

Clerk, the present perpetual curate or incumbent of the perpetual curacy of the parish of Armitage, in the county of Stafford and diocese of Lichfield, testified by his having signed and sealed this scheme, that the tithes or rent-charges in lieu of tithes described in the tenth schedule hereunto annexed, arising out of or upon lands situate within the said parish of Armitage, with their appurtenances, formerly belonging to the prebend of Hansacre, in the Cathedral Church of Lichfield, and now vested in us, and all our estate and interest therein shall in like manner, and by the authority aforesaid, be transferred to and become absolutely vested in the said perpetual curate or incumbent for the time being of the perpetual curacy of the parish of Armitage, in lieu of and full substitution for and discharge of the annual sum or stipend of twenty pounds now payable by us to the said perpetual curate or incumbent in respect of the estates formerly belonging to the said prebend of Hansacre, and also of the annual sum or stipend of six pounds now payable by us to the same perpetual curate or incumbent, under the provisions of an Order of your Majesty in Council, bearing date the twenty-seventh day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-two, and of the annual sum or stipend of ten pounds, now payable by us to the same perpetual curate or incumbent, under the provisions of another Order of your Majesty in Council, bearing date the seventeenth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, and provided also that the same tithes or rent-charges in lieu of tithes to be so vested as aforesaid, shall likewise be, and be held to be, charged and chargeable at all times for ever hereafter, exclusively and in exoneration of all other tithes or rent-charges in lieu of tithes or lands or other hereditaments and premises formerly belonging to the said prebend of Hansacre, with the liability to repair and maintain the chancel of the church of the said parish of Armitage.

"And we further recommend and propose, with the consent of the Reverend Thomas Shepherd, Clerk, the present vicar or incumbent of the vicarage of the parish of Wellington, in the county and diocese of Hereford, testified by his having signed and sealed this scheme, that the tithes or rent-charges in lieu of tithes, described in the eleventh schedule hereunto annexed, arising out of or upon lands situate within the said parish of Wellington, with their appurtenances, formerly belonging to the prebend of Wellington, in the Cathedral Church of Hereford, and now vested in us, and all our estate and interest therein, shall in like manner and by the authority aforesaid, be transferred to and become absolutely vested in the vicar or incumbent for the time being of the vicarage of the said parish of Wellington, in lieu of and in full substitution for and discharge of the annual sum or stipend of sixteen pounds now payable by us to the said vicar or incumbent, in respect of the estates formerly belonging to the said prebend of Wellington.

"And whereas it was agreed with the perpetual curate or incumbent of the said perpetual curacy of Saint John, Chigwell, that in consideration of a certain sum of money (provided by him for that purpose) to be paid by him to us for the purposes of our acts, we would submit to your Majesty in Council, a scheme for annexing to such benefice or church, the tithes or rent-charges in lieu of tithes, which are particularly described in the said fifth schedule hereunto annexed, and which are hereinbefore proposed to be annexed to the same benefice or church accordingly.

"And whereas such sum of money has been paid to us with interest thereon, as from the second day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one.

"We humbly recommend and propose, that the hereinbefore recommended grant of tithes or rent-charges in lieu of tithes to the said benefice or church of Saint John, Chigwell, shall commence and take effect as from the last-mentioned date.

"And whereas the tithes or rent charges in lieu of tithes, which are hereinbefore recommended to be granted to the vicar of the said vicarage of Felpham, arise mainly upon and from certain lands and premises formerly vested in us, which were annexed to the said vicarage by virtue of another Order of your Majesty in Council, bearing date the eleventh day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one ;

"And whereas the vicar of the said vicarage of Felpham, has been placed in possession of the rents and profits of the land and premises above-mentioned, as from the twenty-ninth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty ;

"Now, therefore, we humbly recommend and propose, that the said grant of tithes or rent charges in lieu of tithes, hereinbefore recommended to be made to the said vicarage of Felpham, shall also commence and take effect as from the last-mentioned date.

"And whereas each of the grants which are hereinbefore recommended to be made to the benefices or churches enumerated in the twelfth schedule hereunto annexed, is so recommended by us in respect of property which became vested in us as reversioners on the expiration of a lease on or about the date set opposite to the name of each such benefice or church in the last column of the same schedule ;

"Now, therefore, we humbly recommend and propose, that the several grants which are hereinbefore recommended to be made to the benefices or churches enumerated in the said twelfth schedule hereunto annexed, shall commence and take effect in each case respectively as from the date so as aforesaid set opposite to the name of each of the said benefices.

"And we further recommend and propose, that nothing herein contained shall prevent the further augmentation by us of any of the said benefices or churches, if it shall be deemed expedient, and that if it shall appear to us to be expedient at any future time, that instead of any annual sum then in course of payment by us out of or chargeable upon our Common Fund to the incumbent of any of the said benefices or churches, or instead of any part of such annual sum, an investment of a sum in gross, or a grant or appropriation of land, or other hereditaments in fee, equivalent or superior thereto in point of net annual income, should be substituted for the benefit of the incumbent of such benefice or church and his successors (the incumbent for the time being in each case assenting to such substitution) ; nothing herein or in any other scheme contained, shall prevent us from recommending and proposing such a substitution, or from recommending and proposing any other measures relating to the said benefices or churches, or to the matters aforesaid, or any of them, in accordance with the provisions of the said Acts, or of any other Act of Parliament.