

- “ 5. Spittlegate Ward.
- “ Frederick Read.
- “ Arthur Holmes.
- “ William Ingledew.
- “ 6. Grange Ward.
- “ Three Councillors to be elected.

“ III.

“ Incidental, Consequential, and Supplemental Provisions.

“ (1) (a) The election of the six additional Councillors of the Borough shall be held on Friday the eighth day of April, 1927, or such later day as may be fixed by the Secretary of State.

“ (b) The number of Councillors to be elected for each Ward shall be the number specified in column two of the Schedule to this Scheme opposite the name of the Ward as given in Column 1 of that Schedule.

“ (c) Subject to the provisions of this Scheme the election shall be held in the same manner as elections to fill ordinary vacancies. Provided that in any Ward to which no existing Alderman is in pursuance of this Scheme assigned for the purpose of acting as Returning Officer at the election of Councillors the Mayor shall be the Returning Officer, but he may appoint to act as Returning Officer an Alderman or a Councillor not being a Councillor for that Ward and not being registered as a local government elector in respect of a qualification in that Ward.

“ (d) The Councillors elected for each Ward shall come into office immediately after the election and shall go out of office on the ordinary day of election of Councillors in the years specified in Column 3 of the Schedule opposite to the name of the Ward as given in Column 1 of that Schedule. The Councillor elected by the smallest number of votes in the Grange Ward shall go out of office first and the Councillor elected by the next smallest number of votes shall go out of office next.

“ (2) The election of the two additional Aldermen made necessary by the increase in the number of Councillors of the Borough shall take place at the next meeting of the Council after the day of the election of the six additional Councillors in pursuance of this Scheme, and the additional Aldermen shall come into office immediately after the election, and of such additional Aldermen the one who is elected by the smallest number of votes shall go out of office on the ordinary day of election of Aldermen in the year 1928 and the other on the ordinary day of election of Aldermen in the year 1931.

“ (3) If for any reason it is doubtful which of the Councillors or Aldermen, as the case may be, elected in pursuance of this Scheme ought to retire in the years specified in this Scheme, the question shall be determined at the first or second meeting of the Council after the election by lot under the direction of the Mayor or the person presiding at that meeting.

“ (4) The existing Aldermen shall be respectively assigned as Returning Officers until the 9th November, 1927, at elections of Councillors for the following Wards, namely:—

- “ 1. Theophilus Rowle—St. Wulfram's Ward.

- “ 2. George William Golding—Spittlegate Ward.
- “ 3. Harry Beeden—Grange Ward.
- “ 4. Joe Handley Parker—St. Peter's Ward.

“ One of the two additional Aldermen to be elected shall on the day of their election be assigned by the Council as Returning Officer until the 9th November, 1927, to each of the following Wards, namely:—

Somerby Ward, and
St. John's Ward.

“ (5) If any vacancy exists at the date of the Order in Council approving this Scheme or thereafter occurs amongst the existing Councillors, an election to fill the vacancy shall be held for the Ward to which the Councillor whose death or retirement causes the vacancy has been apportioned by this Scheme.

“ (6) If the register of electors is not so framed as to show the local government electors entitled to vote at any election of Councillors of the Borough to be held for any of the Wards constituted by this Scheme it shall be the duty of the Registration Officer for the Parliamentary County of Kesteven and Rutland to make such alteration or re-arrangement of the register as may be necessary for the purpose of such election, and it shall be the duty of the Town Clerk of the Borough to render the Registration Officer such assistance as he may require for the purpose of the alteration or re-arrangement.

“ THE SCHEDULE ABOVE MENTIONED.

“ Name of Ward.	Number of Councillors to be Elected.	Years in which Councillors are to go out of Office.
“ Grange ...	3	One in 1927, one in 1928, and one in 1929
“ St. Wulfram's	1	1927
“ St. Peter's ...	1	1928
“ Somerby ...	1	1929

“ R. C. MAXWELL,
“ Commissioner.”

“ 9th March, 1927.”

And whereas the said Scheme has been submitted to His Majesty in Council for approval:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, doth hereby approve of the said Scheme of the said Commissioner, and doth order the same to be published in the London Gazette accordingly.

M. P. A. Hankey.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 22nd day of March, 1927.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the 7th and 8th years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, Chapter 94, of the Act of the 13th and 14th years of Her said