

The Sheriff of *Yorkshire* shall appoint seven convenient Places for taking the Poll, at the Cost of the Candidates, there to continue till the Poll is ended.

And the Sheriff of *Chester* shall appoint five Places and no more, in the *Shire-hall*, for taking the Poll, at the Cost of the Candidates, *viz.* two at the upper end, two on each side, and one at the lower end.

In this Act there is a *Proviso*, That a *Quaker* declaring the Effect of the Oath upon his Solemn Affirmation, &c. as directed by the Act 7 *W.* shall be admitted to vote, and the word *Affirmat*, shall be writ against his name, and if he is convicted of wilfully affirming a thing which is false, he shall incur the Penalties of Perjury.

And by another Statute 12 *Annæ* cap. 5. 'tis enacted, That the Statute 10 *Annæ* cap. 22. shall not extend to restrain any Person from voting for a *Knight of a Shire*, in respect to or in right of any Tithes, or other *Incorporeal Inheritances*, or in any Messuages or Lands, in Extraparochial Places, or in any Chambers in the *Inns of Court or Chancery*, or in any Messuages or Seats belonging to any Office, in regard or by reason the same have not been taxed to any publick Taxes, Church-rates or Parish-duties, or in respect or right of any other Messuages or Lands, in regard the same have not been usually taxed as aforesaid, Provided they have been usually assessed to some one or more of the said publick Taxes, Rates or Duties in such Proportion, as other Lands of forty Shillings per *Annum* within the same Parish.

(4) And because Officers to collect the Duties of Excise may have an Influence upon Ale-house-keepers and others, to vote or not to vote, therefore by this Statute 5 & 6. *W. & M.* 'tis enacted,
That