

Benefices now stand limited and settled to uses in the first place for the said Mary Caroline, Countess of Lovelace, during her life, and the said Mary Caroline, Countess of Lovelace, is therefore the Patron or person entitled to present or nominate to the said Benefices in case the same were now vacant:

"And whereas the said Mary Caroline, Countess of Lovelace, is desirous that the whole Advowson or perpetual right of Patronage of and presentation to each of the said Benefices of Kirkby Mallory, Earl Shilton and Elmsthorpe should be transferred to and be vested in the Right Reverend Frank Theodore, now Bishop of Peterborough, and his successors in the same Bishopric:

"And whereas the said Frank Theodore, Bishop of Peterborough, is willing to accept such transfer, and in token of such his willingness and also in token that the same transfer has that consent of the Bishop of the Diocese which by the Acts in the hereinbefore mentioned Act recited or by some or one of them is made necessary he, the said Frank Theodore, Bishop of Peterborough, has executed this Scheme as hereinafter mentioned:

"And whereas the transfer of the Patronage of the said Benefices of Kirkby Mallory, Earl Shilton and Elmsthorpe which is hereinbefore mentioned and hereinafter recommended and proposed will in our opinion tend to make better provision for the cure of souls in the Parishes or Districts in or in respect of which the right of Patronage or Advowson so recommended and proposed to be transferred as aforesaid arises or exists, that is to say in the parishes of Kirkby Mallory, Earl Shilton and Elmsthorpe:

"Now, therefore, with the consent of the said Mary Caroline, Countess of Lovelace, being the person whose consent as Patron is required by the provisions of the hereinbefore mentioned Acts and of the Act of the 1st and 2nd years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 106, (in testimony of which consent she has signed and sealed this Scheme) and with the consent of the said Frank Theodore, Bishop of Peterborough (in testimony whereof he has signed this Scheme and sealed the same with his Episcopal Seal), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, humbly recommend and propose that upon and from the day of the date of the publication in the London Gazette of any Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this Scheme and without any conveyance or assurance in the law other than such duly gazetted Order the whole Advowson or perpetual right of Patronage of and presentation to each of the said Benefices of Kirkby Mallory, Earl Shilton and Elmsthorpe shall be transferred to the said Frank Theodore, Bishop of Peterborough, and his successors in the same Bishopric, and shall thereupon and thenceforth become and be absolutely vested in and shall and may from time to time be exercised by the said Frank Theodore, Bishop of Peterborough, and by his successors in the same Bishopric for ever.

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

*Almeric FitzRoy.*

- At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 21st day of *December*, 1920.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the 6th and 7th years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, Chapter 37, duly prepared, and laid before His Majesty in Council, a Scheme, bearing date the 9th day of December, 1920, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the 6th 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 in the parishes of Newborough, Eye, Paston and Peterborough, in the County of Northampton, now vested in us:

"Whereas by an Order of Her said late Majesty Queen Victoria in Council, bearing date the 30th day of November, 1882, and published in the London Gazette on the 5th day of the following month, the lands and hereditaments, situate in the parishes of Newborough, Eye and Paston aforesaid, particularly described in the Schedule thereunto annexed marked A, and under and by virtue of the several indentures, particulars whereof are set forth in the Schedule hereunder written, certain other lands, tenements and hereditaments, situate in the parishes of Newborough, Eye and Peterborough 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, 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, 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