

the county of Hertford, Esquire, is entitled to the next presentation to the said vicarage and rectory respectively :

“ And whereas application has been made to us, to make arrangements for the union of the said sinecure rectory with the said vicarage, and it appears to us to be expedient that such union should be forthwith effected, and that such other arrangements relating thereto should be made as are hereinafter mentioned :

“ Now, therefore, we humbly recommend and propose, with the consent of the said William Lyde Wiggett Chute, and of the said Robert Lawson, in testimony whereof they have signed and sealed this scheme, that the said rectory and vicarage of Sherborne St. John shall be forthwith permanently united and consolidated, and the same shall become and be one benefice with cure of souls, by the name of the rectory of Sherborne St. John; and that the said John Harwood shall thereupon become and be Rector of such rectory, and he and his successors, Rectors of the same rectory, shall be entitled to all the emoluments, both of the said sinecure rectory and of the said vicarage, and that the said rectory of Sherborne St. John shall, from and after such union as aforesaid, be in the patronage of the said William Lyde Wiggett Chute, his heirs and assigns.

“ And we further recommend and propose, that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other measures relating to the said rectory of Sherborne St. John, in conformity with the provisions of the said recited Act, or 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 Act; 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 diocese of Winchester.

*Wm. L. Bathurst.*

*Westminster, June 6, 1844.*

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read*; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to amend the laws relating to the Customs.

An Act to reduce the stamp duties on policies of sea insurance, and on certain other instruments, and to repeal the duties on certain bonds, and the law requiring public notaries in Ireland to deliver accounts of bills and notes noted by them.

An Act to amend the laws relating to labour in factories.

An Act for regulating the bailiffs of inferior Courts.

An Act to amend an Act, of the first and second years of Her present Majesty, for securing the debt due by the city of Edinburgh to the public.

An Act for giving additional powers to the Commissioners for the Relief of certain of Her Majesty's Colonies and Plantations in the West Indies.

An Act to remove doubts as to the power of appointing, convening, and confirming the sentences of Courts Martial in the East Indies.

An Act for making a railway from the Lancaster and Preston Junction Railway, at Lancaster, to or near to the city of Carlisle.

An Act for making a railway from the town of Blackburn to the North Union Railway, in the township of Farrington, near Preston, all in the county of Lancaster.

An Act to amend the Acts relating to the Maryport and Carlisle Railway, and for making certain extensions and branches connected therewith.

An Act to enable the Northern and Eastern Railway Company to make certain deviations in the line of their railway between Bishop's Stortford and Newport; and to alter and amend the Acts relating to the said railway.

An Act for opening certain streets and otherwise improving the town of Salford; and for amending an Act, passed in the eleventh year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Fourth, for better cleansing and improving the said town of Salford, in the county palatine of Lancaster.

An Act to authorise the purchase of Monk's Ferry by the Commissioners for the Improvement of Birkenhead, Cloughton-cum-Grange, and part of Oxtun, in the county of Chester; and for amending the Acts relating to the said Commissioners.