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TUESDAY, JULY 6, 1909.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 28th day of *June*, 1909.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have in pursuance of the Union of Benefices Acts, 1860 and 1898, that is to say the Act of the twenty-third and twenty-fourth years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter one hundred and forty-two, and the Act of the sixty-first and sixty-second years of Her said late Majesty, chapter twenty-three, duly prepared and laid before His Majesty in Council a scheme bearing date the first day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

“We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Union of Benefices Acts, 1860 and 1898, that is to say, the Act of the twenty-third and twenty-fourth years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter one hundred and forty-two, and the Act of the sixty-first and sixty-second years of Her said late Majesty, chapter twenty-three, have prepared, and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council, the following scheme for effecting a union of two contiguous benefices situate within the Metropolis, and within the diocese of London, namely, the benefice (being a vicarage) of Saint Pancras, and the benefice (being a vicarage) of All Saints, Gordon-square, and for effecting certain other measures incidental to or arising out of such union.

“And whereas the Right Honourable and Right Reverend Arthur Foley, Bishop of the said diocese of London, has caused proposals for a scheme for effecting a union of the said two

benefices to be laid before us, which proposals were prepared under the seventh and eighth sections of the firstly mentioned Act, and were approved by the said Arthur Foley, Bishop of the said diocese of London, and were assented to by the patrons of the two benefices to be affected thereby, that is to say, by the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Saint Paul in London, as the patrons of the said benefice and vicarage of Saint Pancras, and by the said Arthur Foley, Bishop of London, as the patron of the said benefice and vicarage of All Saints, Gordon-square, and the same proposals were also assented to, subject to certain modifications, by the vestries of the parishes concerned, that is to say, by the vestry of the parish of Saint Pancras and by the vestry of the parish of All Saints, Gordon-square.

“And whereas it appears to us, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, 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 benefice of Saint Pancras is now full, the Reverend Edmund Lionel Metcalfe, Clerk in Holy Orders, being the present Incumbent thereof, and the said benefice of All Saints, Gordon-square, is also now full, the Reverend John Arthur Garton, Clerk in Holy Orders, being the present Incumbent thereof.

“And whereas the said Edmund Lionel Metcalfe has consented to become the first Incumbent of the united benefice, if and when the union which is hereinafter recommended and proposed shall take effect.

“And whereas the said Arthur Foley, Bishop of the said diocese of London, as such Bishop, and as such patron of the said benefice of All Saints,