

"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 herein named Acts or of either 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 Ely.

A. W. FitzRoy.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 11th day of *May*, 1906.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter thirty-seven, duly prepared and laid before His Majesty in Council a scheme bearing date the twenty-ninth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and six, in the words following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter thirty-seven, have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following scheme for assigning the right of patronage of the district and new parish of Saint Cuthbert, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, in the county of Northumberland and in the diocese of Newcastle.

"Whereas by an Order of Her said late Majesty in Council bearing date the thirteenth day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, and published in the London Gazette on the seventeenth day of the same month the district of Saint Cuthbert, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, was under the provisions of the hereinbefore mentioned Act constituted out of the parish or parochial chapelry of All Saints, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and the parish of Saint Nicholas, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, both in the said county of Northumberland and in the said diocese of Newcastle.

"And whereas the said district of Saint Cuthbert, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, has, under the provisions of the said Act of the sixth and seventh years of Her said late Majesty, chapter thirty-seven, now become a new parish of the character contemplated by that Act.

"And whereas no assignment of the patronage of the said district and new parish of Saint Cuthbert, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, was made by the said Order and no such assignment had since been made.

"And whereas by an Order of Her said late Majesty in Council, bearing date the nineteenth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, and published in the

London Gazette on the twenty-sixth day of the same month, the alternate right of patronage of the said district and new parish of Saint Cuthbert, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, theretofore exercised under the twenty-first section of the said Act of the sixth and seventh years of Her said late Majesty, chapter thirty-seven, by the Bishop of Newcastle, was transferred by way of exchange to Your Majesty Your heirs and successors.

"And whereas a capital sum of one thousand pounds sterling has been contributed and paid to the credit of our account at the Bank of England by Thomas George Gibson, of the city and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor, and the Right Reverend Arthur Thomas, Bishop of Newcastle, towards the augmentation of the endowment of the said district and new parish of Saint Cuthbert, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and for the benefit of the Vicar or Incumbent thereof, and we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, have in respect of the said sum, agreed with the said Thomas George Gibson and Arthur Thomas, Bishop of Newcastle, and have undertaken to provide and pay by equal quarterly payments on the first day of February, the first day of May, the first day of August, and the first day of November in each and every year to the Vicar or Incumbent of the said district and new parish of Saint Cuthbert, Newcastle-upon-Tyne (being duly licensed thereto) the yearly sum of thirty pounds so long as the said capital sum shall remain in our hands.

"And whereas the said capital sum of one thousand pounds sterling was so contributed and paid by the said Thomas George Gibson and Arthur Thomas, Bishop of Newcastle, as aforesaid upon the understanding that (such arrangement appearing to us expedient) the whole right of patronage of the said district and new parish of Saint Cuthbert, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and of the nomination of the Vicar or Incumbent thereto should be assigned to the Bishop of Newcastle for the time being in the manner which is hereinafter recommended and proposed.

"And whereas it has been made to appear to us that the assignment of the patronage and right of nomination and presentation of and to the said district and new parish of Saint Cuthbert, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, which has been proposed to us by the said Thomas George Gibson and Arthur Thomas, Bishop of Newcastle, as aforesaid may properly be effected.

"Now therefore we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, humbly recommend and propose that the whole right of patronage of the said district and new parish of Saint Cuthbert, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and of the nomination of the Vicar or Incumbent thereto shall without any conveyance or assurance in the law other than this scheme and any duly gazetted Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying the same and upon and from the day of the date of the publication of such Order in the London Gazette be assigned to and be absolutely vested in and shall and may from time to time be exercised by the said Arthur Thomas, now Bishop of Newcastle, and by his successors in the same Bishoprick 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 conformity with the provisions of the hereinbefore mentioned 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