

"There is also in the said County and Diocese the Perpetual Curacy of Wootton, the Parish whereof, containing a population of 470 or thereabouts, has a Church accommodating 150 persons:

"The net annual value of the said Benefice is £200 Os. Od. or thereabouts:

"A certain portion of the said Parish of Cumnor (described in the Scheme hereto annexed) lies at a distance of about 2 miles from the Parish Church of Cumnor, and within 1 mile of the Parish Church of North Hinksey; it is intended that a new Church shall be built upon the said portion near Elms Farm to serve the District:

"A certain other portion of the said Parish of Cumnor (described in the Scheme hereto annexed) lies at a distance of about 2 miles from the Parish Church of Cumnor, and about 1 mile from the Parish Church of Wootton:

"It appears to me that under the provisions of the said Pluralities Act, 1838, the said two portions of Cumnor may be advantageously separated therefrom, and annexed to the said contiguous Parishes of North Hinksey and Wootton respectively:

"The Benefice of Cumnor is in the Patronage of The Honourable Osbert William Craven, of Ashdown Park, in the said County of Berks, and The Reverend Arthur Dudley Wilkinson is the present Incumbent thereof:

"The Benefice of North Hinksey is in the Patronage of myself as Bishop of Oxford, and The Reverend Osborne Mills Jones is the present Incumbent thereof:

"The Benefice of Wootton is in the Patronage of the said Honourable Osbert William Craven, and The Reverend William John Francis Keatley Stride is the present Incumbent thereof:

"Pursuant to the directions contained in the said 26th Section of the first-mentioned Act of Parliament, I, the said Lord Bishop, have drawn up a Scheme in writing, annexed to this Representation, describing the portions so as aforesaid proposed to be annexed to the several Parishes of North Hinksey, and Wootton, and the mode in which it appears to me the alterations may be best effected, and how the changes consequent thereon in respect of 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 I hereby submit the same to your Grace, together with the Consents in writing of the said Patrons and Incumbents, to the intent that, if your Grace shall on full consideration and inquiry be satisfied with such Scheme, you may certify the same and such Consents to His Majesty in Council."

And whereas the said Scheme drawn up by the said Bishop of Oxford and the Consents referred to in the said Representation are as follows:—

"SCHEME.

"That the portion of the said Parish of Cumnor hereinbefore referred to, which is shown on the Map hereto annexed, and is thereon coloured blue, and which lies, as to part thereof, to the north of the Oxford and Witney Main Road, and to the east of the Private Road leading from such 'Main Road' to Tilbury Farm, and, as to the remaining part thereof, to the south of the Oxford and Faringdon Main Road and to the east of an imaginary straight line starting from a point immediately opposite the footpath from the Oxford and Faringdon Main Road to Hutchcomb's Farm, and thence from such last-mentioned point in a south-easterly direction past Hutchcomb's Farm to the extreme western point of the present boundary of North Hinksey, shall be separated from the said Parish of Cumnor and annexed for ecclesiastical purposes to the adjoining Parish of North Hinksey, such portion being bounded on the north by the Parish of Binsey, and on the east by the Parish of North Hinksey.

"That the other portion of the said Parish of Cumnor hereinbefore referred to, which is shown on the Map hereto annexed, and is thereon coloured yellow, and which lies to the east of an imaginary line drawn from the extreme western point of the Parish of North Hinksey to the extreme northern point of the Parish of Wootton, shall be separated from the said Parish of Cumnor and annexed for ecclesiastical purposes to the adjoining Parish of Wootton.

"That the Incumbent of North Hinksey shall have the sole and exclusive Cure of Souls within the said two portions so annexed to North Hinksey.

"That the Incumbent of Wootton shall have the sole and exclusive Cure of Souls within the said portion so annexed to Wootton.

"That the Inhabitants of such portions, so separated as aforesaid, shall be entitled to accommodation in the Churches of the Parishes to which the said portions shall be respectively annexed, and in common with the Parishioners of those Parishes, and shall not henceforth be entitled to any accommodation in the Churches of the Parishes from which such portions shall be separated, except nevertheless any person or persons (if any) possessing a legal right by Faculty or otherwise to any pew or sitting in the last-mentioned Churches, and who may not be willing to relinquish or give up the same.

"That marriages, baptisms, churchings, burials, and other ecclesiastical offices shall be solemnized and performed for the Inhabitants of such portions so separated as aforesaid in the Churches of the Parishes to which they shall be annexed, and that the Fees for all such offices, and all such other ecclesiastical dues, offerings, and emoluments, usually payable to the Incumbent of a Benefice, as shall arise or become payable within or in respect of each of such portions shall henceforth belong to the Incumbent of the Parish to which each shall respectively be annexed.

"That no other alterations shall be made in