

Mary shall be permanently united together and form one Benefice with Cure of Souls under the style of 'The Benefice of Manchester, Saint Ann and Saint Mary' (hereinafter referred to as the United Benefice of Manchester, Saint Ann and Saint Mary), and one Parish for ecclesiastical purposes and for such other purposes as in the said Measure provided.

" 3. That the Church of the Parish of Ancoats, Saint Andrew, shall be the Parish Church of the Parish of the United Benefice of Ancoats, Saint Andrew, and that the Table of Fees for the said Parish of Ancoats, Saint Andrew, shall (until revised or altered by proper authority) be the Table of Fees for the United Parish of Ancoats, Saint Andrew.

" 4. That the Church of the Parish of Manchester, Saint Ann and Saint Mary, shall be the Parish Church of the Parish of the United Benefice of Manchester, Saint Ann and Saint Mary, and that the Table of Fees for the said Parish of Manchester, Saint Ann and Saint Mary, shall (until revised or altered by proper authority) be the Table of Fees for the United Parish of Manchester, Saint Ann and Saint Mary.

" 5. That with the consents of the said Hubert George Hiller and of the said Francis Paton Williams (testified by their signing this Scheme), the unions hereinbefore recommended and proposed shall take effect upon the day of the date of the publication in the London Gazette of any Order of Your Majesty in Council affirming this Scheme if upon that day the said Benefice of Manchester, Saint James, George Street, shall be vacant; but, if upon that day the said Benefice of Manchester, Saint James, George Street, shall be full, then the said unions shall take effect immediately upon the first vacation thereafter of the said Benefice of Manchester, Saint James, George Street.

" 6. That if within the period of six calendar months immediately following the day of the date of the publication in the London Gazette of any Order of Your Majesty in Council affirming this Scheme the said Lewis Herbert Price shall with the consent of the said Bishop of Manchester retire from the said Benefice of Manchester, Saint James, George Street, in order that the said unions may take immediate effect, then he shall be entitled to receive out of the annual income of the United Benefice of Manchester, Saint Ann and Saint Mary and by way of compensation, an annual sum of £300 which annual sum shall commence as from the day upon which the said unions shall take effect and shall be payable by equal quarterly payments in every year, the first quarterly payment becoming due at the end of three calendar months next after the day upon which the said unions shall take effect and the said annual sum shall be payable to the said Lewis Herbert Price during the remainder of his life subject, however, to the same conditions as to suspension, reduction and forfeiture, as a pension assigned to a retiring Incumbent under the provisions of the Incumbents' Resignation Acts, 1871 and 1887, and the provisions of those Acts as to recovery in case of non-payment and as to such conditions as aforesaid shall apply to the said annual sum and to the said Lewis Herbert Price as if the said annual sum were a pension

awarded under the said Resignation Acts and the said Lewis Herbert Price had resigned the said Benefice of Manchester, Saint James, George Street, under those Acts.

" 7. That upon the unions taking effect the register books of baptisms, marriages and burials and other the records and muniments deposited in the Church of Manchester, Saint James, George Street, shall be transferred to the Church of Manchester, Saint Ann and Saint Mary, but the marriage registers in duplicate current at the Church of Manchester, Saint James, George Street, shall first be sent by the Incumbent of the United Benefice of Manchester, Saint Ann and Saint Mary, to be closed officially.

" 8. Upon the unions taking effect all that capital sum of £1,960 10s. 2d. now held by the Governors of Queen Anne's Bounty on behalf of the said Benefice of Manchester, Saint James, George Street, shall be transferred to the United Benefice of Manchester, Saint Ann and Saint Mary and the income arising in respect of such capital sum shall be payable towards the cost of the provision of clerical or lay assistance for the Incumbent of such United Benefice.

" 9. That after the unions have taken effect the Patronage of the United Benefice of Manchester, Saint Ann and Saint Mary, shall belong wholly to the Patron of the said Benefice of Manchester, Saint Ann and Saint Mary.

" 10. (a) That so soon as conveniently may be after the unions have taken effect the Church of Saint James, George Street, Manchester, shall be taken down and the materials and site thereof, together with any ground annexed thereto and necessary for the use and enjoyment thereof shall be sold and disposed of by us the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners at such time or times and in such manner in all respects as to us shall seem expedient subject to the conditions and restrictions imposed by the said Union of Benefices Measure, 1923.

" (b) That the net proceeds to arise from such sale or sales after the deduction of the expenses attendant upon the sale or sales, the taking down of the Church, the removal of monuments (if any) and all other expenses incidental to these matters, shall constitute and form part of the Expenses Fund of the Diocese of Manchester established pursuant to the 32nd Section of the said Union of Benefices Measure, 1923.

" (c) That the font, communion table, sacramental plate, bells, organ and other furniture and fittings of the said Church of Saint James, George Street, Manchester, or such of them as the Bishop of Manchester shall select, shall be transferred to the Parish Church of the United Benefice, and any articles not so transferred shall be appropriated by the Bishop of Manchester to any other Church or Chapel or Churches or Chapels within the Diocese of Manchester which the Bishop may select: provided always that any articles that shall not be so transferred or appropriated except the font, communion table and sacramental plate, may be sold and the proceeds shall be added to the fund arising from the sale of the site and materials of the said Church of Saint James, George Street, Manchester.

" Provided always that the provisions herein contained relating to the sale and disposal of the site of the Church of Saint James,