

by the annual sum of twenty-seven pounds as from the said twenty-ninth day of September in the year one thousand nine hundred and three.

"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 in conformity with the provisions of the said Act or of any other Act of Parliament."

And whereas the said scheme has been approved by His Majesty in Council: now, therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice of his 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 Act; and His Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of Lichfield.

A. W. FitzRoy.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 29th day of *January*, 1904.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have in pursuance of the Ecclesiastical Commission Act 1868 duly prepared and laid before His Majesty in Council a scheme bearing date the fourteenth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and four, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in pursuance of 'The Ecclesiastical Commission Act 1868' section three have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following scheme relating to the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Lincoln.

"Whereas under and by virtue of an Order in Council of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria bearing date the fifth day of February one thousand eight hundred and seventy and duly published in the London Gazette of the eighth day of the same month there is now payable by us to the Dean and Chapter of Lincoln an annual sum of nine thousand and two hundred pounds until the said Dean and Chapter shall have been put into possession in fee simple of real estates sufficient to secure to them in addition to the income from certain other estates a clear annual income therefrom after deducting rates taxes the cost of agency and other outgoings amounting to the annual sum aforesaid.

"And whereas the said Dean and Chapter have not yet been so put into possession of such real estates but there is vested in us subject to a lease granted for lives certain property shown by the green colour upon the tracing annexed hereto whereon are erected the school premises in which the choir boys of the Cathedral Church of Lincoln are educated and boarded.

"And whereas the said Dean and Chapter have recently acquired by purchase the estate and interest demised by the said lease in the said property shown by the green colour on the said tracing and the school is under their sole direction and control and they have applied to us to convey to them our reversionary interest in the said property shown by the colour green on the said tracing which we have agreed to do in consideration of the reduction by the sum of thirty-four pounds and ten shillings per annum of the

annual sum of nine thousand and two hundred pounds aforesaid.

"And whereas the terms of such transfer are in our opinion fair and reasonable.

"Now therefore we humbly recommend and propose with the consent of the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Lincoln and with the consent of the Right Reverend Edward Bishop of Lincoln as Visitor of the said Dean and Chapter testified by their having hereunto affixed their respective corporate seals that upon and from the publication in the London Gazette of an Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme and without any further conveyance or act in the law the reversion in fee simple expectant upon the determination of the said lease of and in the premises thereby demised being the property shown by the green colour on the said tracing shall subject always to the liabilities and charges if any to which the said property may now be specifically liable be transferred to the said Dean and Chapter in the manner contemplated by the said Act as from the twenty-ninth day of September in the year one thousand nine hundred and three and so that the term created by the said lease shall be merged and absolutely extinguished in the freehold and inheritance of and in the said premises and that in consideration for such transfer as aforesaid the payment of the annual sum of nine thousand and two hundred pounds shall be reduced by the annual sum of thirty-four pounds and ten shillings as from the said twenty-ninth day of September in the year one thousand nine hundred and three.

"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 in conformity with the said Act or of any other Act of Parliament."

And whereas the said scheme has been approved by His Majesty in Council: now, therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice of His 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 Act; and His Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of London.

A. W. FitzRoy.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 29th day of *January*, 1904.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have in pursuance of the Parish of Manchester Division Act, 1850, that is to say, the Act of the thirteenth and fourteenth years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter forty-one, and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her said late Majesty, chapter fifty-five, duly prepared and laid before His Majesty in Council a scheme bearing date the seventeenth day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and three, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in pursuance of the Parish of Manchester Division Act, 1850, that is to say, the Act of the thirteenth and fourteenth years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria chapter forty-one, and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of