

“ Council to give directions for regulating the course and succession in which the patrons, if there be more than one patron, shall present or nominate to such united benefice, from time to time, as the same shall become vacant.”

And whereas the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, pursuant to the provisions of the said Act, hath duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a certificate in writing, bearing date the twenty-second day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, in the words following, that is to say :—

“ To the QUEEN’s Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

“ We the undersigned Edward White Archbishop of the Province of Canterbury Primate of all England and Metropolitan do hereby certify to Your Majesty in Council.

“ That the Right Reverend Richard Lord Bishop of Llandaff as Bishop of the diocese within which are situate the rectory of Wolvesnewton and the perpetual curacy of Kilgwrrwg in the county of Monmouth and diocese of Llandaff having represented unto us that the said benefices being contiguous to each other and of which the aggregate population does not exceed three hundred and fifty persons might with advantage to the interests of religion be united 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 said Lord Bishop is the patron or person to present to the said rectory of Wolvesnewton if the same were now vacant and the Venerable John Griffiths Clerk B.D. Archdeacon of Llandaff is the patron entitled to present to the said perpetual curacy of Kilgwrrwg the same being now vacant and that they consent to the proposed union.

“ That six weeks and upwards before certifying such enquiry and consent to Your Majesty in Council we caused a copy 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 show 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 shown.

“ The representation of the said Lord Bishop of Llandaff our inquiry into the circumstances of the case the statement of circumstances in reply thereto the consent in writing of the patrons and the copies of the representation and notice before-mentioned are hereunto annexed.

“ And we do hereby certify the enquiry and consent 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 and for declaring that the patronage of such united benefice shall be exercised by the respective patrons in an alternate course or succession and that the first turn of presentation to the said united benefice shall belong to and be exercised by the patron for the time being of the said rectory of Wolvesnewton.

“ As witness our hand this twenty-second day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four. “ *Edw. Cantuar.*”

Now therefore Her Majesty in Council, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased to order, as it is hereby ordered, that the rectory of Wolvesnewton, situate in the county of Monmouth

and diocese of Llandaff, and the perpetual curacy of Kilgwrrwg situate in the same county and diocese, shall be united into one benefice with cure of souls for ecclesiastical purposes only.

And Her Majesty in Council by and with the advice of Her said Council is pleased to direct that the patronage of such united benefice shall be exercised by the respective patrons in an alternate course or succession, and that the first turn of presentation to the said united benefice shall belong to and be exercised by the Lord Bishop of Llandaff for the time being.

*C. L. Peel.*

**A**T the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 11th day of *August*, 1884.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN’s Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS the Right Honourable Sir William Vernon Harcourt, one of Her Majesty’s Principal Secretaries of State, after giving to the Incumbents and the Churchwardens of the parishes hereinafter mentioned ten days’ previous notice of his intention to make such representation, has, under the provisions of an Act passed in the session of Parliament held in the sixteenth and seventeenth years of Her Majesty’s reign, intituled “ An Act to amend the laws concerning the burial of the dead in England beyond the limits of the Metropolis, and to amend the Act concerning the burial of the dead in the Metropolis,” made a representation stating that, for the protection of the public health, no new burial-ground should be opened in the undermentioned parishes without the previous consent of one of Her Majesty’s Principal Secretaries of State, and that burials should be discontinued therein, with the following modifications, viz. :—

**OVER PEOVER.**—Forthwith and entirely in Over Peover Church in the county of Chester; and also in the churchyard after the thirty-first March one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five except as follows :

(a.) In such vaults and wholly walled graves now existing in the churchyard burials may be allowed on condition that every coffin buried therein be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented.

(b.) In such partly walled graves as are now existing in the churchyard provided that the earth above them can be opened to the depth of five feet without exposing coffins or disturbing human remains burials may be allowed of so many of the relations of those interred at the date of the Order as can be buried at or below that depth.

(c.) In such earthen graves now existing in the churchyard as can be opened to the depth of five feet without exposing coffins or disturbing human remains burials may be allowed of so many of the relations of these interred at the date of the Order as can be buried at or below that depth.

**WOODCHESTER.**—Forthwith and entirely in the old churchyard of Woodchester in the county of Gloucester.

**TOWCESTER.**—Forthwith and entirely in the parish church of Towcester in the county of Northampton; and also in the churchyard after the thirty-first March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, except as follows :—

(a.) In such vaults as are now existing in the churchyard burials may be allowed on condition that every coffin buried therein be