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At the Court at *Buckingham Palace* the 19th day of *March*, 1942.

PRESENT,

The KING'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have duly prepared and laid before His Majesty in Council a Scheme bearing date the 12th day of March, 1942, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Union of Benefices Measures, 1923 to 1936, have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following Scheme for altering the boundaries of the Parish of Hexton in the County of Hertford and of the Parish of Shillington, partly in the County of Bedford and partly in the said County of Hertford, and both in the Diocese of Saint Albans:

"Whereas it appears to us the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, to be desirable that the boundaries of the said Parishes should be altered in the manner hereinafter mentioned:

"And whereas the Bishop of the Diocese and the Incumbents of the Benefices concerned consent to the proposed arrangements (in testimony whereof they have signed this Scheme):

"Now, therefore, we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, humbly recommend and propose that from and after 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 assurance in the law other than such duly gazetted Order the boundaries of the said Parish of Hexton and of the said Parish of Shillington shall be altered in the manner described in the Schedule of and delineated on the map or plan annexed to this Scheme.

The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Scheme has reference:

"The territory (shown by pink colour on the map) to be annexed to the Parish of Hexton, in the county of Hertford and in the Diocese of Saint Albans, being:—

"All that portion of the Parish of Shillington situate partly in the County of Bedford and partly in the said County of Hertford and wholly in the said Diocese of Saint Albans which is bounded upon the west by the said Parish of Hexton, upon the south partly by the Parish of Lilley and partly by the Parish of Offley, upon the east by the Parish of Pirton, all in the said County of Hertford and in the said Diocese of Saint Albans, and upon the remaining side, that is to say, upon the north by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said Parish of Pirton from the said Parish of Shillington at the eastern end of the wall or fence forming the southern boundary of the close numbered 1 upon the map or plan annexed to this Scheme and extending thence westward along the said wall or fence and along the wall or fence

forming the southern boundary of the closes numbered 2 and 3 upon the said map or plan for a distance of 69½ chains to the road leading from Pegsdon to Shillington and extending thence westward to and northward along the middle of the said road for a distance of 6½ chains to a point opposite the eastern end of the wall or fence forming the southern boundary of the close numbered 4 upon the same map or plan and extending thence westward to and along the last mentioned wall or fence to its western end and in a straight line in continuation thereof for a distance in all of 25 chains to the boundary which divides the said Parish of Shillington from the said Parish of Hexton."

And whereas the provisions of the Union of Benefices Measures, 1923 to 1936, and the Union of Benefices Rules, 1926 to 1930, relating to the preparation and submission of this Scheme have been duly complied with:

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 and direct that it shall be and become effectual in law immediately upon the publication of this Order in the London Gazette.

*Rupert B. Howorth.*

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 19th day of *March*, 1942

PRESENT

The KING'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have duly prepared and laid before His Majesty in Council a Supplementary Scheme bearing date the 12th day of March, 1942, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Union of Benefices Measures, 1923 to 1936, and the Ecclesiastical Commissioners (Powers) Measure 1938 have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following Supplementary Scheme, under Section 11 of the Union of Benefices Measure, 1923, for making certain alterations in the provisions of an Order of Your Majesty in Council dated the 8th day of June 1937, and published in the London Gazette on the 11th day of the same month (hereinafter called 'the original Order'), for effecting the union of the Benefice of Birmingham, Saint Edward, with the Benefice of Birmingham, Saint Nicolas, both in the Diocese of Birmingham:

"Whereas by the original Order it was directed that upon the union taking effect (1) a Curate should be employed to assist the Incumbent of the United Benefice and a part, namely £175 per annum, of an annual payment made by us to the Incumbent of the Benefice of Birmingham, Saint Nicolas, should