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FRIDAY, 4 DECEMBER, 1914.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 28th day of November, 1914.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

W HEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the 33rd and 34th years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, Chapter 39, and of the Acts therein mentioned, that is to say, the Act of the 3rd and 4th years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 113, the Act of the 4th and 5th years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 39, and the Act of the 31st and 32nd years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 114, duly prepared, and laid before His Majesty in Council, a Scheme, bearing date the 5th day of November, in the year 1914, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the 33rd and 34th years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, Chapter 39, and of the Acts therein mentioned, that is to say, the Act of the 3rd and 4th years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 113, the Act of the 4th and 5th years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 39, and the Act of the 31st and 32nd years of Her said

late Majesty, Chapter 114, 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 Saint Peter, Oughtrington, in the County and Diocese of Chester, and 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 Norley, in the same County and Diocese.

"Whereas the advowson or perpetual right of patronage of and presentation to the said Benefice of Saint Peter, Oughtrington, is vested for an estate in fee simple, in possession, free from incumbrances, in the Reverend Geoffrey Egerton Warburton, of Warburton, in the said County of Chester, Clerk in Holy Orders, and the Reverend Alfred James Blencowe, of West Kirby, in the same County, Canon of Chester Cathedral, and Clerk in Holy Orders, upon trust to present such Clerk or Clerks as the Bishop of Chester for the time being should himself select or nominate for presentation.

"And whereas the advowson or perpetual right of patronage of and presentation to the said Benefice of Norley is vested for an estate in fee simple, in possession, free from incum-