



# The London Gazette.

Published by Authority.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 25, 1876.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,  
the 12th day of *August*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the thirty-third and thirty-fourth years of Her Majesty, chapter thirty-nine, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the twentieth day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, in the words and figures following; that is to say:—

“We the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in pursuance of the Act of the thirty-third and thirty-fourth years of your Majesty, chapter thirty-nine, have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following scheme for effecting a transfer of the ownership of a share or portion of the advowson or perpetual right of patronage of the church and cure (which said church and cure are hereinafter called the said benefice) of Paulton in the county of Somerset and in the diocese of Bath and Wells.

“Whereas the said advowson or perpetual right of patronage of the said benefice of Paulton is vested for an estate of fee simple in possession in the vicar or incumbent of the parish of Chewton Mendip in the said county of Somerset and in the said diocese of Bath and Wells for the time being and in his successors.

“And whereas the Reverend Richard Stamper Philpott, clerk in holy orders, is now the vicar or incumbent of the said parish of Chewton Mendip, and Richard Price Philpott, of Number 37, Elgin-crescent, Notting-hill, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, is now the patron of the vicarage or incumbency of the same parish, that is to say, he is the person who would be entitled to present a clerk to the said vicarage or incumbency if the same were now vacant.

“And whereas a certain benefaction, to wit the rectorial tithe or tithe rent charge of the parish (or parochial chapelry) of Paulton hath been tendered to and accepted by us the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in augmentation of the said benefice of Paulton, and the same benefaction hath been so tendered upon condition (amongst other things) that the advowson or perpetual right of patronage of the said benefice of Paulton shall in the manner and

to the extent hereinafter expressed be transferred to and be vested in the Bishop for the time being of the said diocese of Bath and Wells.

“And whereas the said Richard Stamper Philpott and Richard Price Philpott are respectively willing that the advowson or perpetual right of patronage of the said benefice of Paulton now vested in him the said Richard Stamper Philpott as vicar or incumbent of Chewton Mendip as aforesaid should be so transferred in the manner and to the extent hereinafter expressed.

“And whereas the Right Honourable and Right Reverend Arthur Charles now Bishop of the said Diocese of Bath and Wells is willing to accept for himself and his successors the said proposed transfer and in token of such his willingness and also in token that the same transfer has that consent of the Bishop of the Diocese which by the Acts in the hereinbefore mentioned Act recited or by some or one of them is made necessary, he the said Arthur Charles Bishop of the said Diocese of Bath and Wells has executed this scheme as hereinafter mentioned.

“And whereas it appears to us that under the circumstances aforesaid the transfer of the patronage of the said benefice of Paulton which is hereinbefore mentioned and hereinafter recommended and proposed will tend to make better provision for the cure of souls in the parish or parochial chapelry of Paulton being the parish or district in or in respect of which the said right of patronage and advowson arises and exists.

“Now therefore with the consent of the said Richard Stamper Philpott and Richard Price Philpott (in testimony whereof they have respectively signed and sealed this Scheme) and with the consent of the said Arthur Charles Bishop of the said Diocese of Bath and Wells (in testimony whereof he has signed this Scheme and sealed the same with his episcopal seal) we humbly recommend and propose that upon and from the day of the date of the publication in the London Gazette of any Order of your Majesty in Council ratifying this Scheme and without any conveyance or assurance in the law other than such duly gazetted Order one half part of the whole advowson or perpetual right of patronage of the said benefice of Paulton that is to say every alternate turn or right of nomination and presentation to the same benefice shall be transferred from the said Richard Stamper Philpott or other the then vicar or incumbent of the said parish of Chewton Mendip and from his suc-