any of the said seven Benefices or his representatives on the one hand and his successor in the same Incumbency on the other hand and to be receivable by the Incumbents in whose favour they are charged as aforesaid by equal half-yearly payments on the first day of May and the first day of November in every year and for the recovery of the said yearly rentcharges in each case the Incumbents of the said seven Benefices and their successors shall have and be entitled to all the powers and remedies provided by Sections 121 and 122 of the Law of Property Act, 1925, in respect of rentcharges to which those sections apply. Provided that if at any time the Incumbent for the time being of the said United Benefice shall by any deed duly executed by him under his hand and seal in accordance with the provisions of any statute in that behalf enabling him, grant, convey and annex to the said seven Benefices or any of them, any part or parts of the endowments belonging to the said United Benefice which shall in the opinion of the Bishop of Worcester for the time being be a just and fair equivalent or not less than an equivalent for all or any of the said yearly rentcharges hereby proposed to be created as aforesaid then in every case in which such equivalent provision shall have been made the corresponding annual sum or yearly rentcharge shall thereupon and thenceforth cease and be no longer payable, and provided further that if at the date of the union taking effect the pension charged upon the revenues of the said Benefice of Hampton Lovett as aforesaid shall still be payable then the yearly rentcharges of £25 each hereby proposed to be created as aforesaid in favour of the Incumbents of the four said Benefices of Feckenham; Kidderminster, Saint John the Baptist; Stourbridge, Saint John; and Worcester, Saint Peter; shall not become due and payable to the Incumbents of such four Benefices until the date when such pension shall cease to be payable.

"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 Worcester has been duly given in the manner and within the time prescribed in the Statutory Rules aforesaid:

And whereas no appeal has been proceeded with to His Majesty in Council 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 Worcester.

Colin Smith.

Treasury Chambers, 17th June, 1930.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer has appointed the Right Hon. Noel Edward Noel-Buxton to be Steward and Bailiff of the Three Hundreds of Chiltern.

TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS.

- 1. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England, on Friday, the 27th June, 1930, at 1 o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Treasury Bills Act, 1877, the National Debt Act, 1889, and the War Loan Acts, 1914-1919, to the amount of £40,000,000.
- 2. The Bills will be in amounts of £5,000 or £10,000. They will be dated at the option of the Tenderer on any business day from Monday, the 30th June, 1930, to Saturday, the 5th July, 1930, inclusive, and will be payable at three months after date.
- 3. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.
- 4. Each Tender must be for an amount not less than £50,000, and must specify the date on which the Bills required are to be dated, and the net amount per cent. (being an even multiple of one penny) which will be given for the amount applied for. Separate Tenders must be lodged for Bills of different dates.
- 5. Tenders must be made through a London Banker, Discount House or Broker.
- 6. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same not later than the following day, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted tenders must be made to the Bank of England by means of Cash or