established shall be in the patronage of the Bishop of Newcastle for the time being (hereinafter called the Bishop), and the Incumbent of every such canonry shall hold his office by the same tenure as the Incumbent of any other canonry in England, and subject to any exceptions contained in any such Order in Council the law relating to other canonries in England shall, so far as may be consistently with the tenour thereof and with the circumstances of the case, apply to a canonry so established and to the Incumbent thereof.

And whereas by a certificate, under their common seal, dated the thirtieth day of November one thousand nine hundred and five, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners certified to His Majesty that the endowment of the said canonry in the cathedral church of Durham (with the exception of the house attached thereto) had been transferred to the Newcastle Chapter Endowment Fund, and that, after the reservation of a provision sufficient in the opinion of the Commissioners to be made thereout in pursuance of the second section of the said Act for the Archdeacon of Northumberland, the net income of the said Newcastle Chapter Endowment Fund would provide an annual income of five hundred pounds for one Residentiary Canon and an annual income of three hundred pounds for another Residentiary Canon in the cathedral church of Newcastle (in addition to the Incumbents of the two residentiary canonries established by an Order of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria in Council of the twenty-sixth day of November, one thousand nine hundred, published in the London Gazette of the thirtieth day of the same month of November).

And whereas a Dean and Chapter of the cathedral church of Newcastle have not yet been founded.

And whereas it is by section three of Part II of the Schedule to "The Bishopricks Act, 1878," enacted that the Parish Church of Saint Nicholas at Newcastle-upon-Tyne, subject to the rights of the Patron and Incumbent of such church, shall be the cathedral church of the diocese of Newcastle.

Now therefore in pursuance of the before mentioned Act His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Most Honourable Privy Council, is pleased hereby to order and declare as follows, that is to say:—

- (1) That there be established two residentiary canonics in the cathedral church of Newcastle, in addition to the two residentiary canonics established by the said Order of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria in Council, of the twenty-sixth day of November, one thousand nine hundred.
- (2) That there be assigned to one of the said residentiary canonries an income (exclusive of any house of residence) of the net annual amount of five hundred pounds, and that there be assigned to the other of the said residentiary canonries an income (exclusive of any house of residence) of the net annual amount of three hundred pounds.
- (3) That the residentiary canonry to which by the last preceding clause an income of the net annual amount of five hundred pounds is assigned be annexed to the Archdeaconry of Northumberland.
- (4) That the income of each of the said residentiary canonries be paid to the Incumbent thereof quarterly on the first day of January, the first day of April, the first day of July, and the first day of October in each year, or as soon after those dates as having regard to funds available for the purpose shall be reasonably practicable

upon evidence satisfactory to the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, being afforded to them from time to time in the case of each Residentiary Canon that the term of residence kept by him during each year ending the thirty-first day of December has been at least as long as the term hereinafter prescribed to be kept by him, or if such term of residence has been less than the term so prescribed then only upon a certificate under the hand of the Bishop being given to the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, that there has in the opinion of the Bishop been good ground for such failure to reside: Provided that nothing herein contained shall be deemed to prevent the residence (if required) of the Residentiary Canons or either of them being enforced by any means by which residence in the case of Canons of Cathedrals can generally be enforced.

- (5) That it shall be the duty of the said Residentiary Canons and each of them to advise with the Bishop on all matters connected with the diocese of Newcastle whenever he shall call upon them or him so to do, and to perform such duties at the cathedral church and in the administration of the diocese of Newcastle as are ordinarily incident to the office of Canon: Provided always, that at no time shall any duty be deemed to fall upon the Incumbent of the canonry so annexed as aforesaid to the Archdeaconry of Northumberland, nor shall he at any time as such Canon be required to perform any duty which may interfere with the performance by him of his duties as Archdeacon of Northumberland.
- (6) That if and whenever either of the said Residentiary Canons shall at the request of the Bishop preach at places fixed by him, or conduct any Divine service, whether in connection with any mission or otherwise, in any part of the diocese, such preaching, or the conduct of such services, shall be deemed to be the performance of part of his duties as such Residentiary Canon and the time so occupied by him shall be deemed to be part of the period of residence prescribed herein.
- (7) That each of the said Residentiary Canons shall reside in the diocese of Newcastle, and within three miles of the cathedral church during a period of not less than eight months in each year.
- (8) That in regard to the said Residentiary Canons the Bishop shall so far as is not inconsistent with the provisions hereof be deemed to hold the position and exercise the authority of ordinary and visitor.

This Order shall come into operation on the publication of the same in the London Gazette.

A. W. FitzRoy.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 16th day of February, 1906.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

HEREAS, by an Order in Council dated the 27th day of March, 1905, Section 3, it is declared that mixtures of picric acid with any other substance shall be deemed to be an explosive within the meaning of the Explosives Act, 1875:

And whereas, in the judgment of His Majesty, mixtures of picric acid with certain substances and under certain conditions may safely be