

of Great Britain, and the Prime Minister and First Lord of the Treasury, being authorized thereto by His Majesty's said Commission in pursuance of the said Act of Parliament, and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, by and with the advice of His Majesty's Privy Council, on His Majesty's behalf are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the said Scheme be carried into effect.

M. P. A. Hankey.

At the Court of *Saint James*, the 7th day of *May*, 1929.

PRESENT,

HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE OF WALES.
LORD CHANCELLOR.
PRIME MINISTER.

Archbishop of York.
Earl Stanhope.
Viscount Peel.
Secretary Sir W. Joynson-Hicks.
Sir Binod Mitter.
Mr. Alexander MacRobert.

WHEREAS His Majesty was pleased by His Commission dated the 4th day of December, 1928, to nominate and appoint Her Majesty The Queen, His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales, K.G., K.T., K.P., G.C.S.I., G.C.M.G., G.C.I.E., G.C.V.O., G.B.E., His Royal Highness The Duke of York, K.G., K.T., G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O., the Most Reverend Father in God Cosmo Gordon, Archbishop of Canterbury, the Right Honourable Douglas McGarel, Baron Hailsham, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and the Right Honourable Stanley Baldwin, Prime Minister and First Lord of the Treasury, or any three of them, during His Majesty's illness, to summon and hold on His Majesty's behalf His Privy Council, and to signify thereat His Majesty's approval of any matter or thing to which His Majesty's approval in Council is required:

And whereas the Right Reverend John Augustine, Lord Bishop of Lichfield, and the Right Reverend Henry Luke, Lord Bishop of Chester, have, under the Pluralities Acts, 1838 and 1887, made a Representation to the Right Honourable and Most Reverend Cosmo Gordon, Lord Archbishop of Canterbury and the Most Reverend William, Lord Archbishop of York, in the following terms:—

"We, John Augustine Lord Bishop of Lichfield, and Henry Luke, Lord Bishop of Chester, beg leave to represent to your Graces:—

"That it appears to us that under the provisions of the Acts of Parliament called 'The Pluralities Acts' the Place or District or portion of land known as 'Tittenley' having an area of 581.469 acres may be advantageously separated from the parish of Audlem in the Diocese of Chester to which it belongs and be united for ecclesiastical purposes to the parish of Adderley in the Diocese of Lichfield to which it is contiguous as the Spiritual care of the inhabitants thereof will thereby be more conveniently and effectually provided for,

more particularly so, as the said district is a very considerable distance from the Parish Church of Audlem being by road from the southernmost part of the boundary of Tittenley five miles and five hundred and thirty three yards, whereas from the same point the distance to Adderley Church is two miles and five hundred and sixty three yards.

"That pursuant to the directions of the 26th Section of the Act 1 and 2 Vict. Cap. 106 as amended by the Pluralities Act, 1887, we have drawn up in writing a Scheme appended to this Representation describing the mode in which it appears to us that the alteration above proposed may be best effected and how the changes consequent upon such alteration in respect to 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 we submit the same to your Graces together with our consents in writing and also the consents in writing of the respective Patrons and Incumbents of the Benefices of the said Parishes of Adderley and Audlem to the intent that your Graces may if you shall be satisfied with the said Scheme certify the same and such consents to His Majesty in Council.

"J. A. Lichfield.

"H. L. Chester."

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

"SCHEME.

"It is proposed that the district or portion of land known as 'Tittenley' containing 581.469 acres, with a population of 32, delineated on the accompanying plan and thereon edged red shall be separated from the Parish of Audlem in the Diocese of Chester to which it belongs edged green on the said plan and be annexed to and united with the parish of Adderley in the Diocese of Lichfield edged blue on the said plan, for ecclesiastical purposes.

"That all Ecclesiastical Offices shall be performed for the inhabitants of the said district in the Parish Church of Adderley and that the fees for all such Offices and all other such Ecclesiastical Dues Offerings and Emoluments usually payable to the Incumbent of a Benefice as shall arise or become payable within or in respect of the said district shall belong to the Incumbent of the said Parish of Adderley.

"That no other change shall be made in regard to Glebe Lands Tithes or Tithe Rent Charges Compositions in lieu of Tithes Emoluments or other Annual Payments of or belonging to the Benefices of the Parishes herein referred to nor in respect to Patronage.

"That the inhabitants of the said district shall be entitled to accommodation in the Church of the Parish of Adderley to which it is proposed that the said district shall be annexed and in common with the Parishioners of that Parish and shall not henceforth be entitled to any accommodation in the Church of the Parish of Audlem from which it shall be separated except nevertheless any person or persons (if any) possessing a legal right