

NEWRY.

REPORT upon the PROPOSED MUNICIPAL BOUNDARY of the BOROUGH of NEWRY.

THE ancient Limits extend about three miles from North by West to South by East, and about two miles from East to West. They comprehend the Townlands of Lisdrumliska, Drummalane, Ballinlane and a portion of Lisdrumgullion in Armagh; and the Townlands of Ballynacraig and Commons in Down. ANCIENT LIMITS.

Newry is a Borough, and sends a Member to Parliament; it is situated on the River Newry, which divides it into two unequal parts; the part on the Down side being more extensive and populous than that on the Armagh side. They are both in the same Parish. Newry communicates with the Sea (at Carlingford Bay) by a ship canal, and with Lough Neagh by a boat canal. There is a considerable trade, the exports being chiefly agricultural produce; the imports, iron, timber, coal, &c. The Town is well built, the main Street is composed of handsome houses; it is lighted with gas and is increasing in wealth and extent. DESCRIPTION OF
THE TOWN.

In 1831 the Population was 13,300; since then it is supposed to have gradually increased. Population.

Houses valued at 5*l.* to 10*l.* pay 6*d.*; 10*l.* to 20*l.*, 9*d.*; and 20*l.* and upwards 1*s.* in the pound, for watching, cleansing and lighting: Houses valued under 5*l.* do not pay. All Church Cess was abolished by Act of Parliament some time since; a small Cess, about 2*d.* per acre, was established for foundlings and providing coffins for the poor. Local Rates.

The County Cess is collected twice in the year. It amounts in the County Armagh side of the Town to 1*d.* in the pound, each time, on the value of houses taken on the valuation of the Commissioners of Lighting; and to this Cess houses under 5*l.* also pay each time. The Land pays on the Armagh side of the Parish about 1*s.* 7*d.* per acre each time. County Rates
Armagh Side

On the County Down side of the Town, the Cess is also collected twice in the year; it is 2½*d.* in the pound, each time, on the valuation of houses as before; and the Land about 1*s.* 8*d.* each time per acre. Down Side.

The following Boundary is proposed, as embracing the whole Town of Newry, and an area sufficiently large for any probable extension:—

