

real property which is of sufficient value to qualify both father and son, or is a fisherman and owner of real property, which with boats, nets and fishing tackle amounts to \$150 actual value. Voting is by ballot.

Persons
disquali-
fied for
voting.

41. The following persons are disqualified for voting at elections for the Dominion Parliament :—The Chief Justice and Judges of the Supreme Court, the Chief Justices and Judges of the Superior Courts, and the Judges of all other Courts in the Dominion, Revising Officers, Returning Officers and Election Clerks, all Counsel, Agents, Attorneys and Clerks of Candidates who have been or may be paid for their services, and certain Indians.

New elec-
tions.

42. Writs for new elections are dated and made returnable as the Governor General shall determine, and the date of nomination, which shall be named in the writ, is also fixed by him. Within eight days from the receipt of the writ the Returning Officer shall post up at each polling place in the district a proclamation setting forth the dates of the days for nomination and polling, which is everywhere on one day (except in the Territories, Algoma, and Chicoutimi and Saguenay) and of the official declaration of the result of the poll, and a list of the several polling places, such proclamation to be posted up at least eight days before the day fixed for the nomination. The polling day is to be the seventh after the day of nomination, except as specially provided.

Oath of al-
legiance.

43. Every member of the Senate and the House of Commons must take the oath of allegiance before taking his seat.

Naturali-
zation.

44. Any person, an alien, who has resided for three years in this country can, after taking the oath of residence and allegiance before a judge, commissioner or magistrate, and having the same registered, obtain a certificate of naturalization, and become entitled to the privileges of a British subject. An alien woman, when married to a British subject, becomes thereby a naturalized British subject.