

and eighteenth years of Her said late Majesty, chapter eighty-four, duly prepared and laid before His Majesty in Council a scheme bearing date the twenty-second 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, in pursuance of the Act of the third and fourth years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter one hundred and thirteen, and of the Act of the seventeenth and eighteenth years of Her said late Majesty, chapter eighty-four, have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following scheme for apportioning the income of the benefice (being a vicarage) of Ynyscynhaiarn, in the county of Carnarvon, and in the diocese of Bangor, between that benefice and the benefice (being a vicarage) of Saint John, Portmadoc, in the said county of Carnarvon and in the said diocese of Bangor.

“Whereas the patronage of the said benefice of Ynyscynhaiarn and of the said benefice of Saint John, Portmadoc, is vested in the Right Reverend Watkin Herbert, Bishop of Bangor and his successors.

“And whereas it has been made to appear to us that the apportionment hereinafter recommended and proposed to be made is desirable and that the said benefice of Ynyscynhaiarn has endowments of such an amount that after such apportionment shall have been made the same benefice will still be sufficiently endowed.

“And whereas we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, are of opinion that it is desirable that additional provision should be made for the cure of souls within the new parish of Saint John, Portmadoc, aforesaid, by means of that apportionment of the income of the said benefice of Ynyscynhaiarn which is hereinafter recommended and proposed.

“And whereas by an Indenture dated the first day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and three and made between the Reverend James Evan Williams as Incumbent of the said benefice of Ynyscynhaiarn of the one part and The Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne for the Augmentation of the Maintenance of the Poor Clergy (hereinafter called “the said Governors”) of the other part, all the glebe lands and other profits and emoluments of the said benefice of Ynyscynhaiarn were demised to the said Governors for a term of eighteen years by way of mortgage for securing the repayment to them of the principal sum of Four hundred pounds by instalments with interest as therein mentioned.

“And whereas the said sum of Four hundred pounds was borrowed towards defraying the cost of building the parsonage house of the said benefice of Ynyscynhaiarn.

“And whereas the said benefice of Ynyscynhaiarn is now full, the said James Evan Williams being the Incumbent thereof.

“And whereas the said James Evan Williams is consenting that the apportionment hereinbefore mentioned and hereinafter recommended and proposed shall take place as from the day hereinafter mentioned in that behalf.

“Now therefore with the consent of the said Watkin Herbert, Bishop of Bangor, acting as

Bishop of the Diocese within which each of the said two benefices is situate and also as the Patron of each of the said two benefices as aforesaid (in testimony of which consent he has signed this scheme and sealed the same with his episcopal seal) with the consent of the said James Evan Williams (in testimony whereof he has signed and sealed this scheme) and with the consent of the said Governors (in testimony whereof they have affixed their Common Seal to this scheme), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, humbly recommend and propose that without any conveyance or assurance in the law other than this scheme and any duly gazetted Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying the same and as from the day of the date of the institution or Licence (as the case may be) of the first Incumbent of the said benefice of Saint John, Portmadoc, first all and singular the tithe commutation rent charges amounting to Ninety-four pounds one shilling and two pence per annum which are specified in the schedule to this scheme appended and secondly the said parsonage house of the benefice of Ynyscynhaiarn with the appurtenances thereof shall be transferred by way of apportionment from the said benefice of Ynyscynhaiarn and shall be annexed to and form part of the endowments of the said benefice of Saint John, Portmadoc.

“And we do further recommend and propose that as from the same date there shall be payable from time to time by the Incumbent of the said benefice of Saint John, Portmadoc, and his successors, out of the revenues of that benefice to the Incumbent of the said benefice of Ynyscynhaiarn and his successors such sums of money as shall be equal to the annual instalments of principal and interest from time to time due in respect of the said mortgage debt to the said Governors from the Incumbent of the said benefice of Ynyscynhaiarn until such principal and interest shall have been fully discharged, the sums so to be paid by the Incumbent of the said benefice of Saint John, Portmadoc, to be payable on the dates upon which the said annual instalments are from time to time due from the Incumbent of Ynyscynhaiarn to the said Governors, the first such sum of money payable by the Incumbent of the said benefice of Saint John, Portmadoc, being diminished so as to equal the amount which would be due from him if the instalment of principal and interest current at the date on which such transfer shall take effect were duly apportioned as between him and the Incumbent of the said benefice of Ynyscynhaiarn and as from the last mentioned date the Incumbent of the said benefice of Ynyscynhaiarn and his successors shall as against the said benefice of Saint John, Portmadoc, and the Incumbent thereof for the time being have the same powers and remedies for the recovery of the said annual sum or sums of money as the said Governors shall possess for the recovery of the instalment or instalments of principal and interest then due or thereafter to become due in respect of the said mortgage debt.

“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 accordance with the provisions of the said Acts or of either of them or of any other Act of Parliament.