

INSTRUMENT assigning a Particular District to the church of Saint Mark, Haydock, situate within the limits of the new parish of Saint James, Haydock, in the county of Lancaster, and in the diocese of Liverpool.

To all to whom these presents shall come the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England and the Right Reverend Francis James, Bishop of the diocese of Liverpool, send Greeting :

WHEREAS a church has lately been built within the limits of the new parish of Saint James, Haydock, in the county of Lancaster and in the diocese of Liverpool, by and at the expense of certain well disposed persons who have with the approbation of the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners and of the said Francis James, Bishop of the said diocese of Liverpool, secured to the said new church an endowment and a repair fund in accordance with the provisions of the several Acts of Parliament called "The Church Building Acts," or of some of them, and particularly of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter ninety-seven.

And whereas under the powers or authorities contained in the said Acts, or of some of them, and in the Acts of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her said late Majesty, chapter fifty-five, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners have, with the consent of the said Francis James, Bishop of the said diocese of Liverpool, by an Instrument bearing date on or about the ninth day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten, declared that the perpetual right of patronage of the said church and of nominating a Minister thereto should from and after the consecration of such church be vested in and be exercised by the said Francis James, Bishop of the said diocese of Liverpool, the Right Honourable Thomas Wodehouse, Baron Newton, Lionel Edward Pilkington, of Haydock, Colliery Proprietor, Charles Raymond Pilkington, of Haydock, Colliery Proprietor, and John Robinson, of Haydock, Mining Engineer, as Trustees.

And whereas the said church has since been consecrated and is called "The Church of Saint Mark, Haydock."

And whereas the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners deem it expedient that a Particular District to comprise a part of the said new parish of Saint James, Haydock, should be assigned to the said church of Saint Mark, Haydock, and also that banns of matrimony should be published and that marriages, baptisms, churchings, and burials should be solemnized or performed at such church.

Now know ye that the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners in exercise and execution of the powers or authorities for this purpose contained in the several Acts of Parliament called "The Church Building Acts" as aforesaid, or in some of them, and particularly in the Act of the first and second years of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, chapter thirty-eight, in the said Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her said late Majesty, chapter ninety-seven, and in the said Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her said late Majesty, chapter fifty-five, and of all other powers or authorities in anywise enabling them in this behalf, do hereby, with the consent of the said Francis James, Bishop of the said diocese of Liverpool (testified by his being a party to and executing these presents), assign to the said church of Saint Mark, Haydock, as a Particular District, all that part of the said new parish of Saint James, Haydock, which is described in the schedule hereunder written, and is delineated and set forth upon the map or plan

hereunto appended, and do direct that the same shall be called "The Particular District of Saint Mark, Haydock."

And the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners with the like consent of the said Francis James, Bishop of the said diocese of Liverpool (testified as aforesaid), in further exercise and execution of the powers or authorities contained in the said Acts of Parliament, called "The Church Building Acts," or in some of them, and particularly in the said Act of the first and second years of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, chapter thirty-eight, in the Act of the third and fourth years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter sixty, in the Act of the seventh and eighth years of Her said late Majesty, chapter fifty-six (such two lastly mentioned Acts being also two of "The Church Building Acts" before named), in the said Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her said late Majesty, chapter ninety-seven; and in the said Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her said late Majesty, chapter fifty-five, and of all other powers or authorities in anywise enabling them in this behalf, do hereby determine and declare that banns of matrimony shall be published, and that marriages, baptisms, churchings, and burials shall be solemnized or performed at the church of the said Particular District of Saint Mark, Haydock, and do hereby order and direct that all the fees, dues, offerings, or other emoluments to be received in respect of such publication of banns of matrimony and of such solemnization or performance of marriages, baptisms, churchings and burials at the same church shall from and after the next avoidance of the vicarage of the said new parish of Saint James, Haydock, belong to the Incumbent for the time being of the said Particular District of Saint Mark, Haydock: provided always, that nothing herein contained shall be construed as expressing any intention on the part of the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners to concur in or approve of the taking of any fee for the performance of the said office of baptism or for the registration thereof.

In witness whereof the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners have hereunto affixed their common seal, and the said Francis James, Bishop of the said diocese of Liverpool, has hereunto set his hand and affixed his episcopal seal this thirtieth day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten,

*The Schedule.*

The Particular District of Saint Mark, Haydock, being:—

All that part of the new parish (sometime district) of Saint James, Haydock, in the county of Lancaster and in the diocese of Liverpool, which is bounded upon the north partly by the parish of Ashton-in-Makerfield and partly by the new parish of Billinge, upon the west by the new parish of Saint Mark, Saint Helens, upon the south-west and upon the south by the new parish of Saint Peter, Parr, all in the said county and diocese, and upon the remaining side, that is to say, upon the south-east, by an imaginary line commencing at the point where the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint Peter, Parr, from the said new parish of Saint James, Haydock, crosses the middle of Cooper's-lane near its southern end, and extending thence north-eastward along the middle of Cooper's-lane for a distance of fifty-five chains or thereabouts to its junction with Clipsley-lane, and extending thence eastward along the middle of Clipsley-lane for a distance of one chain and a half or