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AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 18th day of *August*, 1882.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of an Act of the sixth and seventh years of Her Majesty, chapter thirty-seven, sections six and eight, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the third day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, in the words following, that is to say:—

“We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of an Act of the sixth and seventh years of Your Majesty chapter thirty-seven sections six and eight have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following scheme for authorising the sale and disposal of certain property formerly belonging to the Archdeaconry of Colchester and now vested in us.

“Whereas by an Act of the twenty-ninth and and thirtieth years of Your Majesty chapter one hundred and eleven it was enacted that upon the first avoidance of the said Archdeaconry after the passing of the said Act, all the lands, tithes and hereditaments belonging thereto (except any right of ecclesiastical patronage) should subject to any legally subsisting lease or leases thereof, or of any part or parts thereof vest in us for the purposes and subject to the provisions applicable to other hereditaments vested in us, provided that it should be lawful for the Archdeacon in possession of the said Archdeaconry at the time of the passing of the said Act if he should think fit, with the consent of the Bishop of the diocese to signify his willingness to the said transfer taking place forthwith, in which case a memorandum of such willingness, under the hand of the said Archdeacon and episcopal seal of the said Bishop and our common seal should be registered in the Registry of the diocese of Rochester and published in the London Gazette and that from and after the date of such publication the said lands tithes and hereditaments should (subject always to such lease or leases as aforesaid) without any further conveyance vest in us for the purposes and subject to the provisions applicable to other hereditaments vested in us.

“And whereas the Venerable William Brice Ady, the Archdeacon in possession of the said Archdeaconry at the time of the passing of the said Act, did with the consent of the Bishop of Rochester

(the diocese of which the said Archdeaconry then formed a part) signify his willingness to the said transfer taking place forthwith and a memorandum of such willingness under the hand of the said Archdeacon and the episcopal seal of the said Bishop of Rochester and our common seal was registered in the registry of the said diocese and published in the London Gazette on the twenty-seventh day of November in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, and from and after the date of such publication the said lands, tithes and hereditaments without any further conveyance vested in us accordingly for the purposes and subject to the provisions applicable to other hereditaments vested in us.

“And whereas the lands tithes and hereditaments aforesaid are not now subject to any outstanding lease or grant, but are now in our possession, but some portions of the same are, on account of their character or situation unsuitable or inconvenient to be held or applied for the purposes for which estates vested in us are applicable under the Acts by which our proceedings are governed.

“And whereas with a view to the advantageous appropriation of the said lands tithes and hereditaments so in our possession as aforesaid or of the proceeds thereof, for the ultimate improvement of our common fund it is expedient that the said lands tithes and hereditaments or such part or parts thereof as we shall at any time and from time to time think fit should be sold or disposed of and accordingly that we should be empowered to sell or dispose of our interest in such lands tithes and hereditaments or in any part or parts thereof in such manner as shall appear to us advisable.

“Now, therefore, we humbly recommend and propose that we may be authorised and empowered, by instrument or instruments in writing duly executed according to law from time to time to sell or dispose of and duly to convey, according to the provisions of the said Act of the sixth and seventh years of Your Majesty's reign, all or any of the said lands tithes and hereditaments formerly belonging to the said Archdeaconry with their appurtenances, and all our estate right title and interest therein or in any part or parts thereof, unto and to the use of any person or persons desirous or willing to purchase the same and his or their heirs executors administrators or assigns or otherwise as he or they shall direct or appoint and for such consideration as shall upon due calculation and inquiry appear to us be just and reasonable it being our intention to invest the