

of 'The United Benefice of Marlborough, Saint Peter and Saint Paul with Saint Mary the Virgin,' but the Parishes of the said Benefices shall continue distinct in all respects.

" 2. That upon the day when any Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this Scheme shall be published in the London Gazette the union shall forthwith take effect, and the said Charles Dixon Hoste if he is then Incumbent of the said Benefices of Marlborough, Saint Peter and Saint Paul, and Marlborough, Saint Mary the Virgin, shall be the first Incumbent of the United Benefice.

" 3. That a Curate be appointed to assist in performing the duties of the United Benefice.

" 4. That upon the said union taking effect the Parsonage House at present belonging to the said Benefice of Marlborough, Saint Peter and Saint Paul, shall become and be the house of residence for the Incumbent of the United Benefice.

" Provided always that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other measures relating to the matters aforesaid, or any of them, in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, or of any other Act of Parliament."

And whereas drafts of the said Scheme have been published locally in the manner prescribed in the Statutory Rules made under the said Act and also transmitted in the manner so prescribed to the Patron affected, together with a Notice in each case requiring any objections to such draft Scheme to be stated or transmitted in writing to the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners within the time prescribed in the same Rules:

And whereas the prescribed time has elapsed and no such objections have been so stated or transmitted to the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners:

And whereas public notice of the certification to His Majesty in Council of the said Scheme and the consent thereto in writing of the Bishop of Salisbury has been duly given in the manner and within the time prescribed in the Statutory Rules aforesaid:

And whereas the two Benefices affected by the said Scheme are both situate in the Municipal Borough of Marlborough:

And whereas the said Scheme has been laid before both Houses of Parliament for the space of two calendar months:

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 affirm the said Scheme and to order that the two Benefices therein recommended to be united shall be united to the extent and for the purposes recommended in the said Scheme, and further to order and direct that the said Scheme 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 Act.

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 Salisbury.

M. P. A. Hankey.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 21st day of *March*, 1924.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Union of Benefices Act, 1919, duly prepared, and laid before His Majesty in Council, a Scheme, bearing date the 22nd day of November, 1923, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

" We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Union of Benefices Act, 1919, have prepared, and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council, the following Scheme for effecting the union of two neighbouring Benefices, that is to say, the Benefice (being a Vicarage) of Saint Luke, Nottingham, and the Benefice (being a Vicarage) of Saint Philip, Nottingham, both of which Benefices are situate in the City and County of Nottingham and in the Diocese of Southwell:

" Whereas Commissioners appointed at our request by the Right Reverend Edwyn, Bishop of Southwell, pursuant to the provisions of the said Union of Benefices Act, 1919, to inquire into and report upon the union of the said two Benefices of Saint Luke, Nottingham, and Saint Philip, Nottingham, duly made their Report to the said Bishop of Southwell and therein recommended the union of the said two Benefices and the terms for effecting the union, and the said Bishop of Southwell signified in writing his approval of the said Report:

" And whereas we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, have prepared this Scheme for the union of the said two Benefices based upon the terms recommended in the said Report:

" And whereas both of the said Benefices of Saint Luke, Nottingham, and Saint Philip, Nottingham, are now full, the Reverend Frank Johnson Taylor being the present Incumbent of the said Benefice of Saint Luke, Nottingham, and the Reverend John Goulton being the present Incumbent of the said Benefice of Saint Philip, Nottingham:

" And whereas the right of presentation or nomination to the said Benefice of Saint Luke, Nottingham, at present belongs to Sir Edward Hildred Carlile, of Ponsbourne Park, Hertford, in the County of Hertford, Baronet, M.P., The Venerable Robert Charles Joynt, of 12, Kingswood Road, London, S.E. 19, Archdeacon of Kingston on Thames and Canon Residentiary of Southwark Cathedral, The Reverend Prebendary Edward Grose Hodge, Rector of Birmingham and Honorary Canon of Birmingham, The Reverend Canon Arthur Blackwell Goulburn Lillingston, of the College, Durham, Canon Residentiary of Durham Cathedral and Sir Thomas Walker Hobart Inskip, Knight, K.C., M.P., of No. 3, Hare Court, Temple, in the City of London:

" And whereas the right of presentation or nomination to the said Benefice of Saint Philip, Nottingham, at present belongs to Henry Edward Thornton, Esquire, of Wymeshead, Kegworth, in the County of Leicester, Clement Boughton Kingdon, Esquire, of Stamford Hill, Stratton, in the County of Cornwall, the said Robert Charles Joynt, the said Edward Grose