

Little Cheverell shall be vacant the union shall forthwith take effect but if it shall then be full the union shall, with the consent (testified by his signature hereto) of the Reverend Percival Sexty now incumbent of the benefice of Great Cheverell as well as of the said united benefice, take effect immediately upon the next avoidance of the said united benefice.

"3. *Parsonage house.* Upon the union taking effect the glebe house at present belonging to the benefice of Great Cheverell shall, if at that date it so belongs, be the house of residence of the incumbent of the united benefice of Great Cheverell and Little Cheverell.

"4. *Patronage.* After the union has taken effect the right of presentation to the united benefice of Great Cheverell and Little Cheverell shall be exercised alternately by the patron of the present united benefice of West, or Bishop's, Lavington with Little Cheverell and by the patron of the present benefice of Great Cheverell, the first mentioned patron having the first presentation to the united benefice of Great Cheverell and Little Cheverell to be made after the union and the right of presentation or nomination to the separate benefice of Bishop's Lavington shall belong to and be exercised solely by the patron of the present united benefice of West, or Bishop's, Lavington with Little Cheverell.

"5. *Endowments and property.* Upon the union taking effect the endowments and property now belonging to the united benefice of West, or Bishop's, Lavington with Little Cheverell shall be divided and distributed as follows, that is to say, a capital sum sufficient to produce an annual income of £298, being part of a larger capital sum held by us for the said united benefice, shall be assigned and annexed to the united benefice of Great Cheverell and Little Cheverell and all other the endowments and property (including the parsonage house) of the united benefice of West, or Bishop's, Lavington with Little Cheverell shall be assigned and annexed to the separate benefice of Bishop's Lavington."

And whereas the provisions of the Union of Benefices (Measures, 1923 to 1952, the Union of Benefices Rules, 1926 and 1930, and the Pastoral Reorganisation Measure, 1949, relating to the preparation and submission of this Scheme have been duly complied with:

And whereas the said Schedule has been approved by Her Majesty in Council:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her 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.

W. G. Agnew.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 14th day of *March*, 1958.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Church Commissioners have duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a Scheme bearing date the 7th day of March, 1958, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We, the Church Commissioners, in pursuance of the Ecclesiastical Commissioners (Exchange of Patronage) Act, 1853, and of the Ecclesiastical Commissioners Act, 1860, have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following Scheme for effecting an exchange of certain interests in the patronage of certain benefices in the diocese of Worcester, namely, the exchange of (i) the alternate right of patronage of the benefice of Elmbridge with Rushock and (ii) the one third interest in the patronage of the benefice of Earl's Croome with Hill Croome and Strensham, which said interests are now vested in Your Majesty and exercisable on behalf of Your Majesty by the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain for the time being, for (i) the alternate right of patronage of the benefice of Stoke Bliss with Kyre and (ii) the alternate right of patronage of the benefice of Upton Snodsbury with Broughton Hackett, which said interests are now vested in the

Bishop of Worcester in right of his See, and we do hereby certify that we have made due enquiry into the respective circumstances and present values of the said benefices and that they are as set forth in the Schedule to the said Scheme.

"SCHEME.

"With the consent of the Right Honourable David Patrick Maxwell, Viscount Kilmuir, now Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, acting on behalf of Your Majesty, and with the consent of the Right Reverend Mervyn, Bishop of Worcester, (in testimony whereof they have executed this Scheme), the alternate right of patronage of and presentation to the said benefice of Elmbridge with Rushock, now vested in Your Majesty, and the one third interest of Your Majesty in the patronage of the said benefice of Earl's Croome with Hill Croome and Strensham shall be transferred to and be exercisable by the said Mervyn, as Bishop of Worcester, and his successors in the same See, and in exchange for the same the alternate rights of patronage of and presentation to the said benefices of Stoke Bliss with Kyre and Upton Snodsbury with Broughton Hackett, now vested in the said Mervyn, as Bishop of Worcester, shall be transferred to Your Majesty, Your Heirs and Successors and be exercisable on behalf of Your Majesty by the said Viscount Kilmuir or other the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain for the time being.

"THE SCHEDULE

" Name and Quality of benefice	County	Diocese	Patron transferring	Population (1951)	Gross Income	Residence
" Earl's Croome with Hill Croome and Strensham, a united benefice.	Worcester	Worcester	The Crown	578	£ 804	Yes
" Elmbridge with Rushock, a united benefice.	Worcester	Worcester	The Crown	456	566	Yes
" Stoke Bliss with Kyre, a united benefice.	Worcester	Worcester	Bishop of Worcester.	285	558	Yes
" Upton Snodsbury with Broughton Hackett, a united benefice.	Worcester	Worcester	Bishop of Worcester.	460	261	Yes "

And whereas the said Scheme has been approved by Her Majesty in Council:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said Scheme, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law

immediately upon the publication of this Order in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Acts.

And Her 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 Worcester.

W. G. Agnew.

Crown Office, House of Lords, S.W.1.

21st March, 1958.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Warrant under Her Royal Sign Manual dated the 20th day of March, 1958, to appoint Lieutenant Commander Peter Stanley Price, Q.C., to be Recorder of the City and County of Kingston upon Hull.

Crown Office, House of Lords, S.W.1.

21st March, 1958.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Warrant under Her Royal Sign Manual dated the 20th day of March, 1958, to appoint Squadron Leader Bernard Benjamin Gillis, Q.C., to be Recorder of the City of Bradford.