8. If the Provost shall be guilty of grave immorality or gross misconduct in his office, or shall become bankrupt or make a statutory composition or arrangement with his creditors, he may be deprived of his office by the Lord Chancellor, after enquiry held on the petition of a majority of the Fellows present at a meeting specially summoned.

It shall be the duty of the Dean, or, in his absence, the Senior Fellow present in Oxford at the time, on a requisition presented to him by any three of the Fellows, to summon a meeting, giving not less than a fortnight's notice thereof, in order to determine whether such a petition shall be presented."

And whereas by Statute III, 9 (3), it was enacted as follows:—

- "(3) The Dean shall always have honorary precedence of the other Fellows."
- And whereas by Statute V, 1, 2 and 3, it was enacted as follows:—
 - "1. The Officers of the College shall be a Dean, a Treasurer and such other Officers as the Provost and Fellows shall at any Stated General Meeting from time to time resolve to be necessary for the business of the College. Such officers may receive such reasonable stipends as the Provost and Fellows shall at any Stated General Meeting determine.
 - 2. The Dean shall be a Fellow of the College and shall be elected for such period as the Provost and Fellows may from time to time determine.
 - 3. In the absence of the Provost the Dean shall act as his Vice-gerent, and while so acting shall have the same powers and duties as the Provost."

And whereas by Statute VI, 10, it was enacted as follows:—

"10. The Provost, Dean and Tutors shall act as an Educational Committee, and shall annually submit to the Provost and Fellows, before the beginning of Michaelmas Term, a report on the results obtained by members of the College in the University examinations of the previous academical year."

And whereas by Statute XI, 2, it was enacted as follows:—

"2. The power which is given by these Statutes to the Dean to act in place of the Provost, and the power of any Officer of the College who may hereafter be authorised by any Statute or Bylaw to act in place of the Provost, shall be deemed to extend to all the acts which the Provost is hereby authorised or directed to do, except the giving consent to any resolution by which the rights or privileges of the Provost may be in any way altered, and to which his consent may be necessary."

And whereas the Provost and Fellows are of opinion that it is desirable to amend the said Statutes in manner hereinafter appearing:

We, the said Provost and Fellows of the said College do hereby in exercise of the powers given to us by the Seventh Section of the said Act alter Statutes II, 7 and 8, III, 9 (3), V, 1, 2 and 3, VI, 10, and XI, 2, by substituting for the word "Dean", wherever it occurs in these Statutes, the word "Vice-Provost."

Given under our Common Seal this twenty-second day of February, 1934.

The Common Seal of Oriel College, Oxford, was hereunto affixed in the presence of

(L.S.)

CECIL S. EMDEN,

Fellow and Treasurer of Oriel College, Oxford.

Whitehall, March 17, 1934.

The KING has been pleased to issue a Commission under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual to the following effect:—

GEORGE R.I.

GEORGE THE FIFTH, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, to

Our Right Trusty and Well beloved Counsellor Walter Edward, Baron Moyne, Companion of Our Distinguished Service Order;

Our Right Trusty and Right Well beloved Cousin Mabel Laura Georgiana, Countess Grey, Commander of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire;

Our Trusty and Well beloved:-

Sir Wilberforce Ross Barker, Knight Commander of Our Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire, Companion of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath;

Archibald George Church, Esquire, Companion of Our Distinguished Service Order, upon whom We have conferred the Decoration of the Military Cross, Major, sometime in Our Royal Artillery;

Henry Roy Dean, Esquire, Doctor of Medicine, Doctor of Laws, Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians, Master of Trinity Hall, Cambridge;

Frederick Homes Dudden, Clerk, Doctor in Divinity, Master of Pembroke College, Oxford, and Canon of Our Cathedral Church of Gloucester;

Thomas Franklin Sibly, Esquire, Doctor of Science, Doctor of Laws, Vice-Chancellor of the University of Reading; and

Will Spens, Esquire, Commander of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Master of Corpus Christi College, Cambridge;

Greeting!

Whereas We have deemed it expedient that a Commission should forthwith issue to enquire into the organisation and work of the University of Durham and its constituent colleges and into the relation of the University to those colleges, and to report in what respects the present organisation can be improved and what changes if any are desirable in the constitutions, functions and powers of the University and its constituent colleges:

Now know ye that We, reposing great trust and confidence in your knowledge and ability, have authorised and appointed, and do by