with registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of Chester. A. W. FitzRoy.

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A^T the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, the 7th day of August, 1900.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

W HEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirtyfour; of the Act of the second and third years of Her Majesty, chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the twenty-eighth day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred, in the words following, that is to say:—

"We the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the fiftyninth 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 Saint Stephen, Bexhill, situate within the limits of the parish of Bexhill in the county of Sussex and in the diocese of Chichester.

"Whereas it appears to us to be expedient that a district chapelry should be assigned to the said church of Saint Stephen Bexhill situate as aforesaid.

"Now therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend Ernest Roland Bishop of the said diocese of Chichester (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 Bexhill 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 Stephen Bexhill situate as aforesaid, and that the same should be named 'The District Chapelry of Saint Stephen Bexhill.'

"And with the like consent of the said Ernest Roland Bishop of the said diocese of Chichester (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 the said church of Saint Stephen Bexhill situate as aforesaid, 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 No. 27219. E

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Your Majesty, in Your Royal wisdom, shall seem meet.

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference

"The District Chapelry of Saint Stephen Bexhill, being :---

"All that part of the parish of Bexhill in the county of Sussex and in the diocese of Chichester which is bounded upon the south and partly upon the south-west by the new parish of Saint Barnabas Bexhill in the said county and diocese upon the remaining part of the south-west and upon the west by the new parish of Saint Mark Bexhill in the same county and diocese and upon the remaining sides that is to say upon the north upon the north-east and upon the east by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint Mark Bexhill from the parish of Bexhill aforesaid at the point where the road leading from Ninfield past High Woods to Sidley Green is joined by the road leading past Clinch Green Farm and Broad Oak towards White Hill and extending thence eastward along the middle of the first-described road for a distance of forty-four chains or thereabouts to the point where it is joined by the footpath leading past the western side of Whitehouse Farm towards Woodsgate Park and extending thence southward along the said footpath for a distance of fifteen chains or thereabouts to the point where it crosses the stream which flows past the north-eastern side of Sidley Wood towards Egerton Park and extending thence first south. eastward and then south-westward along the middle of the said stream for a distance of sixtyfive chains or thereabouts to the point where it is crossed by the road leading from Bexhill to Little Common at or near to the junction of that road with Station-road and extending thence first south-eastward and then southward along the middle of the last-named road for a distance of twenty-two chains or thereabouts to it; junction with Victoria-road upon the boundary which divides the said parish of Bexhill from the new parish of Saint Barnabas Bexhill 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 Chichester.

A. IV. FitzRoy.

A^T the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, the 7th day of August, 1900.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

W HEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirtyfour; of the Act of the second and third years of Her Majesty, chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the twelfth day of July, in the year

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