

approved by us in a sum of not less than six thousand pounds and that such bishop shall within fourteen days after any premium for such insurance shall have become due and payable deliver to us the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England the receipt for the same and that in case of any loss or damage by fire to the said house every and any sum of money receivable under such insurance shall become and be payable and be paid to and be deposited with us in trust to be applied and the same together with any interest and accumulations thereof shall be applied by us towards the rebuilding or repairing and reinstating the said house or of any part thereof which may have so suffered loss or damage in such manner as shall be determined on by us with the concurrence of the Bishop of the said diocese of Exeter for the time being.

“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 conformity with the provisions of the herein named Acts or of either of them or 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 Acts; 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 said diocese of Exeter.

C. L. Peel.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 18th day of *April*, 1878.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the thirty-seventh and thirty-eighth years of Her Majesty, chapter sixty-three and of the Acts therein mentioned duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the fourth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

“We the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in pursuance of the Act of the thirty-seventh and thirty-eighth years of your Majesty chapter sixty-three and of the Acts therein mentioned have prepared and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council the following scheme for constituting a new archdeaconry within the diocese of Rochester and for endowing the same in manner and to the extent hereinafter mentioned.

“Whereas by an Order of your Majesty in Council made in pursuance of the Bishoprick of Saint Albans Act 1875 and dated the eleventh day of July one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven and published in the London Gazette on the seventeenth day of the same month certain portions of the diocese of Winchester and certain portions of the diocese of London all of them being within the county of Surrey were transferred to and are now part of the diocese of Rochester.

“And whereas no provision has yet been made for the archidiaconal supervision of the said portions of the dioceses of Winchester and London which were so transferred to and are now part of the said diocese of Rochester as aforesaid.

“And whereas the Right Reverend Anthony Wilson Bishop of the said diocese of Rochester has proposed to us and has represented to us that it is in his opinion desirable that a new archdeaconry should be constituted within the diocese of Rochester and should comprise and consist of the area so as aforesaid transferred to and now part of that diocese and it appears to us to be expedient that the said proposals of the said Bishop should be carried into effect in manner hereinafter recommended and proposed.

“And whereas it has been made to appear to us that the average net annual income of the said proposed archdeaconry from fees dues and emoluments will not exceed the sum of ten pounds.

“Now therefore with the consent of the said Anthony Wilson Bishop of the said diocese of Rochester (in testimony of which consent he hath set his hand and his episcopal seal to this scheme) we humbly recommend and propose that upon and from the day on which any Order of your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme shall be published in the London Gazette the portions of the said diocese of Winchester and the portions of the said diocese of London which by the said Order of your Majesty in Council of the eleventh day of July one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven were as aforesaid transferred to and are now part of the said diocese of Rochester shall be constituted into and shall become and be one new archdeaconry within and of the said diocese of Rochester and shall be styled or known as ‘The Archdeaconry of Southwark.’

“And we further recommend and propose that the rural deans and other the clergy and inhabitants of the said Archdeaconry of Southwark shall be under and subject to the archidiaconal jurisdiction authority and control of the archdeacon of the Archdeaconry of Southwark for the time being; who shall have and exercise all the rights powers and duties of an archdeacon within the said limits of the said Archdeaconry of Southwark.

“And we further recommend and propose that we be authorized to pay yearly and every year out of the common fund created by the Act of the third and fourth years of your Majesty chapter one hundred and thirteen to the archdeacon of the Archdeaconry of Southwark hereinafter recommended and proposed to be created, and to his successors in the same archdeaconry, the sum of one hundred and ninety pounds per annum such yearly payment to be made upon the first day of January in every year in respect of the twelve calendar months ended that day. Provided always, that the first payment so to be made by us as aforesaid shall be proportional to the period which shall have elapsed between the date of the institution of the first archdeacon of the said Archdeaconry of Southwark and the first day of January next following the date of such institution and that every such yearly payment as aforesaid shall be apportionable between the archdeacon (or as the case may be the representatives of an archdeacon) who has resigned or otherwise avoided the said Archdeaconry of Southwark on any other than the first day of January in any year and the archdeacon who shall next thereafter be instituted to the same archdeaconry and that every such yearly payment shall be made by us only after we shall have been satisfied that the archdeacon who applies (or whose representatives apply) for it has during the previous year complied with the conditions as