

year one thousand eight hundred and forty-one, and ratifying a scheme, prepared by us, it was ordered, among other things, that there should be founded, in the said university of Durham, eighteen fellowships, in addition to the six fellowships already founded therein by acts of the said dean and chapter, making twenty-four such fellowships in the whole; and that of the said eighteen fellowships, two should be founded on the twenty ninth day of September in the then present year, and the same number of fellowships on the like day in every succeeding year, until the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, inclusive, and that there should be paid to each of such twenty-four fellows the annual sum of one hundred and twenty pounds:

“ And it was by the same Order further ordered, that towards providing the fund for making such payment, and other payments therein mentioned or referred to, all the estate and interest then vested in us in all the lands, tenements and hereditaments formerly assigned to the dean of the said cathedral church and to the canon of the eleventh canonry founded therein (excepting certain tithes in the same Order specified) should be transferred to and vested in the warden, masters, and scholars of the said university; and that whenever it should be made to appear to us, by the said warden, masters and scholars, that, by reason of the foundation of such additional fellowships in successive years as aforesaid, the proceeds annually accruing to them from the said lands, tenements and hereditaments would be insufficient for defraying all the stipends, salaries and other payments charged thereon, we might propose the granting of such additional endowment to the said university as might thereupon appear to be necessary for making up this deficiency, either by transferring the estate and interest in any lands, tenements or hereditaments then belonging to any of the canonries in the said church which might have become vested in us, or by payments to be made by us out of any monies accruing to us by reason of the suspension of any such canonries:

“ And whereas it has been made to appear to us by the said warden, masters and scholars of the said university that, by such reason as aforesaid, the proceeds annually accruing to them from the lands, tenements and hereditaments so vested in them are insufficient, by the amount of ninety-

two pounds three shillings, to defray the payments charged thereon, for the current year, and that a further sum of two hundred and forty pounds will be required to make up the growing deficiency in each and every ensuing year, until the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine inclusive:

“ And whereas there remain to us certain annual proceeds, arising from the tithes so excepted as aforesaid, fully sufficient for the purposes hereinafter mentioned; now, therefore, we humbly recommend and propose that, in order to supply such deficiency as aforesaid, and until further and other arrangements for endowing the said university shall have been recommended and proposed by us, and ratified by an Order of your Majesty in Council, there shall be paid by us to the said warden, masters and scholars, in respect of such proceeds of tithes as aforesaid, on the twenty-ninth day of September next, the sum of ninety-two pounds three shillings; and on the like day in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-six the sum of three hundred and thirty-two pounds three shillings; and on the like day in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven the sum of five hundred and seventy-two pounds three shillings; and on the like day in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight the sum of eight hundred and twelve pounds three shillings; and on the like day in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine the sum of one thousand and fifty-two pounds three shillings; and that until such further arrangements as aforesaid shall be made, such sum of one thousand and fifty-two pounds three shillings shall continue to be paid by us on the said twenty-ninth day of September in every successive year; provided always, that the said warden, masters and scholars shall not be entitled to receive such several additional payments as aforesaid, or any or either of the same, unless the several additional fellowships in the said recited Order mentioned shall be duly founded in the respective successive years, in conformity with the provisions of the said Order.

“ And we further recommend and propose, that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other measures relating to the matters aforesaid, or any of them, in conformity with the provisions of the said recited Act, or of any other Act of Parliament.”