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SPECIAL NOTICE. The following provision of the Registry Law passed at the late session of the Legislature applicable to elections and election officers is published for the information of all concerned.

SECTION 4. On the day of election any person whose name is not on the said list, and claiming the right to vote at said election, shall be deemed to be a qualified voter of the district as a witness to the residence of the claimant in the district in which he claims to be a voter, for the period of at least ten days next preceding said election, which witness shall be sworn to by a certified, or partly written and partly printed affidavit to the facts stated by him which affidavit shall define clearly where the residence is of the person so claiming to be a voter, and the said affidavit shall be sworn to by the claimant, and also take and subscribe a written, or partly written and partly printed affidavit, stating the best of his knowledge and belief, whether he is a citizen of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and of the United States; that he has resided in the Commonwealth one year, or if formerly a citizen therein and has moved therefrom within six months next preceding said election; that he has not moved into the district for the purpose of voting therein; that he has paid a State or county tax within two years, which was assessed at any election, or at any election, and if a naturalized citizen, shall also state when and where and by what court he was naturalized, and shall also produce his certificate of naturalization for examination; the said affidavit shall be sworn to and where the tax claimed to be paid by the affiant was assessed, and when, where and to whom paid and the tax receipt therefor shall be produced for examination, unless the affiant shall state in his affidavit that it has been lost or destroyed, or that he never received any; but if the person so claiming the right to vote shall take and subscribe to said affidavit, that he is a native born citizen of the United States, and that he is at the time of taking the affidavit, between the ages of twenty-one and twenty-two years; that he has resided in the State one year and in the election district ten days next preceding said election, he shall be entitled to vote, although he shall not have paid taxes; the said affidavits of all persons making such claims, and the affidavits of the witnesses to their residences, shall be preserved by the election officers, and at the close of the election they shall be enclosed with the list of voters, tally list and other papers required by law to be filed by the return judges with the probroductory, and shall remain on file in the office of the probroductory, subject to examination, as other election papers are, if the election officers, shall find that the applicant or applicants possess all the legal qualifications of voters, he or they shall be permitted to vote, and the name or names shall be added to the list of voters by the election officers, the word "tax" being added where the claimant claims to vote on tax, and the word "age" where he claims to vote on age; the same words being added by the election officers respectively on the lists of voters voting at such election.

SECTION 5. It shall be lawful for any qualified citizen of the district, notwithstanding the name of the proposed voter is contained on the list of voters, to challenge the name of such voter, whereupon the same proof of the right of suffrage as is now required by law shall be publicly made and acted on by the election board, and the vote admitted or rejected, according to the evidence; every person claiming to be a naturalized citizen shall be required to produce his naturalization certificate at the election before voting, except where he has been for ten years, or he offers his vote; and on the vote of such person being received, it shall be the duty of the election officers to write or stamp on such certificate the word "voted" with the name of the voter, and the election officer shall receive a second vote on the same day by virtue of the same certificate, excepting where sons are entitled to vote by virtue of their fathers, they and the person who shall offer such second vote, upon so offending, shall be guilty of a high misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof, be fined or imprisoned, or both, at the discretion of the court; but the fine shall not exceed one hundred dollars, and the imprisonment one year, and the like punishment shall be inflicted on conviction of the officers of election who shall neglect or refuse to make, or cause to be made, the endorsement required, as aforesaid, on such certificate.

SECTION 6. If any election officer shall refuse or neglect to require such proof of the right of suffrage as is prescribed by this law, or the laws to which this is a supplement, from any person offering to vote whose name is not on the list of assessed voters, or whose right to vote is challenged by any qualified voter present, and shall admit such person to vote without requiring such proof, every person so offending shall be guilty of a high misdemeanor, and shall be sentenced, for every such offense, to pay a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars, or to undergo an imprisonment not more than one year, or either or both, at the discretion of the court.

SECTION 11. On the petition of five or more citizens of the county, stating under oath that they verily believe that frauds have been practiced at the election about to be held in any district, it shall be the duty of the court, of common pleas of said county, if in session, or if not, a judge thereof in vacation, to appoint two judicious, sober and intelligent citizens of the county to act as overseers, shall be selected from different political parties, and where both said inspectors belong to the same political party, both of overseers shall be taken from the opposite political party; said overseers shall have the right to be present with the officers of the election during the whole time the same is held, the votes counted, and the returns made out and signed by the election officers; to keep a list of voters, if they see proper; to challenge any

SECTION 12. If any prothonotary, clerk, or the deputy of either, or any other person, shall affect the seal of office, to any naturalization paper, or permit the same to be affixed, or given out, in blank, whereby it may be fraudulently used, or furnish a naturalization certificate to any person who shall not have been duly examined and sworn in open court, in the presence of some of the judges thereof, according to the act of Congress, or shall aid, connive at, or in any way permit the issue of any fraudulent and unauthorized certificate, he shall be guilty of a high misdemeanor; or if any one shall fraudulently use any such certificate or naturalization knowing that it was fraudulently issued, or shall vote, or attempt to vote, or attempt to issue a certificate of naturalization not issued to him, he shall be guilty of a high misdemeanor; and either or any of the persons, or their aiders or abettors, shall be liable to be fined in a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars, and imprisonment in the proper penitentiary for a period not exceeding three years.

SECTION 13. Any person who, by oath or affirmation, or in before any court in this State, or officer authorized to administer oaths shall procure a certificate of naturalization, for himself or another person, willfully depose, declare or affirm any matter to be fact, knowing the same to be false, or shall in like manner deny any matter to be fact, knowing the same to be true, shall be deemed guilty of perjury; and any certificate of naturalization issued in pursuance of any such deposition, declaration or affirmation shall be null and void; and it shall be the duty of the court issuing the same, upon proof being made before it, to revoke the same, and to take immediate measures for recalling the same for cancellation, and any person who shall vote or attempt to vote, on any paper so obtained; or who shall in any way aid, connive at, or be present at, or be a witness to the issue, circulation or use of any fraudulent naturalization certificate, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding ten dollars, or to imprisonment in the penitentiary for not more than two years, and pay a fine not more than one thousand dollars, for every such offense, or either or both, at the discretion of the court.

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SECTION 15. All elections for city, ward, borough, township and election officers shall hereafter be held on the second Tuesday of October, subject to all the provisions of the laws relating to such elections, and shall be held at the same place as at the expiration of the term of the person holding the same at the time of such election; but no election for the office of assessor or assessor of taxes shall be held, until the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

SECTION 16. At all elections hereafter held, under the laws of this Commonwealth, all polls shall be opened between the hours of six and seven o'clock A. M., and closed at seven o'clock P. M.

SECTION 17. It shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Commonwealth to prepare forms for all the blanks made necessary by this act and furnish copies of the same to the county Commissioners of the several counties of the Commonwealth; and the county Commissioners of each county shall, as soon as necessary after receipt of the same, at the proper expense of the county, procure and furnish all the election officers of the election districts of their respective counties copies of such blanks, in such quantities as may be considered necessary for the discharge of their duties under this act.

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