

transferred to and become vested in the Bishop of the said diocese of Llandaff for the time being.

"And whereas it has been made to appear to us that the said vicarage is ill-endowed, and that it is desirable that additional provision should be made for the cure of souls within the said parish.

Now, therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend Alfred, Bishop of the said diocese of Llandaff, and of the said John Dilwyn Llewelyn, in testimony whereof they have respectively signed and sealed this scheme, we humbly recommend and propose that upon and from the date of the publication in the London Gazette of an Order of your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme, and without any conveyance or assurance in the law other than such duly gazetted Order, the whole right of patronage of the said vicarage of Llangynwyd and of its dependent chapelries of Baidan, Maesteg, and Spelterworks, and of the nomination of the incumbent thereto and to the church thereof shall be transferred to and become and be absolutely vested in and shall and may from time to time be exercised by the said Alfred, Bishop of the said diocese of Llandaff, and by his successors, bishops of the same diocese, for ever.

"And we further recommend and propose that we may be authorized and empowered to pay out of the common fund aforesaid by equal half-yearly payments, on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year, to the incumbent for the time being of the said vicarage, an annual sum or stipend of one hundred and sixty pounds, and that the first of such half-yearly payments, or a proportionate part thereof, shall become due on the first day of May or on the first day of November, as the case may be, next following the day of the date of the Gazette in which the before-mentioned Order of your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme may be published.

"And we further recommend and propose that nothing here-in contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any further or other measures relating to the matters aforesaid, or to any of them, in accordance with the provisions of the said Acts, or of either of them, 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 Llandaff.

Arthur Helps.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 16th day of *February*, 1866.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of Her Majesty, chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five; duly prepared

and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the first day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, in the words following; that is to say:

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of your Majesty, chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of your Majesty, chapter fifty-five; have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following representation as to the assignment of a district chapelry to the consecrated church situate at Thornthwaite, in the parish of Hampsthwaite, in the county of York, and in the diocese of Ripon.

"Whereas it appears to us to be expedient that a district chapelry should be assigned to the said church situate at Thornthwaite aforesaid.

"Now, therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend Robert, Bishop of the said diocese of Ripon (testified by his having signed and sealed this representation), we humbly represent, that it would, in our opinion, be expedient that all that part of the said parish of Hampsthwaite, which is described in the schedule hereunder written, all which part, together with the boundaries thereof, is delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be assigned to the said church, situate at Thornthwaite as aforesaid, and that the same should be named 'The District Chapelry of Thornthwaite.'

"And, with the like consent of the said Robert, Bishop of the said diocese of Ripon (testified as aforesaid), we further represent, that it appears to us to be expedient that banns of matrimony should be published, and that marriages, baptisms, churchings, and burials should be solemnized or performed at such church, and that the fees to be received in respect of the publication of such banns and of the solemnization or performance of the said offices should be paid and belong to the minister of the same church for the time being.

We, therefore, humbly pray, that your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into your Royal consideration, and to make such Order with respect thereto as to your Majesty, in your Royal wisdom, shall seem meet.

The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

"The District Chapelry of Thornthwaite, being:—

"All that part of the parish of Hampsthwaite, in the county of York, and in the diocese of Ripon, which is bounded on the north by the consolidated chapelry of Greenhow-hill, by the new parish of the Holy Trinity, Dacre, and by the new parish of Hartwith-cum-Winsley, all in the county and diocese aforesaid, on the east by the particular district of Saint James, Birstwith, sometime part of the said parish of Hampsthwaite, and on the south and west by the parish of Fewston, in the county and diocese aforesaid."

And whereas the said representation 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 representation, 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