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TUESDAY, 20 DECEMBER, 1932.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 15th day of December, 1932.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Union of Benefices Measure, 1923, duly prepared, and laid before His Majesty in Council, a Scheme bearing date the 28th day of January, 1932, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Union of Benefices Measure, 1923, have prepared, and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council, the following Scheme for effecting the union of the Benefice (being a Vicarage) of Foxton and the Benefice (being a Rectory) of Gumley, both of which Benefices are situate in the County of Leicester and in the Diocese of Leicester:

"Whereas Commissioners appointed at our request by the Right Reverend Cyril, Bishop of Leicester, pursuant to the provisions of the said Union of Benefices Measure, 1923, to inquire into and report upon the union of the said two Benefices of Foxton and Gumley duly made their Report to the said Bishop of Leicester and therein recommended the union of the said two Benefices and the terms for effecting the union, and the said Bishop of Leicester 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 Foxton and Gumley are now full, the Reverend William Tristram Edward Cary being the present Incumbent of the said Benefice of Foxton and the Reverend James Arthur Herbert Bell being the present Incumbent of the said Benefice of Gumley:

"Now, therefore, we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, with the consent of the said Cyril, Bishop of Leicester (in testimony whereof he has signed this Scheme), do humbly recommend and propose to Your Majesty as follows, that is to say:--

"1. That the said Benefice of Foxton and the said Benefice of Gumley shall be permanently united together and form one Benefice with cure of souls under the style of 'The United Benefice of Foxton with Gumley' but the Parishes of the said Benefices shall continue distinct in all respects.

"2. That if upon the day when any Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this Scheme shall be published in the London Gazette both of the said two Benefices shall be