

the reign of His Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the Acts for building, and promoting the building, of additional churches in populous parishes;" and further continued by an Act, passed in the first year of your Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to prolong, for ten years, Her Majesty's Commission for building new churches," beg leave humbly to represent to your Majesty, that, having taken into consideration all the circumstances attending the parish of Painswick, in the county of Gloucester and diocese of Gloucester and Bristol, it appears to them to be expedient, that a particular district should be assigned to the church of the Holy Trinity, at the Slad, in the said parish, under the provisions of the sixteenth section of an Act, passed in the fifty-ninth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, 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;" and that such district should be named, "The Chapelry District of Slad," and be bounded as follows (that is to say):

"On the north by the parishes of Pitchcomb and Stroud; on the west and south by the parishes of Stroud and Bisley; on the south east by the tything of Shepscombe; and on the north east by the tything of Sponbed and Edge, in the parish of Painswick, as is more particularly delineated on the map hereunto annexed, and thereon coloured pink:

"That baptisms, churchings, and burials should be solemnized and performed in the said church; and that the fees arising therefrom should be received by and belong to the Minister thereof:

"That the consent of the Lord Bishop of Gloucester and Bristol has been obtained thereto, as required by the above-mentioned section of the said Act, passed in the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third; in testimony whereof, the said Lord Bishop has signed and sealed this present instrument:

"Your Majesty's Commissioners, therefore, humbly pray, that your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into your royal con-

sideration, and to make such order in respect thereto as to your Majesty in your royal wisdom shall seem meet."

Her Majesty, having taken the said representation, together with the map thereunto annexed, into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to approve thereof, and to order, as it is hereby ordered, that the proposed assignment be accordingly made, and the recommendations of the said Commissioners, in respect of the solemnization baptisms, churchings, and burials, and the fees arising therefrom, be carried into effect, agreeably to the provisions of the said Act.

G. C. Greville.

*Foreign-Office, December 13, 1844.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to nominate and appoint William Gore Ouseley, Esq. (now Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Rio Janeiro), to be Her Majesty's Minister Plenipotentiary to the Argentine Confederation.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to nominate and appoint John Finnes Crampton, Esq. (now First Paid Attaché to Her Majesty's Embassy at Vienna), to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation to the Confederated States of the Swiss Cantons.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to nominate and appoint Francis Farrant, Esq. to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at the Court of Persia.

*Downing-Street, December 16, 1844.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Denis Benjamin Viger, Esq. to be President of the Committee of the Executive Council of Canada.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Henry Sherwood, Esq. to be Her Majesty's Solicitor General for that part of the Province of Canada formerly called Upper Canada.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint R. Y. Cummins, Esq. to be Accountant to the Surveyor General's Department for the Island of Mauritius.

Her Majesty has further been pleased to appoint William Dudley Ryder, Esq. to be Assistant Secretary for the Island of Ceylon.

*Crown-Office, December 16, 1844.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint William Fuller Boteler, Esq. one of Her Majesty's Counsel learned in the Law, to be one of the Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy to act in the prosecution of Fiats in Bankruptcy in the Country, in the place of Edward Goulburn, Serjeant at Law, resigned.