

AT the Court at Windsor, the 23rd day of February, 1891.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the thirteenth and fourteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty intituled "An Act for extinguishing the Vicarial Tithes in the Parishes of Kew and Petersham in the county of Surrey; for confirming and regulating the Pew Rents of the Churches of the said Parishes; for authorizing the Division of the Vicarage of Kew and Petersham; and for other purposes relating to such Vicarage," it was amongst other things enacted that the Provost and Scholars of King's College Cambridge, as patrons of the Vicarage of Kew and Petersham, should be empowered, with the consent of the Bishop of the diocese, to declare by deed or writing under their common seal as in the said Act provided that the Vicarage of Kew and Petersham should be divided in accordance with the provisions of the said Act into two distinct vicarages:

And whereas no such deed has been made under the said Act:

And whereas by a scheme of the Ecclesiastical Commissioners ratified by an Order in Council dated the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, the advowson of the Vicarage of Kew and Petersham was transferred, by way of exchange, from the Provost and Scholars of King's College Cambridge and vested in Her Majesty the Queen:

And whereas by the Kew and Petersham Vicarage Act, 1890, it is enacted that "it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by Order in Council, on the recommendation of the Bishop of the diocese, to declare that the Vicarage of Kew and Petersham shall be divided in accordance with the Kew and Petersham Vicarage Act, 1850, into two distinct vicarages, and by such Order to exercise in relation to such division all powers conferred by that Act on the Provost and Scholars of King's College, Cambridge, and that Act, so far as regards such division, shall be construed as if Her Majesty in Council were substituted therein for the Provost and Scholars of King's College, Cambridge, and any reference to the consent of the Bishop of the diocese were omitted therefrom."

And whereas the Right Reverend Anthony Wilson, Lord Bishop of Rochester, pursuant to the said Act of 1890, hath by writing dated the thirty-first of October one thousand eight hundred and ninety recommended that the Vicarage of Kew and Petersham should be divided into two vicarages in accordance with the said hereinbefore first recited Act.

And whereas the Reverend William Henry Bliss, the Vicar of the said Vicarage has by writing under his hand dated the twenty-seventh day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, consented to the said division.

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 Vicarage of Kew and Petersham, situate in the diocese of Rochester, shall be, and the same is hereby, divided into two distinct vicarages, and that such division shall take effect from the date of this Order.

C. L. Pecl.

Privy Council Office, February 23, 1891.

THE following Statutes, made by the Governing Body of Wadham College, Oxford, on the sixth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety; and sealed on the sixteenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, have been submitted for the approval of Her Majesty in Council, and notice of their having been so submitted is published in accordance with the provisions contained in the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge Act, 1877:—

A STATUTE to amend a Statute made by the University of Oxford Commissioners under the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge Act 1877 (40 and 41 Vict., c. 48), and approved by the Queen in Council on the third day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, in relation to Wadham College in the University of Oxford, duly made at a General Meeting of the Warden and Fellows specially summoned for this purpose, held on the sixth day of December one thousand eight hundred and ninety, and passed at such meeting by the votes of two-thirds of the number of persons present and voting, and submitted to Her Majesty the Queen in Council.

WHEREAS by clause 19 of Statute III made by the University of Oxford Commissioners under the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge Act 1877, and approved by the Queen in Council on the third day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two in relation to Wadham College in the University of Oxford, it was enacted as follows:—

"In certain cases the Warden and Fellows may elect to a vacant Fellowship, without giving public notice of the vacancy and without examination, any person specially qualified as hereinafter mentioned, although the person so elected be in possession of any property, pension or office, which would in ordinary cases render the possessor ineligible; and although he may not have taken the degree of Bachelor of Arts, in any University, or passed the examinations required for that degree; Provided that such person is otherwise qualified for election. The excepted cases shall be as follows:—

"(a.) Any person qualified to be a Tutor or Bursar of the College.

"(b.) Any Professor or Public Reader within the University of Oxford. Provided that, if the emoluments (exclusive of fees) of any Professor so elected shall exceed £700 per annum, he shall not receive, as the emolument of his Fellowship, a greater sum than will amount with the emoluments of his Professorship (exclusive of fees) to £900 per annum.

"(c.) Any person whose attainments in literature, science, or art, shall in the judgment of the College qualify him for election as a Fellow, and who shall undertake, if required, to perform any definite literary, scientific, or educational work in the College, or in the University, or (under the direction of the College or the University) elsewhere, which work shall be specified in the resolution by which he is elected.

"In each of the above cases the election shall be made by resolution passed at a stated General Meeting, and except in the case of a person elected as qualified for the office of Tutor or Bursar by a majority of two-thirds of those present and voting. The resolution shall in every case specify the nature of the qualification for election; and any person who, undertaking to perform such work as aforesaid, shall be elected or become a Fellow of the College, shall