

in the Bishop for the time being of the said diocese of Chester.

"And whereas the Right Reverend Francis John now Bishop of the said diocese of Chester is willing to accept such transfer and in token of such his willingness and also in token that the same transfer has that consent of the Bishop which by the Acts in the hereinbefore-mentioned Act recited or by some or one of them is made necessary to the said Francis John Bishop of the said diocese of Chester has executed this scheme as hereinafter mentioned.

"And whereas a sum of one thousand pounds has been paid over to us the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England to be applied towards the cost of the erection of a suitable church for the said district and benefice of Hall Street Stockport and such sum has been so paid over upon condition that the transfer of the advowson of the same district and benefice which is hereinbefore mentioned and hereinafter recommended and proposed shall be effected.

"And whereas under the circumstances aforesaid it appears to us that the transfer of the patronage of the said district and benefice of Hall Street Stockport which is hereinbefore mentioned and hereinafter recommended and proposed, will tend to make better provision for the cure of souls in the new parish or district in or in respect of which the right of patronage or advowson so recommended and proposed to be transferred as aforesaid arises or exists that is to say in the said district of Hall Street Stockport.

"Now therefore with the consent of the said William Symonds the Rector or Incumbent of the said parish of Saint Mary Stockport acting as such Rector or Incumbent (in testimony whereof he has signed and sealed this scheme) and with the consent of the said Francis John Bishop of the said diocese of Chester (in testimony whereof he has signed this scheme and sealed the same with his episcopal seal) and with the consent of the Right Honourable and Most Reverend William Dalrymple, Archbishop of York (in testimony whereof he has signed this scheme and sealed the same with his archiepiscopal seal).

"We the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England humbly recommend and propose that upon and from the day of the date of the publication in the London Gazette of any Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme and without any conveyance or assurance in the law other than such duly gazetted Order the whole advowson or perpetual right of patronage of and presentation to the said district and benefice of Hall Street Stockport now vested in him the said William Symonds as such Rector or Incumbent of the said parish of Saint Mary Stockport as aforesaid shall be transferred from him the said William Symonds and from his successors Rectors or Incumbents of the said parish of Saint Mary Stockport to the said Francis John Bishop of the said diocese of Chester and to his successors Bishops of the same diocese and shall thereupon and thenceforth become and be absolutely vested in and shall and may from time to time be exercised by the said Francis John Bishop of the said diocese of Chester and by his successors Bishops of the same diocese for ever.

"And we further recommend and propose that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any further or other measures relating to the matters aforesaid or any of them in accordance with the provisions of the said Acts or of any other Act of Parliament."

And whereas the said scheme has been approved

by Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said scheme, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Acts and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of Chester.

C. L. Peel.

At the Court at Windsor, the 29th day of June, 1896.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of Her Majesty, chapter thirty-seven, of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and four, and of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty chapter eighty-six duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the eighteenth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of Your Majesty chapter thirty-seven, of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Your Majesty chapter one hundred and four and of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Your Majesty chapter eighty-six have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following scheme for constituting a separate district for spiritual purposes out of the new parish (some-time district chapelry) of Saint Martin, Castleton Moor within the original limits of the parish of Rochdale in the county of Lancaster and in the diocese of Manchester.

"Whereas it has been made to appear to us that it would promote the interests of religion that the particular part of the above-mentioned new parish which is hereinafter mentioned and described should be constituted a separate district for spiritual purposes in the manner hereinafter set forth.

"And whereas there is not at present within the limits of the said proposed district any consecrated church or chapel in use for the purposes of Divine worship.

"And whereas certain glebe lands messuages tenements and hereditaments sometime belonging to the vicarage of the said parish of Rochdale have become vested in us under the provisions of and for the purposes of the lastly hereinbefore mentioned Act.

"And whereas the district hereinafter recommended to be constituted will be permanently endowed under the provisions contained in the twelfth section of the said lastly-mentioned Act with an annual sum of two hundred pounds and such endowment will be secured by an instrument under our common seal in accordance with the provisions of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Your Majesty chapter one hundred and eleven.

"And whereas Ellinor Kay of Harefield House Heywood, in the county of Lancaster, Spinster, has provided and conveyed to us, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, certain land as and for