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TUESDAY, 13 JULY, 1920.

Lord Chancellor's Office, 9th July, 1920.

INCREASE OF RENT AND MORTGAGE INTEREST (RESTRICTIONS) ACT, 1920.

The Lord Chancellor has, in accordance with Section 17 of the Increase of Rent and Mortgage Interest (Restrictions) Act, 1920, made Rules with reference to the said Act which will come into operation on the loth day of July, 1920.

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Lord Chancellor's Office, 12th July, 1920.

Notice is hereby given under the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that the Rule Committee of the Supreme Court propose to make the following Rules:—

1. The following Rule shall be added in Order XXXVI immediately after Rule 9, viz. :---

9A.—(1) All jury precepts, warrants, writs, lists and returns required to be issued or made under the Juries Acts, or any of them, shall include all women qualified and liable to serve as jurors, and the jurors' books shall be made up accordingly.

(2) All persons qualified and liable to serve as jurors shall be summoned to serve on juries without distinction of sex, but otherwise as heretofore; provided that a husband and wife shall not both be summoned to serve on the same occasion.

(3) The number of women appearing upon any panel of jurors shall be in the same proportion, as near as may be, to the number of men appearing thereon as the total number of women is to the total number of men in the jurors' books or other list of jurors from which the panel is drawn.

Provided that it shall be the duty of the Under-Sheriff or other person upon whom is cast the duty of summoning jurors to secure that, wherever possible, there shall not be less than fourteen women upon the jury panel.

Provided also that this Rule shall not apply to Grand Juries.

(4) On every trial by jury, the jury shall be selected from the panel by ballot in manner prescribed by Section 26 of the Juries Act, 1825; provided that this Rule shall be without prejudice to the power of the Court under Sec. 17 of the Juries Act, 1870, to order that a Special Jury be struck according to the practice then prevailing; provided also that this Rule shall not apply to Grand Juries.

(5) Upon every jury summons served upon a woman there shall appear a notice that she may