CHAPTER 25.

An Act to amend the Juries Act (Ireland), 1871. [27th June 1872.]

WHEREAS no order has been issued under the fifty-second section of the Juries Act (Ireland), 1871, and it is expedient that provision should be made by statute for the time when the said Juries Act (Ireland), 1871, shall commence and take effect:

Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

Sections 10, 25, 52, and s. 16 in part, of the Juries Act (Ireland), 1871, repealed.

1. Sections "ten," "twenty-five," and "fifty-two," and that part of section sixteen commencing with the words "for the purposes of this Act and the due execution of the same," and ending with the words "which he may desire to use," of the Juries Act (Ireland), 1871, shall be and the same are hereby repealed.

Commencement of the Juries Act (Ireland), 1871.

2. The parts of the Juries Act (Ireland), 1871, relating to the issue of the precepts and the preparation of the general lists of jurors and the lists of special jurors, and the revision of the general lists of jurors and lists of special jurors, and the formation of general jurors books and special jurors books, and the delivery thereof to the sheriffs, and all other matters and things necessary to be done for the due performance and discharge of the aforesaid several duties, and for having the general jurors books and special jurors books in future prepared and delivered as directed by the said Acts, shall come into operation and take effect on the thirtieth day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, and the rest of said Act shall commence and take effect on the first day of Hilary Term one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, and the jurors returned on or after the first day of the said Hilary Term shall be selected, summoned, and returned as in the said Act directed.

Issue of precept and return of lists for the county of the city of Dublin.

3. The clerk of the peace for the county of the city of Dublin shall, within one week after the first day of July in every year, issue and deliver his precept, in the Form I. set forth in the schedule to this Act annexed, to the collector-general of rates for the city of Dublin, requiring the said collector-general to prepare and return to the said clerk of the peace, on or before the first day of August next ensuing, a complete and true list for each ward in the county of the city of Dublin, of all men between the ages of twenty-one and sixty years, except those exempted or disqualified by the Juries Act (Ireland), 1871, residing in the county of the city of Dublin, rated either in their own names or as members of a firm or co-partnership in the then last rate made for the relief of the poor in respect of lands, tenements, or hereditaments situate in such ward, of the net annual value fixed for the said county of the city of Dublin, in the fourth schedule of the Juries Act (Ireland), 1871, and also to perform and comply with all other the requisitions in the said precept contained, and the said clerk of the peace shall annex to every such precept a printed copy of the second schedule of the said Juries Act (Ireland), 1871, and shall cause a sufficient number of forms to be printed, according to the form K set forth in the schedule to this Act, and shall issue and deliver with the said precept a sufficient number of the said forms for the use of the said collector-general, and the said collector-general shall, within the time aforesaid, prepare, inscribe, sign, and deliver the several lists for the county of the city of Dublin in like manner in all respects as is by the said Juries Act (Ireland), 1871, provided with respect to the list for the other counties in Ireland, and each such list, when prepared and delivered as aforesaid, shall be called "The General List of Jurors" for the ward in the county of the city of Dublin for which the same shall have been prepared.

In counties of cities or towns or boroughs, counting-house, office,

4. Whenever any person by reason of having or occupying a counting-house, office, shop, or place of business in any county of a city, county of a town or borough, having a separate court of sessions of the peace or a court of record for the trial of civil actions, is, pursuant to section five of the Juries Act (Ireland), 1871, deemed to be

resident in such county of a city, county of a town or borough, such residence shall be deemed to be at the counting-house, office, shop, or place of business of such person, and such counting-house, office, shop, or place of business shall in the proper column of "The General List of Jurors" and "List of Special Jurors" containing such person's name be stated as the place of abode of such person, and a summons for the attendance of a juror left at the place stated in the general jurors book or special jurors book, as the place of abode of such juror, with any person inhabiting therein, shall be deemed to have been duly served upon such juror.

&c. &c. to be stated as place of abode.

