

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 Ely.

M. P. A. Hankey.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 22nd day of *March*, 1934.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the 16th and 17th years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, Chapter 50, and of the Act of the 23rd and 24th years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 124, duly prepared, and laid before His Majesty in Council, a Scheme bearing date the 22nd day of February, 1934, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

“ We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the 16th and 17th years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, Chapter 50, and of the Act of the 23rd and 24th years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 124, have prepared, and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council, the following Scheme for effecting a transfer of so much as is hereinafter mentioned of the ownership of the Advowson or right of Patronage of and presentation to each of these Benefices, namely, the Benefice (being a District) of Saint Chad, Rubery, situate partly in the County of Warwick and partly in the County of Worcester, the Benefice (being a District) of Saint Mark, Stockland Green, situate in the said County of Warwick, and the Benefice (being a District) of Saint Edmund, Tyseley, situate in the said County of Worcester, all of which Benefices are situate in the Diocese of Birmingham, for so much as is hereinafter mentioned of the ownership of the Advowson or right of Patronage of and presentation to each of three other Benefices, namely, the Benefice (being a District) of Saint Faith and Saint Laurence, Harborne, situate in the said County of Warwick, the Benefice (being a District) of Saint Mark, Londonderry, situate partly in the said County of Worcester and partly in the County of Stafford, and the Benefice (being a District) of Saint Hilda, Warley Woods, situate in the said County of Worcester, all of which Benefices are likewise situate in the said Diocese of Birmingham:

“ Whereas under the provisions of the 21st Section of the Act of the 6th and 7th years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 37, the right of Patronage of and presentation to each of the six Benefices mentioned above is at present exercised alternately by Your Majesty and by the Bishop of Birmingham for the time being:

“ And whereas it has been proposed to us that the Patronage of the said six Benefices

should be assigned and transferred by way of exchange in the manner which is hereinafter recommended and proposed:

“ And whereas we have made due inquiry and calculation as to the circumstances and relative value of the said Benefices and of the Patronage thereof respectively and we do hereby certify to Your Majesty in Council that the circumstances and present values of the said Benefices respectively are as set forth in the Schedule hereunto annexed:

“ Now, therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend Ernest William, Bishop of Birmingham, as the alternate Patron of each of the said three Benefices of Saint Chad, Rubery; Saint Mark, Stockland Green; and Saint Edmund, Tyseley (in testimony of which consent he, the said Bishop, has affixed his signature and Episcopal Seal to this Scheme), and with the consent of the Right Honourable James Ramsay MacDonald, now First Lord of Your Majesty's Treasury, acting on behalf of Your Majesty as the alternate Patron of each of the said three Benefices of Saint Faith and Saint Laurence, Harborne; Saint Mark, Londonderry; and Saint Hilda, Warley Woods (in testimony of which consent he, the said James Ramsay MacDonald, has signed and sealed this Scheme), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, humbly recommend and propose that upon and from the day 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 alternate right of Patronage of and presentation to each of the said three Benefices of Saint Chad, Rubery; Saint Mark, Stockland Green; and Saint Edmund, Tyseley, which is now as aforesaid exercised by the said Ernest William, Bishop of Birmingham, shall be transferred from him, the said Bishop, and from his successors in the same Bishopric and shall thereupon and thenceforth belong to and may from time to time be exercised by Your Majesty, Your Heirs and Successors for ever in such manner that the whole Advowson of each of the last mentioned three Benefices shall hereafter belong to Your Majesty, Your Heirs and Successors for ever, and that in exchange for the same the alternate right of Patronage of and presentation to each of the said three Benefices of Saint Faith and Saint Laurence, Harborne; Saint Mark, Londonderry; and Saint Hilda, Warley Woods, which is now exercised as aforesaid by Your Majesty shall be transferred from Your Majesty, Your Heirs and Successors and shall thereupon and thenceforth belong to and may from time to time be exercised by the said Ernest William, Bishop of Birmingham, and his successors, Bishops of Birmingham, for ever, in such manner that the whole Advowson of each of the last mentioned three Benefices shall hereafter belong to the said Ernest William, Bishop of Birmingham, and his successors, Bishops of Birmingham for ever.

“ And we further recommend and propose 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 Acts, or of either of them, or of any other Act of Parliament.