

ment of the Church by archbishops, bishops, archdeacons, deans, and prebendaries, or lessening the revenues of the Bishops, or depriving them of their seats in the House of Lords, or depriving the Crown of a great influence over them, that will in general secure their concurrence to all reasonable measures of Government, and without offending the conscience of any churchman, how orthodox soever. And, if they were done, they would tend greatly to the honour and advantage of the Church, and silence a great number of objections that are now made to it.

An additional regulation might be as follows:

XIII. To divide some very extensive parishes into five, or six, separate parishes of a moderate extent. Thus, for example, the parish of Simonburn, in Northumberland, of which Dr. Scott is rector, is thirty-six miles in length and fourteen in breadth, as I have been assured by Dr. Scott himself. The income of it used to be five hun-