5. Whenever the name of any person contained in one of the general lists of jurors for any county or borough shall also appear on any other of the general lists of jurors for such county or borough, the chairman or revising barrister in revising the general lists of jurors for such county or borough shall ascertain the total of the annual values of the rated property of such person, as the same are respectively stated in the several general lists on which such person's name shall appear, and shall thereupon cause the name of such person to be struck out of all the said general lists of jurors save one, and shall then amend the statement of the annual value and place of rated property of such person in the said general list of jurors in which such person's name is retained, by stating in the proper columns thereof respectively the total of said annual values so ascertained as aforesaid, and the several places of the rated property which goes to make up such total; and in case it shall appear by the total of said annual values ascertained as aforesaid that such person has the property qualification of a special juror fixed for such county in the fifth schedule of the "Juries Act (Ireland), 1871," the said chairman or revising barrister, if such person's name be not already contained in the list of special jurors prepared from the general list of jurors in which such person's name is retained, shall cause such person's name to be inserted in its proper place in such list of special jurors, and the annual value and place of property of such person to be therein stated, as the same are respectively stated in the said general list of jurors in which such person's name shall have been retained as aforesaid, and whenever the name of any person contained in one of the lists of special jurors for any county shall also appear on any other of the lists of special jurors for such county, the chairman or revising barrister in revising the lists of special jurors for such county shall ascertain the total of the annual values of the rated property of such person as the same are respectively stated in the several lists of special jurors on which such person's name shall appear, and shall thereupon cause the name of such person to be struck out of all the said lists of special jurors save the list of special jurors prepared from the general list of jurors in which the name of such person has been retained, in pursuance of the provisions herein-before contained, and shall then amend the statement of the annual value and place of rated property in the said list of special jurors in which such person's name is retained, by stating in the proper columns thereof respectively the total of said annual values so ascertained as aforesaid, and the several places of the rated property which make up such total.

Revising lists in cases where person's name appears on more than one general list of jurors or list of special jurors.

6. In ascertaining the net annual value of the property qualification of a juror, mentioned in the fourth and fifth schedules to the "Juries Act (Ireland), 1871," the annual value of any house or tenement the owner whereof is under the sixty-third section of the Statute 12 and 13 Victoria, chapter 91, rated instead of the occupier thereof shall not be reckoned or taken into account.

As to jurors property qualification.

7. There shall be but one general jurors book and one special jurors book prepared according to the provisions of the "Juries Act (Ireland), 1871," for the county of Tipperary, and the sheriff or other officer of the said county in selecting the jurors to be returned in obedience to any precept for the return of jurors to serve at the assizes to be held at Nenagh or Clonmel shall select the said jurors in the manner directed by section nineteen of the Juries Act (Ireland), 1871; provided, however, that the persons to be selected to serve as jurors at the assizes held at Clonmel shall be resident in the south riding of the said county, and the persons to be selected to serve as jurors at the assizes held at Nenagh shall be resident in the north riding of the said county. And whenever any of Her Majesty's superior courts in Ireland, or any judge of any of the

Mode of preparing jurors book, and summoning jurors to assizes at Nenagh and Clonmel in county of Tipperary.

superior courts, shall order a special jury to be struck before the proper officer of such court, no juror residing in the north riding of such county shall be selected or put on any special jury for any issue to be tried in the south riding thereof, and no juror residing in the south riding of the said county shall be selected or put on any special jury for any issue to be tried in the north riding thereof, but the officer striking any such special jury shall, in the place of any such juror who may be drawn and passed over for non-residence in riding, proceed to draw or strike another juror in his place.

Jury summonses transmitted by post in county of Dublin.

8. The provisions in reference to the transmission by post of jury summonses in the county of the city of Dublin which are contained and expressed in the twenty-second section of "The Juries Act (Ireland), 1871," shall be and are hereby extended to the summoning of jurors by the sheriff of the county of Dublin.

Construction of Act.

9. This Act and the Juries Act (Ireland), 1871, shall be construed together as one Act.

SCHEDULE.

FORM I.

PRECEPT FOR THE RETURN OF LISTS OF JURORS.

County of the City of Dublin.

