

Mary's Butts to the point first-mentioned in this description of Castle Ward.

"And I do hereby determine that Minster Ward shall comprise all that part of the parish of Saint Mary, Reading, which is bounded on the north by the parish boundary along the middle of Broad-street from a point opposite the middle of the road in Saint Mary's Butts at the northern end thereof to the eastern end of Broad-street, and is also bounded by the parish boundary from the point where such boundary leaves the eastern end of Broad-street to the easternmost point of the boundary between the parish of Saint Mary, Reading and the tithing of Southcot in the middle of the Holy Brook, and from the last-mentioned point eastwards by the middle of the Holy Brook to the middle of the bridge which carries the road from Coley-avenue over the Holy Brook near to and on the western side of Coley Farm, and is bounded on the westerly and north-westerly sides by the middle of the same road and by the middle of the road in Coley-avenue to a point in the middle of the road called Bath-road at the eastern end thereof, and from that point on the north and north-west by the middle of the road in Castle-street to a point opposite the middle of the road in Bridge-street, and on the west by the eastern boundary of Castle Ward.

"And I do hereby determine that Katesgrove Ward shall comprise all that part of the parish of Saint Giles, Reading, which is bounded on part of the east by the middle of Bridge-street, Southampton-street, Whitley-street, and Basingstoke-road to the point on the eastern side of Basingstoke-road where the boundary between the said parish and the hamlet of Whitley begins to run along the eastern side of the said Basingstoke-road, thence on further part of the east and on the south by the said boundary between the said parish and the hamlet of Whitley, and on the west, north-west, and north by the boundary between the said parish and the parish of Saint Mary, Reading.

"And I do hereby determine that Church Ward shall comprise all that part of the parish of Saint Giles, Reading, which is bounded on part of the north by the River Kennet and the Kennet Navigation Cut from a point on the said river in the boundary between the said parish and the parish of Saint Lawrence, Reading, opposite to the eastern end of Crane Wharf, along the middle of the said river and the middle of the Kennet Navigation Cut to a point in the said cut opposite the middle of the north end of Sidmouth-street, on the east side from the last-mentioned point by a straight line to the middle of Sidmouth-street and by the middle of such street to a point in the middle of London-road, on a further part of the north by the middle of London-road as far as to a point opposite the middle of Redlands-road, on further part of the east from the point last aforesaid by the middle of Redlands-road to the point where the boundary between the said parish of Saint Giles Reading and the hamlet of Whitley crosses Redlands-road, and from that point by the same boundary as far as to the point on the east side of Basingstoke-road where such boundary begins to run along the eastern side of the same road, and on the west from the last-named point partly by a line drawn to the middle of the road in Whitley-street, Southampton-street, and Bridge-street respectively as far as to the point where the boundary of the said parish of Saint Giles, Reading, joins the boundary of the parish of Saint Mary, Reading, on further part of the north by the boundary between those parishes, and on the remaining part of the north by the

boundary between the parishes of Saint Giles, Reading, and Saint Lawrence, Reading, to the point first-mentioned in this description of the boundaries of the said Church Ward: All that part of the hamlet of Whitley in the parish of Saint Giles, Reading, which lies west of the middle of the roads called respectively Redlands-road and Shinfield-road: And all those parts of the parishes of Burghfield and Shinfield which are respectively described in the second schedule to the Reading Corporation Act, 1887.

"And I do hereby determine that Victoria Ward shall comprise all that part of the parish of Saint Giles, Reading, which is bounded on the east from a point in the middle of London-road by the parish or liberty of Earley, on the south from the point aforesaid by the middle of London-road to a point opposite the middle of Sidmouth-street, on part of the west by the middle of Sidmouth-street to the north end of that street, and by a straight line extending therefrom to a point in the middle of the Kennet Navigation Cut, on part of the south on south-west from the last-mentioned point along the middle of the said cut and the middle of the River Kennet to a point on the said river in the boundary between the said parish and the parish of Saint Lawrence, Reading, opposite the eastern end of Crane Wharf, on the remaining part of the west and on the north by the boundary between the said parishes of Saint Giles, Reading, and Saint Lawrence, Reading.

"And I do hereby determine that Redlands Ward shall comprise all that part of the parish of Saint Giles, Reading, which is bounded on the east by the parish or liberty of Earley from a point in the middle of London-road to the boundary of the hamlet of Whitley, on the south by the boundary of the hamlet of Whitley as far as to the middle of the road called Redlands-road, from thence on the west side by the middle of the said road to a point in the middle of London-road, and on the north by the middle of London-road: And all that part of the hamlet of Whitley, in the parish of St. Giles, Reading, which lies east of the middle of the roads called respectively Redlands-road and Shinfield-road, and which is not comprised within the boundaries of Church Ward.

"And I do hereby determine that East Ward shall comprise all that part of the parish or liberty of Earley, which is described in the second schedule to the Reading Corporation Act, 1887.

"And I do hereby declare that the wards hereinbefore determined are shown upon the plan hereunto annexed and signed by me, and their boundaries set forth as appears thereon.

"And I do hereby determine that the number of Aldermen of the said borough as so extended shall be ten, and that the number of Councillors of the said borough as so extended shall be thirty.

"And I do hereby apportion all the existing Councillors among the new wards of the extended borough as follows:—

"To Abbey Ward—Councillors; Frank Attwells, Blackall Simonds, and Stephen Gould.

"To Battle Ward—Councillors; John Forrest Ewerty, John Thomas Dodd; and John Weightman.

"To West Ward—Councillor; Owen Ridley.

"To Castle Ward—Councillors; James King and Charles Gyningham Field.

"To Minster Ward—Councillors; John Wesley Martin, William Berkeley Monck, and Daniel Heelas.

"To Katesgrove Ward—Councillors; Isiah Birt Nicholson and George Philbrick.