

the parish belonging thereto as other inhabitants of the same parish.

"That the fees for such offices and services performed for the inhabitants of the said townships of Earle and Humbleton as aforesaid or arising within the limits of the same and usually payable to the incumbent of a benefice shall belong to the incumbent of the benefice of Wooler.

"That the inhabitants of the said township of Fenton shall be exonerated from all liability in respect of the repairs to the parish church of Wooler or any other church or chapel now or hereafter to be erected within that parish but shall be liable as other inhabitants of the said parish of Doddington to the repairs of the parish church of Doddington and that the inhabitants of the said township shall have the same rights as to pews and the performance of all offices and services of the church at the said church of Doddington and otherwise in relation to the same church and the parish belonging thereto as other inhabitants of the same parish.

"That the fees for such offices and services performed for the inhabitants of the said township of Fenton shall belong to the incumbent of Doddington.

"That no alteration shall be made in respect of the patronage or any glebe land tithe or tithe rent-charge or other endowment of either of the said benefices of Doddington and Wooler.

"To the Most Reverend William Lord Archbishop of York.

"I the Most Noble Algernon George Duke of Northumberland of Alwick Castle in the county of Northumberland, patron of or person entitled to present to the vicarage of Doddington in the county of Northumberland and diocese of Durham in case the same were now vacant and I the Right Reverend William Lord Bishop of Chester the patron of or person entitled to present to the vicarage of Wooler in the county of Northumberland and diocese of Durham in case the same were now vacant and I the Reverend Aislabie Procter vicar of the said vicarage of Doddington and I the Reverend Joseph Samuel Pickles vicar of the said vicarage of Wooler do hereby respectively signify to your Grace our consent to the foregoing report and scheme.

"As witness our hands this twenty-fifth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

"Northumberland.

"William Chester.

"A. Procter.

"J. S. Pickles."

And whereas the said Bishop of Durham hath transmitted the said scheme to the Archbishop of York for his consideration and the said Archbishop being satisfied with such scheme, hath certified the same and such consents as aforesaid, by his report, to Her Majesty in Council dated the first day of February one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two which report is in the words and figures following:—

"To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

"We the undersigned William Lord Archbishop of York do hereby report to your Majesty in Council that the Right Reverend Joseph Barber Lord Bishop of Durham has represented to us (amongst other things).

"That there is in the county of Northumberland and diocese of Durham the vicarage of Doddington the parish whereof comprises amongst other places the townships of Earle and Humbleton

the boundaries of which said townships are well known and defined and are more particularly delineated and described in the map or plan attached to the representation and scheme of the said Lord Bishop hereto annexed.

"That there is also in the said county of Northumberland and diocese of Durham the vicarage of Wooler the parish whereof comprises the township of Fenton the boundaries whereof are well known and defined and are more particularly delineated and described in the said map or plan hereunto annexed.

"That the townships of Earle and Humbleton are contiguous to the parish of Wooler and the inhabitants of such townships have to pass through the said parish of Wooler to reach their parish church of Doddington aforesaid.

"That the said township of Fenton is contiguous to the said parish of Doddington and the inhabitants of such township have to pass through the said parish of Doddington to reach the parish church of Wooler aforesaid.

"That it appears to the said Lord Bishop that the said townships of Earle and Humbleton may under the provision of the Acts of Parliament passed in the first and second years of the reign of Her present Majesty chapter 106 and the second and third years of the reign of Her said Majesty chapter 49 be advantageously separated from the said parish of Doddington and be annexed to the said parish of Wooler for ecclesiastical purposes. And that the said township of Fenton may under the provisions of the same Acts of Parliament be separated from the said parish of Wooler and be annexed to the said parish of Doddington for ecclesiastical purposes.

"That the said Lord Bishop has drawn up a scheme in writing appended to this representation describing the mode in which it seems to him that the alteration above proposed may be best effected and how the changes consequent on such alteration may be made with justice to all parties interested which scheme together with the consents thereto in writing of the patrons and incumbents of the benefices to be effected has been transmitted to us by the said Lord Bishop for our consideration.

"The representation and scheme of the said Lord Bishop and the consents before referred to are hereunto annexed.

"And we the said Archbishop being on full consideration and enquiry satisfied with the said scheme do hereby pursuant to the Act of the first and second years of your Majesty's reign chapter 106 certify the same and such consents as 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 carrying the said scheme into effect.

"As witness our hand this first day of February one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

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Now therefore Her Majesty in Council, by and with the advice of Her said Council is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the said scheme of the Lord Bishop of Durham be carried into effect.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 27th 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 third and fourth years of Her Majesty,