

AT the Court at Windsor, the 22nd day of February, 1870.

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 twenty-seventh day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy, 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 of Saint John the Evangelist, situate at Hurst Green, in the parish of Mitton, which said parish is situate partly in the county of York, and partly in the county of Lancaster, and wholly in the diocese of Ripon.

"Whereas it appears to us to be expedient that a district chapelry should be assigned to the said church of Saint John the Evangelist, situate at Hurst Green as 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 the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners humbly represent, that it would in our opinion be expedient that all those parts of the said parish of Mitton, which are situate within the said county of Lancaster, and which are comprised within and are co-extensive with the limits of the hamlets of Aughton, of Bailey, and of Chaignley respectively, all which parts together with the boundaries thereof are delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be collectively assigned as a district chapelry to the said church of Saint John the Evangelist, situate at Hurst Green as aforesaid, and that the same should be named 'The District Chapelry of Saint John the Evangelist, Hurst Green,' and with the like consent of the said Robert, Bishop of the said diocese of Ripon (testified as aforesaid), we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners 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 the said church of Saint John the Evangelist, situate at Hurst Green as aforesaid, 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: Provided always, that so long as the Reverend Richard Edwards Taylor, the present vicar or incumbent of the vicarage of the said parish of Mitton, shall continue to be such vicar or incumbent, all the fees which may be received in respect of such publication, solemnization, or performance, at the said church of St. John the Evangelist, situate at Hurst Green as aforesaid, shall be paid over by

the minister thereof to the said Richard Edwards-Taylor: and provided also, that nothing herein-contained shall be construed as expressing any intention on the part of us the said Commissioners, to concur in or approve the taking of any fee for the performance of the said office of baptism, or for the registration thereof.

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."

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 Ripon.

Arthur Helps.

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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 third day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy, 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 of Saint Thomas, situate in the township of Sutton, in the parish of Kildwick, 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 of Saint Thomas, situate in the township of Sutton as 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, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, humbly represent, that it would, in our opinion, be expedient that all that part of the said parish of Kildwick which is described in the schedule hereunder written, all which part, together with the