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AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 26th day of *June*, 1879.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-third and twenty-fourth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and forty-two, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme bearing date the fourth day of July, 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, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-third and twenty-fourth years of your Majesty, chapter one hundred and forty-two, have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following scheme for effecting an union of two benefices, situate within the city and diocese of London; to wit the benefice (being an united rectory) of Saint Nicholas, Cole Abbey, with Saint Nicholas Olave, and Saint Mary, Somerset, with Saint Mary, Mounthaw, and the benefice (being a rectory) of Saint Benet, Paul's Wharf, with Saint Peter, Paul's Wharf.

“ Whereas the Right Honourable and Right Reverend John, Bishop of the said diocese of London, has caused proposals for a scheme for effecting an union of the said two benefices to be laid before us, which proposals are prepared under the seventh and eighth sections of the said Act, and are approved by the said John, Bishop of the said diocese of London, and are assented to by the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Saint Paul, in the city and diocese of London, who are the patrons of the said united rectory of Saint Nicholas, Cole Abbey, with Saint Nicholas Olave, and Saint Mary, Somerset, with Saint Mary, Mounthaw, and who are also the patrons of the said rectory of Saint Benet, Paul's Wharf, with Saint Peter, Paul's Wharf, and the same proposals are also assented to by the vestries of the six parishes concerned; that is to say, by the joint vestry of the four parishes of the said united rectory, and by the joint vestry of the two parishes of the said rectory of Saint Benet, Paul's Wharf, and Saint Peter, Paul's Wharf.

“ And whereas it appears to us to be expedient that the said proposed union of the said two benefices should be effected, and that such arrangements relating thereto and to the other matters

hereinafter contained should be made as are hereinafter mentioned.

“ And whereas the said John, Bishop of the said diocese of London, and the said patrons of the said two benefices, and the said vestries of the said six parishes, are willing that the scheme for effecting the said union should embody certain modifications of the said proposals, and this present scheme does embody the same modifications accordingly, but otherwise is based upon the said proposals.

“ Now, therefore, with the consent of the said John, Bishop of the said diocese of London (in testimony whereof he hath to this scheme set his hand and episcopal seal), and with the consent of the said Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Saint Paul, in the said city and diocese of London (in testimony whereof they have to this scheme set their common or corporate seal), and with the consent of the joint vestry of the said four parishes of Saint Nicholas, Cole Abbey, and Saint Nicholas Olave and Saint Mary, Somerset, and Saint Mary, Mounthaw, and of the joint vestry of the said two parishes of Saint Benet, Paul's Wharf, and Saint Peter, Paul's Wharf, (in testimony whereof this scheme is signed in the case of each vestry by the chairman of a meeting of the same vestry duly convened for the purpose of giving such consent), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, humbly recommend and propose all that is in this scheme contained under the several parts or headings hereinafter mentioned, as follows:

“ PART I.

“ As to the said proposed union itself, and certain immediate incidents thereof affecting incumbents, we recommend and propose:

“ 1. That the said benefice of Saint Nicholas, Cole Abbey, with Saint Nicholas Olave, Saint Mary, Somerset, with Saint Mary, Mounthaw, and the said benefice of Saint Benet, Paul's Wharf, with Saint Peter, Paul's Wharf, be united into one benefice under the style of ‘The United Rectory of Saint Nicholas, Cole Abbey, Saint Nicholas Olave, Saint Mary, Somerset, and Saint Mary Mounthaw, with Saint Benet, Paul's Wharf, and Saint Peter, Paul's Wharf.’

“ 2. That if upon the day when this present scheme, being duly ratified by an Order of your Majesty in Council, shall be published in the London Gazette, both of the said present benefices shall be vacant, the union shall forthwith take effect; and if one only shall be then vacant, the union shall also forthwith take effect if the incum-