

by the public road, thence in a northerly and westerly direction along the said public road to its junction with the road known as Shop-lane, thence in a westerly direction along Shop-lane to its junction with Manchester-road, thence across that road to and in a north-westerly direction along Wellington-street to its junction with Nuttall-street, thence in a south-westerly direction along that street to its junction with South-street, thence in a north-westerly direction along that street to its junction with Nelson-street, thence in a south-westerly and north-westerly direction along Nelson-street to its junction with Cotton-street, thence in a north-easterly direction along Cotton-street to its junction with Wellington-street, thence in a westerly direction along that street to its junction with Church-street, thence in a north-easterly direction along Church-street to its junction with Blackburn-road, thence in an easterly direction along that road to its junction with and across Abbey-street, and thence in a north-easterly direction along Barnes-street to its junction with Gillies-street, thence across that street and in a north-easterly direction along a short back street or passage into Park-street, thence across that street in a north-easterly direction along Cedar-street to its junction with Clarendon-street, thence in a south-easterly direction along that street to its junction with Hodder-street and thence in a north-easterly direction in a straight line along that street to the point first before described.

#### No. 6.—South Ward.

I do hereby determine that South Ward shall comprise so much of the said township and borough as lies within the following boundary:—

Commencing at a point on the easterly boundary of the said borough where such boundary is intersected by Warmden Brook, thence along the said boundary in an irregular line, in a southerly, south-westerly direction to a point where the same is intersected by the Accrington and Manchester branch of the said railway, thence in an irregular line in a southerly, westerly, and north-westerly direction to a point on the south-westerly boundary line of the said borough, where such boundary line is intersected at right angles by a wall and public footpath, about midway along the south-westerly side of Accrington Moor, thence in a straight line in a north-easterly direction along such wall to the southerly end of the viaduct at Shoe Mill, carrying the Accrington to Manchester branch of the said railway, and thence in a north-westerly direction along the westerly side of the said railway to a point where the southerly boundary of Central Ward crosses the same branch of the said railway, thence in an easterly direction to the nearest centre point of Back Cotton-street, thence in a northerly and easterly direction along that back street to its junction with Cotton-street, thence in a north-easterly direction along that street to its junction with Nelson-street, thence in a south-easterly and north-easterly direction along Nelson-street to its junction with South-street, thence in a south-easterly direction along that street to its junction with Nuttall-street, thence in a north-easterly direction along that street to Wellington-street, thence in a south-easterly direction along that street to its junction with Manchester-road, thence across that road to a road known as Shop-lane, thence in an easterly and southerly direction along that road to its junction with the public road passing through Broad Oak Print Works, thence in a southerly direction along that road to a point where such latter road crosses the Warmden Brook, and thence in an irregular line in an

easterly direction along Warmden Brook to the point first before described.

#### No. 7.—Higher Antley Ward.

I do hereby determine that Higher Antley Ward shall comprise so much of the said township and borough as lies within the following boundary:—

Commencing at a point on the south-westerly boundary of the said borough where such boundary line is intersected at right angles by a wall and public footpath, about midway along the south-westerly side of Accrington Moor, thence in an irregular line in a north-westerly direction along the said boundary line to a fence 50 yards, or thereabouts, north of the point where a public footpath leading from Willows-lane past Sheep Cotes Farm, intersects the westerly borough boundary, thence in an easterly direction along such public footpath to Willows-lane, thence in a northerly direction along Willows-lane to its junction with Richmond-street, thence in a north-easterly direction along Richmond-street to the south-westerly side of the Railway Goods Station thence in a south-easterly direction along the south-westerly side of the said Goods Station and the Accrington and Manchester branch of the said railway to the southerly end of the railway viaduct at Shoe Mill, and thence in a direct line in a south-westerly direction to the point first before described.

#### No. 8.—Spring Hill Ward.

I do hereby determine that Spring Hill Ward shall comprise so much of the said township and borough as lies within the following boundary:—

Commencing at a point on the south-westerly boundary of the said borough fifty yards or thereabouts north of the point where a public footpath, leading from Willows-lane past Sheep Cotes Farm, intersects the said boundary, thence in a north-westerly direction along such boundary line to a point on the northerly side of the Accrington and Blackburn branch of the said railway, thence in an easterly direction along the northerly side of the said railway to Scaitcliffe-street, thence in a south-easterly direction across the said railway and along the south-westerly side of the Goods Station to a point opposite Richmond-street, thence in a south-westerly direction along that street to its junction with Willows-lane, thence in a southerly direction along that lane to the said public footpath passing Sheep Cotes Farm, and thence in a westerly direction along that footpath to the point first before described.

And I do hereby further declare that the wards hereinbefore determined and defined are shown upon the plan hereunto annexed and signed by me; and that the said boundaries of the said wards are clearly set forth thereon.

And I do hereby assign and apportion three Councillors to each and every of the said wards as follows, that is to say:—

#### To West Ward.

Councillors:—Edwin Welch, Thomas Gordon, William Richards.

#### To Central Ward.

Councillors:—William Wilson, James Waddington, James Henry Lupton.

#### To North Ward.

Councillors:—Alonzo Langham, Thomas Edward Nuttall, William Henry Dixon.

#### To Peel Park Ward.

Councillors:—Thomas Edward Higham, James Whittaker, James Dewhurst.