

"And whereas we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, have prepared this Scheme for the union of the said two Benefices based upon the terms recommended in the said Report:

"And whereas the said Benefice of Bondleigh is at present full, the Reverend Robert Leach being the present Incumbent thereof and the said Benefice of Brushford is at present vacant:

"And whereas the Advowson or perpetual right of Patronage of and presentation to each of the said two Benefices of Bondleigh and Brushford now belongs to one and the same body of Patrons:

"Now, therefore, we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, with the consent of the said William, Bishop of Exeter (in testimony whereof he has signed this Scheme), and with the consent of the said Robert Leach (in testimony whereof he has signed this Scheme), do humbly recommend and propose to Your Majesty as follows, that is to say:—

"1. That the said Benefice of Bondleigh and the said Benefice of Brushford shall be permanently united together and form one Benefice with Cure of Souls under the style of 'The United Benefice of Bondleigh with Brushford' but the Parishes of the said Benefices shall continue distinct in all respects.

"2. That upon the day when any Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this Scheme shall be published in the London Gazette the union shall forthwith take effect and the said Robert Leach if he is then Incumbent of the said Benefice of Bondleigh shall be the first Incumbent of the United Benefice.

"3. That upon the said union taking effect the Parsonage House at present belonging to the said Benefice of Bondleigh shall become and be the house of residence for the Incumbent of the United Benefice.

"4. That with the consent of the Provost of the King's College of the Blessed Mary and Saint Nicholas of Cambridge and the Scholars of the same College, being the Patrons of the said United Benefice of Sampford Courtnay with Honeychurch (in token of which consent they have caused their Common or Corporate Seal to be affixed to this Scheme), and with the consent of the Reverend Henry Beaumont Fowke Burnaby, now Incumbent of the said United Benefice of Sampford Courtnay with Honeychurch (testified by his signing this Scheme), upon the union taking effect a part of the Parish of the said Benefice of Bondleigh that is to say so much of that Parish as is included within the Civil Parish of Sampford Courtnay shall be severed from the Parish of the said Benefice of Bondleigh and shall be transferred and annexed for all ecclesiastical purposes to the said Parish of Honeychurch but no alteration in the Patronage or endowments of the said Benefices of Bondleigh or Sampford Courtnay with Honeychurch shall be made by reason of such transfer of territory.

"Provided always 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 Measure, or of any other Measure of the National Assembly of the Church of England, or of any Act of Parliament."

And whereas drafts of the said Scheme have been duly published in accordance with the provisions of the said Union of Benefices Measure, 1923, and Notices have been transmitted to the persons or bodies entitled under the same Measure to receive Notice requiring any objections to such draft Scheme to be stated or transmitted in writing to the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners within the time prescribed in the Statutory Rules applicable to proceedings under the said Union of Benefices Measure, 1923:

And whereas certain objections have been so stated or transmitted to the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners within the time prescribed in the same Rules:

And whereas the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners after giving full consideration to such objections have deemed right to make no alterations in such draft Scheme:

And whereas public notice of the certification to His Majesty in Council of the said Scheme and the consent thereto in writing of the Bishop of Exeter has been duly given in the manner and within the time prescribed in the Statutory Rules aforesaid:

And whereas no appeal has been made to His Majesty in Council within the period of one month after the date of the said public notice in accordance with the provisions of the said Measure against the said Scheme or any part thereof by any person who has made objection as aforesaid to the said draft Scheme:

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 affirm the said Scheme and to order that the Benefices therein recommended to be united shall be united to the extent and for the purposes recommended in the said Scheme, and further to order and direct that the said Scheme and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the date when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Measure.

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 Exeter.

M. P. A. Hankey.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 7th day of *May*, 1928.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Union of Benefices Measure, 1923, duly prepared, and laid before His Majesty in Council, a Scheme bearing date the 23rd day of February, 1928, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Union of Benefices Measure, 1923, have prepared, and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council, the following Scheme for effecting the union of the Benefice (being a Rectory) of South Perrott with Mosterton and the Benefice (being a Rectory) of Chedington both of which