

the Archdeaconry of Rochester and Saint Albans shall be divided by separating from the same the whole city and deanery of Rochester and all parishes and places situate within the limits of the said city and deanery and the other parishes and ecclesiastical districts situate in the counties of Kent and Surrey or either of them which by the London Diocese Act aforesaid were placed (as from the then next avoidance of the See of Rochester) within the diocese of Rochester.

"II. The same parishes and districts so situate within the city and deanery of Rochester as aforesaid and the same parishes and districts so situate in the counties of Kent and Surrey aforesaid or either of them which became under the provisions of the said London Diocese Act as aforesaid, and now are part of the diocese of Rochester shall upon and from the day of publication aforesaid together constitute and become and be one archdeaconry by the name of 'The Archdeaconry of Rochester' and the rural deans and other the clergy and inhabitants of the said Archdeaconry of Rochester shall be wholly under and subject to the archidiaconal jurisdiction authority and control of the Archdeacon of Rochester for the time being who shall have and exercise all the rights powers and duties of an archdeacon within the limits of the Archdeaconry of Rochester aforesaid.

"III. So much of the said Archdeaconry of Rochester and Saint Albans as is within the diocese of Saint Albans shall upon and from the day aforesaid again become and be known as the same was known before the passing of the said London Diocese Act 1863 as 'The Archdeaconry of Saint Albans.'

"IV. An annual sum of two hundred pounds shall be paid by us the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners to the person who shall be appointed Archdeacon of Rochester for time being, such payment to commence as from the day of his being so appointed to the same archdeaconry and continue only until the day when the canonry in the cathedral church of Rochester which is now held by the said Anthony Grant shall cease to be so held and in the meantime be apportionable between any avoiding archdeacon of Rochester (or his representatives) and his successor in the same archdeaconry and be payable in respect of any one year only after due evidence furnished to us that any legal conditions as to the residence of an archdeacon have been during that year complied with by the archdeacon in whose favour the payment is to be made.

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

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 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 Rochester and also by the Registrar of the said diocese of Saint Albans.

*C. L. Peel.*

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 6th day of *February*, 1882.

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; of the Act of the third and fourth years of Her Majesty, chapter sixty; 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-sixth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, 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; of the Act of the third and fourth years of your Majesty, chapter sixty; 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 Baptist situate within the limits the new parish (some time district chapelry) of Saint Mary Penzance in the county of Cornwall and in the diocese of Truro.

"Whereas it appears to us to be expedient that a district chapelry should be assigned to the said church of Saint John the Baptist situate within the limits of the new parish of Saint Mary Penzance as aforesaid.

"Now therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend Edward White Bishop of the said diocese of Truro (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 new parish of Saint Mary Penzance which is described in the schedule hereunder written, all which part, together with the boundaries thereof, is delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be assigned as a district chapelry to the said church of Saint John the Baptist situate within the limits of such new parish as aforesaid, and that the same should be named 'The District Chapelry of Saint John the Baptist, Penzance.'

"And with the like consent of the said Edward White Bishop of the said diocese of Truro (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 Baptist situate within the limits the new parish of Saint Mary Penzance 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 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