convenience of the electors, adopting so far as he deems it expedient the polling divisions, if any there were, at the last Dominion election; and he shall number or otherwise designate such polling divisions, and fix upon a suitable polling station in each.] 35
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- Where under provincial law there are no polling divisions.

PROCLAMATION BY RETURNING OFFICER.

- Proclamation by returning officer. *4. Within [the shortest possible time] after the reception of the writ in the electoral districts of [Algoma, in the province of Ontario,] of Gaspé and Chicoutimi and Saguenay, in the province of Quebec, [of Burrard and Yale and Cariboo, in the province of British Columbia, and of Alberta and Saskatchewan, in the North-West Territories,] and within eight days after its reception in the other electoral districts of Canada, the returning officer shall, by a proclamation under his hand, issued in the English and French languages in every electoral district 45