To the Collector-General of Rates for the City of Dublin.

You are hereby required on or before the 1st day of August in this present year to prepare a complete and true list in writing, according to the form sent herewith, for each ward in the said county of the city of Dublin, of the names of all men rated for the relief of the poor within the said county of the city of Dublin who are qualified and liable to serve as jurors for the said county of the city of Dublin, that is to say, a complete and true list for each ward in the said county of the city of Dublin, containing the name of every man between the ages of twenty-one and sixty years who resides within the said county of the city of Dublin, or who has or occupies any counting-house, office, shop, or place of business within the said county of the city of Dublin, although such man may not reside therein, provided that he resides within twelve statute miles therefrom, who is either in his own name or as a member of a firm or co-partnership rated in the last rate made for the relief of the poor in the said county of the city of Dublin in respect of any lands, tenements, or hereditaments situate in such ward of the county of the city of Dublin of the net annual value of 20*l.* or upwards; and you are required to prepare the said list in alphabetical order of surnames, and consecutively numbered, and write the Christian name and surname of every man at full length, with his true or last known place of abode, and the place of his rated property, his title, quality, calling, or business, and the annual value of his rated property in the proper columns of the forms sent herewith, and if you have not a sufficient number of forms you must apply to me for more; and in ascertaining the said net annual value you shall not reckon or take into account the annual value of any house or tenement set to weekly or monthly tenants or in separate apartments, the owner whereof is under the Statute 12 and 13 Victoria, chapter 91, section 63, rated instead of the occupier thereof; and in preparing the said list you are to omit the names of all men who are described in the second schedule of the Juries Act (Ireland), 1871 (a copy of which schedule is annexed to this precept), and of all aliens and persons attainted or convicted of any treason or felony, or convicted of any crime that is infamous, unless having obtained a free pardon, or who are under outlawry by virtue of any criminal process; and you are required, on or before the 1st day of August, in the present year, to deliver the said list, with a declaration at the foot or end of the said list, signed by the collector or collectors by whose assistance you may have prepared the said list, that the true or last known place of abode, and the title, quality, calling, or business, of each of the persons named in the said list are, so far as relates to each of his or their respective districts of collection, fully and truly stated therein, and with a further declaration at the foot or end of said list, signed by you, that the said list has been fully and correctly prepared by you from the rate-books of your office in pursuance of the provisions of the Juries Act (Ireland), 1871, to the clerk of the peace of the said county of the city of Dublin; and you are hereby required, within twenty-one days after the delivery of the said list to the said clerk of the peace, to cause a sufficient number of copies of the said list to be printed, published, and posted within the ward for which the said list shall have been prepared; and you are further required to attend the revising barristers of the

city of Dublin, and produce the said rate-books at any of the courts to be held for the revision of the said several lists prepared by you, of the time and place of holding which you shall be previously informed, and there to answer on oath such questions as shall be put to you by the revising barrister then present touching any of the said lists; and those several matters you are in nowise to omit upon the peril that may ensue.

Given under my hand at in the said county of the city of Dublin, this day of in the year .

Clerk of the peace for the said county of the city of Dublin.

FORM K.

COUNTY OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN.

"GENERAL LIST OF JURORS" for the ward in the said county of the city of Dublin, prepared this day of 18 by the Collector-General of Rates for the city of Dublin.

Consecutive Numbers.	Surnames in Alphabetical Order.	Christian Names.	Places of Abode.	Title, Quality, Calling, or Business.	Annual Value of Rated Property.	Place of Property.

We, the undersigned collectors, hereby declare that the true or last known place of abode, and the title, quality, calling, or business of each of the persons named in the above list are, so far as relates to each of our respective districts of collection, fully and truly stated therein.

Dated this day of in the year .

} Collectors.

I, the undersigned Collector-General of Rates, do hereby declare that the above "General List of Jurors" has been fully and correctly prepared by me from the rate-books, in pursuance of the provisions of the Juries Act (Ireland), 1871.

Dated this day of in the year .

Collector-General of Rates.