

and 7th years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, Chapter 37, have prepared, and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council, the following Scheme for authorizing the sale and disposal of certain property formerly belonging to the Prebend of Durnford, in the Cathedral Church of Salisbury, and also of certain other property in the parishes of Durnford, Woodford and Stapleford, in the county of Wilts, and now vested in us:

"Whereas on the vacancy of the said Prebend, which occurred on the 28th day of September, 1848, by the death of the Reverend Arthur Edward Howman, the then Prebendary, all the lands, tithe rentcharges and hereditaments theretofore belonging to the said Prebend (except rights of patronage) became, by virtue of the Act of the third and fourth years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 113, absolutely vested in us for the purposes and subject to the provisions applicable to other hereditaments vested in us:

"And whereas under and by virtue of the several indentures, particulars whereof are set forth in the schedule hereunder written, the lands, tenements and hereditaments situate in the parishes of Durnford, Woodford and Stapleford aforesaid, and particularly described in the same indentures and schedule became with their appurtenances and are now vested in us:

"And whereas none of the said lands, tithe rentcharges, tenements and hereditaments is subject to any outstanding beneficial lease or grant, but the same are now in our possession, but some portions thereof, on account of their character or situation, are unsuitable or inconvenient to be held or applied for the purposes for which estates vested in us are applicable under the Acts by which our proceedings are governed:

"And whereas with a view to the advantageous appropriation of the same, or of the proceeds thereof, for the ultimate improvement of our Common Fund, it is expedient

that the said lands, tithe rentcharges, tenements and hereditaments, or such part or parts thereof, as we shall at any time and from time to time think fit should be sold or disposed of, and accordingly that we should be empowered to sell or dispose of our interest in such lands, tithe rentcharges, tenements and hereditaments, or in any part or parts thereof, in such manner as shall appear to us advisable:

"Now, therefore, we humbly recommend and propose that we may be authorized and empowered by instrument or instruments in writing, duly executed according to law, from time to time to sell or dispose of and duly to convey, according to the provisions of the said Act, all or any of the said lands, tithe rentcharges, tenements and hereditaments so vested in us as aforesaid, with their appurtenances, and all our estate, right, title and interest therein, or in any part or parts thereof, unto and to the use of any person or persons desirous or willing to purchase the same, and his or their heirs, executors, administrators or assigns, or otherwise, as he or they shall direct or appoint, and for such consideration as shall, upon due calculation and inquiry, appear to us to be just and reasonable, it being our intention to invest the proceeds of such sale from time to time, as occasion may arise, in the purchase of other lands, tithes, rentcharges, tenements or hereditaments, or of some estate or interest therein, convenient to be held by us for the purposes of the Acts by which our proceedings are governed as aforesaid, and in the meantime to invest the said proceeds in some Government or Parliamentary Stock or other public securities in England.

"And we further recommend and propose that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other measures relating to the matters aforesaid, or any of them, in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, or of any other Act of Parliament.

"The Schedule to which the foregoing Scheme has reference:—

"Dates of the Indentures.	Names and Descriptions of the Parties thereto.	Parish.	Description of Property.	Area
25th March, 1871.	Charles Edward Rendall, of Brimmerston House, in the County of Wilts, Esquire, of the first part, Edmund Olding, of Woodford, in the same County, Gentleman, of the second part, and the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, of the third part.	Durnford ...	Messuage and land coloured pink on the plan drawn on the deed.	a. r. p. 3 3 28
30th September, 1885.	The Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, of the one part, and Erlysman Charles Pinckney, of Berwick Saint James, in the County of Wilts, of the other part.	Woodford ...	Land coloured yellow on the plan drawn on the deed.	0 0 4 more or less.
2nd April, 1913.	The Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, of the one part, and Alan Percy Cunliffe, of Druids Lodge, Woodford, in the County of Wilts, Esquire, of the other part	Stapleford ...	Land coloured blue on the plan drawn on the deed.	1 1 2"