

"Whereas it has been made to appear to us that it would promote the interests of religion that the particular portions of the said parish or parochial chapelry of Saint Cuthbert, Darlington, and of the said new parish of the Holy Trinity, Darlington, which are herein after mentioned and described (such portions not at present containing within their limits any consecrated church or chapel in use for the purposes of divine worship), should be constituted a separate district in manner hereinafter set forth.

"And whereas certain hereditaments and premises situate within the said parish or parochial chapelry of Saint Cuthbert, Darlington, have become vested in us under the provisions of and for the purposes of the herein-mentioned Acts, or of some of them, and we have, in respect of such hereditaments and premises, agreed to make and pay, out of the common fund created by the firstly herein-mentioned Act, to the incumbent of the district hereinafter recommended to be constituted, so soon as one shall have been appointed and licensed in accordance with the provisions of the secondly herein-mentioned Act, and to his successors, a grant of two hundred pounds per annum, and also a further grant of one hundred pounds per annum so soon as a church shall have been erected within and for such district, and shall have been approved by us, and shall have been consecrated as the church of such district.

"And whereas such grants as aforesaid will be made by an instrument or instruments to be executed by us under our common seal, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of your Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven.

"Now, therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend Charles, Bishop of the said diocese of Durham (in testimony whereof he has signed and sealed this scheme), we humbly recommend and propose, that all that portion of the said parish or parochial chapelry of Saint Cuthbert, Darlington, and also all that contiguous portion of the said new parish of the Holy Trinity, Darlington, which are described in the schedule hereunder written, and which are delineated and set forth upon the map or plan hereunto annexed, shall, upon and from the day of the date of the publication in the London Gazette of any Order of your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme, become and be constituted a separate district, for spiritual purposes, and that the same shall be named 'The District of Saint Paul, Darlington.'

"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 accordance with the provisions of the said Acts, or of either of them, or of any other Act of Parliament.

The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Scheme has reference.

"The district of Saint Paul, Darlington, being:—

"All that portion of the parish or parochial chapelry of Saint Cuthbert, Darlington, in the county of Durham and in the diocese of Durham, wherein the present incumbent of such parish or parochial chapelry now possesses the exclusive cure of souls, and also all that contiguous portion of the new parish of the Holy Trinity, Darlington, in the said county and diocese, which are comprised within, and are bounded by an imaginary line, commencing upon the boundary which divides the said parish or parochial chapelry from the said

new parish, at Northgate Bridge, where the turnpike road leading from Darlington to Durham crosses Cocker Beck, and extending thence eastward along the middle of the said beck to its junction with the River Skerne, which forms the boundary dividing the said parish or parochial chapelry of Saint Cuthbert, Darlington, from the new parish of Saint John, Darlington, in the county and diocese aforesaid; and extending thence generally north-eastward along the last-described boundary (thereby following the course of the River Skerne aforesaid) to the junction of the same boundary with the boundary dividing the said parish or parochial chapelry of Saint Cuthbert, Darlington, from the parish of Haughton-le-Skerne, in the county and diocese aforesaid; and extending thence north-westward along the last-described boundary (leaving the said River Skerne) to the boundary dividing the said new parish of the Holy Trinity, Darlington, from the parish of Haughton-le-Skerne aforesaid; and extending thence, first north-eastward, then north-westward, and then south-westward, along the last-described boundary, as far as a point in the middle of the line of the Stockton and Darlington Railway; and extending thence, southward, for a distance of thirty-two chains, or thereabouts, along the middle of the said line of railway, to a point in the centre of the bridge, which carries the same line of railway over Honey-pot-lane; and extending thence, south-westward, along the middle of said lane, to its junction, with Bell-lane, at a point opposite to the northern end of the line of fences which divides the two closes numbered respectively 346 and 347, upon the tithe commutation map of the township of Cockerton, in the said parish or parochial chapelry of Saint Cuthbert, Darlington, and upon the map hereunto annexed, from the two closes numbered respectively 344 and 343, upon the same maps; and extending thence, southward to and along the middle of the said line of fences, for a distance of fourteen chains, or thereabouts, to the southern end of the said line of fences, at Cocker Beck aforesaid; and extending thence, generally eastward, for a distance of a mile or thereabouts, along the middle of the same beck, to the first-described point, at Northgate Bridge aforesaid, upon the boundary dividing the said new parish of the Holy Trinity, Darlington, from the parish or parochial chapelry of Saint Cuthbert, Darlington aforesaid, at which point the said imaginary line commenced."

And whereas a draft of the said scheme has, in accordance with the provisions of the hereinbefore secondly mentioned Act, been transmitted to the patrons and to the incumbents of the parish or parochial chapelry and of the new parish, out of which it is intended that the district therein recommended to be constituted shall be taken, and such patrons and incumbents have respectively signified their assent to such scheme.

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 said diocese of Durham.

Arthur Helps.