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TUESDAY, 12 JULY, 1927.

Privy Council Office,
12th July, 1927.

MERCHANT SHIPPING ACT, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that His Majesty in Council was pleased on the 8th day of July, 1927, to approve an Order in Council under the above named Act, entitled the "Merchant Shipping (Fishing Boats Registry) Order, 1927."

Copies of the said Order, when published, may be purchased directly from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—
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Privy Council Office,
12th July, 1927.

The following Statute made by the University of Oxford, on the 28th day of June, 1927, has been submitted for the approval of His Majesty in Council, and notice of its having been so submitted is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Universities of Oxford and Cambridge Act, 1928":—

UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD.

STATUTE APPROVED BY CONGREGATION ON
TUESDAY, JUNE 28, 1927.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide by the Statutes of the University of Oxford that there shall be an Aldrichian Praelector in Chemistry,

and that the Praelectorship shall be held by one of the University Demonstrators appointed by the Board of the Faculty of the Physical Sciences: NOW the said University in exercise of the powers in that behalf conferred upon it by the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge Act, 1928, and of all other powers enabling it, ENACTS, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF HIS MAJESTY IN COUNCIL, AS FOLLOWS.

1. In *Statt. Tit. IV. Sect. II. E. § 3.* (*Statuta*, ed. 1926, p. 82), the words from "in apparatus chemicum" to "visum fuerit" shall be struck out and the following words shall be substituted: "in demonstratoris stipendium."

2. In *Statt. Tit. V. Sect. VII.* (p. 140), at the end of cl. 1 the following words shall be added:—"One of the University Demonstrators appointed by the Board of the Faculty of the Physical Sciences shall hold the title of Aldrichian Praelector in Chemistry and shall receive, in addition to any stipend assigned to him by the General Board, the emoluments of the Praelectorship as specified in *Statt. Tit. IV. Sect. II. E. § 3* provided that his total stipend as Demonstrator and Praelector shall not exceed £750 a year."
(L.S.)

PETROLEUM ACT, 1926.

Notice is hereby given under the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that the Secretary of State for the Home Department proposes, after the expiration of forty days from this