CHAPTER 14.

An Act for the Alteration of Boundaries of Dioceses. A.D. 1872.

[27th June 1872.]

WHEREAS by an Instrument bearing date the seventeenth day of December one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight the Reverend Samuel Tenison Mosse did surrender the patronage of the church of Appleton Wiske in the county and diocese of York to the Archbishop of York and his successors:

And whereas the said Reverend Samuel Tenison Mosse as patron and incumbent of Great Smeaton in the county of York and diocese of Ripon did, by an Instrument dated the eleventh day of November one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, undertake, upon the assignment of a separate district to the church of Appleton Wiske, to surrender a sum of fifty pounds per annum out of the rectorial rentcharge of the said parish of Great Smeaton for the endowment of the district of Appleton Wiske:

And whereas Her Majesty in Council did on the fifteenth day of February one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine approve and ratify a representation of the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England for the assignment of a district chapelry for the consecrated chapel of Appleton Wiske:

And whereas the Appleton Wiske endowment of fifty pounds per annum promised by the said Instrument has not been and cannot be made over to the said district chapelry of Appleton Wiske:

Be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

Transfer, &c. of Appleton Wiske annulled.

1. That the said transfer of patronage and the said undertaking of endowment and the said Order in Council be and are hereby annulled.

District to be included in diocese of Ripon.

2. The district included in the said district chapelry, being part of the parish of Great Smeaton in the diocese of Ripon, shall, after the passing of this Act, be included in the diocese of Ripon.

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New cures to form part of one diocese only.

3. It shall be lawful for the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in recommending to Her Majesty in Council the formation of any new cure to be taken partly out of one diocese and partly out of another or others, to recommend also that such new cure shall form part of some one (to be specified by the said Commissioners) of such dioceses; and such new cure shall, upon its formation, become and be a part of the diocese so specified, and of no other diocese.

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