

**File 119** **10 Jan 1842**  
**Regarding purchase of additional church land**

Meeting at Parsonage – R. H. Bourne, Mr. John Eveleigh & Mr. George  
Constable Church Wardens, Mr., Hugh Torney & Mr. George Copping, jun.  
Vestrymen re the parsonage

Resolved to present the following statement concerning the land

“The proposed land adjoining the property  
now belonging to the Church, included in the  
separate parcel and belonging to three several  
individuals they consider would form a  
valuable addition to the Church property and  
afford a very desirable and eligible spot  
for the site of a parsonage.

The three acres next adjoining the present  
church property, and separated from it by  
a line for a public road, valued at 5 pounds  
per acres they consider high but on account  
of their situation, and the desirableness of preventing

them from being occupied in any way which  
would incommode the church, they think that  
it would be better to purchase them even at  
that price, if they cannot be obtained for less.

The ten acres next adjoining, partly cleared  
and under pasture, valued at £2.10 per acre  
and the 5 acres adjoining them, under wood  
and valued at £3 per acres they consider val-  
uable as affording a Suitable Situation for  
a parsonage convenient to water, and the  
prices of the said two lots last mentioned  
they think are moderate and reasonable.  
They beg leave therefore respectfully to recom-  
mend the proposition to the favorable consideration  
of the Commissioners

*(signed)*

John Eveleigh  
Geo. Constable  
Hugh Torney  
George Copping Jr.