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TUESDAY, 23 JUNE, 1914.

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At the Court at Windsor Castle, the 18th day of June, 1914.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the sixteenth and seventeenth years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter fifty, and of the Act of the twenty-third and twenty-fourth years of Her said late Majesty, chapter one hundred and twenty-four, duly prepared, and laid before His Majesty in Council, a Scheme, bearing date the 14th day of May, in the year 1914, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

“We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the sixteenth and seventeenth years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter fifty, and of the Act of the twenty-third and twenty-fourth years of Her said late Majesty, chapter one hundred and twenty-

four, have prepared, and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council, the following Scheme for effecting a transfer of the advowson or perpetual right of patronage of and presentation to each of ten benefices, all of which are situate in the county of Kent, and in the Diocese of Rochester, namely the benefice (being a rectory) of Cliffe at Hoo, the benefice (being a vicarage) of Eynsford, the benefice (being a vicarage) of Farningham, the benefice (being a rectory) of Halstead, the benefice (being a rectory) of Hayes, the benefice (being a rectory) of Keston, the benefice (being a rectory) of Knockholt, the benefice (being a vicarage) of Meopham, the benefice (being a rectory) of Orpington, and the benefice (being a rectory and a vicarage) of Wrotham, by way of exchange for the advowson or perpetual right of patronage of or presentation to each of eleven benefices, all of which are situate in the county of Kent, and in the Diocese of Canterbury, namely the benefice (being a vicarage) of Ashford, the benefice (being a vicarage) of Bearstead, the benefice (being a vicarage) of Boughton Monchelsea, the benefice (being a vicar-