

so much of the area of the county borough of Stockport as is contained within a line commencing from the point in the centre of Middle Hill-gate opposite to the centre of Waterloo-road, thence in a north-easterly and easterly direction along the boundary of Ward No. 5 to the boundary of Ward No. 6, thence in a south-easterly and southerly direction along the boundary of Ward No. 6 to the centre of Hemphaw-lane, thence in a westerly direction along the centre of Hemphaw-lane to the boundary of Ward No. 11, thence in a westerly and northerly direction along the boundary of Ward No. 11 to the boundary of Ward No. 7 and thence in a northerly direction along the said boundary to the point of commencement aforesaid.

"And I do hereby determine that Ward No. 13, otherwise 'Cale Green' Ward shall comprise so much of the area of the county borough of Stockport as is contained within a line commencing from the point in the centre of Wellington-road South opposite to the centre of Long Shut-lane West, thence in a southerly direction along the boundary of Ward No. 11 to the centre of Buxton-road, thence along the centre of Buxton-road to the boundary of the county borough at Kennerley Grove-lane thence in a westerly and northerly direction along the said boundary to the boundary of Ward No. 10, and thence in an easterly, southerly and easterly direction along the said boundary to the point of commencement aforesaid.

"And I do hereby determine that Ward No. 14 otherwise 'Heaviley' Ward shall comprise so much of the area of the county borough of Stockport as is contained within a line commencing from the point in the boundary of the county borough in the centre of Buxton-road, at Kennerley-grove-lane, thence in a north-westerly direction along the boundary of Ward No. 13 to the boundary of Ward No. 11, thence in a northerly, easterly, and northerly direction along the boundary of Ward No. 11 to the boundary of Ward No. 12, thence in an easterly direction along the boundary of Ward No. 12 to the boundary of Ward No. 6, thence in an easterly direction along the boundary of Ward No. 6 to the boundary of the county borough, thence in a southerly direction along the said boundary to the centre of Buxton-road near 'Stepping Hill' and thence in a north-westerly direction along the said boundary of the county borough to the point of commencement aforesaid.

"And I the said Charles Neve Cresswell by virtue of the further powers given to me by the aforesaid Warrant of Appointment do hereby assign and apportion the number of councillors to each ward, as follows, that is to say :—

"To Ward No. 1 otherwise 'Lancashire Hill' Ward.

- "1. John Gould (who retires) 1894.
- "2. John Richard Clarke (who retires) 1895.
- "3. Richard Brown Shuttleworth (who retires) 1896.

"To Ward No. 2 otherwise 'Heaton Lane' Ward.

- "1. George Leigh (who retires) 1894.
- "2. John Hancock (who retires) 1895.
- "3. Henry Barlow (who retires) 1896.

"To Ward No. 3 otherwise 'Old Road' Ward.

- "1. Charles Carrington (who retires) 1894.
- "2. Richard Cobden Wakefield (who retires) 1895.
- "3. Thomas Roscoe (who retires) 1896.

"To Ward No. 4 otherwise 'Portwood' Ward.

- "1. John Williamson (who retires) 1894.
- "2. Albert Sidebotham (who retires) 1895.
- "3. Gilbert Burrows (who retires) 1896.

"To Ward No. 5 otherwise 'St. Mary's' Ward.

- "1. Joseph Bostock (who retires) 1894.
- "2. Francis Ratcliffe Robinson (who retires) 1895.
- "3. John Turner (who retires) 1896.

"To Ward No. 6 otherwise 'Vernon' Ward.

- "1. George Leah (who retires) 1894.
- "2. John Winkley (who retires) 1895.
- "3. Thomas Hilderley (who retires) 1896.

"To Ward No. 7 otherwise 'Spring Bank' Ward.

- "1. Giles Atherton (who retires) 1894.
- "2. William Lister (who retires) 1895.
- "3. John Allcock (who retires) 1896.

"To Ward No. 8 otherwise 'Hollywood' Ward.

- "1. Samuel Minshall (who retires) 1894.
- "2. Robert Redfern (who retires) 1895.
- "3. Tom Cocker (who retires) 1896.

"To Ward No. 9 otherwise 'Edgeley' Ward.

- "1. Joseph Davenport Kain (who retires) 1894.
- "2. John Goode Johnson (who retires) 1895.
- "3. Joseph Broadhurst (who retires) 1896.

"To Ward No. 10 otherwise 'Shaw Heath' Ward.

- "1. William Bell (who retires) 1894.
- "2. Joseph Dean (who retires) 1895.
- "3. Samuel Lowe (who retires) 1896.

"To Ward No. 11 otherwise Saint Thomas's Ward.

- "1. Joseph Blackshaw (who retires) 1894.
- "2. William Wood (who retires) 1895.
- "3. Thomas Webb (who retires) 1896.

"To Ward No. 12 otherwise 'Hemphaw Lane' Ward.

- "1. Nathaniel Dumville Fairbrother (who retires) 1894.
- "2. James Kirk (who retires) 1895.
- "3. Joseph Slack (who retires) 1896.

"To Ward No. 13 otherwise 'Cale Green' Ward.

- "1. Henry Joules (who retires) 1894.
- "2. William Barber (who retires) 1895.
- "3. William Brentnall (who retires) 1896.

"To Ward No. 14 otherwise 'Heaviley' Ward.

- "1. Joseph Marshall (who retires) 1894.
- "2. Jonathan Markland Robinson (who retires) 1895.
- "3. Albert Johnson (who retires) 1896.

"Dated this twenty-third day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

"C. N. CRESSWELL."

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, doth hereby approve of the said scheme of the said Commissioner, and doth order the same to be published in the London Gazette accordingly. *C. L. Peel.*

War Office, July 27, 1894.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the undermentioned Officers of the Volunteer Force, who have been duly recommended for the same under the terms of the Royal Warrant, dated 25th July, 1892 :—

NORTH-WESTERN DISTRICT.

RIFLE.

5th (Irish) Volunteer Battalion, The King's (Liverpool Regiment).

Surgeon-Major (ranking as Lieutenant-Colonel) James Finegan, retired.