

Southwell do hereby in pursuance of the twenty-sixth section of the Pluralities Act 1838 represent to your Grace as follows:—

"1. There is in the borough of Nottingham and in my diocese of Southwell the benefice being a Vicarage of Holy and Undivided Trinity Lenton. The net annual value of the said benefice arising from glebe lands pew rents invested funds and surplice fees is three hundred and twenty pounds or thereabouts.

"2. There is also in the said borough of Nottingham the benefice being a Vicarage of Saint Peter's Old Radford. The net annual value of the said benefice arising from glebe plots ground rents invested funds and surplice fees is one thousand four hundred and fifty-nine pounds ten shillings and ten pence or thereabouts.

"3. A portion of the parish of Holy and Undivided Trinity Lenton consisting of open fields without any population lies close to and adjoins a densely populated part of the parish of Saint Peter's Old Radford and with a view of providing church accommodation a new church has been erected in the open fields in the parish of Lenton to which the inhabitants of Saint Peter's Old Radford resort.

"4. It appears to me that under the provisions of the Pluralities Act 1838 the portion of the said parish of Holy and Undivided Trinity Lenton immediately surrounding the said new church may be advantageously separated from that parish and united to the contiguous parish of Saint Peter's Old Radford for ecclesiastical purposes. The population of the said parish of Holy and Undivided Trinity Lenton being seven thousand eight hundred and ninety-three but there is no population on the portion immediately surrounding the new church which it is desired to sever. The population of the parish of Saint Peter's Old Radford is twenty-one thousand.

"5. The patrons of the benefice of Holy and Undivided Trinity Lenton are Francis Beresford Wright of Wootton Court, Leek, Wootton in the county of Warwick Esquire Fitzherbert Wright of the Hayes Swanwick in the county of Derby Esquire the Reverend Henry Western Plumtre of Eastwood in the county of Nottingham Clement Boughton Kingdon of the Woodlands Melton Mowbray in the county of Leicester Esquire and the Reverend Frederick Edward Wigram of Oak Hill House Hampstead in the county of Middlesex and the Incumbent thereof is the Reverend Alan Hunter Watts.

"I the said George Bishop of Southwell am the Patron of the said parish of Saint Peter's Old Radford and the Reverend Charles Lea Wilson is the Incumbent thereof.

"6. Pursuant to the directions contained in the said twenty-sixth section of the Pluralities Act 1838 I the said George Bishop of Southwell have drawn up a scheme in writing annexed to this representation describing the mode in which it appears to me that the alterations may best be effected and how the changes consequent thereon in respect of ecclesiastical jurisdiction glebe lands ground rents and other ecclesiastical dues and payments and in respect of all patronage and rights to pews may be made with justice to all parties interested and I do hereby submit the same to your Grace together with the consents in writing of the patrons and incumbents of both benefices. To the intent that if your Grace shall on full consideration and enquiry be satisfied with such scheme you may certify the same and such consents by your report to Her Majesty in Council.

"Given under my hand this twenty-second day

of September one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

"George Southwell."

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

"The SCHEME referred to in the foregoing Representation.

"That all that portion of the parish of Holy and Undivided Trinity Lenton which is situated on the south side of the Ilkeston-road included in the angle formed by drawing an imaginary line from a point opposite Garden-street where the parishes of Lenton Old Radford and Christchurch New Radford meet for eighty yards due south and from thence by continuing such line in a south-westerly direction to the point at the end of Stansfield-street where Stansfield-street abuts upon the boundary of the parishes of Old Radford and Lenton shall be separated from the said parish of Holy and Undivided Trinity Lenton and be united to and deemed part of the said Vicarage and parish of Saint Peter's Old Radford for ecclesiastical purposes. That the Incumbent of the benefice of Saint Peter's Old Radford shall have the sole and exclusive cure of the souls within the limits of the same. That the inhabitants (if any) of the hereinbefore described portion of the parish of Lenton intended to be severed shall be entitled to accommodation in the church or churches of the benefice of Saint Peter's Old Radford. That marriages baptisms churchings and burials shall be solemnized and performed in the church or churches of the said benefice of Saint Peter's Old Radford for the inhabitants (if any) of the said separated portion of Holy and Undivided Trinity Lenton and all fees dues ecclesiastical offerings and emoluments arising therefrom shall belong to the Incumbent of the benefice of Saint Peter's Old Radford aforesaid. That no alteration shall be made in the endowments or in the patronage of the said benefices or either of them.

"George Southwell.

CONSENTS.

"We the said Francis Beresford Wright Fitzherbert Wright Henry Western Plumtre Clement Boughton Kingdon and Frederick Edward Wigram being the patrons or persons entitled to present to the said benefice of Holy and Undivided Trinity Lenton if the same were now vacant and I the said Alan Hunter Watts the Incumbent of the same benefice and I the said George Lord Bishop of Southwell being the patron or person entitled to present to the said benefice of Saint Peter's Old Radford if the same were now vacant and I the said Charles Lea Wilson being the Incumbent of the same benefice do hereby respectively signify to your Lordship our consent to the scheme above proposed and set forth and to every matter and thing therein contained.

"In testimony whereof we have hereunto respectively set our hands this twenty-second day of September one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

"F. Beresford Wright.

"Fitzherbert Wright.

"H. Western Plumtre.

"C. B. Kingdon.

"Fred. E. Wigram.

"Alan H. Watts.

"George Southwell.

"C. Lea Wilson.

And whereas the said scheme hath been transmitted by the said Bishop to the said Archbishop for his consideration: