

necessary, shall continue the examination by adjournment from day to day (Sundays excepted), until he has decided upon the number of votes given to each candidate, and such Returning Officer shall determine any question, arising on such examination, including the validity of any voting paper or otherwise, and his decision shall be final.

20. Every candidate, or some person or persons appointed by him under his hand, may be present at the examination of the voting papers, but must not interfere with the Returning Officer in the performance of his duty, provided that only one person, appointed as aforesaid, shall be present at the same time.

21. The Returning Officer shall ascertain the number of votes given for each candidate, and shall, as soon as may be, declare the candidates who have received the most votes to be duly elected.

In case of an equality of votes, the Returning Officer shall determine by lot the persons to be elected.

22. The Returning Officer shall publish notice of the result of the poll and of the names of the persons elected. He shall also forthwith transmit a copy of such notice to the Education Department, and deliver the voting papers to the Town Clerk, to be kept for six months among the records of the Borough.

23. The expenses of the election and of taking the poll shall be paid by the School Board out of the School Fund.

24. Notices and other matters required by these regulations to be published, shall be published in like manner as in the case of the election of Councillors.

F. R. Sandford, Secretary.

FORM OF NOTICE.

Borough of _____

ELECTION OF A SCHOOL BOARD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN—

1. That the first Election of a School Board for this Borough will take place on the day of _____ 1870.

2. That the number of persons to be elected as Members of the School Board is _____.

3. That any two Burgesses may nominate any person whatever as a Candidate, by sending to or delivering at the office of the Town Clerk (or other office to be specified) a nomination paper.

The nomination paper must be dated and subscribed by the two Burgesses, and must contain the Christian names, surnames, places of abode, and descriptions of the subscribers, and of the Candidate nominated.

No nomination paper will be received after four o'clock in the afternoon of the _____ day of _____

3. That public notice will be given of the list of Candidates on or before the _____ day of _____

4. That any Candidate may be withdrawn by delivering at the Town Clerk's office (or other office to be specified) not later than four o'clock in the afternoon of the _____ day of _____ a notice of withdrawal signed by the Candidate and addressed to the Returning Officer.

5. That the voting will take place in each Ward, and notice of the number and situation of the polling places will be published on or before the _____ day of _____

Each voter must vote in the Ward in which the property in respect of which he is rated is situated, and if it is situate in more than one Ward, in such Ward as he selects.

6. That the poll will be open from _____ A.M. till _____ P.M.

7. Every person upon the Burgess roll is entitled to vote in the election.

8. The voting shall be by an official voting paper, which shall be in the following form, or in a form similar :

OFFICIAL VOTING PAPER.

Christian Name, Surname, Description, and place of abode of each Candidate.	No. of Votes (if any) given to any Candidate must be entered opposite his name.
A.	
B.	
C.	
&c.	

Name of voter _____

Street, lane, or place in which property for which the voter appears to be rated on the Burgess roll is situate _____

Voting papers may be obtained at the Town Clerk's Office (or other place or places, to be specified).

9. That in this Borough each voter has votes, all or some of which he may distribute among the Candidates as he thinks fit.

Dated this _____ day of _____ 1870.

Returning Officer.

(State office or address.)