

be and be held to be, for the consideration hereinafter mentioned, transferred and conveyed by and from the said Thomas Cozens Percival to us, and shall then and thereupon become and be absolutely vested in us for the purposes of the said Acts, subject only to any legally subsisting lease or leases thereof; and that, in consideration of and for such transfer and conveyance as aforesaid, there shall be paid by us to the said Thomas Cozens Percival, on the tenth day next after the day of the gazetting of such Order of your Majesty in Council, the sum of one hundred pounds sterling, and also thereafter in each and every year, so long as he shall continue to hold the said canonry, and no longer, the annual sum of one hundred pounds, by equal half-yearly payments, on the first day of January and the first day of July, and that the first such half-yearly payment shall be made on the first day of January next; provided that no renewal of any lease, nor any new lease, of any part of such lands, tithes and other hereditaments as aforesaid shall, since the twenty-seventh day of October one thousand eight hundred and seven, have been or shall be granted by the said Thomas Cozens Percival, and that, if the next avoidance of the said canonry shall happen on any other day than one of such two half-yearly days of payment, then a proportionate sum only shall be paid to the said Thomas Cozens Percival, or his representative or representatives.

“ And we further recommend and propose, that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other measures relating to the matters aforesaid, or any of them, in conformity with the provisions of the said recited Acts, or of any other Act of Parliament.”

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 ratify the said scheme, and to order and direct that the same, and every part thereof, shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette, pursuant to the said Acts; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct, that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the diocese of Lincoln.

*Wm. L. Bathurst.*

AT the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 4th day of *September* 1848,

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,” and of another Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the fifth and sixth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled “ An Act to alter and amend the law relating to ecclesiastical houses of residence,” duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the thirty-first day of August in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, in the words 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 another Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the fifth and sixth years of your Majesty's reign, intituled “ An Act to alter and amend the law relating to ecclesiastical houses of residence,” have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following scheme, for authorizing the sale of certain hereditaments belonging to the see of Lichfield.

“ Whereas it is by the said recited Act enacted, that for the purpose of carrying into effect any of the provisions thereof, any arrangement may, from time to time, be made, with the consent in writing, under the corporate seal of any bishop, for the sale, transfer or exchange of any lands, tithes or other hereditaments belonging to the see of such bishop; and the said last-recited enactment is, by the said secondly-recited Act, made applicable to all the purposes thereof, one of which purposes is the permanent benefit of any see:

“ And whereas the Bishop of Lichfield is, in right of his see, lord of the manor of Eccleshall, in the county of Stafford, and as such lord is seised