

"And whereas the Honourable and Right Reverend Augustus Bishop of the said diocese of Lichfield is consenting to the transfer of patronage hereinbefore mentioned and hereinafter recommended and proposed and in token of his consent thereto (which by the Acts hereinbefore recited or by some or one of them is made necessary) he the said Augustus Bishop of the said diocese of Lichfield has executed this scheme as hereinbefore mentioned.

"And whereas a sum of five hundred pounds sterling has been paid over to us the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England as and for an augmentation of the endowment of the said benefice of Saint Mary, Stretton-cum-Wetmoor, upon the understanding that the patronage of the said benefice shall be transferred as is hereinafter recommended and proposed.

"And whereas it appears to us the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England that the transfer of the patronage of the said benefice of Saint Mary Stretton-cum-Wetmoor which is hereinbefore mentioned and hereinafter recommended and proposed will tend to make better provision for the cure of souls in the new parish of Saint Mary Stretton-cum-Wetmoor being the parish or district in or in respect of which the said right of patronage and advowson arises and exists.

"Now therefore with the consent of the said Edward John Thornehill and William Frederick Drury (in testimony whereof they have respectively signed and sealed this scheme) and with the consent of the said Augustus, Bishop of the said diocese of Lichfield (in testimony whereof he has signed this scheme and sealed the same with his episcopal seal), we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England humbly recommend and propose that upon and from the day of the date of the publication in the London Gazette of an Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme and without any conveyance or assurance in the law other than such duly gazetted Order the whole advowson or perpetual right of patronage of and presentation to the said benefice of Saint Mary, Stretton-cum-Wetmoor now vested in the said Edward John Thornehill and William Frederick Drury and their heirs and assigns as aforesaid shall be transferred from the said Edward John Thornehill and William Frederick Drury and from their heirs and assigns to the said John Gretton and his heirs and assigns and shall thereupon and thenceforth become and be absolutely vested in and shall and may from time to time be exercised by the said John Gretton and his heirs and assigns for ever.

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

And whereas the said scheme 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 scheme, 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 Lichfield.

C. L. Petl.

At the Court at Balmoral, the 13th day of October, 1897.

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 July in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven in the words and figures 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 Paul Kilburn situate within the limits of the new parish (sometime district chapelry) of the Holy Trinity Kilburn in the county of Middlesex and in the diocese of London.

"Whereas at certain extremities of the said new parish of the Holy Trinity Kilburn, and of the new parish (sometime district chapelry) of Saint Mary Kilburn, in the said county and diocese which said extremities lie contiguous one to another, and are described in the schedule hereunder written, there is collected together a population which is situate at a distance from the several churches of such new parishes respectively.

"And whereas it appears to us to be expedient that certain contiguous portions (being the portions containing the population aforesaid) of the said new parish of the Holy Trinity Kilburn and of the new parish of Saint Mary Kilburn aforesaid should be formed into a consolidated chapelry for all ecclesiastical purposes, and that the same should be assigned to the said church of Saint Paul Kilburn situate as aforesaid.

"Now therefore, with the consent of the Right Honourable and Right Reverend Mandell, Bishop of the said diocese of London as such Bishop, with the consents of the Reverend George Despard of Saint Luke's Vicarage, Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, Clerk in Holy Orders, of Joseph Peters of No. 20 Upper Hamilton terrace in the said county of Middlesex Esquire, of Francis Augustus Bevan of No. 54 Lombard-street in the city of London, Banker, and of Sydney Gedge of No. 11 Great George-street, Westminster Esquire, a Member of the Commons House of Parliament, as the patrons of the vicarage of the said new parish of the Holy Trinity Kilburn, and with the consents of the Reverend Sir John Robert Laurie Emilious Laurie of Maxwellton House in the county of Dumfries Baronet and Clerk in Holy Orders, of the Reverend William Hagger Barlow of the Vicarage Islington in the said county of Middlesex Clerk in Holy Orders and Doctor in Divinity of the Reverend Henry Elliott Fox of the Church Missionary Society Salisbury-square in the said city of Lon-