

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 10th day of *June*, 1932.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by the Consular Salaries and Fees Act, 1891 (54 and 55 Vict. cap. 36), His Majesty may by Order in Council fix the fees to be taken in respect of any matter or thing done by a Consular Officer in the execution of his office, and vary such fees by way of increase or decrease, and abolish fees, and create new fees:

And whereas by the Consular Fees (Amendment) Order in Council 1931 the fee to be taken by Consular Officers for the issue of a passport has been fixed at fifteen shillings:

And whereas it is expedient to amend the said fee in so far as it applies to the issue by Consular Officers in China of certain special passports known as Inland Travel Passes but not otherwise:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, in pursuance of the before-mentioned Act, is pleased; by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

I. This Order may be cited as the Consular Fees (China Inland Travel Passes) Order in Council, 1932.

II. Henceforth Fee No. 76 shall not be charged in respect of the issue of Inland Travel Passes in China and the following fee shall be charged by Consular Officers in China for the issue of the said Passes:—

76a. Issue of Inland Travel Passes in China—8s. 6d.

III. This Order shall come into operation forthwith.

And the Right Honourable Sir John Simon, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein.

M. P. A. Hankey.

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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 29th day of May, 1932, 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 New Parish (sometime District) of Chesterton and partly out of the Parish of Audley, both in the County of Stafford and in the Diocese of Lichfield:

"Whereas we are satisfied that the said New Parish of Chesterton and the said Parish of Audley, 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 New Parish of Chesterton and of the said Parish of Audley, 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 John, Alsagers Bank':

"And whereas we have agreed to make and pay out of the Common Fund created by the firstly herein mentioned Act a grant of £250 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 £250 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 site and fabric of the said Church of Saint John, Alsagers Bank, which was erected by the late Justinian Heathcote Edwards Heathcote, Esquire, at his own cost for the use of the inhabitants of the said proposed separate District or New Parish, have been conveyed to us, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, by the personal representatives of the said late Justinian Heathcote Edwards Heathcote upon the understanding that (such arrangement appearing to us to be expedient) the whole right of Patronage of the said proposed District or New Parish and the nomination of the Minister or Incumbent thereof should be assigned in the manner which is hereinafter set forth:

"And whereas the said personal representatives of the late Justinian Heathcote Edwards Heathcote have nominated to us the Bishop for the time being of the said Diocese of Lichfield, as the person to whom they desire that the whole right of Patronage of the said proposed District or New Parish should be assigned:

"Now, therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend John Augustine, Bishop of Lichfield (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 New Parish of Chesterton and of the said Parish of Audley, which are described in the Schedule hereunder written, all which portions together with the

boundaries thereof, are delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, shall, upon and from the day of the date of the publication in the London Gazette of any Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this Scheme as aforesaid become and be constituted a separate District or New Parish for spiritual purposes and that the same shall be named 'The New Parish of Saint John, Alsagers Bank.'

"And we further recommend and propose that the said Church of Saint John, Alsagers Bank, shall as from the day last mentioned be and for that purpose we hereby specify the same Church as the Parish Church of the said New Parish of Saint John, Alsagers Bank.

"And we further recommend and propose that the whole right of Patronage of the said proposed District or New Parish and of the nomination of the Minister or Incumbent thereto shall without any assurance in the law other than this Scheme and any duly gazetted Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying the same and upon and from the day of the date of the publication of such Order in the London Gazette as aforesaid be assigned to and be absolutely vested in the said John Augustine, Bishop of the said Diocese of Lichfield, and his successors for ever.

"And we further recommend and propose that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other measures relating to the matters aforesaid, or any of them, in accordance with the provisions of the said Acts, or of any of them, or of any other Act of Parliament.

"THE SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Scheme has reference.

"The New Parish of Saint John, Alsagers Bank, comprising:—

"I. All that portion of the New Parish (sometime District) of Chesterton, in the County of Stafford and in the Diocese of Lichfield, which is bounded upon the north and upon the west by the Parish of Audley, upon the south west by the Parish of Madeley, upon the south by the New Parish of Silverdale and Knutton Heath, upon the south east by the New Parish of Saint Mary, Knutton, all in the said County and Diocese, and upon the remaining side, that is to say, upon the east, by an imaginary line commencing at the point near the junction of the Apedale Branch line of the London Midland and Scottish Railway with the line of the mineral railway which runs past the Apedale Colliery and the Podmorehall Colliery, where the boundary which divides the said New Parish of Saint Mary, Knutton, from the said New Parish of Chesterton, crosses the middle of the line of the said mineral railway, and extending thence first north westward, then northward, and then again north westward along the middle of the line of such mineral railway for a distance of $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles or thereabouts to the point where it is crossed by the boundary which divides the Civil Parish of Chesterton from the Civil Parish of Audley, and extending thence northward along such Civil Parish Boundary for a distance of 33 chains or thereabouts to the boundary which divides the said New Parish of Chesterton from the said Parish of Audley.

