

honorary canonries founded thereunder shall be applicable save that so long as there shall be no dean and chapter of the said cathedral church it shall be lawful for the Bishop of Chelmsford of his own sole authority, and without the consent of any dean and chapter, to make regulations respecting the honorary canons so appointed, provided always that any honorary canons in the cathedral church of Saint Albans who upon the foundation of the bishoprick of Chelmsford were holding benefices in that part of the diocese of Saint Albans which has now become the diocese of Chelmsford, and who, by writing under their respective hands, duly registered or recorded as the Bishop of Chelmsford shall direct, shall consent to such transfer, shall (notwithstanding anything in the last-mentioned Act and section contained) be transferred to and become honorary canons in the said cathedral church of the bishoprick of Chelmsford, and shall thereupon, that is to say, as to each of them upon his appointment as such honorary canon in the cathedral church of the bishoprick of Chelmsford, cease, ipso facto, to be an honorary canon in the cathedral church of Saint Albans: Provided also that in the first year after the passing of any Order of Your Majesty in Council confirming this Scheme eight spiritual persons and no more (exclusive of any honorary canons who may be transferred from the cathedral church of Saint Albans as aforesaid) may be appointed to honorary canonries in the said cathedral church of the bishoprick of Chelmsford.

"17. All tithes, tithe apportionments, maps, plans and other documents relating exclusively to any parish or parishes, ecclesiastical districts, or other cures or places situate within the diocese of Chelmsford as hereinbefore defined, or otherwise relating exclusively to the said diocese or relating exclusively to any part or parts of any diocese hereinbefore recommended to be included in any other diocese shall, subject to the provisions hereinbefore contained, be transferred from the custody of the registrar or other officer of the diocese or of the Bishop of the diocese within which the said parish or parishes, ecclesiastical districts, or other cures or places were situate immediately before the foundation of the said diocese of Chelmsford as aforesaid or (as the case may be) are now situate and shall become and be in the custody of such registrar or other officer or officers of the diocese or of the Bishop of the diocese of Chelmsford or other the diocese in which such places are hereinbefore recommended to be included as the Bishop of such diocese shall appoint in that behalf. And as to all documents which may remain in their present custody, although relating to or affecting the bishoprick of Chelmsford or any parish, ecclesiastical district, cure or place now situate in the diocese of Chelmsford as hereinbefore defined, or by this Scheme, and any Order of Your Majesty in Council confirming the same transferred from one diocese to another diocese, the registrar or other officer of the diocese of Chelmsford or other the diocese to which such parish, ecclesiastical district, cure or place shall be so transferred as aforesaid shall be at liberty at all convenient times to inspect such documents and take copies therefrom as freely as the registrar or other officer in whose custody such documents may so remain."

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 on and after the thirteenth day of April of the present year, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, and that this Order shall be forthwith 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 Registrars of the said dioceses of Ely, Saint Albans, Chelmsford, and Saint Edmundsbury and Ipswich.

*Almeric FitzRoy.*

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 30th day of *March*, 1914.

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 His late Majesty King William the Fourth, chapter seventy-seven, and of the Act of the fifth year of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria (Session two), chapter twenty-six, duly prepared and laid before His Majesty in Council a scheme bearing date the twelfth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, chapter seventy-seven, and of the Act of the fifth year of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria (Session two), chapter twenty-six, have prepared, and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following scheme for authorizing certain works of improvement at Farnham Castle, the episcopal house of residence belonging to the see of Winchester.

"Whereas the Right Reverend Edward Stuart, now Bishop of Winchester, is desirous that certain works should be carried out for the improvement of the laundry at Farnham Castle, the episcopal house of residence of the see of Winchester, and has submitted to us the particulars of such works, and we have approved the same.

"And whereas the said Bishop is also desirous, and it appears to us to be expedient, that towards the cost of the said works a sum of one hundred pounds (being a sum which, together with the two sums of five hundred pounds and nine hundred pounds recently authorized to be borrowed upon the same security under the authority of the statutes hereinbefore mentioned, does not exceed two years' income of the see) should be provided by the borrowing of the same sum by way of mortgage upon the security of all and every part of the lands, tenements and hereditaments, endowments, or emoluments, which now belong or may hereafter belong to the Bishop of Winchester.

"Now therefore, with the consent of the said Edward Stuart, Bishop of Winchester (testified by his having affixed his signature