

**A**T the Court at *Windsor*, the 27th day of *November*, 1872.

PRESENT,

The **QUEEN's** Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of an Act of the sixth and seventh years of Her Majesty, chapter thirty-seven, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the seventh day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, in the words following; that is to say:

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of an Act of the sixth and seventh years of your Majesty, chapter thirty-seven, have prepared and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following scheme for authorizing the sale and disposal of certain property formerly belonging to the bishoprick of Peterborough, and now vested in us.

"Whereas by an order of your Majesty in Council, dated the first day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, and made under the provisions of the Act of the twenty-third and twenty-fourth years of your Majesty, chapter one hundred and twenty-four, which order was duly published in the London Gazette of the fourth day of the same month, certain lands, tenements, and hereditaments were assigned as the endowment of the See of Peterborough.

"And whereas immediately upon such publication as aforesaid of the said Order in the London Gazette, all the lands, hereditaments, and emoluments of or belonging to the said See, except such as were assigned by the said Order as aforesaid, and except all rights of patronage or presentation, and the Episcopal House of residence became, by force of the said Act of the twenty-third and twenty-fourth years of your Majesty, vested absolutely in us for the purposes and subject to the provisions applicable to other hereditaments vested in us.

"And whereas part of the lands which so became vested in us as aforesaid have been transferred to the Dean and Chapter of Peterborough under the provisions of an Order of your Majesty in Council, dated the twentieth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, and duly published in the London Gazette of the twenty-fourth day of the same month, and the remainder of the said lands, hereditaments, and emoluments consist only of certain lands which are now in our possession, and are not subject to any outstanding beneficial lease or grant.

"And whereas some portions of the lands so in our possession as aforesaid are, on account of their character or situation, unsuitable or inconvenient to be held or applied for the purposes for which estates vested in us are applicable under the Acts by which our proceedings are governed.

"And whereas, with a view to the advantageous appropriation of the same or of the proceeds thereof, for the ultimate improvement of our common fund, it is expedient that the said lands so in our possession as aforesaid, or such part or parts thereof, as we shall at any time and from time to time think fit, should be sold or disposed of, and accordingly that we should be empowered to sell or dispose of our interest in such lands, or in any part or parts thereof, in such manner as shall appear to us advisable.

"Now, therefore, we humbly recommend and propose that we may be authorized and empowered by instrument or instruments in writing duly executed according to law, from time to time to sell or dispose of, and duly to convey according

to the provisions of the said Act all or any of the said lands so in our possession as aforesaid, with their appurtenances, and all our estate, right, title, and interest therein, or in any part or parts thereof, unto and to the use of any person or persons desirous or willing to purchase the same, and his or their heirs, executors, administrators, or assigns, or otherwise as he or they shall direct or appoint, and for such consideration as shall upon due calculation and inquiry appear to us to be just and reasonable, it being our intention to invest the proceeds of such sale from time to time, as occasion may arise, in the purchase of other lands, tithes, rent charges, tenements, or hereditaments, or of some estate or interest therein convenient to be held by us for the purposes of the Acts by which our proceedings are governed as aforesaid, and in the meantime to invest the said proceeds in some government or parliamentary stock or other public securities in England.

"And we further recommend and propose that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other measures relating to the matters aforesaid, or any of them, in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, or of any other Act of Parliament.

And whereas the said scheme has been approved by Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said scheme, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Act; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the diocese of Peterborough.

*Arthur Helps.*

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**W**HEREAS the Right Honourable Henry Austin Bruce, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, after giving to the Incumbents and the Churchwardens of the parishes hereinafter mentioned, ten days' previous notice of his intention to make such representations, has, under the provisions of an Act passed in the session of Parliament held in the sixteenth and seventeenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the laws concerning the burial of the dead in England beyond the limits of the Metropolis, and to amend the Act concerning the burial of the dead in the Metropolis," made representations stating that, for the protection of the public health, no new burial ground should be opened without the previous consent of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, in the undermentioned parishes, and that interments therein should be discontinued, with the following modifications, viz.:—

**HOLLINGTON, SUSSEX.**—Forthwith, wholly in the church of the parish of Hollington, in the county of Sussex, and, with the following exceptions, also in the churchyard of the said parish, viz., except for the burial of those who have been residents within the parish, and except for burial in now existing family