"II. Also all that contiguous portion of the said Parish of Audley which is bounded upon the south and upon the east by the above described portion of the said new Parish of Chesterton, and upon the remaining sides, that is to say, upon the north and upon the west, by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said New Parish of Chesterton from the said Parish of Audley at the junction of High Street (Wood Lane) with the roadway leading to Boon Hill, and extending thence westward along the middle of the said roadway for a distance of $13\frac{1}{2}$ chains or thereabouts to the point where it reaches the fence forming the eastern boundary of the close numbered 972 upon the Ordnance Survey Map of the Civil Parish of Audley published in the year 1924 on the scale of 25 inches to a mile and also upon the map or plan annexed to this Scheme, and extending thence first southward, then westward, and then again southward along the fences forming the eastern and southern boundaries of the said close numbered 972 and the eastern boundary of the close numbered 971 upon the said maps for a distance in all of $15\frac{1}{2}$ chains or thereabouts to the point where the last mentioned fence reaches the northern side of Apedale Road, and continuing thence southward for a distance of 5 yards or thereabouts to a point in the middle of Apedale Road upon the boundary which divides the said Parish of Audley from the said New Parish of Chesterton.

"III. And also all that other contiguous portion of the said Parish of Audley which is bounded upon the east and upon the south by the above described portion of the said New Parish of Chesterton, and upon the remaining sides, that is to say, upon the north west and upon the north, by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said New Parish of Chesterton from the said Parish of Audley at the centre of the bridge which carries the Audley Branch line of the said London, Midland and Scottish Railway across the road leading from Alsagers Bank to Shralebrook, and extending thence north eastward along the middle of such line of railway for a distance of 55 chains or thereabouts to the centre of the bridge which carries Miles Green Road across it, and extending thence eastward along the middle of Miles Green Road for a distance of 2 chains or thereabouts to the boundary which divides the said Parish of Audley from the said New Parish of Chesterton."

And whereas drafts of the said Scheme have, in accordance with the provisions of the secondly herein-before mentioned Act, been transmitted to the Patrons and to the Incumbents of the Cures out of which it is intended that the District recommended in such Scheme to be constituted shall be taken, and such Patrons and Incumbents have respectively signified their assent to such Scheme:

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 ratify the said Scheme, and to order and direct that the same 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 Acts.

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 Lichfield.

M. P. A. Hankey.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 10th day of *June*, 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 April, 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 an United Benefice) of Cottered with Broadfield and the Benefice (being a Rectory) of Throcking, both of which Benefices are situate in the County of Hertford and in the Diocese of Saint Albans:

"Whereas Commissioners appointed at our request by the Right Reverend Michael, Bishop of Saint Albans, pursuant to the provisions of the said Union of Benefices Measures, 1923, to inquire into and report upon the union of the said two Benefices of Cottered with Broadfield and Throcking duly made their Report to the said Bishop of Saint Albans and therein recommended the union of the said two Benefices and the terms for effecting the union, including certain alterations of boundaries affecting the Parish of the said Benefice of Throcking and the Parish of the Benefice of Layston, situate in the said County of Hertford and in the said Diocese of Saint Albans, and the said Bishop of Saint Albans signified in writing his approval of the said Report:

"And whereas we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, have prepared this Scheme for the said union of Benefices based upon the terms recommended in the said Report but with the assent of the said Bishop of Saint Albans embodying certain modifications thereof:

"And whereas both of the said Benefices of Cottered with Broadfield and Throcking are at present vacant:

"Now, therefore, we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, with the consent of the said Michael, Bishop of Saint Albans (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 Cottered with Broadfield and the said Benefice of Throcking shall be permanently united together and form one Benefice with cure of souls under the style of 'The United Benefice of Cottered with Broadfield and Throcking' but the Parishes

of the said Benefices shall continue distinct in all respects:

"2. That upon the day when any Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this Scheme shall be published in the London Gazette the union shall forthwith take effect.

"3. That upon the said union taking effect and pending the provision of a more suitable Parsonage House at Cottered the Parsonage House at present belonging to the said Benefice of Throcking 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 present belonging to the said Benefice of Cottered with Broadfield and the site and appurtenances thereof and the grounds heretofore usually occupied and enjoyed therewith if not previously sold 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 be held and applied by us the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for and towards the cost of the provision of a Parsonage House at Cottered for the United Benefice:

"4. That after the said 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 said two Benefices alternately, the Patron of the said Benefice of Cottered with Broadfield 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 said Benefice of Throcking having the right of presentation upon the second presentation to the United Benefice to be made after the union and every alternate turn thereafter.

"5. That with the consents of the Patrons of the said Benefice of Layston, namely John Henry Buxton, of Basneye, Ware, in the said County of Hertford, Esquire; The Reverend Robert Charles Joynt, of Number 12, Kingswood Road, Norwood, in the County of Surrey, Clerk in Holy Orders, and Canon Residentiary of Southwark Cathedral; the Reverend Arthur Blackwell Goulburn Lillingston, Clerk in Holy Orders and Canon Residentiary of Durham Cathedral; The Right Honourable Sir Thomas Walker Hobart Inskip, of No. 3, Hare Court, Temple, C.B.E., K.C., M.P., and Sir Samuel Roberts, of Queen's Tower, Sheffield, in the County of York, Baronet, M.P. (testified by their respectively signing this Scheme), and with the consent of the Reverend Alfred Howard as the present Incumbent of the said Benefice of Layston, upon the union taking effect (a) all that detached part of the Parish of the said Benefice of Layston which is comprised within the area of the Civil Parish of Throcking shall be transferred and annexed for all ecclesiastical purposes to the Parish of the said Benefice of Throcking and (b) all those two detached portions of the Parish of the said Benefice of Throcking which are comprised within the area of the Civil Parish of Layston shall be transferred and annexed for all