

" And whereas there is not at present within the limits of the said proposed separate District any consecrated Church or Chapel in use for the purposes of Divine Worship:

" And whereas certain hereditaments and premises situate within the original limits of the said parish of Witton Gilbert with Kimblesworth have become vested in us under the provisions and for the purposes of the herein mentioned Acts or of some or one of them and we have in respect of such hereditaments and premises agreed to make and pay out of the Common Fund created by the firstly herein mentioned Act a grant of £200 per annum to the Minister of the said proposed separate District so soon as a Minister shall have been duly licensed in accordance with the provisions of the secondly herein mentioned Act and to his successors:

" And whereas the said grant of the said yearly sum of £200 will, after the publication in the London Gazette of an Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this Scheme, be made and secured by an Instrument to be executed by us, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, under our Common Seal, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of the 29th and 30th years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 111:

" Now, therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend Herbert Hensley, Bishop of Durham (in testimony whereof he has signed and sealed this Scheme), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, humbly recommend and propose that all those portions of the said Parish of Witton Gilbert with Kimblesworth, of the said Parish of Chester le Street, of the said New Parish of Saint Cuthbert, Durham, and of the said New Parish of Saint Peter, Sacriston, which are described in the Schedule hereunder written, all which portions, together with the boundaries thereof, are delineated and set forth on the Map or Plan hereunto annexed, shall, 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 as aforesaid, become and be constituted a separate District for spiritual purposes, and that the same shall be named 'The District of Kimblesworth.'

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

" The Schedule to which the foregoing Scheme has reference.

" The District of Kimblesworth comprising:—

" All those contiguous portions of the Parish of Witton Gilbert with Kimblesworth, the Parish of Chester le Street, the New Parish (sometime District) of Saint Cuthbert, Durham, and the New Parish (sometime District) of Saint Peter, Sacriston, all in the County of Durham and in the Diocese of Durham, which are comprised within and are bounded by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said Parish of Chester le Street from the said New Parish of Saint Peter, Sacriston, at the point at the eastern end of the bridge which carries Waldrige Lane across the stream known as South Burn where the said boundary turns eastward along the middle of Waldrige

Lane, and extending thence first eastward and then south-eastward along such boundary (thereby following the middle of Waldrige Lane) for a distance of 18 chains or thereabouts to the point at the northern end of Beane Lane where such boundary meets the boundary which divides the Civil Parish of Chester le Street from the Civil Parish of Flawsworth, and extending thence first eastward and then in various directions along the said Civil Parish boundary (thereby following in one part the southern side of Waldrige Lane, in another part the western side of the road leading from Chester le Street to Durham and in another part the course of Holmhill Lane) for a distance of 1 mile and 44 chains or thereabouts to the point on the eastern side of Holmhill Lane where the said Civil Parish boundary meets the boundary which divides the said Parish of Chester le Street from the said New Parish of Saint Cuthbert, Durham, and extending thence first eastward and then in various directions along the last-mentioned boundary (thereby following in part the old course of the stream known as Blackdene Burn) for a distance of 26½ chains or thereabouts to the point in the middle of the River Wear where the boundaries of the said Parish of Chester le Street, the New Parish of Christ Church, Lumley, in the said County and Diocese, and the said New Parish of Saint Cuthbert, Durham, all meet, and extending thence first south-eastward and then in various directions along the middle of the River Wear (thereby following in part the boundary which divides the said New Parish of Christ Church, Lumley, from the said New Parish of Saint Cuthbert, Durham, and in part the boundary which divides the Parish of West Rainton, in the said County and Diocese, from the said New Parish of Saint Cuthbert, Durham) for a distance of 2 miles or thereabouts to a point situate due east of the centre of the bridge which carries the main line of the North Eastern Railway across Holmhill Lane, and extending thence in a straight line due west for a distance of 20 chains or thereabouts to the centre of the said bridge, and continuing thence in a straight line due west for a distance of 52½ chains or thereabouts to the boundary which divides the said New Parish of Saint Cuthbert, Durham, from the said Parish of Witton Gilbert with Kimblesworth at a point in the middle of the stream known as Pity Me Burn, and extending thence first south-eastward and then in various directions along the middle of such stream (thereby following in parts the last-mentioned boundary and passing under the road leading from Chester le Street to Durham) for a distance of 68 chains or thereabouts to the centre of Folly Bridge which carries Potterhouse Lane across such stream, and extending thence south-westward along the middle of Potterhouse Lane for a distance of 49½ chains or thereabouts to its junction with the road leading from Durham to Sacriston, and extending thence north-westward along the middle of the last-mentioned road for a distance of 66 chains or thereabouts to a point opposite to the western end of the fence running along the northern side of the roadway leading to the house known as Findonhill, upon the boundary which divides the said Parish of Witton Gilbert with Kimblesworth from the said New Parish of Saint Peter, Sacriston, and extending thence first north-eastward and then in