

vested for an estate in fee simple without incumbrances in Jasper Nicolls Harrison, of The Grove, Great Saling, in the county of Essex, Esquire.

"And whereas the said Jasper Nicolls Harrison is desirous that the whole advowson or perpetual right of patronage of and presentation to the said benefice of Little Saling otherwise Bardfield Saling, now vested in him as aforesaid, should be transferred to and be vested in the Bishop for the time being of the said diocese of Saint Albans.

"And whereas the Right Reverend Edgar, now Bishop of Saint Albans, is willing to accept such transfer, and in token of such his willingness and also in token that the same transfer has that consent of the Bishop of the diocese which by the Acts in the hereinbefore mentioned Act recited or by some or one of them is made necessary he, the said Edgar, Bishop of the said diocese of Saint Albans, has executed this scheme as hereinafter mentioned.

"And whereas the transfer of the patronage of the said benefice of Little Saling otherwise Bardfield Saling which is hereinbefore mentioned and hereinafter recommended and proposed will in our opinion tend to make better provision for the cure of souls in the parish or district in or in respect of which the right of patronage or advowson so recommended and proposed to be transferred as aforesaid arises or exists, that is to say, in the parish of Little Saling otherwise Bardfield Saling aforesaid.

"Now therefore with the consent of the said Jasper Nicolls Harrison (in testimony whereof he has signed and sealed this scheme) and with the consent of the said Edgar, Bishop of the said diocese of Saint Albans, (in testimony whereof he has signed this scheme and sealed the same with his episcopal seal) we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, humbly recommend and propose that upon and from the day of the date of the publication in the London Gazette of any Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme and without any conveyance or assurance in the law other than such duly gazetted Order the whole advowson or perpetual right of patronage of and presentation to the said benefice of Little Saling otherwise Bardfield Saling now vested in him the said Jasper Nicolls Harrison as aforesaid, shall be transferred to the said Edgar, Bishop of Saint Albans, and his successors in the same bishoprick, and shall thereupon and thenceforth become and be absolutely vested in and shall and may from time to time be exercised by the said Edgar, Bishop of Saint Albans, and by his successors in the same bishoprick for ever.

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

And whereas the said scheme has been approved at the Council held under the authority of the said Commission: now, therefore, the Lord Chancellor and the Lord President, being authorized thereto by writing under His Majesty's Sign Manual, do hereby, by and with the advice of His Majesty's Privy Council, on behalf of His Majesty, ratify the said scheme and 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 further, on behalf of His Majesty, by and with the like

advice, do hereby direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of St. Albans.

A. W. FitzRay.

At the Court at *Saint James's*, the 9th day of April, 1908.

PRESENT,

LORD CHANCELLOR. LORD PRESIDENT.

Master of the Horse.

Mr. Secretary Haldane.

Mr. R. K. Causton.

Mr. G. W. E. Russell.

WHEREAS His Majesty was pleased, by His Commission, dated the seventeenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and eight, to nominate and appoint The Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, The Prime Minister, and The Lord President of the Council, or any two of them, in His Majesty's absence from His Realm in Foreign Parts, and in the absence of The Prince of Wales, to hold on His Majesty's behalf His Privy Council and to signify thereat His approval of any matter or thing whereunto they should be so authorized by writing under His Majesty's Sign Manual, and to do further on His Majesty's behalf any matter or thing for the purposes of the said Commission whereunto they should be authorized in manner aforesaid:

And whereas the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the thirty-third and thirty-fourth years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter thirty-nine, and of the Acts therein mentioned that is to say, the Act of the third and fourth years of Her said late Majesty, chapter one hundred and thirteen, the Act of the fourth and fifth years of Her said late Majesty, chapter thirty-nine, and the Act of the thirty-first and thirty-second years of Her said late Majesty, chapter one hundred and fourteen, duly prepared and laid before His Majesty in Council a scheme bearing date the thirtieth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eight, in the words following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the thirty-third and thirty-fourth years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter thirty-nine, and of the Acts therein mentioned, that is to say, the Act of the third and fourth years of Her said late Majesty, chapter one hundred and thirteen, the Act of the fourth and fifth years of Her said late Majesty, chapter thirty-nine, and the Act of the thirty-first and thirty-second years of Her said late Majesty, chapter one hundred and fourteen, have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following scheme for effecting a transfer of the ownership of the advowson or perpetual right of patronage of and presentation to the church and cure (hereinafter called 'the said benefice') of Norton, in the county of Hertford and in the diocese of Saint Albans.

"Whereas the advowson or perpetual right of patronage of and presentation to the said benefice of Norton is vested for an estate in fee simple without incumbrances in Francis Pym, of Hasell Hall, Sandy, in the county of Bedford, Esquire.