

United Benefice of Hilton with Cheselbourne and Melcombe Horsey at a stipend of £250 per annum, and that a part of the endowment of the United Benefice, namely the whole of the Tithe Rent Charge and other endowments derived from the Benefice of Melcombe Horsey be appropriated as a fund for securing the provision of such stipend as aforesaid for a Curate so to assist the Incumbent of the United Benefice as aforesaid and the income arising from the said fund shall be received by the Incumbent of the said United Benefice as part of the income thereof subject to and charged with the payment of such stipend as aforesaid.

" 5. That after the union of all the said three Benefices has taken effect the course and succession in which the respective Patrons shall present or nominate to the United Benefice from time to time as the same shall become vacant shall be as follows, that is to say, that in every series of three successive turns of presentation or nomination to be made to the United Benefice the Patron of the said Benefice of Hilton shall have one turn and the Patron of the said Benefices of Cheselbourne and Melcombe Horsey shall have two turns, and if an Incumbent presented or nominated by the Patron of the said Benefice of Hilton to the said Benefice of Hilton, or to the said United Benefice of Hilton with Melcombe Horsey as the case may be, becomes under the provisions of this Scheme the first Incumbent of the United Benefice of Hilton with Cheselbourne and Melcombe Horsey, the first and third turns in every such series of three turns shall belong to the Patron of the said Benefices of Cheselbourne and Melcombe Horsey and the second turn to the Patron of the said Benefice of Hilton, but if an Incumbent presented or nominated by the Patron of the said Benefices of Cheselbourne and Melcombe Horsey to the said Benefice of Melcombe Horsey or to the said United Benefice of Cheselbourne and Melcombe Horsey or to the said United Benefice of Hilton with Melcombe Horsey, becomes under the provisions of this Scheme, the first Incumbent of the United Benefice of Hilton with Cheselbourne and Melcombe Horsey, the first turn in every such series of three turns shall belong to the Patron of the said Benefice of Hilton and the second and third turns to the Patron of the said Benefices of Cheselbourne and Melcombe Horsey.

" 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 Measures, or of any other Act of Parliament, or Measure of the National Assembly of the Church of England."

And whereas drafts of the said Scheme have been duly published in accordance with the provisions of the said Union of Benefices Measure, 1923, and Notices have been transmitted to the persons or bodies entitled under the same Measure to receive Notice 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 Statutory Rules applicable to proceedings under the said Union of Benefices Measure, 1923:

And whereas certain objections have been so stated or transmitted to the said Eccle-

siastical Commissioners within the time prescribed in the same Rules:

And whereas the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners after giving full consideration to such objections have deemed right to make no alterations in such draft Scheme:

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 no appeal has been made to His Majesty in Council within the period of one month after the date of the said public notice in accordance with the provisions of the said Union of Benefices Measure, 1923, against the said Scheme or any part thereof by any person who has made objection as aforesaid to the said draft Scheme:

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, as it is hereby ordered, that the three 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 Union of Benefices Measure, 1923.

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 2nd day of May, 1925.

PRESENT.

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Minister of Health, after giving to the Incumbent and the Churchwardens of the Parish of Horwich, in the County of Lancaster, 10 days' previous notice of his intention in that behalf, has, under the provisions of the Burial Act, 1853, as amended by subsequent enactments, made a Representation to His Majesty in Council that, for the protection of the Public Health, the opening of any new Burial Ground in the Civil Parish of Horwich, in the said County of Lancaster, save with the previous approval of the Minister of Health, should be prohibited, and that Burials should be discontinued therein as hereinafter directed:

And whereas by an Order in Council of the 6th February, 1925, Notice of such Representation was given, and it was ordered that the same should be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Privy Council on the 19th March next, and such Order has been published in the London Gazette, and copies thereof have been affixed, as required by the said Act: