

ment held in the second and third years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to make better provision for the assignment of ecclesiastical districts to churches or chapels augmented by the Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne, and for other purposes," have duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the thirty-first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, in the words following, viz. :—

"Your Majesty's Commissioners for building new churches beg leave humbly to represent, that having taken into consideration all the circumstances of the parish of Isleworth, in the county of Middlesex, and within the diocese of London, it appears to them to be expedient that a particular district should be assigned to the consecrated church of Saint John the Baptist, situate in Brazil Mill-lane, in the said parish of Isleworth, under and by virtue of the power or authority for this purpose contained in the sixteenth section of an Act of Parliament, 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 in the third section of an Act of Parliament passed in the second and third years of your Majesty's reign, intituled 'An Act to make better provision for the assignment of ecclesiastical districts to churches or chapels augmented by the Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne, and for other purposes,' and that such proposed district should be named or called 'The District Chapelry of Saint John Isleworth,' and that the boundaries thereof should be those hereinafter mentioned, that is to say :

"The boundary-line to commence at the south-eastern end of Pound-lane, and proceed southerly along the middle of the Twickenham-road to the bottom of Mogden-lane, then westerly up the middle of that lane as far as Queen's-bridge, and from that bridge, along the middle of the Mill River, as far as the boundary-line separating the parishes of Isleworth and Twickenham, and then proceed along such boundary-line as far as the Hanworth-road, when it meets the boundary-line of the consolidated chapelry of Hounslow, then along that boundary in a northerly and easterly direction as far as Worton-lane; then along that lane southerly as far as the loop-line of the South-Western Railway, then along the northern side of the said railway as far as Wood-lane; then to proceed easterly along the middle of Wood-lane, crossing the Great Western-road, and then along the middle of Pound-lane to the south-eastern end thereof, to the point where the boundary-line of the district chapelry of Saint John Isleworth commenced, as the same is more particularly delineated on the map or plan hereto annexed, and is thereon coloured lilac.

"Your Majesty's said Commissioners beg leave further to represent that it also appears to them to be expedient that banns of matrimony should be published, and that marriages, baptisms, and churchings should be solemnized or performed in the said church of Saint John Isleworth, and that the fees to arise therefrom should be received on account of, and paid over to, the Reverend Henry William Parry Richards, vicar and incumbent of the said parish of Isleworth, during his incumbency thereof; and that upon his avoidance of such incumbency the said fees should belong to the minister or incumbent for the time being of Saint John's Church aforesaid,

"That the consent of the Right Honourable and Right Reverend Archibald Campbell, Bishop of the said diocese of London, has been obtained thereto, as required by the Acts and sections hereinbefore mentioned, in testimony whereof he has signed and sealed this representation.

"Your Majesty's said Commissioners therefore humbly pray that your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into your royal consideration, and to make such Order in respect thereof as to your Majesty in your royal wisdom shall seem meet."

Her Majesty having taken the said representation, together with the map or plan thereunto annexed, into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to approve thereof, and to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the proposed assignment of a district chapelry to the said consecrated church of Saint John the Baptist, in the parish of Isleworth, in the county of Middlesex and diocese of London, to be called "THE DISTRICT CHAPELRY OF SAINT JOHN ISLEWORTH," be accordingly made, and that the recommendations of the said Commissioners, contained in the said representation, in respect of the publication of banns, and the solemnization of marriages, baptisms, and churchings, in the said church, and in respect to the fees to arise therefrom, be carried into effect agreeably to the provisions of the said Acts; and Her Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the diocese of London.

C. C. Greville.

*Whitehall, February 4, 1857.*

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, appointing Charles William Fitzgerald, Esq., (commonly called Marquess of Kildare); Sir Thomas Nicholas Redington, K.C.B.; Bonamy Price, Esq., M.A.; and James Gibson, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, to be Her Majesty's Commissioners for the purpose of enquiring into the progress and condition of the institutions commonly called the Queen's Colleges at Belfast, Cork and Galway, respectively.

*Whitehall, February 5, 1857.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable William Francis Cowper to be Vice-President of the Committee of Council on Education.

*Treasury, February 5, 1857.*

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury have appointed the under-mentioned Noblemen and Gentlemen to be Trustees for the formation of a Gallery of the Portraits of the most eminent persons in British History, viz.:

The Lord President of the Council for the time being.

The Marquess of Lansdowne, K.G.

The Earl Stanhope.

The Earl of Ellesmere, K.G.

The Lord Elcho, M.P.

The Lord Robert Cecil, M.P.

The Right Honourable Sidney Herbert, M.P.

The Right Honourable Thomas Babington Macaulay.

The Right Honourable B. Disraeli, M.P.

Sir Francis Palgrave.

Sir Charles Eastlake.

William Smith, Esq. and

W. H. Carpenter, Esq.