

Exeter, and 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 further or 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 on behalf of His Majesty at the Council held under the authority of the said Commission:

Now, therefore, His Royal Highness Prince Arthur of Connaught, His Grace the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and the Lord President of the Council, being authorized thereto by His Majesty's said Commission, do hereby, by and with the advice of His Majesty's Privy Council, on His Majesty's behalf, ratify the said scheme, and do 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 do further, by and with the like advice, direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said Diocese of Exeter.

*Almeric FitzRoy.*

At the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 17th day of January, 1912.

PRESENT,

HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS PRINCE ARTHUR  
OF CONNAUGHT,  
ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY,  
LORD CHANCELLOR,  
LORD PRESIDENT.

Lord Privy Seal.

Mr. G. W. E. Russell.

Colonel J. E. B. Seely.

Mr. T. J. Macnamara.

**W**HEREAS His Majesty was pleased by His Commission dated the 10th day of November, 1911, to nominate and appoint His Royal Highness Prince Arthur of Connaught, K.G., G.C.V.O., His Grace the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, G.C.V.O., the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and the Lord President of the Council, or any two of them, in His Majesty's absence from the United Kingdom, to summon and hold on His Majesty's behalf His Privy Council and to signify thereat His Majesty's approval of any matter or thing to which His Majesty's approval in Council is required.

And whereas the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the thirty-third and thirty-fourth years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter thirty-nine, and of the Acts therein mentioned, that is to say, the Act of the third and fourth years of Her said late Majesty, chapter one hundred and thirteen, the Act of the fourth and fifth years of Her said late Majesty, chapter thirty-nine, and the Act of the thirty-first and thirty-second years of Her said late

Majesty, chapter one hundred and fourteen, duly prepared and laid before His Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the sixteenth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven, 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 Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter thirty-nine, and of the Acts therein mentioned, that is to say, the Act of the third and fourth years of Her said late Majesty, chapter one hundred and thirteen, the Act of the fourth and fifth years of Her said late Majesty, chapter thirty-nine, and the Act of the thirty-first and thirty-second years of Her said late Majesty, chapter one hundred and fourteen, have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following scheme for effecting a transfer of the ownership of the advowsons or perpetual right of patronage of and presentation to the church and cure (hereinafter called ‘the said benefice’) of Tavistock, the church and cure (hereinafter called ‘the said benefice’) of Saint Paul, Tavistock, and the church and cure (hereinafter called ‘the said benefice’) of Brent Tor, otherwise Brentor, all in the county of Devon and in the diocese of Exeter.

“Whereas the advowson or perpetual right of patronage of and presentation to each of the said benefices of Tavistock, Saint Paul, Tavistock, and Brent Tor, otherwise Brentor, is vested for an estate in fee simple free from incumbrances in certain trustees upon trust in the first place for Herbrand, eleventh Duke of Bedford, a Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter (hereinafter called the said Duke of Bedford) for his life, and the said Duke of Bedford is therefore the patron or person entitled to present or nominate to the said benefices in case the same were now vacant.

“And whereas the said Duke of Bedford is desirous that the whole advowson or perpetual right of patronage of and presentation to each of the said benefices of Tavistock, Saint Paul, Tavistock, and Brent Tor, otherwise Brentor, should be transferred to and be vested in the Bishop for the time being of the said diocese of Exeter.

“And whereas the Right Reverend Archibald, now Bishop of Exeter, is willing to accept such 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 Archibald, Bishop of the diocese of Exeter, has executed this scheme as hereinafter mentioned.

“And whereas the transfer of the patronage of the said benefices of Tavistock, Saint Paul, Tavistock, and Brent Tor, otherwise Brentor, which is hereinbefore mentioned and hereinafter recommended and proposed, will in our opinion tend to make better provision for the cure of souls in the parishes or districts in or in respect of which the right of patronage or advowsons so recommended and proposed to be transferred as aforesaid respectively arise or exist, that is to say, in the parish of Tavistock, in the new parish of Saint Paul, Tavistock, and in the parish of Brent Tor, otherwise Brentor.

“Now, therefore, with the consent of the said Duke of Bedford, being the person whose