

"either be constituted a separate benefice by itself or be united to any other parish to which it may be more conveniently annexed, or to any other adjoining tithing, hamlet, chapelry, place, or district, parochial or extra-parochial, so as to form a separate parish or benefice, or that any extra-parochial place may with advantage be annexed to any parish to which it is contiguous or be constituted a separate parish for ecclesiastical purposes: and the said Archbishop or Bishop shall draw up a scheme in writing (the scheme of such Bishop to be transmitted to the said Archbishop for his consideration) describing the mode in which it appears to him that the alteration may best be effected, and how the changes consequent on such alteration in respect to ecclesiastical jurisdiction, glebe lands, tithes, rent-charges, and other ecclesiastical dues, rates, and payments, and in respect to patronage and rights to pews, may be made with justice to all parties interested: and if the patron or patrons of the benefice or benefices to be affected by such alteration shall consent in writing under his or their hands to such scheme, or to such modification thereof as the said Archbishop may approve, and the said Archbishop shall, on full consideration and inquiry, be satisfied with any such scheme or modification thereof, and shall certify the same and such consent as aforesaid, by his report to Her Majesty in Council, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to make an Order for carrying such scheme, or modification thereof, as the case may be, into effect."

And whereas the Right Reverend John James Stewart, Lord Bishop of Worcester, hath, pursuant to the enactment aforesaid, represented in a writing dated the twenty-ninth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, to the Right Honourable and Most Reverend Edward White, Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, as follows:—

"To the Right Honourable and Most Reverend Edward White Lord Archbishop of Canterbury.

"I, John James Stewart, Bishop of Worcester beg leave to represent to Your Grace that there is in the county of Warwick and diocese of Worcester the curacy of Wroxall the parish whereof comprises among other places a portion of land lying to the southward of and separated from the main part of the said parish bounded on the north-west and west by the parish of Rowington and on the east and south by the hamlet of Shrewley, which said portion of land contains about one hundred and fifty-five acres with a population of about five persons.

"That the said parish of Wroxall also comprises another portion of land known by the name of Shortwood containing forty-five acres or thereabouts lying at a considerable distance from the other parts of the said parish and wholly surrounded by the hamlet or township of Beausale in the parish of Hatton in the same county and diocese.

"That the population of the parishes of Wroxall and Rowington and the hamlet of Beausale are respectively as follows viz. Wroxall, one hundred and sixty-seven, Rowington, eight hundred and fourteen and Beausale, two hundred and fifteen.

"That the said portion of land adjoining the parish of Rowington contains a population of five persons and has been constituted a part of that parish for civil purposes and that the said portion of land called Shortwood which does not contain any dwelling-houses has been constituted a part of the hamlet of Beausale for the like purposes.

"That the vicar of the parish of Rowington is

willing to undertake the spiritual cure of the inhabitants of the above-mentioned portion of land adjoining his parish.

"That the said portions of land belonging to the parish of Wroxall are not subject to tithes or other ecclesiastical dues or payments nor does it appear that the inhabitants thereof have any legal right by faculty or otherwise to the exclusive use of any pew or sitting in the parish church of Wroxall.

"That it appears to me that the said portions of land may under the provisions of the Acts of Parliament one and two Victoria chapter one hundred and six and two and three Victoria chapter forty-nine be advantageously separated from the parish of Wroxall and be annexed to the said parish of Rowington and hamlet of Beausale respectively for ecclesiastical purposes so that the boundary of the parish of Wroxall would then be the same both for ecclesiastical and civil purposes.

"That pursuant to the directions of the twenty-sixth section of the said first-mentioned Act of Parliament I have drawn up in writing a scheme appended to this representation describing the manner in which it appears to me 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, and I submit the same to Your Grace together with the consents in writing of the patrons and incumbents of the benefices of the said parishes to the intent that Your Grace may if you shall be satisfied with the said scheme, certify the same and such consents to Her Majesty in Council.

"Given under my hand this twenty-ninth day of January one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

"J. J. S. Worcester."

And whereas the said scheme drawn up by the said Bishop, and the consents referred to in the said representation, are as follows:—

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"It is proposed to separate the portion of land hereafter described containing one hundred and fifty-five acres or thereabouts being part of the parish of Wroxall in the county of Warwick and diocese of Worcester from the said parish and to annex it to the parish of Rowington in the same county and diocese for ecclesiastical purposes.

"That the vicar of Rowington shall have exclusive cure of souls within the limits of the said portion.

"That all ecclesiastical offices shall be performed for the inhabitants of the said portion of land in the church of the said parish of Rowington and that the fees for all such offices shall belong to the vicar of Rowington.

"The district or portion of land thus proposed to be transferred from the parish of Wroxall to the parish of Rowington is as follows:

"All that part of the parish of Wroxall delineated and described on the accompanying plan and thereon coloured pink bounded on the north-west and west by the parish of Rowington and on the east and south by the hamlet of Shrewley.

"It is also proposed to separate the portion of land hereafter described containing forty-five acres or thereabouts being part of the parish of Wroxall aforesaid from the said parish and to annex it to the hamlet of Beausale in the parish of Hatton in the same county and diocese for ecclesiastical purposes.

"That the vicar of Hatton shall have exclusive cure of souls within the limits of the said last-mentioned portion.