

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 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 Canterbury.

M. P. A. Hankey.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 24th day of July, 1925.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the 3rd and 4th years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, Chapter 113, of the Act of the 6th and 7th years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 37, and of the Act of the 19th and 20th years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 104, duly prepared, and laid before His Majesty in Council, a Scheme, bearing date the 18th day of June, 1925, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

“ We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the 3rd and 4th years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, Chapter 113, of the Act of the 6th and 7th years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 37, and of the Act of the 19th and 20th years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 104, have prepared, and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council, the following Scheme for constituting a separate District or New Parish for spiritual purposes to be taken partly out of the Parish of Crayford and partly out of the New Parish (sometime District Chapelry) of Christ Church, Erith, both in the County of Kent and in the Diocese of Rochester:

“ Whereas we are satisfied that the said Parish of Crayford and the said New Parish of Christ Church, Erith, are Cures wherein or in parts whereof the provision for public worship and for pastoral superintendence is insufficient for the spiritual wants of the inhabitants thereof and it has been made to appear to us that it would promote the interests of religion that the particular portions of the said Parish of Crayford and of the said New Parish of Christ Church, Erith, which are hereinafter mentioned and described should be constituted a separate District or New Parish in the manner which is hereinafter set forth:

“ And whereas there is within the limits of the said proposed separate District or New Parish a consecrated Church in use for the purposes of Divine Worship and such Church is named ‘ The Church of Saint Augustine, Slade Green ’:

“ And whereas by a certain Indenture bearing date on or about the 26th day of May, 1925, and made or expressed to be made under the authority of the ‘ New Parishes Acts, 1843, 1844 and 1856 ’ or some or one of them, between the Reverend Canon Gustavus John Jones, Rector or Incumbent of the Rectory of the said Parish of Crayford of the first part, the Right Reverend John Reginald, Bishop of Rochester, as the Patron in right of his See and also as the Ordinary of the said Rectory of the Parish of Crayford, of the second part, and us, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, of the third part (which Indenture is intended to be enrolled in the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice), the said Gustavus John Jones did, with the consent of the said John Reginald, Bishop of Rochester, as such Bishop and also as such Patron as aforesaid, grant and confirm unto the Minister or Incumbent of the District or New Parish hereinafter recommended to be constituted and to his successors certain Tithe Rent Charges commuted at £100 19s. 6d. arising from lands and hereditaments situate in the said Parish of Crayford and belonging to the said Rectory of Crayford, free from and clear of all charges for First Fruits and Tenths, such grant of the said Tithe Commutation Rent Charges to take effect as from the date of the avoidance of the said Rectory of Crayford by the said Gustavus John Jones:

“ And whereas we have agreed to make and pay out of the Common Fund created by the firstly herein mentioned Act a grant of £150 per annum to the Minister or Incumbent of the said proposed separate District or New Parish so soon as a Minister or Incumbent shall have been duly licensed in accordance with the provisions of the secondly herein mentioned Act and to his successors:

“ And whereas the said grant of the said yearly sum of £150 will after the publication in the London Gazette of an Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this Scheme be made and secured by an Instrument to be executed by us, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, under our Common Seal, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of the 29th and 30th years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 111:

“ And whereas the said Tithe Commutation Rent Charges have been so granted and confirmed by the said Gustavus John Jones as aforesaid upon the understanding and condition that (such arrangement appearing to us to be expedient) the whole right of Patronage of the said proposed District or New Parish and of the nomination of the Minister or Incumbent thereof, should be assigned in the manner which is hereinafter set forth:

“ And whereas the said Gustavus John Jones has nominated to us the Bishop for the time being of the said Diocese of Rochester, as the person to whom he desires that the whole right of Patronage of the said proposed District or New Parish should be assigned:

“ Now, therefore, with the consent of the said John Reginald, Bishop of Rochester (in testimony whereof he has signed and sealed this Scheme), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, humbly recommend and propose that all those portions of the said Parish of Crayford and of the said New Parish of Christ Church, Erith, which are described in the