ries of York or the West Riding, the East Riding, and Cleveland, in the Diocese of York:

"Whereas it has been represented to us by the Right Honourable and Most Reverend Cosmo Gordon, Archbishop of York, that the arrangements which are hereinafter recommended and proposed, with respect to some of the Rural Deaneries within the said Archdeaconries of York or the West Riding, the East Riding, and Cleveland, are desirable and should be carried into effect, and we are of opinion that the same may be properly carried into effect:

"Now, therefore, with the consent of the said Cosmo Gordon, Archbishop of York, (in testimony whereof he has set his hand and Archiepiscopal Seal to this Scheme), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, humbly recommend and propose that, as from the day on which any Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this Scheme shall be published in the London Gazette, and without any assurance in the law other than such duly gazetted Order, firstly, within the said Archdeaconry of York or the West Riding, the following Parishes, now forming parts of the Rural Deanery of Pontefract, shall be formed into a new Rural Deanery, to be named the Rural Deanery of Hemsworth, namely the Parishes of Saint John the Evangelist Carlton, Cudworth, Felkirk with Brierley, Grimethorpe, Hems-worth, Monk Bretton, Royston, Ryhill, Skelbrooke, South Elmsall, and South Kirkby; secondly, within the same Archdeaconry, the Parishes of Aberford, and Ledsham with Fairburn, shall be transferred from the Rural Deanery of Pontefract to the Rural Deanery of Selby; thirdly, within the same Arch-deaconry, the Parish of Dunnington shall be transferred from the Rural Deanery of Escrick to the Rural Deanery of Bulmer; fourthly, within the said Archdeaconry of the East Riding, the Parish of Westow shall be transferred from the Rural Deanery of Pocklington to the Rural Deanery of Settrington; fifthly, within the same Archdeaconry, the Parish of Saint Nicholas Hull shall be transferred from the Rural Deanery of Howden to the Rural Deanery of Kingston-upon-Hull; sixthly, the names of the Rural Deaneries of Hedon, and Hornsea, within the same Archdeaconry, shall be altered to South Holderness, and North Holderness, respectively; seventhly, within the said Archdeaconry of Cleveland, the Parish of Saint Hilda Bilsdale, otherwise Bilsdale Kirkham, shall be transferred from the Rural Deanery of Helmsley to the Rural Deanery of Stokesley; eighthly, within the same Archdeaconry, the Parishes of Carlton in Cleveland, Faceby, and Whorlton, shall be transferred from the Rural Deanery of Northallerton to the Rural Deanery of Stokesley; ninthly, within the same Archdeaconry, the Parishes of Thornton - le - Street, North Thornton-le-Moor, South Otterington, shall be transferred from the Rural Deanery of Thirsk to the Rural Deanery of Northallerton; and tenthly, within the same Archdeaconry, the Parishes of Easington with Liverton, and Loftus, shall be transferred from the Rural Deanery of Whitby to the Rural Deanery of Middlesbrough; and that each of the Parishes hereinbefore referred to shall be subject to the jurisdiction and authority of the Rural Dean of the Rural

Deanery to which it is hereby transferred, and shall not belong to, or be a part of, any other Rural Deanery, nor be subject to the jurisdiction and authority of any other Rural Dean.

"And we further recommend and propose that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other matter or thing with respect to the matters aforesaid, or any of them, by virtue of the said Acts, or of any of them, or of any other Act of Parliament."

And whereas the said Scheme has been approved by His Majesty in Council:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice of His said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said Scheme, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Acts.

And His Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said Diocese of York.

Almeric FitzRoy.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 12th day of January, 1916.

## PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by the Burial Act, 1853, as amended by the Burial Act, 1900, it is provided that, in case it appears to His Majesty in Council, upon the Representation of the Local Government Board, that, for the protection of the public health, the opening of any new Burial Ground in any City or Town, or within any other limits, save with the previous approval of the Local Government Board, should be prohibited, or that Burials in any City or Town, or within any other limits, or in any Burial Grounds or Places of Burial, should be wholly discontinued, or should be discontinued subject to any exception or qualification, it shall be lawful for His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order that no new Burial Ground shall be opened in such City or Town, or within such limits, without such previous approval, or (as the case may require) that, after a time mentioned in the Order, Burials in such City or Town, or within such limits, or in such Burial Grounds or Places of Burial, shall be discontinued wholly, or subject to any exceptions or qualifications mentioned in such Order, and so from time to time as circumstances may require: Provided always that Notice of such Representation, and of the time when it shall please His Majesty to order the same to be taken into consideration by the Privy Council, shall be published in the London Gazette, and shall be affixed on the doors of the Churches or Chapels of, or on some other conspicuous places within, the Parishes affected by such Representation, one month before such Representation is so considered: Provided also that no such Representation shall be made in relation to the Burial Ground of any Parish until 10 days' previous Notice of the intention to make such Representation