

been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Act, 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 Hereford.

C. I. 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 thirty-seventh and thirty-eighth years of Her Majesty, chapter sixty-three, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the second day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, in the words and figures following, that is to say:

"We the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in pursuance of the Act of the thirty-seventh and thirty-eighth years of your Majesty chapter sixty-three have prepared and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council the following scheme for altering the area of the Archdeaconry of Lincoln within the diocese of Lincoln, and for altering the area of the Archdeaconry of Stow, with the same diocese, by transferring to the said Archdeaconry of Stow certain territory now comprised within the area of the said Archdeaconry of Lincoln.

"Whereas the area of the said Archdeaconry of Lincoln is of great extent, and comprises five hundred and two parishes or other cures contained within thirty-five Rural Deaneries.

"And whereas the area of the said Archdeaconry of Stow is of comparatively small extent and comprises ninety-two parishes or other cures contained within six Rural Deaneries.

"And whereas in order to effect a more equitable adjustment of area as between the said Archdeaconry of Lincoln and the said Archdeaconry of Stow the Right Reverend Christopher Bishop of the said diocese of Lincoln has (with the consent as hereinafter mentioned of the present Archdeacon of Lincoln and of the present Archdeacon of Stow) requested us to recommend and propose to your Majesty in Council that the territory hereinafter mentioned and described, being now part of the area of the Archdeaconry of Lincoln shall be transferred as hereinafter is mentioned to the said Archdeaconry of Stow.

"And whereas we having considered the said request of the said Bishop and the particulars furnished to us in support thereof are of opinion that it is expedient to effect an adjustment of area as between the said Archdeaconry of Lincoln and the said Archdeaconry of Stow and that such adjustment may conveniently and properly be effected by means of the transfer of territory which as aforesaid the said Bishop has requested us to recommend and propose to your Majesty in Council, and which accordingly we do hereinafter recommend and propose.

"Now therefore with the consent of the Right Reverend Christopher, Bishop as aforesaid of the said diocese of Lincoln (in testimony of which consent he has set his hand and his episcopal seal to this scheme) and with the consent of the Venerable William Frederick John Kaye, Clerk in Holy Orders now Archdeacon of the said Archdeaconry of Lincoln, and of the Venerable Edward Trollope Clerk in Holy Orders now

Archdeacon of the said Archdeaconry of Stow (in testimony of which consents they the said William Frederick John Kaye and the said Edward Trollope have set their hands and seals to this scheme) we humbly recommend and propose, that upon and from the day on which any Order of your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme shall be published in the London Gazette, and without any assurance in the law other than such duly gazetted Order, those rural deaneries within the said diocese of Lincoln and within the said Archdeaconry of Lincoln which are specified in the schedule to this scheme appended shall together with all the parishes or other cures within each of the said rural deaneries contained, as the same parishes and cures are set forth in the schedule deposited in the Registry of the said diocese of Lincoln in accordance with the second section of the said Act be transferred from the said Archdeaconry of Lincoln and become and thenceforth be and form a part of the said Archdeaconry of Stow; so that the rural deans and other the clergy and inhabitants of the said rural deaneries and parishes or other cures proposed to be so transferred as aforesaid, shall be exempted and released from the archidiaconal jurisdiction, authority and control of the Archdeacon of the said Archdeaconry of Lincoln and his successors, and shall be under and subject to the archidiaconal jurisdiction, authority and control of the Archdeacon of the said Archdeaconry of Stow and his successors who shall have and exercise all the rights powers and duties of an archdeacon within the limits of the rural deaneries and parishes or other cures proposed to be so transferred as aforesaid, by means of and after which transfer the said Archdeaconry of Lincoln will as from the day aforesaid comprise and consist of its present area reduced by the cutting off therefrom of the rural deaneries and parishes or other cures proposed to be so transferred as aforesaid and the said Archdeaconry of Stow will as from the same day comprise and consist of its present area with the addition thereto of the same rural deaneries and parishes or other cures proposed to be so transferred as aforesaid.

"And we further recommend and propose that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from hereafter recommending and proposing to your Majesty in Council any other matter or thing relating to the matters aforesaid or any of them in accordance with the provisions of the said Act or of any other Act of Parliament.

"The SCHEDULE in the foregoing Scheme mentioned, being:—

"A SCHEDULE of the Rural Deaneries, now within the Archdeaconry of Lincoln in the diocese of Lincoln, which are to be transferred to the Archdeaconry of Stow in the same diocese.

1. The Rural Deanery of Grimsby—No. 1.
2. The Rural Deanery of Grimsby—No. 2.
3. The Rural Deanery of Horncastle.
4. The Rural Deanery of Louthesk and Ludburgh—No. 1.
5. The Rural Deanery of Louthesk and Ludburgh—No. 2.
6. The Rural Deanery of Louthesk and Ludburgh—No. 3.
7. The Rural Deanery of Walshcroft.
8. The Rural Deanery of Wraggoc.
9. The Rural Deanery of Yarborough—No. 1.
10. The Rural Deanery of Yarborough—No. 2."

And whereas the said scheme has been approved by Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, by and with the advice of Her said