

Copies of Register Books, as well as original Wills in each Diocese; and respecting Remuneration of Registrar's Officers.

to a due Examination thereof, the Bishop, together with the Custodes Rotulorum of the several Counties within each Diocese, and the Chancellor thereof, shall, before the First Day of February One thousand eight hundred and thirteen, cause a careful Survey to be made of the several Places in which the Parochial Registers, and the Wills proved within the Diocese, are kept; and shall make a Report to His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, of the State of the same, on or before the First Day of March following, setting forth in each Case whether the Buildings are in all respects fit and proper for the Preservation of Papers of the above Description, as well with respect to Space as to Security from Fire, and to Protection from Damp, and if not, at what probable Expense they can be made so; and where the Instruments and Papers before mentioned are kept in Dwelling Houses or other Places which cannot be made fit and secure for the due Preservation thereof, then and in such Case the Persons before named shall inquire and report in like Manner at what Expense proper Buildings may be provided, and in what Places, so as to have One Place within each Diocese for the due Preservation of all such Registers and Wills; together with their Opinion upon the most suitable Mode of remunerating the Officers employed in each Registry for their additional Trouble and Expense in carrying the Provisions of this Act into execution.

Any Person making false Entries, or false Copies of Entries, or altering or destroying Register Book, to be adjudged guilty of Felony, and transported for Fourteen Years.

XIV. And be it further enacted, That if any Person shall knowingly and wilfully insert or cause or permit to be inserted, in any such Register Book of such Baptisms, Burials, or Marriages as aforesaid, or in any such Copy of any such Register so directed to be transmitted to the Registrars as aforesaid, or in any such Lists or Declarations also directed to be transmitted to such Registrars as aforesaid, any false Entry of any Matter or Thing relating to any Baptism, Burial, or Marriage, or shall falsely make, alter, forge, or counterfeit, or cause or procure, or wilfully permit to be falsely made, altered, forged, or counterfeited, any Part of any such Register, List, or Declaration, or of any such Copy of any such Register; or shall wilfully destroy, deface, or injure, or cause or procure, or permit to be destroyed, defaced, or injured, any such Register Book, or any Part thereof; or shall knowingly and wilfully sign or certify any Copy of any such Register, hereby required to be transmitted as aforesaid, which shall be false in any Part thereof, knowing the same to be false; every Person so offending, and being thereof lawfully convicted, shall be deemed and adjudged to be guilty of Felony, and shall be transported for the Term of Fourteen Years.

But this not to affect Persons committing accidental Errors, if duly and timely corrected according to the Truth of the Case.

XV. Provided always, and be it enacted, That no Rector, Vicar, Curate, or Officiating Minister of any Parish or Chapel, who shall discover any Error to have been committed in the Form or Substance of the Entry in the Register Book of any such Baptism, Burial, or Marriage respectively by him solemnized, shall be liable to all or any of the Penalties herein mentioned, if he shall within One Calendar Month after the Discovery of such Error, in the Presence of the Parent or Parents of the Child whose Baptism may have been entered in such Register, or of the Parties married, or in the Presence of Two Persons who shall have attended at any Burial, or in case of the Death or Absence of the respective Parties aforesaid, then in the Presence of the Churchwardens or Chapelwardens (who shall respectively attest the same), alter and correct the Entry which shall have been found erroneous, according to the Truth of the Case, by Entry in the Margin of the Book wherein such erroneous Entry shall have been made, without any Alteration or Obliteration of the original Entry, and shall sign such Entry in the Margin, and add to such Signature the Day of the Month and Year when such Correction shall be made: Provided also, that in the fair Copy of the Registers respectively which shall be transmitted to the Registrars of the Dioceses the said Rector, Vicar, Curate, or Officiating Minister shall certify the Alterations so made by him as aforesaid.

Fees heretofore payable, not to be altered by this Act.

XVI. Provided always, That nothing in this Act contained shall in any Manner diminish or increase the Fees heretofore payable or of right due to any Minister for the Performance of any of the before-mentioned Duties, or to any Minister or Registrar, for giving Copies of such Registrations, but that all due legal and accustomed Fees on such Occasions, and all Powers and Remedies for Recovery thereof, shall be and remain as though this Act had not been made.

Annual Copy of Register Books not subject to Stamp Duty.

XVII. Provided also, and be it enacted, That no Duplicate or Copy of any Register of Baptism, Marriage, or Burial, made under the Directions and for the Purposes of this Act, shall be chargeable with any Stamp Duty thereon; any Act now in force to the contrary thereof in anywise notwithstanding.

Application of Penalties.

XVIII. And be it further enacted, That One Half of the Amount of all Fines or Penalties to be levied in pursuance of this Act shall go to the Person who shall inform or sue for the same; and the Remainder of such Fines as shall be imposed on any Churchwarden or Chapelwarden shall go to the Poor of the Parish or Place for which such Churchwarden or Chapelwarden shall serve; and the Remainder of such Fines as shall be imposed on any Rector, Vicar, Minister, or Curate,

or

BAPTISMS solemnized in the Parish of <i>Holy Trinity, Boston</i> in the County of <i>Kent. S. Andrew's Watering Place</i> in the Year 1865						
When Baptized.	Child's Christian Name.	Parents Name.		Abode.	Quality, Trade, or Profession.	By whom the Ceremony was performed.
		Christian.	Surname.			
1865 May 18 No. 1.	Francis Fanny	James & Mary Ann	Jurney	Emigrant Ship "Young England"	Labourer	Henry A. Lipscomb
May 18 No. 2.	Mary Ann	James & Mary Ann	Jurney	Emigrant Ship "Young England"	Labourer	Henry A. Lipscomb
April 28 th No. 3.	James	Thomas & Francis Fanny	Jurney	Emigrant Ship "Young England"	Labourer	Henry A. Lipscomb
April 4 th No. 4.	Hannet Annie	Richard Sarah Annie	Jones	Emigrant Ship "Flying Cloud"	Labourer	Henry A. Lipscomb
April 6 th No. 5.	Walter William	Wallace William Elizabeth Annie	Lozett	Emigrant Ship "Flying Cloud"	Blacksmith	Henry A. Lipscomb
April 6 th No. 6.	Elizabeth Annie	Wallace William Elizabeth Annie	Lozett	Emigrant Ship "Flying Cloud"	Blacksmith	Henry A. Lipscomb
Dec 25 No. 7.	Sarah Emma Matilda	Joseph Lucy & Jane Mary	Cowley	Emigrant Ship "Flying Cloud"	Carpenter	John Heath
Dec 25 No. 8.	Fredrick Henry	Joseph Lucy & Jane Mary	Cowley	Emigrant Ship "Flying Cloud"	Carpenter	John Heath