

jurisdiction and authority of the Bishop of Ripon, and of the Archdeacons of the several archdeaconries of the said diocese of Ripon, within the limits of which they shall respectively be so locally situate, except the cathedral church of Ripon, which shall remain and be subject to the jurisdiction and visitation to which the same is now by law subject, and to none other; and we further recommend and propose, that, with the like exception, all and each of such parishes, places, churches and chapels, so possessing or being subject or claiming to possess or be subject to any such peculiar jurisdiction or exemption from jurisdiction, and all other parishes, places, churches and chapels, locally situate within the diocese of Ripon, shall severally and respectively be included in, and form part of, the said diocese, and of the archdeaconries thereof respectively within the limits of which they shall respectively be so locally situate.

“ 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 Acts, or of 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 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 diocese of Ripon.

C. C. Greville.

Whereas at the last election for the borough of Montgomery, Hugh Cholmondely, Esq. commonly called the Honourable Hugh Cholmondely, was returned a Member to serve in Parliament for the said borough, and David Pugh, Esq. was also returned a Member to serve in Parliament for the same borough:

And whereas a petition, complaining of the undue election and return of the said Hugh Cholmondely for the said borough, hath been presented to the House of Commons, and whereas the said House hath been informed, by a declaration in writing subscribed by the said Hugh Cholmondely, and delivered to me, that it is not his intention to defend his said election and return:

Now I do hereby give notice thereof, in pursuance of the direction of an Act of Parliament, passed in the eighth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled “ An Act to amend the law for the trial of controverted elections of Members to serve in Parliament.”

Given under my hand this 7th day  
of December 1847,

C. S. LEFEVRE.

*Foreign-Office, November 27, 1847.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Samuel George Bonham, Esq. to be Her Majesty's Plenipotentiary and Chief Superintendent of British Trade in China.

*Whitehall, December 6, 1847.*

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend John Hampden Gurney, M. A. to the district rectory of Saint Mary, in Saint Mary-le-bone, in the county of Middlesex, and diocese of London, void by the death of Thomas Frognauld Dibdin, D. D.

*Downing-Street, December 7, 1847.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Thomas William Clinton Murdoch, Charles Alexander Wood, and Frederic Rogers, Esqrs. to be Commissioners for superintending the sale and settlement of the waste lands of the Crown in the British colonies, and the conveyance of emigrants thither.

*Whitehall, November 23, 1847.*

The Right Honourable Sir Thomas Wilde, Knt. Lord Chief Justice of Her Majesty's Court of Common Pleas at Westminster, has appointed Richard Caparn, of Holbeach, in the county of Lincoln, Gent. to be one of the Perpetual Commissioners for taking the acknowledgments of deeds to be executed by married women, under the Act passed for the abolition of fines and recoveries and for the substitution of more simple modes of assurance, in and for the parts of Holland, in the county of Lincoln.