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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

THE Honorable the President has this day issued a Writ for the Election of a Member to serve in the Legislative Council of Victoria for the Wellington Province, and the following arrangements have been made for the Election:—

Day before which Nomination is to be made, 24th April, 1907.

Polling, 3rd May, 1907.

Writ to be returned on or before 14th May, 1907.

GEORGE HENRY JENKINS,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Legislative Council Chambers,
Melbourne, 15th April, 1907.

NOTICE UNDER VOTING BY POST ACT 1900.

WELLINGTON PROVINCE.

AN Election of a Member of the Legislative Council is about to be held in the above-mentioned Electoral Province, and any Elector thereof who appears from the rolls to reside in such Province, and who resides at least five miles from the nearest polling booth at which he is entitled to vote, or who has reason to believe that on the polling day he will not be within five miles of the nearest polling booth at which he is entitled to vote, or that on account of ill-health or infirmity he will be prevented from voting personally thereat, who desires to vote through the post office at such Election may, on posting an application to the Returning Officer, obtain a Postal Ballot-paper enabling him to vote through the post at such Election.

Such application shall be as nearly as possible in the following form:—

"I hereby apply for a Postal Ballot-paper for the forthcoming election of the Legislative Council, and I declare that [here state upon which of the above-mentioned grounds the applicant claims a Postal Ballot-paper].

"My name is

"My trade or occupation is that of a

"My usual residence is

"My present postal address is

(Signature of Elector)

Printed forms of application may be obtained at any post office, or the application may be in writing.

If applicant is the holder of an elector's right, such right must be attached to application.

No postage is payable thereon.

The application is to be addressed as follows:—

WILLIAM SCOTT, Esq., J.P.,
Returning Officer,
Bridge-street, Ballarat East.

Any Elector who intends to vote through the post must apply at once, as no Postal Ballot-paper will be supplied unless the Returning Officer receives application therefor sufficiently early to admit of Postal Ballot-paper being sent to and returned by such Elector so as to reach the Returning Officer before closing of Poll.

Caution.—Any person wilfully making a false statement in an application is liable on conviction to two years' imprisonment.

A. J. PEACOCK,
Chief Secretary.

Dated at Melbourne this 15th day of April, 1907.

Voting by Post Act 1900.

NOTICE.

Every Officer in charge of a Police Station within the State of Victoria has been appointed an Officer to witness the signature of any Elector who votes by post and is too ill or infirm to go to a post office.

If any such Elector informs such Officer, in writing, that he has received a Postal Ballot-paper, and for the above-named reason requests him to witness his signature and post the paper, the Officer will visit him for the purpose.

G. C. MORRISON,
Under-Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 15th April, 1907.

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