

Pink, was found in a pond at Heston, near Hounslow, in the county of Middlesex, where it was supposed to have lain some time; and that there is every reason to believe that the said Edward Pink was murdered by some evil-disposed person or persons unknown;

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the murder above mentioned, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually committed the deed which caused the death of the said Edward Pink) who shall discover his accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

ROBERT PEEL.

*Office of Church Commissioners, 13, Great George-Street, Westminster, January 12, 1830.*

**T**HE following is a copy of an Order in Council, approving of a district being assigned to the new chapel built at Brompton, in the parish of Kensington, under the provisions of the 21st section of the Act of the 58 Geo. 3d. c. 45:

At the Court at Windsor, the 12th of October 1829, present, the King's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**WHEREAS** by an Act, passed in the 58th year of His late Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act for building and promoting the building of additional churches in populous parishes," it is amongst other things enacted, "that in every case in which the Commissioners appointed for carrying into execution the purposes of the said Act, shall be of opinion that it will be expedient to divide any parish into two or more distinct and separate parishes for all ecclesiastical purposes whatever, it shall be lawful for the said Commissioners, with the consent of the Bishop of the diocese in which such parish is locally situated, signified under his hand and seal, to apply to the patron or patrons of the church of such parish for his consent to make such division, and for such patron or patrons to signify his or their consent thereto under his hand and seal, and the said Commissioners shall, upon the consent of the said patron or patrons so signified, represent the whole matter to His Majesty in Council, and shall state in such representation the bounds by which it is proposed, with such consent as aforesaid, to divide such parish, together with the relative and respective proportions of glebe lands, tithes, moduses, or other endowments, which will by such division arise and accrue and remain and be within each of such respective divisions, and also the relative proportions of the estimated amount of the value or produce of fees, oblations, offerings, or other ecclesiastical dues or profits which may arise and accrue within each of such respective divisions, and if thereupon His Majesty in Council shall think fit to direct such division to be made, such Order of His Majesty in Council shall be valid and good in law for the purpose of effecting such division; provided always, that no such division of any parish into distinct parishes shall completely take effect

until after the death, resignation, or other avoidance of the existing incumbent of the parish to be divided;" and whereas by the said Act it is further enacted "that in any case in which the said Commissioners shall be of opinion that it is not expedient to divide any populous parish, or extra parochial place, into such complete separate and distinct parishes as aforesaid, but that it is expedient to divide the same into such ecclesiastical districts, as they with the consent of the Bishop, signified under his hand and seal, may deem necessary, for the purpose of affording accommodation for the attending Divine Service, according to the rites of the United Church of England and Ireland, to persons residing therein, in the churches and parochial chapels already built, or in additional churches or chapels to be built therein, and as may appear to such Commissioners to be convenient for the enabling the spiritual person or persons who may serve such churches or chapels to perform all ecclesiastical duties within the districts attached to such respective churches and chapels, and for the due ecclesiastical superintendence of such district, and the preservation and improvement of the religious and moral habits of the persons residing therein; the said Commissioners shall represent such opinion to His Majesty in Council, and shall state in such representation the bounds by which such districts are proposed to be described; and if thereupon His Majesty in Council shall think fit to direct such division to be made, such Order of His Majesty in Council shall be valid and good in law for the purpose of effecting such division:" and whereas by an Act passed in the 59th year of His late Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend and render more effectual an Act passed in the last session of Parliament, for building and promoting the building of additional churches in populous parishes," further provisions are made for carrying such division into effect: and whereas the said Commissioners have made a representation to His Majesty in Council, stating that the parish of St. Mary Abbots, Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, and diocese of London, contained in the year 1821, when the last census was taken, a population of 14,428 persons, which has since considerably increased; that besides the parish church, there was only one consecrated chapel, which together afforded accommodation for 1700 persons only; that the said Commissioners have caused two new chapels to be erected in the said parish, one at Brompton, and the other in Addison-road, Kensington, wherein accommodation has been provided for 2835 persons, including 1118 free seats for the use of the poor; that such chapels have been consecrated, and divine service is regularly performed therein; that it appears to the said Commissioners to be expedient, for securing a due ecclesiastical superintendence of the parish, and for the preservation and improvement of the religious and moral habits of the persons residing therein, that a district should be assigned to a new chapel built at Brompton, under the provisions of the said Act, passed in the 58th year of His late Majesty's reign, and that such district should be named, the District of Holy Trinity, Brompton, with boundaries as follows, viz.—At its north eastern extremity at Knights-bridge, it abuts upon Sloane-street towards the north east, and includes the five first houses, the corner house inclusive, and part of the sixth house