

**THE SCHEDULE.**

The Palace, Ely	of the Bishopric of Ely.
Hartlebury Castle	„ „ „ „ Worcester.
The Palace, Chichester	„ „ „ „ Chichester.
The Palace, Wells	„ „ „ „ Bath & Wells.
The Palace, Hereford	„ „ „ „ Hereford.
Rose Castle, Carlisle	„ „ „ „ Carlisle.
The Palace, Norwich	„ „ „ „ Norwich.
The Palace, Salisbury	„ „ „ „ Salisbury.
Fulham Palace	„ „ „ „ London.
Auckland Castle	„ „ „ „ Durham.
Bishopthorpe	„ „ Archbishopric of York.
The Old Palace, Lincoln	„ „ Bishopric of Lincoln.
The Palace, Peterborough	„ „ „ „ Peterborough.
Cuddesdon Palace	„ „ „ „ Oxford.
The Palace, Lichfield	„ „ „ „ Lichfield.
Farnham Castle	„ „ „ „ Winchester or Guildford.
The Palace, Exeter	„ „ „ „ Exeter.

**No. 5.**

A MEASURE passed by the National Assembly  
of the Church of England

To provide for the extinguishment or redemption  
of first fruits and tenths. [15th July 1926.]

1. This Measure may be cited as the First Fruits and Tenths Measure, 1926. Short title.

2. As from the appointed day, all first fruits and tenths and sums in lieu of first fruits or tenths payable to Queen Anne's Bounty by an archbishop, bishop, dean, or archdeacon, or by the sub-chanter, custos, vicars choral or minor canons of a cathedral church, or by the holder of a prebend in the patronage of a bishop in right Extinguish-  
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of his see or in the patronage of a dean and chapter, or by the incumbent of a benefice, in respect of their several dignities or preferments, or by the dean and chapter of any cathedral church, or by the Ecclesiastical Commissioners, and also the first fruits and tenths specified in the First Schedule to this Measure, shall cease to be payable: Provided that nothing in this Measure shall affect first fruits (whether secured by bond or not) which have become chargeable in respect of an appointment made before the appointed day, or tenths or annual sums payable in lieu of first fruits or tenths which have fallen due before that day.

Determina-  
tion of  
appointed  
day or  
days.

**3.**—(1) The appointed day shall be such day subsequent to the passing of this Measure as the Archbishops of Canterbury and York by writing under their respective hands and archiepiscopal seals shall jointly determine: Provided that the said Archbishops may, if they think fit, determine two appointed days, namely, one day in respect of first fruits and tenths and sums in lieu of first fruits and tenths payable by an archbishop or by a bishop, and the other in respect of the remainder of the first fruits and tenths and sums in lieu of first fruits or tenths mentioned in section two of this Measure.

(2) The determination of the appointed day or days under this section shall be notified by advertisement in the "London Gazette."\*

Annexation  
or suppres-  
sion of  
sinecure  
rectories or  
prebends.

**4.** If after the appointed day a sinecure rectory or a prebend not discharged from first fruits or tenths by virtue of this Measure shall be permanently annexed to a benefice, or to an office or dignity, which by this Measure or otherwise is discharged from the payment of first fruits or tenths, or shall be suppressed, the same rectory or prebend and the possessions thereof shall as from the date of annexation or suppression be absolutely discharged from the payment of first fruits or tenths to Queen Anne's Bounty.

Redemption  
of first  
fruits and  
tenths not  
extinguished  
by the  
Measure.

**5.** It shall be lawful for Queen Anne's Bounty to accept such sum as they may determine for the redemption of any first fruits or tenths not extinguished by virtue of this Measure, and on payment to the Treasurer

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\* The appointed day thus determined was 16th July, 1926 (for all purposes): see "London Gazette," 7th September, 1926, at p. 5887.

of Queen Anne's Bounty of the sum so determined he shall certify that the first fruits or tenths have been redeemed, and that certificate shall be final and conclusive.

