

" hereby required to do, shall be forthwith binding
 " on all persons whatsoever, including the In-
 " cumbent or Incumbents of the benefice or
 " benefices to be effected thereby, if he or they
 " shall have consented thereto in writing under his
 " or their hands."

And whereas the Lord Bishop of Saint Albans hath made a representation in writing to his Grace Lord Archbishop of Canterbury in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

" To the Right Honourable and Most Reverend Father in God Archibald Campbell by Divine Providence Lord Archbishop of the Province of Canterbury Primate of all England and Metropolitan.

" I Thomas Legh by Divine permission Bishop of Saint Albans do in pursuance of the 26th section of the Act of Parliament of the first and second years of the reign of Her present Majesty cap. 106 hereby represent to your Grace that there is in the county of Essex in my diocese of Saint Albans the rectory of Great Easton the parish whereof contains according to the census of 1871 a population of nine hundred and thirty-one.

" The net annual value of the benefice of Great Easton arising partly from rent-charges in lieu of tithes and partly from glebe and partly from surplice fees is seven hundred and forty-two pounds.

" In the same county and diocese is the perpetual curacy of Tilty the parish whereof lies adjoining to the parish of Great Easton aforesaid and contains according to the census of 1871 a population of ninety-one.

" The net annual value of the benefice of Tilty arising from rent-charge in lieu of tithes and surplice fees is ninety-one pounds.

" That it appears to me that a certain district of the said parish of Great Easton which immediately adjoins the said parish of Tilty may under the provisions of the said Act of the 1st and 2nd Vict., cap. 106 and of the Act of the 2nd and 3rd years of the same reign cap. 49 be advantageously separated from the said parish of Great Easton and united to the said parish of Tilty.

" That the trustees of the will of the Right Honourable Henry Viscount Maynard deceased are the patrons of both of the said benefices of Great Easton and Tilty.

" The Reverend Horatio Bladen Capel is the present incumbent of the benefice of Great Easton and the Reverend William Gibson is the present incumbent of the benefice of Tilty.

" That pursuant to the direction contained in the 26th section of the first mentioned Act of Parliament I the said Bishop have drawn up a scheme in writing appended to this representation describing the district of the parish of Great Easton so as aforesaid proposed to be annexed to the parish of Tilty and the mode in which it appears to me the alteration may be best effected and how the changes consequent thereon in respect to ecclesiastical jurisdiction glebe lands tithes dues rates and payments may be made with justice to all parties interested.

" And I do hereby submit the same to your Grace together with the consents in writing of the said patrons and of the said Horatio Bladen

Capel and William Gibson and in case you shall on full consideration and enquiry be satisfied therewith I request that your Grace will be pleased to certify the same and the consent of the patrons thereto by your report to Her Majesty in Council.

" Given under my hand this eleventh day of October one thousand eight hundred and eighty.

" T. L. St. Albans."

And whereas the scheme and consents referred to in the said representation are as follows:—

" It is proposed to separate a district from the parish of Great Easton and unite such district for ecclesiastical purposes to the adjoining parish of Tilty.

" It is further proposed that such district shall be comprised within the following boundaries viz. :—On the west the River Chelmer, on the south the brook which runs under the bridge at the bottom of Snow Hill into the Chelmer from the same bridge the road going westward the south side to belong to the new district but the north side to remain in Great Easton as far as the lane leading to Wolsey's Farm the boundary to go up that lane and include all on the west side as far as and including the field No. 351 in the annexed plan thence in a westerly direction to the Chelmer including 349 in such plan Nos. 347, 348, 350 in such plan on the north remaining in Great Easton.

" That such district shall accordingly consist of the lands numbered respectively 386, 387, 388, 380, 379, 381, 384, 385, 382, 374, 372, 371, 370, 675, 676, 677, 674, 673, 672, 671, 378, 375, 376, 668, 669, 670, 377, 369, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 349, 351 on the said plan.

" That the incumbent of the benefice of Tilty shall have exclusive cure of souls within the said district as well as within the said parish of Tilty, and that all the fees for churchings marriages and burials and other ecclesiastical offices solemnized and performed at the church and churchyard at Tilty aforesaid in respect of the inhabitants of the said district shall henceforth belong to and be received by the incumbent for the time being of the benefice of Tilty aforesaid.

" That the inhabitants of the said district shall not henceforth be entitled to any accommodation in the church of Great Easton aforesaid except in the case of any person or persons (if such there be) who now possess a legal right by faculty or otherwise to the exclusive use of any pews or sittings within the said church and who may not be willing to relinquish the same.

" That nothing in this scheme shall be so construed as to limit the right hitherto exercised by any of the inhabitants of the said district of burial in the churchyard of Great Easton.

" That there shall out of the tithe rent-charge of £765, belonging to the rectory of Great Easton be assigned and attached to the parish and perpetual curacy of Tilty the yearly sum of £124 18s. 3d. composed of the several sums assessed upon the farms and lands comprised in the schedule hereunder written.

" That the parishioners of such district shall be exonerated from all liability to repair the parish church of Great Easton but shall be liable to the repairs of the parish church of Tilty.