

into one benefice we enquired into the circumstances of the case.

"That on such enquiry it appeared to us that such union might be usefully made and would not be of inconvenient extent and that the Right Honourable Benjamin Disraeli First Lord Commissioner of your Majesty's Treasury being the patron or person entitled on behalf of the Crown to present to the said benefice of Northlew if the same were now vacant and the Right Honourable Hugh McCalmont Baron Cairns Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain being the patron or person entitled on behalf of the Crown to present to the said benefice of Ashbury the same being now vacant have by writing under their hands bearing date the fifteenth day of November one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five signified their consents to the union of the said benefices into one benefice with cure of souls for ecclesiastical purposes.

"That six weeks and upwards before certifying such inquiry and consents to your Majesty in Council we caused copies in writing of the aforesaid representation of the said Lord Bishop to be affixed on the principal outer door of the parish church of each of the said benefices with notice to any person or persons interested that he she or they might within such six weeks shew cause in writing under his her or their hand or hands to us the said Archbishop against such union and no such cause has been shewn.

"The representation of the said Lord Bishop of Exeter our enquiry into the circumstances of the case the statement of circumstances in reply thereto and the copies of the representation and notice before mentioned are hereunto annexed.

"And we do hereby certify the enquiry and consents aforesaid to your Majesty in Council to the intent that your Majesty in Council may in case your Majesty in Council shall think fit so to do make and issue an Order for uniting the said benefices into one benefice with cure of souls for ecclesiastical purposes only and for declaring that the patronage of such united benefices shall be exercised for ever by the First Lord Commissioner of your Majesty's Treasury on behalf of the Crown.

"As witness our hand this second day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

"A. C. Cantuar."

Now, therefore, Her Majesty in Council, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased to order, and doth hereby order, that the said rectory of Northlew, in the county of Devon, and diocese of Exeter, and the rectory of Ashbury, in the same county and diocese, shall be united into one benefice for the cure of souls; and Her Majesty in Council is pleased to declare that the patronage of such united benefice shall be exercised for ever by the First Lord Commissioner of Her Majesty's Treasury on behalf of the Crown.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of March, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of Her Majesty, chapter seventy; of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her Majesty, chapter ninety-seven; of the Act of the nineteenth

and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five; and of the Act of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of Her Majesty, chapter eighty-two; duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the twentieth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, in the words following; that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of your Majesty, chapter seventy, of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of your Majesty, chapter ninety-seven, of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of your Majesty chapter fifty-five, and of the Act of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of your Majesty, chapter eighty-two, have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following representation as to the assignment of a consolidated chapelry to the consecrated church of the Holy Trinity, situate at Stanton in Peak, in the parish of Youlgreave, in the county of Derby, and in the diocese of Lichfield.

"Whereas at certain extremities of the said parish of Youlgreave and of the new parish of Saint Catherine, Rowsley, in the said county of Derby, and in the said diocese of Lichfield which said extremities lie contiguous one to another, and are described in the schedule hereunder written, there is collected together a population which is situate at a distance from the several churches of such parish and new parish respectively.

"And whereas it appears to us to be expedient that such contiguous portions of the said parish of Youlgreave and of the said new parish of Saint Catherine Rowsley should be formed into a consolidated chapelry for all ecclesiastical purposes, and that the same should be assigned to the said church of the Holy Trinity situate at Stanton in Peak as aforesaid.

"Now, therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend George Augustus Bishop of the said diocese of Lichfield with the consent of the Most Noble William Duke of Devonshire the patron of the vicarage of the said parish of Youlgreave, and with the consent of the Most Noble Charles Cecil John Duke of Rutland the patron of the incumbency of the said new parish of Saint Catherine Rowsley (in testimony whereof they the said consenting parties have respectively signed and sealed 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 of Youlgreave, and of the said new parish of Saint Catherine, Rowsley, 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 the Holy Trinity, situate at Stanton in Peak as aforesaid, and that the same should be named 'The Consolidated Chapelry of the Holy Trinity, Stanton in Peak.'

"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 the Holy Trinity, Stanton in Peak, being:—

"All those two contiguous portions of the parish of Youlgreave and of the new parish of