

Council Office, Whitehall, March 15, 1869.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following table of Ecclesiastical fees and payments, settled by the Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor, and the Archbishop of York, in pursuance of the provisions of the Act

of the 30th and 31st Victoria, cap. 135, intituled "An Act for the establishment of a table of fees to be taken on the consecration of churches, chapels, and burial-grounds, on the ordination of deacons and priests, and on visitations," has been this day submitted to Her Majesty's Privy Council, under the first section of the said Act:—

TABLE of Fees and Payments above referred to.

Table of Fees and Payments to be made to Chancellors or Vicars-General, Registrars, Secretaries, and other Officers, on the Consecration of Churches, Chapels, Cemeteries, and Burial-grounds, on and incidental to the grant of Faculties, and on the Ordination of Deacons and Priests, and to the Chancellors or Vicars-General, Registrars, and other Officers of Archbishops and Bishops, and to Archdeacons and their Officials, and other Officers, on the Visitation of such Archbishops and Bishops and Archdeacons respectively, settled pursuant to the provisions of the Act 30 and 31 Victoria, chapter 135.

|   | Vicar-General,<br>Chancellor,<br>Archdeacon, or<br>Official. | Registrar or<br>other Officer by<br>usage performing<br>the duty. | Secretary<br>of Archbishop<br>or Bishop. | Apparitor. |
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|   | £ s. d.  | £ s. d.   | £ s. d.                                  | £ s. d.    |
| 1 Consecration of a Church and<br>Burial Ground ... .. }      | 3 3 0  | 7 7 0   | 1 1 0                                    | 1 1 0      |
| 2 Consecration of a Cemetery or<br>Burial Ground ... .. }     | 2 2 0  | 6 6 0   | 1 1 0                                    | 1 1 0      |
| 3 Episcopal or Archidiaconal<br>Visitation ... .. }           | 0 2 0  | 0 12 6  | ...                                      | 0 3 6      |
| 4 Faculty for alterations in<br>Churches or Churchyards ... } | 1 1 0  | 3 13 6  | ...                                      | 0 10 6     |
| 5 Ordination ... .. }   | ...  | 0 5 0   | 2 2 0                                    | ...        |

1 and 2. The Chancellor's fee includes the approval of plans, the perusal of the petition and other papers, the settling the sentence, and the approval of the Draft Act. The Registrar's fee includes the perusal of the deeds of conveyance, the drawing and engrossing of the petition, and the Sentence and the Notarial Act, the necessary attendance at the consecration, and the registering the deeds and the Act in the Register book of the diocese. The Secretary's fee includes the inspection of plans and correspondence prior to the papers being sent to the Registry. The Apparitor's fee includes all necessary citations and attendance on the Bishop at the consecration.

3. The Chancellor's fee includes the attendance of the Chancellor or his Surrogate, the examination of the presentments of the outgoing Churchwardens and the admission of the new churchwardens to office. The Registrar's fee includes the drawing and issuing of the inhibition and of the mandate for the citation of the clergy, the preparation of the visitation books and of the articles of enquiry, and the presentment papers, the attendance at the visitation and attesting the presentments and declarations of the churchwardens, the registering the papers exhibited by the clergy, the tabulating in the Registry the copies of the Register Books of Baptisms and Burials and other papers required to be annually transmitted. The Apparitor's fee

includes the preparation and delivery of the citations to the clergy and churchwardens and the attendance at the visitation.

4. The Chancellor's fee includes the perusal of the petition, the Order for the notice or citation, as the case may be, the perusal of the certificate and other papers, and making the Decree. The Registrar's fee includes the perusal of the minutes of vestry and the petition, the drawing of the notice or citation and attending the Chancellor for his Order, the preparation of the certificate and attendance on the Chancellor for his Decree, and the drawing and signing the faculty. The Apparitor's fee includes the service of the notice or citation, but is exclusive of one shilling a mile for travelling expenses, if the citation is to be personally served in the country.

5. The Registrar's fee is for registering the names and titles of the candidates in the register books of the diocese. The Secretary's fee is for correspondence with the candidates, the drawing of papers and instructions prior to examination, attendance at the ordination, preparing the Letters of Orders, and entering the names and titles of the candidates in the Bishop's Act Book.

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