

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Renfrew.

Prince of Wales' Royal Regiment of Renfrew Militia.

Henry Macdowall, jun., to be Lieutenant, vice Rees, resigned. Dated 14th July, 1869.

2nd Administrative Battalion of Renfrewshire Rifle Volunteers.

William Carlile to be Major, vice Napier, resigned. Dated 19th July, 1869.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Salop.

15th Shropshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Charles Whitley Owen to be Captain, vice Venables, deceased. Dated 26th July, 1869.

Ensign George Owen to be Lieutenant, vice C. W. Owen, promoted. Dated 26th July, 1869.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1858.

ORDER SETTLING THE BOUNDARIES OF A DISTRICT, TO BE STYLED THE DISTRICT OF MILNROW, IN THE COUNTY OF LANCASTER, FOR THE PURPOSES OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1858.

WHEREAS a Petition has been duly presented to me, as one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, from ratepayers resident within the district of Milnrow, in the county of Lancaster, praying me to settle and fix the boundaries of a district to be styled the "Milnrow District," for the purposes of the Local Government Act, 1858.

And whereas the said petition was duly signed, as required by the said Act, and set forth, likewise, the proposed boundaries of the district sought to be formed under its provisions; and inquiry has now been duly made by Arnold Taylor, Esquire, the Inspector appointed by me for such purpose, and he has reported to me thereon.

Now, therefore, I, as one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State as aforesaid, having taken the said Petition and Report into consideration, do hereby, in pursuance of the powers vested in me by the Local Government Act, 1858, make order as follows:—

1. That from and after the date of this present Order, the boundaries hereinafter set forth and described and delineated on the plan referred to in, and accompanying, the said Inspector's Report to me, bearing date the 29th day of July, 1869, form and constitute the boundaries of the district to be called the Milnrow District, for the purposes of the Local Government Act, 1858; and that the parts included in such boundaries so described and delineated shall, for the purposes of such Act, be deemed to be a place having a known and defined boundary, and may adopt the said Act accordingly.

The aforesaid boundary commences at the point A, at the south-west corner of the map annexed to the Report of the Inspector, at Knot Booth, where the boundaries of the parliamentary borough of Oldham, and of the townships of Castleton and Butterworth, respectively meet; thence in a northerly direction along the boundary line between the

townships of Castleton and Butterworth to the point B, at the Rochdale Canal, on the boundary line between the parliamentary borough of Rochdale and the township of Butterworth; thence northerly, and following such last-named boundary line to the point C, at the River Beal; thence south-easterly, along the boundary line dividing the hamlet of Clegg from the hamlet of Belfield to the point D, where the boundaries of the hamlets of Clegg, Belfield, Wildhouse and Lowhouse respectively meet; thence south-easterly and northerly, following the boundary line which separates the hamlet of Wildhouse from the hamlet of Low House to the point E; thence along the south-westerly boundary fence of Lower Crownest Wood, and along the southerly side of the lane leading to Crownest Farm to the point F; thence around and including the farmhouse and messuage at Crow Nest; and along the easterly side of the lane leading from such farmhouse to the trough near Flash House, at the point G; thence north-easterly along, and including Bell-lane, and the lane leading to Higher Crow Nest Farm to the point H, where the boundary line, separating the hamlet of Low House from the hamlet of Bleaked Gate-cum-Rough Bank, respectively meet at Higher Crow Nest; thence southerly, along the line separating the hamlet of Bleaked Gate-cum-Rough Bank from the hamlet of Butterworth Hall to the point I, at the junction of the hamlets of Bleaked Gate-cum-Rough Bank, Butterworth Hall, and Haugh, respectively, at or near Walk Mill Wood; thence around, and including the entire hamlet of Haugh to the point K, where the boundary of such last named hamlet joins the boundary line of the parliamentary borough of Oldham, at or near Ellen-road; thence westerly, along such last named parliamentary borough boundary line, to the starting point at A, so completing the boundary of the proposed district of Milnrow.

2. That Mr. James Whitworth, Fulling Miller, of Milnrow, be Summoning Officer, and take forthwith all such steps as may be necessary under the hereinbefore recited Local Government Act, for convening a meeting of the ratepayers of the said district of Milnrow, to decide as to the adoption of the Local Government Act, 1858, within the boundaries of such district, as fixed and settled by this present Order. And in case of the failure or inability of the said James Whitworth to discharge such duty of Summoning Officer, that Mr. James Heap, Flannel Manufacturer, of Whitworth House, Milnrow, act in his stead.

Given under my hand this 30th day of July, 1869.

(Signed) *H. A. Bruce.*

Home Office, Whitehall.

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in consideration of a benefaction consisting of certain tithe rents charge amounting to thirty-seven pounds eight shillings and nine pence, which has been permanently secured to the vicarage of Briningham, in the county of Norfolk, and in the diocese of Norwich, do hereby, in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, grant to the Incumbent of the said vicarage of Briningham, and to his successors, to meet such benefaction, one yearly sum or stipend of thirty pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the