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AT the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the
23d day of *May* 1844,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the third and fourth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to carry into effect, with certain modifications, the fourth report of the Commissioners of Ecclesiastical Duties and Revenues," duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the fourteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, in the words and figures following, that is to say :

" We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the third and fourth years of your Majesty's reign, intituled " An Act " to carry into effect, with certain modifications, " the fourth report of the Commissioners of Ecclesiastical Duties and Revenues," have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following scheme, for uniting the sinecure rectory of Sherborne Saint John, in the county of Southampton and in the diocese of Winchester, with the vicarage of Sherborne Saint John, in the same county and diocese.

" Whereas by the said Act it is enacted, that, with respect to any benefice with cure of souls which is held, together with or in the patronage of the holder of any prebend or other sinecure preferment, belonging to any college in either of the universities or to any private patron, arrangements may be made, by the authority therein provided, and with the consents of the respective patrons, for permanently uniting such preferment with such benefice:

" And whereas there is in the said county of Southampton and diocese of Winchester, a vicarage, being a benefice with cure of souls within the meaning of the said recited Act, called or known by the name of the vicarage of Sherborne Saint John, and there is also in the same county and diocese, an ecclesiastical rectory without cure of souls, being a sinecure preferment within the meaning of the same Act, called or known by the name of the rectory of Sherborne Saint John:

" And whereas the said vicarage is now held by the Reverend John Harwood, Clerk, together with the said sinecure rectory; and William Lyde Wiggett Chute, of the Vine, in the parish of Sherborne Saint John, in the said county of Southampton, Esquire, Member of Parliament, is owner of the advowson, as well of such vicarage as of such sinecure rectory, but Robert Lawson, of Everley Lodge, in the parish of East Barnet, in