

in our opinion, be expedient that all that part of the said parish of Brancepeth which is described in the schedule hereunder written, 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 Saint John the Evangelist, situate at Brandon as aforesaid, and that the same should be named 'The District Chapelry of Saint John the Evangelist, Brandon.'

"And with the like consent of the said Charles, Bishop of the said diocese of Durham (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 concur 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 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 John the Evangelist, Brandon, being:—

"All that part of the parish of Brancepeth in the county of Durham and in the diocese of Durham wherein the present incumbent of such parish now possesses the exclusive cure of souls which is bounded on the north partly by the parish or district of Esh and partly by the parish of Saint Oswald Durham both in the county and diocese aforesaid on the east by the last-named parish on the south-east and on the south partly by the new parish of Croxdale and partly by the parish of Tudhoe both in the county and diocese aforesaid and upon all other sides that is to say, on the south-west and on the west by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said parish of Tudhoe from the parish of Brancepeth aforesaid at the point where the River Wear is joined by the stream called or known as Nafferton Gill and where the boundary which divides the township of Tudhoe from the township of Brandon and Byshottles meets the boundary dividing the last named township from the township of Brancepeth and extending thence for a distance of about four and a quarter miles alternately north-westward and westward along the last-mentioned township boundary to the point on the northern side of Pithouse Plantation at Tallyho-Gate on the southern side of Pithouse-lane where the same township boundary diverges to the south from the said lane and extending thence first northward to and then westward for a distance of fourteen and a half chains or thereabouts along the middle of the same lane to its junction at or near to the north-western corner of the said Pithouse Plantation with the bridle road leading to Esh Colliery and extending thence north-westward, for a distance of twenty-seven chains or thereabouts along the middle of the said bridle road to a point at the junction of the same bridle road with the tract of the Old Roman-road called

or known as Watling-street at or near to which point of junction a boundary stone inscribed 'B. St. J. D. C. 1877, No. 1' has been placed and extending thence northward for a distance of eighteen chains or thereabouts along the middle of the track of the said old road (thereby crossing the close numbered 207 upon the title commutation map of the said township of Brandon and Byshottles and upon the map hereunto annexed) to the the southern end of the fence dividing the closes numbered respectively 208 and 220 upon the said maps from the closes numbered respectively 209 and 219 upon the same maps, and continuing thence still northward along the said fence to a boundary stone inscribed 'B. St. J. D. C. 1877, No. 2' and placed at the northern end of the said fence on the southern side of the bridle road leading from Hill House to Flass Hall and extending thence for a distance of fifty chains or thereabouts first northward and then westward to and along the middle of the last-described bridle road thereby passing through Ragpath Wood to the boundary at or near to the River Deerness which boundary divides the said parish of Brancepeth from the parish or district of Esh aforesaid."

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 Durham.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 12th day of December, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of Her Majesty, chapter seventy; of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her Majesty, chapter ninety-seven; of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five; and of the Act of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of Her Majesty, chapter eighty-two; duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council, a representation, bearing date the twenty-second day of November in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven in the words following, that is to say,

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of your Majesty, chapter seventy, of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of your Majesty, chapter ninety-seven, of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of your Majesty, chapter fifty-five, and of the Act of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of your Majesty, chapter eighty-two, have prepared and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following representation as to the assignment of a consolidated chapelry to the consecrated church of Saint Andrew situate in the township of Livesey, within the new parish of Immanuel Feniscowles sometime part of the parish of Blackburn in the