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At the Court at *Saint James's*, the 2nd day of *August*, 1910.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, chapter seventy-seven, and of the Act of the fifth year of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria (session two) chapter twenty-six, duly prepared and laid before His Majesty in Council a scheme bearing date the fourteenth day of July, in the year one

thousand nine hundred and ten, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, chapter seventy-seven, and of the Act of the fifth year of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria (session two), chapter twenty-six, have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following scheme for authorizing certain alterations and improvements at the eastern lodge of the episcopal house of residence belonging to the See of Salisbury, which is known as the Palace, Salisbury.

"Whereas the Right Reverend John, now Bishop of Salisbury, is desirous that certain alterations and improvements should be made at the eastern lodge of the said episcopal house of residence, and has submitted to us the particulars of such alterations and improvements and we have approved the same.

"And whereas the said Bishop is also desirous, and it appears to us to be expedient, that towards the cost of effecting the said improvements a sum of three hundred and seventy-five pounds (being a sum which does not exceed two years' income of the See) should be provided by the borrowing of the same sum by way of mortgage upon the security of all and every part of the lands, tenements and hereditaments, endowments or emoluments which now belong or may hereafter belong to the Bishoprick of Salisbury.

"Now therefore with the consent of the said John, Bishop of Salisbury (testified by his having affixed his signature and episcopal seal to this scheme), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, humbly recommend and propose that the said Bishop be authorized to borrow from the Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne, and that the said Governors be empowered to lend under the provisions of the above mentioned Acts any sum not exceeding three hundred and seventy-five pounds, and that as a security for the same the said Bishop do mortgage all and every part of the lands, tenements and hereditaments, and endowments or emoluments which now belong or may hereafter belong to his said See to the said Governors by deed for the term of twenty years or until the said sum so to be borrowed as aforesaid, with the interest for the same as hereinafter mentioned, and all costs and charges which may attend the recovery thereof, shall be fully paid and satisfied, and that such principal sum shall be repaid with interest in the manner following: that is to say, during and in respect of the first period of twelve months of the said term, computed from the day of the date of the mortgage, no part of the said principal sum shall be repayable, but the said Bishop or his successors shall yearly, at the end of the second period of twelve months so computed and at the end of every such like period of twelve months thereafter, pay to the said Governors, their successors or assigns, one-fifteenth part of the said principal sum until the whole thereof shall be repaid, and shall also at the end of the first and each succeeding period of twelve months, computed as aforesaid, pay interest at the rate of four pounds per centum per annum on the said principal sum or on so much thereof as shall from time to time remain unpaid. And that, if and when it shall happen that either the principal or the interest directed to be paid as hereinbefore mentioned shall be in arrear and unpaid for the space of forty days after the same shall become due, it shall and may be lawful for the said Governors, their successors and assigns, to recover the same and the costs and