6. As from the appointed day, or, if two appointed days are determined under section three of this Measure, as from the last in order of date of such appointed days, the Acts mentioned in the Second Schedule to this Measure shall be repealed to the extent appearing in the third column of the Second Schedule: Provided that as regards any first fruits or tenths not extinguished by virtue of this Measure such repeal shall not affect any right of Queen Anne's Bounty, or of any other corporation or person, to such first fruits or tenths, or to any remedy or proceeding in respect thereof, or prevent any such Act from being put in force for the collection or recovery thereof, or otherwise in relation thereto.

## SCHEDULES.

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### FIRST SCHEDULE.

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All first fruits and tenths payable by the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Cambridge.

All first fruits and tenths payable by the Chancellor, Masters and Scholars of the University of Cambridge under the provisions of the Somersham Rectory Act, 1882.

All first fruits and tenths payable in respect of the Rectory of Terrington in the county of Norfolk by the Lady Margaret's Professor of Divinity in the said University of Cambridge.

## SECOND SCHEDULE.

### ENACTMENTS REPEALED.

Session and Chapter.	Title or Short Title.	Extent of Repeal.
26 Hen. 8. c. 3	An Act the title of which begins with the words "An Acte concerninge the paiement of Firste Fruites" and ends with the words "Kinges Highnes and his heires."	The whole Act.
26 Hen. 8. c. 17.	An Act the title of which begins with the words "An Acte that no fermours" and ends with the words "by the Kinges Highnes."	The whole Act.
27 Hen. 8. c. 8	An Act the title of which begins with the words "An Acte for discharg of payment" and ends with the words "there furst frutes."	The whole Act.
2 & 3 Edw. 6. c. 20.	An Acte for the qualyfienge of the Statute of Recusantes.	The whole Act.
7 Edw. 6. c. 4	An Acte that all patentees of Collectourshipes of Tenthes shalbe bounde for their Collections.	The whole Act.
1 Eliz. c. 4 -	An Acte for the Restitution of First Fruites, and Tenthes and Rentes reserved Nomine Decime, and of Parsonages Improprate, to Thimperiall Crowne of this Realme.	Sections five to eight inclusive and sections ten and thirte.
2 & 3 Anne c. 20.	An Act the title of which begins with the words "An Act for the makeing more effectuall" and ends with the words "for the same purpose."	Sections two, three, and seven.
6 Anne c. 24	The Queen Annes Bounty Act, 1706.	The whole Act.

Session and Chapter.	Title or Short Title.	Extent of Repeal.
6 Anne c. 54 -	The Queen Annes Bounty Act, 1707.	The whole Act.
1 Geo. 1. Stat. 2, c. 10. •	The Queen Annes Bounty Act, 1714.	Sections seventeen and eighteen.
3 Geo. 1. c. 10	The Queen Annes Bounty Act, 1716.	The whole Act.
45 Geo. 3. c. 84.	The Queen Annes Bounty Act, 1805.	Section two.
1 & 2 Vict. c. 20.	The Queen Annes Bounty Act, 1838.	Sections two to ten inclusive.
4 & 5 Vict. c. 39.	The Ecclesiastical Commissioners Act, 1841.	Section four.
32 & 33 Vict. c. 111.	The Bishops Resignation Act, 1869.	Section nine.

## No. 6.

A MEASURE passed by the National Assembly  
of the Church of England

To establish a system of Pensions for the Clergy (other than Diocesan Bishops), to provide for the transition from the Incumbents Resignation Acts, 1871 and 1887, to such system, and to effect changes in the constitution and management of the Clergy Pensions Institution.

[4th August 1926.]

### PENSIONS.

1.—(1) This Measure shall apply to all—

(a) bishops suffragan;

(b) assistant bishops, other than bishops who render occasional assistance to diocesan bishops;

Scope of  
Measure.