

for his name to be removed from that list, that person shall, notwithstanding that the register has been published, be treated as though his name were not on the absent voters list, and the names of such persons shall be erased from each copy of the absent voters list to be used by the returning officer at an election, without, however, altering the number of any other name on the list. The registration officer shall cause any mark placed in the copies of the register to be used by the returning officer at the election against the name of any such person indicating that he will vote as an absent voter to be erased:

Provided that where any such application is received less than one clear day before the day of nomination of candidates for an election, the application may be disregarded for the purposes of that election."

2. Rule 40 shall be omitted.

3. In rule 42, after the words "the present war," there shall be inserted the words "and a period of twelve months thereafter."

4. The following rule shall be added after rule 43:—

"43A. As respects constituencies in Great Britain the third register to be prepared under the Act shall come into force on the 15th day of October, nineteen hundred and nineteen, and shall remain in force, unless otherwise ordered, until the 15th day of

6. The following form shall be substituted for the first form set out in Schedule III. :—

FORM A. (HOUSEHOLDER OR OCCUPIER).

REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT, 1918.

Constituency of .....

To..... [or the Householder or Occupier] at .....

You are required to give information forthwith in regard to the particulars set out below for the purpose of assisting the registration officer in compiling the new Parliamentary and Local Government Registers of Electors.

Date..... Registration Officer

Before filling up this Form please read carefully the Instructions printed on the back.

PART I.—INFORMATION AS TO OCCUPATION OF PREMISES OR LAND.

1. Name of occupier (surname first, and other names in full), stating where necessary "Mrs.," "Miss," or other description or title	
2. Is occupier a British subject	
3. Description of premises, <i>i.e.</i> , whether dwelling-house, unfurnished rooms, flat, office, shop, or other business premises, land, etc.	
4. Nature of occupation of premises, <i>i.e.</i> , whether as owner, or tenant, or by virtue of service (see Instruction 4)	
5. If occupier does not reside on the premises, state full postal address where he (or she) lives	
6. If occupier is a man, state whether he is over 21 years of age	
7. If occupier is a woman, state whether she— (a) is over 30 years of age; or if not, (b) is over 21 years of age	(a) (b)
8. Has occupier been in occupation of the premises for the whole time from* If not, give full address and description of all other premises (dwelling-house, unfurnished rooms, furnished rooms, business premises, etc.) occupied from*	

\*Here insert first day of qualifying period.

April, nineteen hundred and twenty, and in connection with the third register to be so prepared the registration dates shall be the dates specified as respects England and Wales in the third column and as respects Scotland in the fourth column of Part I. of Schedule XI. to this Order.

As respects constituencies in Ireland the second register to be prepared under the Act shall come into force on the 15th day of October, nineteen hundred and nineteen, and shall remain in force, unless otherwise ordered, until the 15th day of October, nineteen hundred and twenty, and in connection with the second register for Ireland to be so prepared the registration dates shall be the dates specified in Part I. of Schedule XII. of this Order."

5. The following rule shall be added after rule 45:—

"45A. The documents mentioned in Part II. of Schedule XI. to this Order shall, for the purposes of the third register, be kept published until the dates specified, as respects England and Wales in the second column, and as respects Scotland in the third column, of that Schedule; and the documents mentioned in Part II. of Schedule XII. to this Order shall for the purpose of the second register for Ireland be kept published until the dates specified in that Schedule."