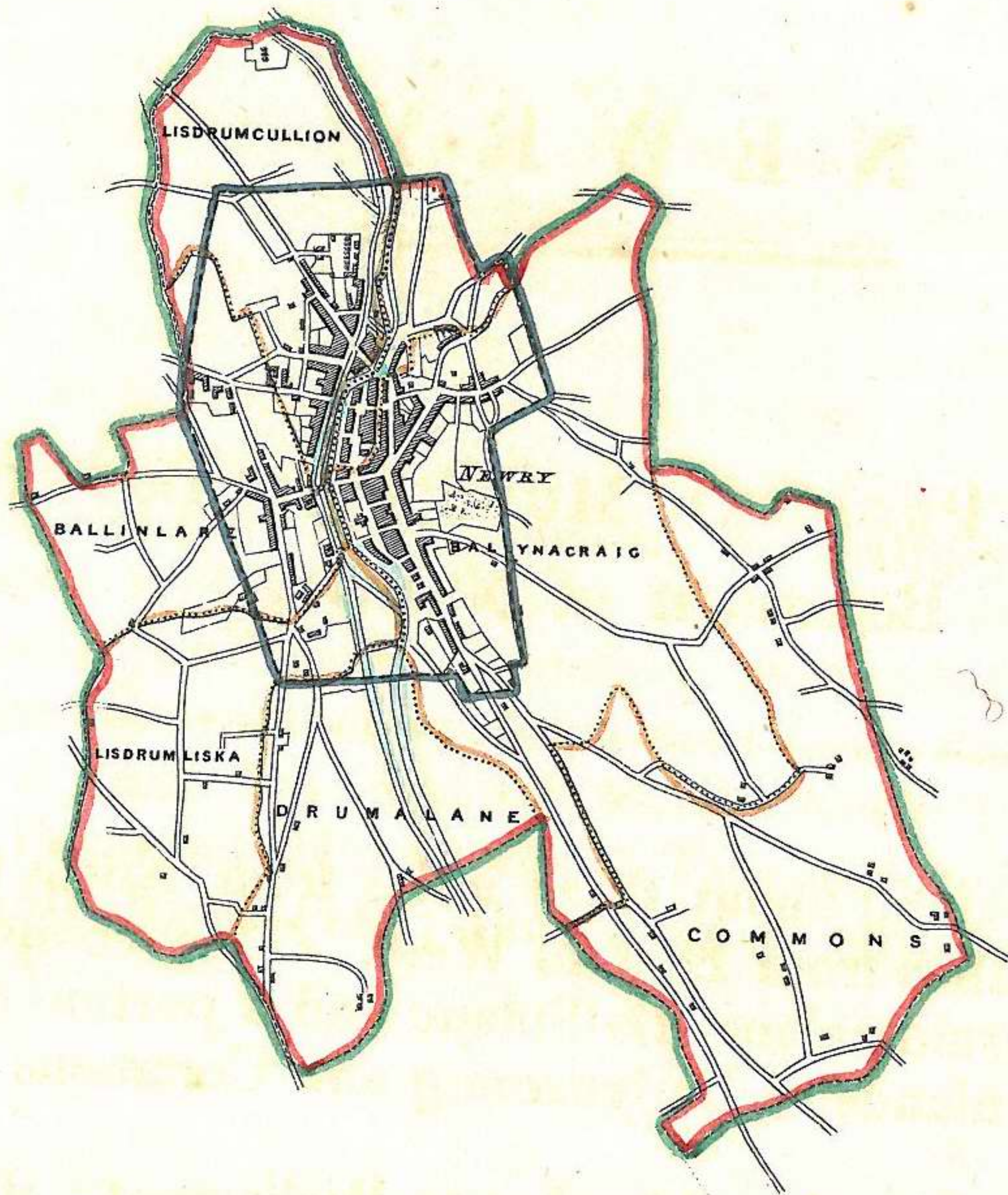
From the Point (1) of the Junction of a small Stream with the River Newry Fifty-five Yards Eastward of the Canal Lock No. 3, East, along said Stream to its Point of Intersection with a Garden Wall, about Seventy-five Yards Eastward of the Belfast Road (2); thence, Southward, in a straight Line to the North End of the Lane leading from Downshire Road to the Downpatrick Road (3); thence, South, along said Lane to its Point of Intersection with the Downpatrick Road (4); thence, East, along said Downpatrick Road to its Point of Intersection with Fullerton's Lane (5); thence along said Fullerton's Lane to its Point of Junction with the Pound Hill Road (6); thence in a straight Line to the East End of Harcourt's Row (7) about One hundred and eighty Yards South-east of Church Street; thence in a straight Line to the Old Windmill (8); thence along the Road leading from said Windmill to the Point of its Intersection with the Courtney Hill Road (9); thence, PROPOSED
BOUNDARY.

thence, South, along the Road leading to Chapel Street to the North-east End of Miss Sedgewick's Garden Wall (10) about Eighty Yards to the East of Chapel Street; thence, South, along said Garden Wall to its Point of Intersection with Chapel Street (11), about Two hundred and sixty Yards South-east of the Roman Catholic Chapel; thence in a straight Line to the South-west Angle of the Wall of the Roman Catholic Burying Ground (12); thence, North-west along said Wall to its North-west Angle (13); thence, West, in a straight Line to the Point of Intersection of the Dublin Road with the Boundary Stream between the Townlands of Lisdrumliska and Drumalane (14); thence, North, in a straight Line to Mr. Turner's House, Turner's Hill (15); thence, Northerly, in a straight Line to the Pound (16) near the Parish Boundary, from where a Lane runs Northerly into Monaghan Row; thence down said Lane into Monaghan Row, at the Point where a Lane branches off to the North (17); thence in a straight Line to Mr. Pearson's House, about Two hundred and twenty Yards West of the Armagh Road (18); thence in a straight Line to the Point first described.

John Hawkshaw.

