

Joseph David Sayer if he is then Incumbent of the said Benefice of Whepstead shall be the first Incumbent of the United Benefice.

" 3. That upon the said union taking effect the Parsonage House at present belonging to the said Benefice of Whepstead shall become and be the house of residence for the Incumbent of the United Benefice and so soon as conveniently may be the Parsonage House at Brockley at present belonging to the said United Benefice of Brockley with Somerton and the site and appurtenances thereof and the grounds heretofore usually occupied and enjoyed therewith shall be sold and disposed of by us the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners at such time or times and in such manner in all respects as to us shall seem expedient and that the net proceeds of such sale shall constitute and form part of the Expenses Fund established pursuant to the 32nd Section of the Union of Benefices Measure, 1923.

" 4. That upon the said union taking effect the endowments of the said United Benefice of Brockley with Somerton shall be divided as follows, that is to say, there shall be transferred to the United Benefice of Whepstead with Brockley subject as hereinafter mentioned (a) the whole of the glebe land at present forming part of such endowments (b) the sum of £67 *lis.* 5*d.* Local Loans £3 per cent. Stock held by Queen Anne's Bounty and also at present forming part of such endowments and (c) the part of the income in lieu of tithe payable by Queen Anne's Bounty to the Incumbent of the said United Benefice of Brockley with Somerton which arises in respect of Tithe Rent-charge formerly belonging to the said Benefice of Brockley and all other endowments at present belonging to the said United Benefice of Brockley with Somerton shall be transferred and belong to the Benefice of Somerton (being part of the said United Benefice of Brockley with Somerton).

" Provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from making any other recommendations and proposals relating to the matters aforesaid, or any of them, in accordance with the provisions of the said Measures, or of any other Measure of the National Assembly of the Church of England, or of any Act of Parliament."

And whereas drafts of the said Scheme have been duly published in accordance with the provisions of the said Measures, and Notices have been transmitted to the persons or bodies entitled under the said Measures 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 Measures:

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 Saint Edmundsbury and Ipswich has been duly given in the manner and within the time prescribed in the Statutory Rules aforesaid:

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 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 date when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Measures.

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 Saint Edmundsbury and Ipswich.

*Rupert B. Howorth.*

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 4th day of *June*, 1940.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Union of Benefices Measures, 1923 to 1936, duly prepared and laid before His Majesty in Council a Scheme bearing date the 30th day of May, 1940, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

" We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Union of Benefices Measures, 1923 to 1936, 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 Eyton and the Benefice (being a Vicarage) of Lucton both of which Benefices are situate in the County and in the Diocese of Hereford, and for effecting an alteration of the boundaries of the Parish of the said Benefice of Eyton:

" Whereas Commissioners appointed at our request by the Right Reverend Lisle, Bishop of Hereford, pursuant to the provisions of the said Measures to inquire into and report upon the union of the said two Benefices of Eyton and Lucton duly made their Report to the said Bishop of Hereford and therein recommended the union of the said two Benefices and the terms for effecting the union and also an alteration of the boundaries of the Parish of the said Benefice of Eyton, and the said Bishop of Hereford 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 and for the said alteration of boundaries based upon the terms recommended in the said Report:

" And whereas both of the said Benefices are now full, the Reverend William Graham Moeran being the present Incumbent of the said Benefice of Eyton and the Reverend George Henzell Jobling being the present Incumbent of the said Benefice of Lucton:

" And whereas the patronage of the said two Benefices now belongs to one and the same Patron:

" Now, therefore, we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, with the consent of the said Lisle, Bishop of Hereford (testified by