

down of the Church, the removal of monuments (if any) and all other expenses incidental to these matters, shall be applied by us as follows, that is to say (a) a sufficient sum shall be appropriated for the payment of the compensation or compensations hereinafter mentioned or for the repayment of any advance made for the purpose of such compensation or compensations; (b) a sum to be determined by us, in consultation with the Bishop of Sheffield, shall be applied towards the cost of the repair and redecoration of the Parish Church of the United Parish; and (c) any residue shall be appropriated to and form part of the said Expenses Fund.

" (3) That the font, communion table and plate used for the purpose of the Holy Communion in the said Church of Saint Philip, Sheffield, shall not be sold but shall in accordance with the provisions of the said Measures and as the Bishop of the Diocese may direct be transferred to the Church of Saint Ann, Netherthorpe, being the Parish Church of the United Benefice or to some other Church or Churches within the Diocese of Sheffield and the bells, organ and other furniture and fittings of the Church of Saint Philip, Sheffield, or such of them as the Bishop of Sheffield shall select, shall be removed to the Parish Church of the United Benefice, and any of such articles not so removed shall be appropriated by the Bishop of Sheffield for use in any other Church or Chapel or Churches or Chapels within the Diocese of Sheffield which the Bishop may select or shall be sold and in such case the proceeds shall be added to the fund arising from the sale of the site and materials of the Church of Saint Philip, Sheffield, as aforesaid.

" (4) That in the event of the services of any Church officers and servants of the Church of Saint Philip, Sheffield, being dispensed with by reason of the union taking effect, such Church officers and servants shall out of any moneys to be received by us under the provisions of this clause receive such reasonable compensation as having regard to age, length of service and other circumstances of the case shall seem to us and to the Bishop of Sheffield equitable and proper; Provided that it shall be lawful for us if we shall see fit so to do in all or any of these cases to advance the compensation money or any part thereof out of the said Expenses Fund.

" 8. That after the union 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, the right of presentation shall be exercised by the Patrons of the two Benefices alternately the Patron of the Benefice of Netherthorpe, Saint Ann, having the right upon the first presentation to the United Benefice to be made after the union and every alternate right of presentation and the Patron of the Benefice of Sheffield, Saint Philip, having the right of presentation upon the second presentation to the United Benefice to be made after the union and every alternate turn thereafter.

" Provided always that the provisions herein contained relating to the sale and disposal of the Church of Saint Philip, Sheffield, shall not take effect until the consents and approval which by the said Measures are made requisite to the sale under the powers conferred by those

Measures of the site of any Church shall be obtained to the sale and disposal hereby proposed of the Church of Saint Philip, Sheffield, and of the site thereof together with any ground annexed or belonging thereto.

" And provided further 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 the provisions of the Union of Benefices Measures, 1923 to 1936, and the Union of Benefices Rules, 1926 to 1930, relating to the preparation and submission of this Scheme have been duly complied with:

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 it shall be and become effectual in law immediately upon the publication of this Order in the London Gazette.

*Rupert B. Howorth.*

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 28th day of February, 1941.

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 12th day of December, 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 Leeds, All Saints, and the Benefice (being a Vicarage) of Leeds; Saint Alban the Martyr, both of which Benefices are situate in the County of York and in the Diocese of Ripon:

" Whereas Commissioners appointed at our request by the Right Reverend Geoffrey, Bishop of Ripon, pursuant to the provisions of the said Measures to inquire into and report upon the union of the said two Benefices of Leeds, All Saints, and Leeds, Saint Alban the Martyr, duly made their Report to the said Bishop of Ripon and therein recommended the union of the said two Benefices and the terms for effecting the union, and the said Bishop of Ripon 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 which Scheme is based upon the terms recommended in the said Report but with the assent of the said Bishop of Ripon embodies certain modifications thereof:

" And whereas the said Benefice of Leeds, All Saints, is now full the Reverend Philip