

DATED the 2nd day of January 1894

Licence

OF

The Reverend William
Carmont Allselbrook
M.A.

to the Assistant Curacy of Gephston.

John Charles _____ by Divine Permission LORD BISHOP OF LIVERPOOL
To our well-beloved in CHRIST The Reverend *William Carmont Allsbrook* _____
Clerk, *B. A.* GREETING.

We, being sufficiently satisfied of the soundness of your Doctrine and the integrity of your Morals, do by these presents give and grant unto you (only during our pleasure and till you are otherwise enjoined by Us) our Licence and Faculty to perform the office of Assistant Curate in *the Church and Parish of Sephton*.

in our Diocese of LIVERPOOL, to which you are nominated unto Us by the REVEREND *George William Wall, Clerk M. A. Rector of the Rectory and Parish Church of Sephton aforesaid.* —

in reading the Common Prayer, and performing other Ecclesiastical Duties belonging to the said Office, according to the Form prescribed in the Book of Common Prayer, made and published by the authority of Parliament of this United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and the Canons and Constitutions in that behalf established and promulgated, and not otherwise, or in any other manner; and also to preach and expound the Word of God in the Church aforesaid, according to the abilities which it has pleased God to bestow on you (you having made and subscribed the Declaration of Assent, and taken the Oath of Canonical Obedience as you are by Law required to do in this behalf). And for your performing the said Office, we allot you the yearly Stipend of *One hundred and twenty* pounds to be paid to you by the said *George William Wall* at four quarterly payments by even and equal portions.

NOTE.—The Bishop will revoke the Licence, and will not countersign the Testimonials of any Curate who accepts a smaller Stipend than the sum assigned in the Licence, or who undertakes the duty of another Cure, without the Bishop's sanction; or who resigns the Curacy to which he is licensed, without giving the Bishop notice of his intention.

N.B.—It is required by Act of Parliament, that three Months' Notice be given both to the Bishop and to the Incumbent, by any Curate intending to quit his Cure.

See Instructions as to Reading Declaration of Assent indorsed hereon.

And We do hereby require you during the Time of your serving the Cure of the Church aforesaid, to reside within *the Parish of Sephton* _____ aforesaid

In Testimony whereof, We have caused our Episcopal Seal to be affixed to these presents, this *second* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*four* and of our Consecration the *fourteenth*.