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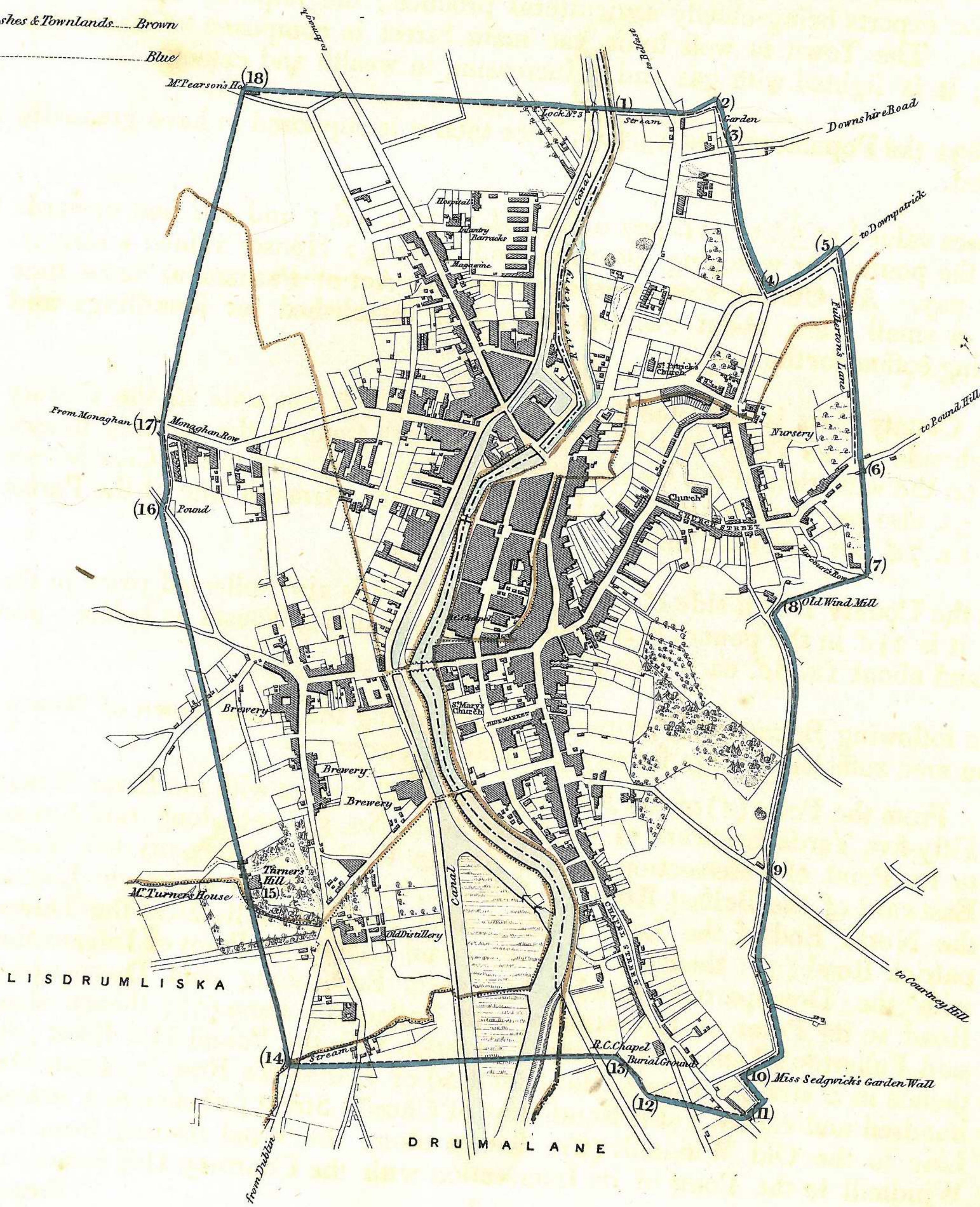
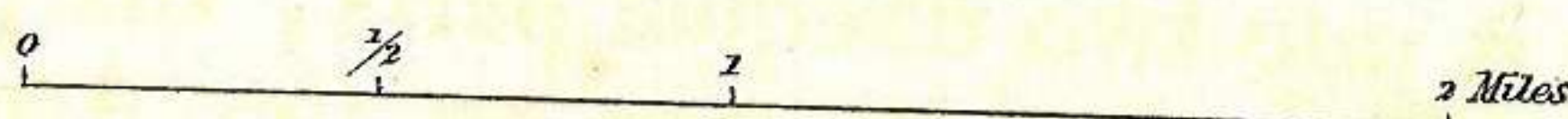
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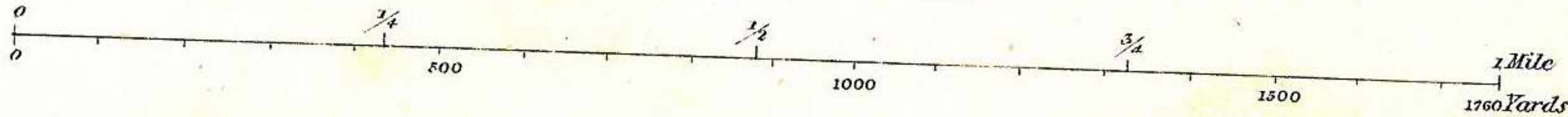
REFERENCES

- Ancient Boundary Green
- Parliamentary Boundary Red
- Proposed Boundary Purple
- Boundaries of Parishes & Townlands Brown
- Water Blue

Scale One Inch to One Statute Mile



Scale Four Inches to One Statute Mile



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