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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1909.

At the Court at Sandringham, the 2nd day of December, 1909.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HEREAS 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 fourth day of November, 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 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 Pirbright, in the county of Surrey and in the diocese of Winchester.

"Whereas the advowson or perpetual right of patronage of and presentation to the said benefice of Pirbright is vested for an estate in fee simple free from incumbrances in certain trustees upon trust in the first place for Henry Joseph Tenison Halsey, of Pirbright, in the said county of Surrey, Esquire, during his life and the said Henry Joseph Tenison Halsey is therefore the Patron or person entitled to present or nominate to the said benefice in case the same were now vacant.

"And whereas the said Henry Joseph Tenison Halsey is desirous that the whole advowson or perpetual right of patronage of and presentation to the said benefice of Pirbright should be transferred in the manner which is hereinafter recommended and proposed.

"And whereas the Right Reverend Herbert Edward, now Bishop of Winchester, in token of his willingness to accept jointly with the other persons hereinafter mentioned the transfer of the said advowson or perpetual right of patronage hereinafter recommended and proposed and 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 has executed this scheme as hereinafter mentioned.