

endowment of the perpetual curacy of Wolverhampton aforesaid, and declaring that the office of sacrist in the said collegiate church of Wolverhampton was abolished, and the estates and emoluments appertaining or belonging to the said office were absolutely vested in us, contains enactments, whereby the district of the parish of Wolverhampton assigned to the collegiate church of Saint Peter, as therein mentioned, is constituted a Rectory, and the Reverend John Osmond Dakeyne and his successors, incumbents of the same church, are constituted rectors of Saint Peter's, Wolverhampton, with all the rights, privileges, and emoluments which would have belonged to the perpetual curate of Saint Peter's Wolverhampton, except so far as the same are otherwise appropriated or disposed of by the Acts herein recited; and it is by the same fourthly recited Act enacted, that the minister for the time being of each of the several districts of the said parish of Wolverhampton specified in the schedule to the said Act, and of the district of Ettingshall, so far as the same is in the said parish of Wolverhampton, shall immediately after the present minister thereof respectively shall have given his consent to the same Act (to be testified by writing under his hand, and to be deposited in the registry of the diocese), be entitled to all surplice fees arising or accruing within the same district, and as to the respective ministers of the districts of Saint John and Saint George, in the said parish, in addition to a certain yearly stipend of twenty pounds apiece in the same Act mentioned as payable to them by the Wolverhampton General Cemetery Company, freed and discharged from all claim in respect thereof by the incumbent of Saint Peter's, Wolverhampton; and it is further enacted, that, in consideration of the premises we shall, out of the endowments late belonging to the said collegiate church or the common fund vested and to be vested in us by the herein first and secondly recited Acts, as we shall see fit, and under the authority aforesaid, provide a sum not exceeding seven hundred and fifty pounds for or towards the purchase of a site, and a sum of one thousand five hundred pounds for or towards the erection, under our sanction and control, of a suitable rectory house, to be conveyed to and vested in the rector of Saint Peter's and his successors; and it is by the same Act also enacted, that nothing therein contained shall deprive the present clerk of the church of Saint Peter's, Wolverhampton, of any fees or perquisites to which he is by law or custom entitled in or out of any of the said districts, but that from and after his death, resignation, or removal, all fees to the clerk of the rectory of Saint Peter's, payable from or out or in respect of any other district shall be abolished; and that by the like authority, and at such time or times, and from time to time, as by such authority shall be deemed expedient, it shall be lawful to constitute and declare the several districts and parishes mentioned in the schedule thereunto annexed (being the districts comprised in the schedule hereto annexed, except the districts of Ettingshall and Moxley), or any of them, or any other districts or parishes to be thereafter constituted in the said parish of Wolverhampton, to be separate parishes and vicarages, and the incumbents thereof vicars, but on such conditions, and with such respective grants of money or augmentations of income, or without the same, as to us shall appear expedient and reasonable, and as shall be directed by the like authority; and that on every such district being constituted a vicarage, the then existing incumbent shall be the first vicar thereof, and that every such vicar shall be a

corporation sole, and may receive and take and hold such lands, tithes, or other hereditaments as were vested in him as incumbent of the district so constituted a vicarage at the time of the now reciting Act, or any future augmentation thereof, in as full, ample, and beneficial a manner as any other corporation sole can receive, hold, and enjoy the same:

"And whereas it is by the same Act further enacted, that all the powers and authorities vested in your Majesty in Council, and in us by the therein thirdly and fourthly recited Acts, being the Acts herein firstly and secondly recited with reference to the matters therein respectively contained, and all other the provisions of the same Acts relating to schemes and Orders prepared, made, and issued for the purposes thereof, and also all other the provisions of the same Acts, so far as they are applicable, and not inconsistent with or repugnant to anything in the same Act contained, shall be extended and shall apply to all matters contained in and all the purposes of such Act as fully and effectually as if the said powers, authorities, and other provisions were repeated therein:

"And whereas the consents of all the incumbents of the several districts mentioned in the said fourthly recited Act, and of the district of Moxley so far as the same comprehends a part of Wolverhampton, have been duly given in writing under their hands respectively, and have been deposited in the registry of the diocese of Lichfield, according to the provisions of the same Act:

"And whereas the church of Saint John, Wolverhampton, is in the patronage of the Right Honourable Harry Earl of Stamford and Warrington, and in consideration of the augmentation hereinafter proposed to be made by us the said Earl has agreed to transfer the right of patronage of the said church, subject to his life interest therein, to trustees, in the manner hereinafter mentioned:

"And whereas the church of Saint Paul, Wolverhampton, is in the joint patronage of the Reverend William Dalton, of the Lloyd, in the same parish, Clerk, and Sarah his wife, who have expended more than ten thousand pounds in the purchase of sites for and in building the said church, and a parsonage and schools attached thereto; and in consideration of the augmentation hereinafter proposed by us, the said William Dalton and Sarah his wife have agreed to transfer the right of patronage of the said church, subject to their life interest therein, to the Bishop of the diocese:

"And whereas the church of Saint Mary, Wolverhampton, is in the patronage of Theodosia Hinckes, of Tettenhall, near Wolverhampton aforesaid, Spinster, who has also expended more than ten thousand pounds in the purchase of sites for and in building the said church, and a parsonage and schools attached thereto; and in consideration of the augmentation proposed by us, the said Theodosia Hinckes has also agreed to transfer the right of patronage, of the said church, subject to her life interest therein, to the said Bishop:

"And whereas the church of Wednesfield is in the patronage of John Moore Paget, of East Cranmore, in the county of Somerset, Esquire, and the said John Moore Paget hath agreed forthwith to transfer the right of patronage of the said church to the said Bishop, and also to give and duly to convey a house, garden and grounds thereto belonging, containing together between two and three acres, as a residence for the incumbent of the said church, and also, in consideration