

shall in every year cause to be laid before both Houses of Parliament a report of their proceedings and of the proceedings of the Medical Research Council during the preceding year.

Almeric FitzRoy.

Privy Council Office, 11th March, 1920.

Notice is hereby given that a Petition has been presented to His Majesty in Council by the Council of the City of Liverpool, praying, under the provisions of the Municipal Corporations Acts, 1882 and 1893, for an alteration of the number and boundaries of the Wards of the City; and notice is hereby further given that His Majesty has been pleased, by His Order in Council of this day's date, to order that the said Petition be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on the 23rd day of April, 1920.

*Crown Office,
22 March, 1920.*

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to present the Rev. Leonard Dawson to the Vicarage of Stonehouse, in the county of Gloucester and Diocese of Gloucester, void by the cession of the last Incumbent and in His Majesty's Gift in full right.

SCALES OF REGISTRATION EXPENSES FOR ENGLAND AND WALES framed by the Treasury on the 16th March, 1920, under Section 15 of the Representation of the People Act, 1918, applicable to the Spring Register, 1920, and subsequent Registers prepared under the Act.

In pursuance of the powers conferred by Section 15 of the Representation of the People Act, 1918, We being Two of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, have framed the following scales of Registration Expenses for England and Wales.

These scales will be applicable to the Spring Register, 1920, and to subsequent Registers prepared under the Act, subject to any alterations which may from time to time be made.

I.—Parliamentary Counties.

(a) Registration Officer's Fee (including payments to Deputies).	£	s.	d.
For the first 30,000 electors or less in the Registration area ...	125	0	0
For each 1,000 electors beyond 30,000 up to 200,000 ...	2	10	0
For each 1,000 electors beyond 200,000 ...	2	0	0
(b) Registration Officer's fee in respect of the remuneration of Clerks.			
For the first 30,000 electors or less in the Registration area ...	125	0	0
For each 1,000 electors beyond 30,000 up to 200,000 ...	2	10	0
For each 1,000 electors beyond 200,000 ...	1	5	0

(c) Registration Officer's expenses in respect of the remuneration of Assistant Overseers and other persons similarly employed.

In a parish where the number of electors:—

	For the Spring Register, 1920.			For subsequent Registers.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
(i) does not exceed 250 for every elector ...	0	0	5½	0	0	5
with a minimum of ...	1	0	0	1	0	0
(ii) exceeds 250 but does not exceed 1,000 for every 100 electors ...	1	13	4	1	10	0
(iii) exceeds 1,000 but does not exceed 2,000 for every 100 electors ...	1	2	6	1	2	6
(iv) exceeds 2,000 for every 100 electors up to 5,000 ...	1	2	6	1	0	0
and for, every 100 electors beyond 5,000	1	2	6	0	17	6

Provided that the expenditure allowable under any item of this scale shall not be less than the maximum under the preceding item.

II.—Parliamentary Boroughs Outside London.

(a) Registration Officer's Fee (including payments to Deputies).	£	s.	d.
For each 1,000 electors up to 30,000 ...	2	10	0
For each 1,000 electors beyond 30,000 up to 100,000 ...	2	0	0
For each 1,000 electors beyond 100,000 up to 200,000 ...	1	13	4
For each 1,000 electors beyond 200,000 ...	1	6	8
(b) Registration Officer's expenses in respect of the remuneration of Clerks.			
For the first 30,000 electors or less in the Registration area ...	100	0	0
For each 1,000 electors beyond 30,000 up to 200,000 ...	1	10	0
For each 1,000 electors beyond 200,000 ...	1	3	4
(c) Registration Officer's expenses in respect of the remuneration of Assistant Overseers and other persons similarly employed.			

	For the Spring Register, 1920.			For subsequent Registers.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.

For every 100 electors in the parish up to 5,000	1	2	6	1	0	0
For every 100 electors in the parish beyond 5,000 ...	1	2	6	0	17	6

*III.—Parliamentary Boroughs in London.**

(a) Registration Officer's Fee (including payments to Deputies).	£	s.	d.
For each 1,000 electors in the Registration area up to 30,000	2	10	0
For each 1,000 electors beyond 30,000 up to 100,000 ...	2	0	0
For each 1,000 electors beyond 100,000 ...	1	13	4

* The electorate does not exceed 200,000 in any of the London Boroughs.