

partly from the endowments and emoluments of the said benefice of Eglington and partly from procurations synodals visitation fees and induction fees or some or one of these sources, and it appears to us to be undesirable that the said benefice of Eglington should continue to be annexed to the said archdeaconry of Lindisfarne and that fees derived from any of the above-mentioned sources should continue to be received by the archdeacon of the said archdeaconry.

"And whereas the payment of the yearly sum hereinafter recommended and proposed to be paid to the said archdeacon will after the disannexing of the said benefice of Eglington from the said archdeaconry of Lindisfarne and after the discontinuance of the collection of the said fees be required in order to provide for the said archdeacon an annual income of two hundred pounds.

"And whereas the said archdeaconry of Lindisfarne is now vacant.

"And whereas the whole right of patronage of the said benefice of Eglington before the annexation of such benefice to the archdeaconry of Lindisfarne was vested in the Bishop of Durham for the time being, in whose diocese the said benefice of Eglington was then situate.

"And whereas the said benefice of Eglington is now situate in the diocese of Newcastle, and it appears to us to be expedient that upon the disannexing of the said benefice of Eglington from the said archdeaconry of Lindisfarne the whole right of patronage of the said benefice of Eglington should be transferred to and be vested in the Bishop of Newcastle for the time being.

"And whereas the Right Reverend Handley Carr Glyn, now Bishop of Durham, is desirous that the whole right of patronage of the said benefice of Eglington, so soon as the same shall revert to him by the disannexing of such benefice from the said archdeaconry of Lindisfarne, should be transferred as above mentioned and as hereinafter recommended and proposed, and in token of such his desire he the said Handley Carr Glyn Bishop of Durham has executed this scheme as hereinafter mentioned.

"And whereas the Right Reverend Arthur Thomas, now Bishop of Newcastle, is willing to accept such transfer and in token of such his willingness and also in token that the arrangements hereinafter recommended and proposed have that consent of the Bishop of the diocese which by the hereinbefore recited Acts or by some or one of them is made necessary he the said Arthur Thomas Bishop of Newcastle has executed this scheme as hereinafter mentioned.

"And whereas it has been made to appear to us that the arrangements hereinafter recommended and proposed will tend to make better provision for the cure of souls in the parish or district in or in respect of which the right of patronage so to be transferred arises or exists, that is to say, in the parish of Eglington.

"Now therefore with the consent of the said Handley Carr Glyn Bishop of Durham and with the consent of the said Arthur Thomas Bishop of Newcastle (in testimony whereof each of the said Bishops has signed this scheme and sealed it with his episcopal seal) and with the consent of the Right Honourable and Most Reverend William Dalrymple Archbishop of York (in testimony whereof he has signed this scheme and sealed it with his archiepiscopal seal) we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners humbly recommend and propose that as from the day of the publication in the London Gazette of any Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners

be authorized to pay by half-yearly payments on the first day of January and the first day of July in every year out of the common fund created by the said Act of the third and fourth years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria chapter one hundred and thirteen to the archdeacon for the time being of the said archdeaconry of Lindisfarne the yearly sum of two hundred pounds the payment so first becoming due being an apportioned part only of the said sum of two hundred pounds in respect of the period between the date of the publication in the London Gazette of any Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme and the first half-yearly day of payment next ensuing; provided always, that every payment in respect of the said yearly sum of two hundred pounds shall be made by us only after we shall have been satisfied that the archdeacon who applies for the same has during the previous twelve calendar months complied with the conditions as to residence which for the time being are required by law and that he has not collected procurations synodals visitation fees or induction fees during the same period.

"And we further recommend and propose that whenever any archdeacon who may be entitled to receive the said yearly sum of two hundred pounds shall resign or otherwise avoid his archdeaconry such yearly sum shall be apportionable between such archdeacon or his representative (as the case may be) and the archdeacon who shall next be collated to the same archdeaconry.

"And we further recommend and propose that from and immediately after the endowment of the said archdeaconry of Lindisfarne with the said yearly sum of two hundred pounds as aforesaid the said benefice of Eglington shall be disannexed from the said archdeaconry of Lindisfarne, and shall be a separate benefice with cure of souls.

"And we further recommend and propose that as from the day on which the said benefice of Eglington shall be disannexed from the said archdeaconry of Lindisfarne and without any conveyance or assurance in the law other than any duly gazetted Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme the whole advowson or perpetual right of patronage of and presentation to the said benefice of Eglington so reverting to the Bishop of Durham as aforesaid shall be transferred from the said Handley Carr Glyn Bishop of Durham and from his successors in the same See and shall thereupon become and be absolutely vested in and shall and may from time to time be fully and freely exercised by the said Arthur Thomas Bishop of Newcastle and by his successors in the same See for ever.

"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 accordance with the provisions of the said Acts or of any of them 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 Acts; 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 Newcastle.

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