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FRIDAY, 22 DECEMBER, 1911.

At the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the
16th day of December, 1911.

PRESENT,

HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS PRINCE ARTHUR
OF CONNAUGHT.
ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY.
LORD CHANCELLOR.
LORD PRESIDENT.

Prime Minister.
Master of the Horse.
Earl Beauchamp.
Lord Emmott.

WHEREAS His Majesty was pleased by His Commission, dated the 10th day of November, 1911, to nominate and appoint His Royal Highness Prince Arthur of Connaught, K.G., G.C.V.O., His Grace the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, G.C.V.O., the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and the Lord President of the Council, or any two of them, in His Majesty's absence from the United Kingdom, to summon and hold on His Majesty's behalf His Privy Council, and to signify thereat His Majesty's approval of any matter or thing to which His Majesty's approval in Council is required.

And 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 sixteenth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven, 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 additional improvements at the episcopal house of residence belonging to the See of Salisbury which is known as The Palace, Salisbury.

“Whereas the Right Reverend Frederic Edward, now Bishop of Salisbury, is desirous that certain additional improvements should be made at the said episcopal house of residence, and has submitted to us the particulars of such 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 fifty