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TUESDAY, 7 APRIL, 1953

At the Court at *Windsor Castle*, the 1st day of *April*, 1953.

PRESENT.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Church Commissioners have duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a Scheme bearing date the 26th day of March, 1953, in the words and figures following, that is to say:

"We, the Church Commissioners, acting in pursuance of the Union of Benefices Measures, 1923 to 1952, and the Pastoral Reorganisation Measure, 1949, now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following Scheme which we have prepared with the consent of the Right Reverend Thomas, Bishop of Carlisle (in witness whereof he has signed the Scheme) for effecting the union of the benefice of Westward and the benefice of Rosley-with-Woodside both situate in the diocese of Carlisle.

"SCHEME

"1. *Union of Benefices.* The benefice of Westward and the benefice of Rosley-with-Woodside shall be permanently united together and form one benefice with cure of souls under the style of 'The United Benefice of Westward and Rosley-with-Woodside', but the parishes of the said benefices shall continue in all respects distinct.

"2. *Taking effect of union.* Upon the day when any Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this Scheme is published in the London Gazette the union shall forthwith take effect and the Reverend Thomas Railton Harper if he is then incumbent of the said benefice of Rosley-with-Woodside shall with his consent (testified by his signature hereto) be the first incumbent of the united benefice.

"3. *Parsonage House.* Without prejudice to the exercise, before the date when the union takes effect, of any of the powers conferred by the Parsonages Measures, 1938 and 1947, the parsonage house at present belonging to the benefice of Rosley-with-Woodside shall, if at that date it belongs to the said benefice, be the house of residence of the incumbent of the united benefice, and the parsonage house at present belonging to the benefice of Westward, if at that date it so belongs, and the site and appurtenances thereof and the grounds heretofore usually occupied and enjoyed therewith shall, as soon as conveniently may be, be sold and disposed of by us, the said Church Commissioners, at such time or times and in such manner in all respects as to us shall seem expedient, and the net proceeds of such sale or sales shall be appropriated and held by us for the augmentation of the endowment of the united benefice."

And whereas the provisions of the Union of Benefices Measures, 1923 to 1952, the Union of Benefices Rules, 1926 and 1930, and the Pastoral Reorganisation Measure, 1949, relating to the preparation and submission of this Scheme have been duly complied with:

And whereas the said Scheme has been approved by Her Majesty in Council:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to affirm the said Scheme and to order that it shall be and become effectual in law immediately upon the publication of this Order in the London Gazette.

W. G. Agnew.

Privy Council Office, 7th April, 1953.

MERCHANT SHIPPING ACTS, 1894 to 1949.

Notice is hereby given that Her Majesty in Council was pleased, on the 1st day of April, 1953, to approve two Orders in Council under the above named Acts entitled "The Merchant Shipping Safety Convention (Hong Kong) No. 1 Order, 1953" and "The Merchant Shipping Safety Convention (Hong Kong) No. 2 Order, 1953".

Copies of the said Orders, when published, may be purchased directly from Her Majesty's Stationery Office, at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 13a, Castle Street, Edinburgh 2; 39, King Street, Manchester 2; 2, Edmund Street, Birmingham 3; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; Tower Lane, Bristol 1; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast; or through any bookseller.

Crown Office, House of Lords, S.W.1.

2nd April, 1953.

MEMBER ELECTED TO SERVE IN THE PRESENT PARLIAMENT.

Stoke-on-Trent North Constituency.

Harriet Mrs. Slater, in the place of Albert Edward Davies, Esquire, deceased.

Crown Office, House of Lords, S.W.1.

2nd April, 1953.

MEMBER ELECTED TO SERVE IN THE PRESENT PARLIAMENT.

Barnsley Constituency.

Roy Mason, Esquire, in the place of Sidney Schofield, Esquire, who since his election for the said Constituency hath accepted the Office of Steward or Bailiff of Her Majesty's Three Chiltern Hundreds of Stoke, Desborough and Burnham in Her Majesty's County of Buckingham.

Whitehall, April 7, 1953.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 24th ultimo, to present the Venerable Sciriol John Arthur Evans, (M.A., Archdeacon of Wisbech and Rector of Upwell St. Peter, to the Deanery of the Cathedral Church of Gloucester, void by the resignation of the Very Reverend Harold Costley-White, D.D., late Dean thereof.