

section of the said Act, appealing against such adoption, and praying for the exclusion of a portion of the township from the operation of the said Act: and whereas inquiry has been directed into the matter of the said petition, and report made to me thereon by Robert Morgan, Esquire, the Inspector appointed by me for the purpose.

Now, therefore, I, as one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State do hereby make Order on such memorial as follows, namely:—

1. That the boundaries of the district, to be called the District of "Tong Street," shall be those shown in the plan annexed to the Inspector's Report to me, bearing date the 14th day of July, 1871, and in the written description thereunto appended, as follows:—The boundaries commence at the point A on the copy of the tithe-map of the township of Tong which accompanies the Inspector's Report, at the south corner of the township of Tong, where it joins the townships of Gomersall and Drighlington; thence northward along the boundary between the townships of Drighlington and Tong to B, where the said boundary crosses the Bradford and Wakefield Turnpike-road; thence northward along the north-east side of fields, Nos. 802 and 803, to Tong-lane, at Shawfield; thence along the east side of the said Tong-lane, and including it, to C; thence crossing the said Tong-lane, and westward along the south side of fields, Nos. 834, 835, 838, 719, 697, 698, 699, and 631, to D; thence along the north-east side of fields, Nos. 634, 633, 625, 622, and 610, to E, at Holme-lane; thence crossing the said Holme-lane, and northward along the west side of fields Nos. 603 and 602, to F; thence westward, along the south side of fields Nos. 511A, 331, and 332, to G; thence northward, along the east side of fields Nos. 282, 277, 276, 275, 273, 272, 272A, 270, 269, and 264, to H; thence, westward, along a footpath to I, on the west side of Bradford and Ardsley branch of the Great Northern Railway; thence, northward, along the west side of the said railway, and excluding it, to the boundary between the parishes of Calverley and Birstal; thence, westward, along the said boundary until it meets the parliamentary and municipal boundary of the borough of Bradford; thence, southward and eastward, along the said borough boundary until it meets the boundary between the townships of Hunsworth and Tong; thence, eastward, along the last-named boundary to the township of Gomersall; thence, westward, along the boundary between the townships of Gomersall and Tong to the starting point at A, thus completing the boundaries.

2. That the Local Government Act, 1858, come into force in the said District of Tong-street (as settled by this Order) from and after the date thereof; and that Mr. Thomas Law, Manufacturer, Tong-street, be summoning officer, and take all proceedings necessary for the first election of a Local Board within the said District.

Given under my hand this 19th day of July, 1871.

(Signed) H. A. Bruce.

Home Office, Whitehall.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1858.

ORDER FOR DIVISION OF THE COTTINGHAM DISTRICT INTO WARDS.

WHEREAS the Local Government Act, 1858, has been duly adopted by the district of Cottingham, in the county of York, and a petition has been presented to me, as one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, from owners and

ratepayers assembled at a public meeting duly convened, in pursuance of the 24th section of the said Local Government Act, praying for a division of the said district into wards, and that I may declare the proportion of the nine members constituting the Local Board to be elected by and for each of such wards:

Now therefore I, as one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State as aforesaid, do hereby order and direct:

1. That the District of Cottingham, in the county of York, shall, from and after the date of this Order, be divided into two wards, viz:—

Cottingham Ward to consist of all that portion of the parish of Cottingham, which is not included within the boundaries of the Ecclesiastical District of St. John, such Ward having an area of 6663A. OR. 7P., and

Newland Ward to consist of the aforesaid Ecclesiastical District of St. John, such Ward having an area of 2900 acres.

The boundaries of each of these two Wards being further shewn on a plan of the parish of Cottingham, deposited at the Local Government Act Office, Whitehall, London, the area of such Cottingham Ward being thereon coloured *pink*, and that of such Newland Ward being coloured *yellow*.

2. That at the next ensuing election of the Local Board in November, 1871, when three members will retire, two members shall be elected for Cottingham, and one member for Newland Ward, and the same proportion of members to be elected for each Ward shall be observed in the return of new members at every subsequent election for such Cottingham Local Board.

Given under my hand this 19th day of July, 1871.

(Signed) H. A. Bruce.

Home Office, Whitehall.

WE, whose names are hereunder written, having been sworn this eighteenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, before the Queen's Remembrancer, at Goldsmiths' Hall, in the city of London, have made the Assays and Trials of Her Majesty's Gold and Silver Coins in the Pyx of the Mint, and which according to accounts produced by the officers of the Mint were coined in the said Mint from the fifth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy, to the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, both days inclusive, We ascertained that the number of coins both of Gold and Silver in each packet produced to us corresponded with the number which the officers of the Mint represented it to contain, and we took a coin or coins from each of such packets of Gold coins, making altogether forty-three sovereigns or twenty shilling pieces, and nineteen half sovereigns or ten shilling pieces, and we weighed each of the said coins separately so as to ascertain whether they were within the remedy prescribed in the First Schedule of the Coinage Act, 1870. We found that the amount of variation from the Standard of Weight specified in the said First Schedule of the said Act was seven thousand parts of an ounce plus (.007) on the whole of such coins, and that, therefore, they were within the prescribed remedy as to weight. We then melted the said Gold coins so taken out and