

AT the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the
2nd day of *February* 1852,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS Her Majesty's Commissioners for building new churches have, in pursuance of the twenty-first section of an Act, passed in the fifty-eighth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act for building and promoting the building of additional churches in populous parishes," or under and by virtue of any and every other power or authority vested in the said Commissioners by the Church Building Acts, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the thirteenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two, in the words following; viz:

"Your Majesty's Commissioners for building new churches beg leave humbly to represent to your Majesty, that having taken into consideration all the circumstances of the parish of North Wingfield, in the county of Derby, and in the diocese of Lichfield, it appears to them to be expedient that such parish should be divided into two ecclesiastical districts, under and by virtue of the power or authority for this purpose contained in the twenty-first section of an Act passed in the fifty-eighth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled 'An Act for building and promoting the building of additional churches in populous parishes,' or under and by virtue of any and every other power or authority in this behalf vested in your Majesty's said Commissioners by the Church Building Acts, and that one of such ecclesiastical districts should be assigned to the consecrated church of Saint Bartholomew, situate at Clay Cross, in the said parish of North Wingfield, and should be called 'The District Parish of Clay Cross,' with boundaries as hereinafter mentioned; that is to say:

"The district parish of Clay Cross, which is to consist of and will comprize the several townships of Clay Lane, Stretton, and Woodthorpe (excepting the small portion of the last-mentioned township hereinafter particularly referred to), is bounded on the north by the parish of Wingworth, on the west by the parish of Ashover, on the south by the township of Brackenfield, in the parish of Morton, on the south-east by the parish of Shirland, and on the east, partly by the township of Morton, in the said parish of Morton, and partly by the townships of Pilsley, North Wingfield, and Tupton, all in the said parish of North Wingfield, as such district parish of Clay Cross is more particularly delineated on the map or plan hereunto annexed, and thereon coloured green (excluding however from such district parish all the lands belonging to the said parish of Morton, which are locally situate in the said township of Woodthorpe, at or near a place called Egstow Green, and which lands are left uncoloured on the said map or plan).

"That the consent of the Right Reverend John, Bishop of the said diocese of Lichfield, has been obtained thereto, as required by the Act and section hereinbefore mentioned, in testimony whereof he has signed and sealed this representation.

"Your Majesty's said Commissioners therefore humbly pray that your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into your royal consideration, 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 or plan 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 carried into effect agreeably to the provisions of the said Acts; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased to direct that this Order be forthwith enrolled, pursuant to the said Acts, and registered by the Registrar of the diocese of Lichfield.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

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The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a report from the General Board of Health, dated the tenth day of January one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two, in the words following; that is to say:

"To the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty.

"We, the General Board of Health, appointed for the purposes of the Public Health Act, 1848, have, in pursuance of the provisions of that Act, upon the petition of not less than one-tenth of the inhabitants rated to the relief of the poor of and within the parish of Witham, in the county of Essex (the number of the said petitioners greatly exceeding thirty in the whole), directed Edward Cressy, a superintending inspector, appointed for the purposes of the said Public Health Act, to visit the said parish, and to make public inquiry, and to examine witnesses as to the sewerage, drainage, and supply of water, the state of the burial grounds, the number and sanitary condition of the inhabitants, and as to any local Acts of Parliament in force within such parish, for paving, lighting, cleansing, watching, regulating, supplying with water, or improving the said parish, or having relation to the purposes of the said Public Health Act; also as to the natural drainage areas, and the existing municipal, parochial, or other local boundaries, and the boundaries which might be most advantageously adopted for the purposes of that Act;

"And the said superintending inspector, having previously given the notices directed by the said Public Health Act, proceeded upon the said inquiry in the manner directed by that Act, and hath reported in writing to the said Board upon the said several matters with respect to which he was directed to inquire, and upon certain other matters with respect to which he deemed it expedient to report for the purposes of that Act;

"And copies of the said report, accompanied by a notice, stating that written statements might be forwarded to the said Board with respect to any matter contained in or omitted from the said report, or any amendment proposed to be made therein, have been duly published and deposited as directed by the said Public Health Act, and the time for forwarding such statements has now elapsed;

"And it appears by the said report that there is no local Act of Parliament in force within the