

in any such scheme, such modifications or variations, as to matters of detail and regulation, as should not be substantially repugnant to any or either of the said recommendations :

And it is further enacted, that when any scheme, prepared under the authority of the said Act, should be approved by His Majesty in Council, it should be lawful for His Majesty in Council to issue an Order or Orders ratifying the same, and specifying the time or times when such scheme, or the several parts thereof, should take effect, and to direct in every such Order that the same should be registered by the registrar of each of the dioceses the bishops whereof might or should be in any respect affected thereby :

And it is further enacted, that every such Order should, as soon as might be after the making and issuing thereof by His Majesty in Council, be inserted and published in the London Gazette :

And it is further enacted, that, so soon as any such Order in Council should be so registered and gazetted, it should, in all respects, and as to all things therein contained, have and be of the same force and effect as if all and every part thereof were included in the said Act, any law, statute, canon, letters patent, grant, usage, or custom to the contrary notwithstanding :

And whereas the said Commissioners, pursuant to the authority vested in them by the said Act, have duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the nineteenth day of December one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight, in the words and figures following, that is to say :

*To the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.*

We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, appointed and incorporated by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the sixth and seventh years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for carrying into effect the reports of the Commissioners, appointed to consider the state of the Established Church in England and Wales, with reference to ecclesiastical duties and revenues, so far as they relate to episcopal dioceses, revenues, and patronage," have, in pursuance thereof, prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following scheme for further carrying into effect, part of the

provisions of the said Act relating to the see of Ripon.

Whereas Elizabeth Sophia Lawrence, of Studley Royal, in the parish of Ripon, in the west riding of the county of York, spinster, being, by virtue of a lease to her granted by the Right Honourable and Most Reverend Edward Archbishop of York, on the second day of May one thousand eight hundred and thirty, possessed of the messuages, lands, and tenements described in the schedule hereunto annexed, situate near the town of Ripon, in the same county, for the term of twenty-one years thence next following, at the yearly rent of four pounds; and being satisfied that the said messuages, lands, and tenements may be advantageously held by the Bishop of Ripon for the time being, hath signified to us her wish to assign the said messuages, lands, and tenements to the Right Reverend Charles Thomas now Bishop of Ripon, and his successors, on condition that the interest of the said Edward Archbishop of York, and his successors, in the said messuages, lands, and tenements be transferred to the said Charles Thomas Bishop of Ripon, and his successors, for ever :

And whereas we are satisfied that by reason of the vicinity of the said messuages, lands, and tenements to the site of the house of residence intended for the said Charles Thomas Bishop of Ripon, and his successors, and approved by an Order made by your Majesty in Council, on the eleventh day of December last, it is desirable that the same should belong to the see of Ripon, and that the same may be transferred from the said see of York to the said see of Ripon, consistently with the provisions of the said Act, and of the recommendations therein contained :

Now, therefore, we humbly recommend and propose, with the consent of the said Edward Archbishop of York (in testimony whereof he hath signed and sealed this scheme), that as soon as the said Elizabeth Sophia Lawrence shall have assigned the said messuages, lands, and tenements described in the said schedule (which we recommend and propose shall be considered and taken as part of this scheme), to the said Charles Thomas Bishop of Ripon, and his successors, for the residue of her interest therein, the said messuages, lands, and tenements shall, according to the provisions of the said Act, be transferred from the said Edward Archbishop of York, and his successors in the said see of York, to the said Charles Thomas Bishop of Ripon, and his suc-