

chapter fifty-five, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the third day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, in the words following; that is to say:

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of your 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 Emmanuel, situate in the township of Shelley, within the parish of Kirkburton, in the county of York, and in the diocese of Ripon.

"Whereas it appears to us to be expedient that a district chapelry should be assigned to the said church of Emmanuel, situate in the township of Shelley as aforesaid.

"Now, therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend Robert, Bishop of the said diocese of Ripon (testified by his having signed and sealed this representation), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, humbly represent that it would in our opinion be expedient that all that part of the said parish of Kirkburton which is comprised within, and is co-extensive with, the limits of the said township of Shelley, all which part, together with the boundaries thereof, is delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be assigned as a district chapelry to the said church of Emmanuel, situate in such township as aforesaid, and that the same should be named 'The District Chapelry of Emmanuel, Shelley.'

"And, with the like consent of the said Robert, Bishop of the said diocese of Ripon (testified as aforesaid), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, further represent, that it appears to us to be expedient that banns of matrimony should be published, and that marriages, baptisms, churchings, and burials should be solemnized or performed at such church, and that the fees to be received in respect of the publication of such banns, and of the solemnization or performance of the said offices, should be paid and belong to the minister of the same church for the time being: Provided always, that nothing herein contained shall be construed as expressing any intention on the part of us, the said Commissioners, to censure in or approve the taking of any fee for the performance of the said office of baptism, or for the registration thereof.

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

And whereas the said representation has been approved by Her Majesty in Council; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said representation, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette, pursuant to the said Acts; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of Ripon.

*Arthur Helps.*

*Master of the Horse's Office,  
December 12, 1868.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Richard Edmund St. Lawrence, Earl of Cork and Orrery, K.P., to be Master of Her Majesty's Buckhounds, in the room of the Right Honourable Charles John, Lord Colville of Culross, resigned.

*St. James's Palace, December 9, 1868.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint John Robert, Viscount Sydney, G.C.B., to be Lord Chamberlain of Her Majesty's Household, in the room of Orlando George Charles, Earl of Bradford, resigned.

*St. James's Palace, December 12, 1868.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Valentine Augustus Browne (commonly called Viscount Castlerosse) to be Vice-Chamberlain of Her Majesty's Household, in the room of the Right Honourable Claude Hamilton (commonly called Lord Claude Hamilton), resigned.

*St. James's Palace, December 12, 1868.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Thomas Henry, Lord Foley, to be Captain of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen-at-Arms, in the room of William Alleyne, Marquis of Exeter, resigned.

*Whitehall, December 14, 1868.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant the office of Solicitor-General for Scotland to George Young, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Counsel.

*Crown Office, December 12, 1868.*

The Queen has been pleased by letters patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom to appoint Sir Robert Porrett Collier, Knt., to be Her Majesty's Attorney-General in all Her Courts of Record in England.

The Queen has also been pleased by letters patent under the Great Seal to appoint Sir John Duke Coleridge, Knt., to be Her Majesty's Solicitor-General.

*War Office, Pall Mall,  
15th December, 1868.*

*Commissariat Department,* The promotion of Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General Alfred Ernest Petrie to be antedated to 9th September, 1868, and to be vice Servantes, deceased. Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General Charles Davis O'Connor to be Assistant Commissary-General, vice McKinstry, placed on the Retired List. Dated 1st October, 1868.

*Chaplains' Department,* The Reverend David Arthur, Chaplain of the Fourth Class, to be Chaplain of the Third Class. Dated 20th November, 1868.