

and thirty-third years of Her Majesty chapter ninety-four, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme or representation bearing date the first day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

“We the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England acting under the provisions of the Act of the seventh and eighth years of Your Majesty chapter ninety-four of the Act of the thirteenth and fourteenth years of Your Majesty chapter ninety-four and of the Act of the thirty-second and thirty-third years of Your Majesty chapter ninety-four have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following scheme or representation for altering the boundaries of the new parish of All Saints Blackheath in the county of Kent and in the diocese of Rochester and for altering the boundaries of the new parish of Saint Stephen Lewisham also in the county of Kent and diocese of Rochester aforesaid.

“Whereas by the authority of an Order of Your Majesty in Council bearing date the twelfth day of April in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine and published in the London Gazette upon the nineteenth day of the same month a part of the parish of Lewisham in the said county of Kent but at that time in the diocese of London was assigned as a district chapelry to the consecrated church called All Saints situate at Blackheath in the said parish of Lewisham and the same district chapelry was called ‘the District Chapelry of All Saints Blackheath.’

“And whereas by the authority of another Order of Your Majesty in Council bearing date the twenty-ninth day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five and published in the London Gazette upon the thirtieth day of the same month a part of the said parish of Lewisham at that time in the diocese of London as aforesaid was assigned as a district chapelry to the consecrated church of Saint Stephen situate in such parish and the same district chapelry was called ‘The District Chapelry of Saint Stephen Lewisham.’

“And whereas both the said district chapelry of All Saints Blackheath and also the said district chapelry of Saint Stephen Lewisham have under the provisions of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Your Majesty chapter one hundred and four each become a new parish of the character contemplated by that Act and by the Act of the sixth and seventh years of Your Majesty chapter thirty-seven and by the said above-mentioned Act of the thirty-second and thirty-third years of Your Majesty chapter ninety-four.

“And whereas it has been represented to us and it appears to us to be expedient that the boundaries of the said new parish of All Saints Blackheath should be altered by way of extension so that they shall include a further part of the said parish of Lewisham and that the boundaries of the said new parish of Saint Stephen Lewisham should also be altered by way of extension so that they likewise shall include a further part of the parish of Lewisham aforesaid.

“Now therefore with the consent of the Right Reverend Anthony Wilson Bishop of the said diocese of Rochester (in testimony whereof he has signed and sealed this scheme or representation) we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners humbly represent recommend and propose that from and after the day of the date of the publication in the London Gazette of any Order

of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme or representation the boundaries of the said new parish of All Saints Blackheath shall be altered by way of extension so that they shall include all that part of the said parish of Lewisham which is described in the first schedule hereunder written and is delineated and set forth upon the map or plan hereunto appended and numbered I and which is thereon coloured pink and also that from and after the same day the boundaries of the said new parish of Saint Stephen Lewisham shall be altered by way of extension so that they shall include all that other part of the said parish of Lewisham which is described in the second schedule hereunder written and is delineated and set forth upon the map or plan hereunto appended and numbered II and which is thereon coloured pink and that from and after the said day of publication as aforesaid and without any assurance in law other than such duly gazetted Order the said part of the parish of Lewisham so to be included within the boundaries of the new parish of All Saints Blackheath as aforesaid shall become and be and form part of the said new parish of All Saints Blackheath and in like manner the said other part of the parish of Lewisham aforesaid so to be included within the boundaries of the new parish of Saint Stephen Lewisham as aforesaid shall become and be and form part of the said new parish of Saint Stephen Lewisham.

“And we further represent recommend and propose that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from representing recommending or proposing any other measures relating to the matters aforesaid or any of them in accordance with the provisions of the hereinbefore mentioned Acts or of any of them or of any other Act of Parliament.

“THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

“The territory to be annexed to the New Parish of All Saints Blackheath in the county of Kent, and in the diocese of Rochester being:—

“All that portion of the parish of Lewisham in the county and diocese aforesaid wherein the present incumbent of such parish still possesses the exclusive cure of souls which is bounded upon all sides as follows that is to say on the east by the said new parish of All Saints Blackheath on the north by the parish of Greenwich in the county and diocese aforesaid, on the west by the new parish of the Ascension Blackheath in the said county and diocese and on the south by the parish of Lee in the same county and diocese.

“THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

“The territory to be annexed to the New Parish of Saint Stephen Lewisham in the county of Kent and in the diocese of Rochester being:—

“All that portion of the parish of Lewisham in the county and diocese aforesaid wherein the present incumbent of such parish still possesses the exclusive cure of souls and which is bounded upon all sides as follows that is to say on the south partly by the parish of Lee in the said county and diocese and partly by the said new parish of Saint Stephen Lewisham on the south-west by the last-named new parish and on the north-west and north-east by the new parish of the Ascension Blackheath in the county and diocese aforesaid.”

And whereas drafts of the said scheme or representation have been transmitted to the patrons and to the incumbents of the cures affected by the arrangements which are contemplated by such scheme or representation and such patrons and incumbents have respectively signified their assent thereto.