

churches in populous parishes;" further provisions are made for carrying such divisions into effect:

And whereas the said Commissioners have made a representation to Her Majesty in Council, bearing date the ninth day of November one thousand eight hundred and forty-two, in the words following, viz.

"Your Majesty's Commissioners for building new churches, appointed by virtue of an Act, passed in the fifty-eighth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act for building, and promoting the building, of additional churches in populous parishes;" continued by an Act, passed in the seventh and eighth years of the reign of His Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the Acts for building, and promoting the building, of additional churches in populous parishes;" and further continued by an Act, passed in the first year of your Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to prolong, for ten years, Her Majesty's Commission for building new churches;" beg leave humbly to represent to your Majesty, that, when the last census was taken, the parish of Whippingham, in the county of Hants and diocese of Winchester, contained a population of two thousand five hundred and eighteen persons:

"That, besides the parish church, which affords accommodation to four hundred and forty persons, there is only one consecrated chapel in the said parish, called St. James, at East Cowes, which will afford accommodation to six hundred and sixty-eight persons, including three hundred and seventy free seats appropriated to the use of the poor; and that divine service is regularly performed therein:

"Your Majesty's said Commissioners beg leave further to represent to your Majesty, that, having taken into consideration all the circumstances attending this parish, it appears to them to be expedient, that a particular district should be assigned to the said chapel, called St. James's, under the provisions of the sixteenth section of an Act, passed in the fifty-ninth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to amend and render more effectual an Act, passed in the last session of Parliament, for building, and promoting the building, of additional churches in populous parishes;" and that such district should be named, "The Chapelry District of East Cowes," with boundaries as follow:

"The district is to consist of the northermost part of the parish of Whippingham; and is bounded on the north by the Solent Sea; on the west by the Medina river, as far as the junction of the respective estates of George-Eyre Brooks, Esq., and Lord George Seymour; whence the boundary proceeds in an easterly direction along the fence which divides those said estates till it meets the road leading from East Cowes to Whippingham; when it takes first a northerly, and then a north easterly, direction along the centre of that road to the boundary of East Cowes Castle estate; thence it continues in the same north easterly direction,

along the centre of the lane leading to New Barn Farm, to the point where the Norris estate joins the Osborne estate, along the boundary fence of which estate, it then proceeds in a north easterly direction to the Solent Sea, where the boundary commenced, as is more particularly shewn by the plan hereunto annexed, and thereon tinted pink:

"That marriages, baptisms, churchings, and burials should be solemnized and performed in the said chapel; and that the fees arising therefrom should belong and be paid to the Minister of the said chapel:

"That the consent of the Lord Bishop of Winchester has been obtained thereto, as required by the above-mentioned section of the said Act, passed in the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third; in testimony whereof the said Lord Bishop has signed and sealed this present instrument:

"Your Majesty's Commissioners, therefore, beg leave to lay before your Majesty the before-mentioned circumstances, and humbly pray, that your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into your royal consideration, and to make such order in respect thereto as to your Majesty in your royal wisdom shall seem meet."

Her Majesty, having taken the said representation, together with the plan thereunto annexed, into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to approve thereof, and to order, as it is hereby ordered, that the proposed assignment be accordingly made, and that the recommendation of the said Commissioners, in respect of the solemnization of marriages, churchings, baptisms, and burials, and the fees arising therefrom, be carried into effect, agreeably to the provisions of the said Acts.

C. C. Greville.

Church Commissioners' Office,
February 4, 1843.

THE following is a copy of an Order of Her Majesty in Council, assigning a chapelry district to Saint Anne's Chapel, in the parish or parochial chapelry of All Saints, within the vicarage of St. Nicholas, in the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, under the 16th section of the 59th Geo. 3., cap. 134:

At the Court at Windsor, the 10th of December 1842, present, the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the fifty-eighth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act for building, and promoting the building, of additional churches in populous parishes," it is, amongst other things, enacted "that in every case in which the Commissioners appointed for carrying into execution the purposes of the said Act shall be of opinion that it will be expedient to divide any parish into