

intituled " An Act to carry into effect, with certain modifications, the fourth report of the Commissioners of Ecclesiastical Duties and Revenues;" and of an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the fourth and fifth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled " An Act to explain and amend two several Acts relating to the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England;" and of an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the sixth and seventh years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled " An Act for regulating the cathedral churches of Wales," duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the sixth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, 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;" and of an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the fourth and fifth years of your Majesty's reign, intituled " An Act to explain and amend two several Acts relating to the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England;" and of an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the sixth and seventh years of your Majesty's reign, intituled " An Act for regulating the cathedral churches of Wales," have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following scheme, for making additional provision for the cure of souls in certain parishes where such assistance is most required.

" Whereas, under the authority of the said recited Acts, we have from time to time prepared and laid before your Majesty in Council certain schemes, in which we have recommended and proposed, that certain grants should be made, in augmentation of the incomes of certain benefices and churches, in certain classes, and subject to certain limitations therein mentioned, which schemes have been ratified by Orders of your Majesty in Council, and such Orders have been duly gazetted :

" And whereas, on the sixth day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, we found it necessary to suspend, until

further notice, our recommendations of further grants, with certain specified exceptions; and the several benefices and churches described in the schedules hereunto annexed either fall within such exceptions, or the incumbents thereof have received specific promises from us that we would recommend the grants in the said schedules respectively proposed, in consequence of their coming within some or one of such classes as aforesaid :

" And whereas we have satisfied ourselves, after due inquiry, that the churches described in the schedule hereunto annexed, marked A 3., fall within the first of such classes, subject to the respective limitations in the said Orders mentioned; and that the said churches are fit and proper to be forthwith augmented by the respective annual amounts stated in the last column of the said schedules respectively :

" And whereas, from the source set opposite to the name of the church described in the schedule hereunto annexed, marked B., in the sixth column of such schedule, the benefaction of one thousand pounds stock, mentioned in the seventh column of the same schedule, has been transferred to us, and the house, mentioned in the same column, has been permanently secured to the incumbent of such church, as therein specified; and we have satisfied ourselves that the said last-mentioned church falls within the second of such classes, as limited by the said Orders, and is fit and proper to be forthwith augmented by the annual amount stated in the last column of the same schedule :

" And whereas the benefices described in the schedule hereunto annexed, marked C., fall within the third class in the said Orders mentioned, and are situate within the places set opposite to the names thereof respectively in the fifth column of the same schedule; and we are in possession of certain tithes or lands arising or situate in such places respectively, or of the proceeds thereof; and, after due inquiry and consideration, we have satisfied ourselves, that the same benefices are fit and proper to be forthwith augmented by the respective annual amounts stated in the last column of the same schedule :

" We, therefore, humbly recommend and propose, that there shall be paid by us, in each and every year, to the incumbent for the time being