

Majesty, chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of your Majesty, chapter fifty-five; have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following representation as to the assignment of a district chapelry to the consecrated church of Saint Michael the Archangel, situate at West Hill, in the parish of Ottery Saint Mary, in the county of Devon, and in the diocese of Exeter.

"Whereas it appears to us to be expedient that a district chapelry should be assigned to the said church of Saint Michael the Archangel, situate at West Hill aforesaid.

"Now, therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend Henry, Bishop, of Exeter, testified by his having signed and sealed this representation, we humbly represent, that it would, in our opinion, be expedient that all that portion of the said parish of Ottery Saint Mary, described in the schedule hereunder written, all which portion, together with the boundaries thereof, is delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be assigned to the said church, and that the same should be named 'The District Chapelry of Saint Michael, West Hill.'

"And, with the like consent of the said Henry, Bishop of Exeter, testified as aforesaid, we further represent, that it appears to us to be expedient that baptisms, churchings, and burials should be performed at such church, and that the fees to be received in respect thereof should be paid and belong to the minister of the same church for the time being.

"We, therefore, humbly pray, that your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into your Royal consideration, and to make such Order with respect thereto as to your Majesty, in your Royal wisdom, shall seem meet."

The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing representation has reference.

"The District Chapelry of Saint Michael, West Hill, being:—

"All that portion of the parish of Ottery Saint Mary, in the county of Devon, and in the diocese of Exeter, wherein the present incumbent of such parish now possesses the exclusive cure of souls, which is situate to the west of an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary dividing the said parish from the district chapelry of Saint John, Tipton (heretofore part of the said parish of Ottery Saint Mary), at a point in the middle of the road leading from Fluxton to Woodbury, at a distance of one hundred and ten yards (or thereabouts) from the junction of such road with the road leading from Fluxton to Venn Ottery; and extending thence, first north-eastward, then eastward, then southward, and then again eastward, along the said boundary as far as a point in the middle of the road leading from Sidmouth to Collumpton; and extending thence, first northward along the middle of the last-described road, and then either north-eastward or northward, along the middle of the same road to the boundary dividing the said parish of Ottery Saint Mary from the particular district of Saint Philip and Saint James, Escot (also as to a portion thereof heretofore part of the same parish), at the intersection of the last-mentioned road, by the road leading from Exeter to Ottery Saint Mary."

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, and it is hereby ordered, that the proposed assignment of a district chapelry

to the consecrated church of Saint Michael the Archangel, situate at West Hill, in the parish of Ottery Saint Mary, in the county of Devon, to be called "The District Chapelry of Saint Michael, West Hill," be accordingly made, and that the recommendations of the said commissioners with reference to the performance of baptisms, churchings, and burials in the said church, and with reference to the fees to be paid in respect of those offices, be carried into effect agreeably to the provisions of the said Acts; and Her Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the registrar of the diocese of Exeter.

*Arthur Helps.*

AT the Court at Windsor, the 28th day of April, 1863.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of Her Majesty, chapter thirty-seven, and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and four, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council, a scheme, bearing date the twenty-sixth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, in the words following; that is to say:

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of your Majesty, chapter thirty-seven, and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of your Majesty, chapter one hundred and four, have prepared and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council the following scheme for constituting a separate district for spiritual purposes out of the new parish of Pemberton, in the county of Lancaster, and in the diocese of Chester, out of the new parish of Saint George, Wigan, in the same county and diocese, and out of the new parish of Saint Thomas, Wigan, in the same county and diocese.

"Whereas it has been made to appear to us that it would promote the interests of religion that the portions of the said new parishes of Pemberton, Saint George, Wigan, and Saint Thomas, Wigan, which are hereinafter mentioned (such portions not at present containing within their limits any consecrated church or chapel in use for the purposes of divine worship), should be constituted a separate district for spiritual purposes, in the manner hereinafter set forth.

"And whereas by an indenture bearing date the twenty-seventh day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, and made between Nathaniel Eckersley, of Standish Hall, in Standish with Langtree, in the county of Lancaster aforesaid, Esquire, of the one part, and us the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England of the other part (which indenture is intended to be enrolled in your Majesty's High Court of Chancery), certain lands, tenements, and hereditaments situate in or near Wallgate-street, in the said new parish of Saint Thomas, Wigan, and now producing a rental of sixty-three pounds sixteen shillings and eleven pence halfpenny, were granted, assigned, released, and conveyed by the said Nathaniel Eckersley unto us the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, and our successors, as an endowment for the minister, for the time being, of the district hereinafter recommended to be constituted, when duly licensed, in accordance with the provisions of the herein mentioned Acts.