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TUESDAY, 19 DECEMBER, 1916.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 13th day of *December*, 1916.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the 6th and 7th years of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, Chapter 77, of the Act of the 3rd and 4th years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, Chapter 113, and of the Act of the 37th and 38th years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 63, duly prepared, and laid before His Majesty in Council, a Scheme, bearing date the 23rd day of November, in the year 1916, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

“ We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the 6th and 7th years of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, Chapter 77, of the Act of the 3rd and 4th years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, Chapter 113, and of the Act of the 37th and 38th years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 63, have prepared, and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council, the following Scheme with respect to some of the Rural Deaneries within the Archdeaconry of the East Riding, in the Diocese of York:

“ Whereas it has been represented to us by the Right Honourable and Most Reverend Cosmo Gordon, Archbishop of York, that the arrangements which are hereinafter recommended and proposed with respect to some of the Rural Deaneries within the said Archdeaconry of the East Riding are desirable and should be carried into effect, and we are of opinion that the same may be properly carried into effect:

“ Now, therefore, with the consent of the said Cosmo Gordon, Archbishop of York, (in testimony whereof he has set his hand and Archiepiscopal Seal to this Scheme), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, humbly recommend and propose that as from the day on which any Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this Scheme shall be published in the London Gazette, and without any assurance in the law other than such duly gazetted Order, *firstly*, within the said Archdeaconry of the East Riding, the Parishes of Anlaby, Hessle, Saint Nicholas Kingston upon Hull, Kirk Ella, North Ferriby, and Welton with Melton, shall be transferred from the Rural Deanery of Howden to the Rural Deanery of Kingston upon Hull; and, *secondly*, within the same Archdeaconry, the Parish of North Newbald shall be transferred from the Rural Deanery of Weighton to the said Rural Deanery of