

Durham, as such Bishop, and also as the patron in right of his see, both of the incumbency of the said parish or parochial chapelry of Saint Andrew, Auckland, and of the incumbency of the said particular district of Shildon (in testimony whereof the said Bishop has signed and sealed this representation), and with the consent of the dean and chapter of the cathedral church of Durham, the patrons of the rectory of the said parish of Heighington (in testimony whereof the said dean and chapter have affixed their common or capitular seal to this representation), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, humbly represent that it would, in our opinion, be expedient that all those contiguous portions of the said parish or parochial chapelry of Saint Andrew, Auckland, of the said parish of Heighington, and of the said particular district of Shildon, which are described in the schedule hereunder written, all which portions, together with the boundaries thereof, are delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be united and formed into one consolidated chapelry for the said church of All Saints, situate at New Shildon as aforesaid, and that the same should be named 'The Consolidated Chapelry of All Saints, New Shildon,' and that the right of presentation and appointment to the church of such consolidated chapelry should belong to, and be exercised by, the said Charles, Bishop of the said diocese of Durham, and by his successors, bishops of the same diocese, for ever.

"We, 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 thereto as to your Majesty, in your Royal wisdom, shall seem meet.

The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

"The Consolidated Chapelry of All Saints, New Shildon, being:—

"All those contiguous portions of the parish or parochial chapelry of Saint Andrew, Auckland, of the parish of Heighington, and of the particular district of Shildon, all in the county of Durham, and in the diocese of Durham, which said portions are comprised within and are bounded by an imaginary line, commencing upon the boundary which divides the said parish or parochial chapelry of Saint Andrew, Auckland, from the parish of Heighington aforesaid, at a point in the centre of the bridge or culvert which carries the line of the Stockton and Darlington Railway over Red House Beck; and extending thence, first south-westward and then westward along the said parish boundary for a distance of two miles or thereabouts, thereby following, for the most part, the course of the said Red House Beck, and of a certain stream which forms the mill race supplying Midridge Grange Mill, to the point where the said mill race is joined by Corner Beck; and extending thence south-westward for a distance of one mile and a half, or thereabouts, along the middle of the last-named beck to a point near the Red Lion Inn, on the north-eastern side of the turnpike road leading from Darlington to Bishop Auckland, on the boundary which divides the said parish of Heighington from the chapelry of Denton, in the parish of Gainford, in the county and diocese aforesaid; and extending thence, first north-westward for a distance of fifty chains, or thereabouts, along the last-described boundary, thereby following, for the most part, the north-

eastern side of the said turnpike road, and then south-westward for a distance of fourteen chains, or thereabouts, along the same boundary to its junction on the western side of the old Roman road with the boundary which divides the said parish of Heighington from the parish or parochial chapelry of Saint Helen, Auckland, in the county and diocese aforesaid; and extending thence northward along the last-described boundary for a distance of two miles, or thereabouts, thereby following, for the most part, the course of the old Roman road aforesaid to the point near Burns House, where the same boundary joins the boundary which divides the said parish of Heighington from the parish or parochial chapelry of Saint Andrew, Auckland aforesaid; and extending thence south-eastward for a distance of thirty chains, or thereabouts, along the last-described boundary to its junction with the boundary which divides the said parish of Heighington from the particular district of Shildon aforesaid; and extending thence, first south-eastward for a distance of half a mile, or thereabouts, and then north-eastward for a distance of three-quarters of a mile, or thereabouts, along the last-described boundary to a point near Sebastopol, in the middle of the footpath which leads from Thickley into Stock-lane; and extending thence northward for a distance of sixteen chains, or thereabouts, along the middle of the said footpath to its junction with Stock-lane aforesaid; and continuing thence, still northward, for a distance of sixteen and a half chains, or thereabouts, along the middle of the last-named lane to a point at the northern end of the same lane in the middle of the line of the Surtees Railway; and extending thence south-eastward for a distance of three-quarters of a mile, or thereabouts, along the middle of the last-named line of railway to its junction with the line of the Haggerleases Branch of the Stockton and Darlington Railway; and continuing thence, still south-eastward, for a distance of fifteen chains, or thereabouts, along the middle of the said branch line of railway to its junction with the line of the Stockton and Darlington Railway aforesaid; and continuing thence, still south-eastward, for a distance of one mile and three-quarters, or thereabouts, along the middle of the last-named line of railway (thereby crossing the boundary which divides the said parish or parochial chapelry of Saint Andrew, Auckland, from the particular district of Shildon aforesaid) to the first-described point in the centre of the bridge or culvert which carries the line of the Stockton and Darlington Railway over Red House Beck as aforesaid upon the boundary which divides the said parish or parochial chapelry of Saint Andrew, Auckland, from the parish of Heighington aforesaid, at which point the said imaginary line commenced."

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 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.