

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 of the said alternate right of Patronage of and presentation to the said Benefice of New Romney with Hope, now vested in him, the said Hugh George South, as aforesaid, shall be transferred to the said Randall Thomas, Archbishop of Canterbury, and his successors in the same Archbishopric, and shall thereupon and thenceforth become and be absolutely vested in and shall and may from time to time be exercised by the said Randall Thomas, Archbishop of Canterbury, and by his successors in the same Archbishopric 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 Canterbury.

M. P. A. Hankey.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 25th day of *July*, 1927.

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 His late Majesty King William the Fourth, Chapter 77, of the Act of the 3rd and 4th years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, Chapter 113, and of the Act of the 37th and 38th years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 63, and of the Ecclesiastical Commissioners Measure, 1926, duly prepared, and laid before His Majesty in Council, a Scheme bearing date the 7th day of July, 1927, 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 His late Majesty King William the Fourth, Chapter 77, of the Act of the 3rd and 4th years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, Chapter 113, of the Act of the 37th and 38th years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 63, and of the Ecclesiastical Commissioners Measure, 1926, have prepared, and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council, the following Scheme for constituting a new Archdeaconry within the Diocese of Winchester and for endowing such new Archdeaconry:

"Whereas the said Diocese of Winchester now comprises one Archdeaconry and no more, namely, the Archdeaconry of Winchester:

"And whereas the Right Reverend Frank Theodore, Bishop of Winchester, has represented to us and it appears to us to be expedient that a new Archdeaconry should be constituted within the said Diocese of Winchester and should comprise the Rural Deaneries of Alton, Andover, Basingstoke, Kingsclere, and Silchester, which are at present within the said Archdeaconry of Winchester, and so much of the Rural Deanery of Aldershot as now remains in the said Diocese of Winchester and in the said Archdeaconry of Winchester, and that such new Archdeaconry should be endowed in the manner which is hereinafter recommended and proposed:

"And whereas it appears to us to be undesirable that procurations, synodals, visitation fees and induction fees should be received by the Archdeacon of the said proposed new Archdeaconry:

"And whereas it has been made to appear to us that by reason of the discontinuance of the collection of the said fees there will be no annual income available for the said proposed Archdeaconry from fees, dues and emoluments, and that the grant hereinafter recommended and proposed will not be such as to raise the annual income of the said proposed Archdeaconry to an amount exceeding £300:

"Now, therefore, we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, with the consent of the said Frank Theodore, Bishop of Winchester (testified by his having signed and sealed this Scheme), humbly recommend and propose that upon and from the day upon 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 one new Archdeaconry shall be created within the said Diocese of Winchester, and that such Archdeaconry shall be named 'The Archdeaconry of Basingstoke' and shall comprise and consist of the said Rural Deaneries of Alton, Andover, Basingstoke, Kingsclere, and Silchester, and so much of the said Rural Deanery of Aldershot as now remains in the Diocese of Winchester.

"And we further recommend and propose that the Rural Deans and other the Clergy and the Inhabitants generally of the said proposed Archdeaconry of Basingstoke shall be under and subject to the archidiaconal jurisdiction, authority and control of the Archdeacon of such proposed Archdeaconry for the time being, and that such Archdeacon shall have and exercise all the rights, powers and duties of an Archdeacon within the limits of his Archdeaconry.

"And we further recommend and propose that we be authorised to pay by equal quarterly instalments on the 1st day of January, the 1st day of April, the 1st day of July and the 1st day of October in every year out of the Common Fund created by the secondly hereinbefore mentioned Act to the Archdeacon of the said proposed Archdeaconry of Basingstoke and to his successors in the same Archdeaconry the yearly sum of £300, the instalment so first becoming due being an apportioned part only of the said sum of £300 in respect of the