

“parishes for ecclesiastical purposes,” it is, amongst other things, enacted “That when with respect to his own diocese it shall appear to the Archbishop of the Province, or when the Bishop of any diocese shall represent to the said Archbishop that any such tithing, hamlet, chapelry, place or district within the diocese of such Archbishop, or the diocese of such Bishop, as the case may be, may be advantageously separated from any parish or mother church, and either be constituted a separate benefice by itself or be united to any other parish to which it may be more conveniently annexed, or to any other adjoining tithing, hamlet, chapelry, place, or district, parochial or extra-parochial, so as to form a separate parish or benefice, or that any extra-parochial place may with advantage be annexed to any parish to which it is contiguous, or be constituted a separate parish for ecclesiastical purposes; and the said Archbishop or Bishop shall draw up a scheme in writing (the scheme of such Bishop to be transmitted to the said Archbishop for his consideration) describing the mode in which it appears to him that the alteration may best be effected, and how the changes consequent on such alteration in respect to ecclesiastical jurisdiction, glebe lands, tithes, rent-charges, and other ecclesiastical dues, rates, and payments, and in respect to patronage and rights to pews, may be made with justice to all parties interested; and if the patron or patrons of the benefice or benefices to be affected by such alteration shall consent in writing under his or their hands to such scheme, or to such modification thereof as the said Archbishop may approve, and the said Archbishop shall, on full consideration and inquiry, be satisfied with any such scheme, or modification thereof, and shall certify the same and such consent as aforesaid, by his report to Her Majesty in Council, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to make an Order for carrying such scheme, or modification thereof, as the case may be, into effect.”

And whereas the Right Reverend John Lord Bishop of Saint Davids hath pursuant to the enactment aforesaid represented in a writing dated the fifth day of February one thousand nine hundred and one to the Right Honourable and Most Reverend Frederick Lord Archbishop of Canterbury as follows:—

“I the Right Reverend John Lord Bishop of Saint Davids do in pursuance of the twenty-sixth section of the Act of Parliament of the first and second years of the reign of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria chapter one hundred and six hereby represent to your Grace that there is in the county of Glamorgan and my diocese of Saint Davids the vicarage or perpetual curacy of Penrice having a population that by the census of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one amounted to two hundred and seventy.

“That there is also in the same county of Glamorgan and my diocese of Saint Davids the Rectory of Porteynon having a population that that by the census of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one amounted to two hundred and two.

“That the benefice of Penrice is now held by the Reverend Richard Henry Talbot and has no vicarage house or residence.

“That the benefice of Porteynon is now held by the Reverend David Price and has a vicarage house or residence.

“That the patronage or right of presentation or nomination to the said vicarage or perpetual curacy of Penrice is vested in Miss Emily

Charlotte Talbot of Margam Park and Penrice Castle in the county of Glamorgan and the patronage or right of presentation to the said rectory of Porteynon is vested in the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain.

“That the net annual value of the said vicarage or perpetual curacy of Penrice is eighty-three pounds ten shillings and of the said rectory of Porteynon one hundred and two pounds.

“That it appears to me that a portion of the parish of Penrice including a certain village or hamlet called Horton may under the provisions of the Acts of Parliament of the first and second years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria chapter one hundred and six and the second and third years of Her said Majesty chapter forty-nine be with advantage separated from the said parish of Penrice and annexed to the said parish of Porteynon.

“That the portion of the parish of Penrice proposed so to be separated from that parish and united to the said parish of Porteynon adjoins the said parish of Porteynon and has a present population of about one hundred and twenty-two and an area of three hundred and ten acres or thereabouts and is more particularly delineated and described in the map or plan annexed to the scheme appended to this representation being thereon coloured pink.

“That pursuant to the direction contained in the twenty-sixth section of the said first-mentioned Act of Parliament I the said Lord Bishop have drawn up a scheme in writing appended to this representation describing the mode in which it appears to me that the alteration above proposed may be best effected and how the changes consequent on such alteration in respect to ecclesiastical jurisdiction glebe lands tithes rent charges and other ecclesiastical dues rates and payments and in respect to patronage and rights to pews may be made with justice to all persons interested. And I do submit the same to your Grace together with the consents in writing of Miss Emily Charlotte Talbot the patron of the said vicarage or perpetual curacy of Penrice and of the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain the patron of the said rectory of Porteynon and of the Reverend Richard Henry Talbot clerk vicar or perpetual curate of the said vicarage or perpetual curacy of Penrice and of the Reverend David Price clerk rector of the said rectory of Porteynon that your Grace may if on full consideration and enquiry you shall be satisfied with the said scheme certify the same and such consents to His Majesty in Council.”

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

#### “The SCHEME.

“It is proposed to separate from the parish of Penrice in the county of Glamorgan all that portion of the said parish of Penrice containing three hundred and ten acres or thereabouts and adjoining on its west side the parish of Porteynon in the said county of Glamorgan and more particularly delineated and described in the map or plan attached hereto being thereon coloured pink. And to unite such portion of the said parish of Penrice so separated as aforesaid to the said adjoining parish of Porteynon so as to become hereafter for ecclesiastical purposes a part of such parish of Porteynon of which the parish church for the time being of the said parish of Porteynon shall be the parish church.

“That the said parish of Porteynon so enlarged shall be subject to the same ecclesiastical jurisdiction