

NEWTOWN ARDS.

REPORT upon the PROPOSED MUNICIPAL BOUNDARY of the BOROUGH of NEWTOWN ARDS.

THE Boundary of the ancient Borough comprises part of the Baronies of Ards and Castlereagh. The extent of this Boundary is about eight miles, and it embraces for the most part an agricultural district. This Borough was granted a Charter by King James the First. ANCIENT LIMITS.

The Town of Newtown Ards is situated about half a mile to the North of Lough Strangford; it is increasing very much in extent; many houses have been built within the last five years; and others are building, though they are generally of a small description. There is a Brewing Establishment at this place, and Muslin weaving is carried on in many of the small houses. DESCRIPTION OF
THE TOWN.

The Population amounted in 1831 to 4,442; since which, it is supposed to have increased to about 5,500. Population.

There are no local Rates.

Local Rates.

The Town of Newtown Ards is assessed to the County 47 *l.* 16 *s.* 0 $\frac{1}{2}$ *d.* for the last half-year, by applotment; the highest rated house, &c. being 1 *l.* 0 *s.* 5 *d.*, and the lowest 2 *d.* for this period. County Rates.

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

From the Carleton Bridge (1), on the Cumber Road, Easterly, along the Canal, which is the Boundary between the Baronies of Castlereagh and Ards, to the South-east Angle of Castle Garden (2); thence North-easterly along said Canal and Boundary to North-east Angle of Canal (3); thence along the same Canal and Boundary in a South-easterly direction to the Point (4) where the Boundary between the Townlands of Gregstown and Corporation North meets the Canal; thence up said Boundary to the Point (5) at which the Roads to Millisle and Mount Stewart meet; thence Northerly in a straight Line to the South-west Angle of the Loughan Park (6); thence along West Side of the Loughan Park, till it meets the Donaghadee Road, at a Stone Bridge (7), about Two hundred Yards North-east of the Junction of said Road with the Road to Bangor; thence in a straight Line, North-westerly, across the Bangor Road to the Old Mill Stump (8); thence in a straight Line to a Point on the Glen Road (9) where the Boundary between the Baronies of Castlereagh and Ards leaves the said Road to the East, being about Three hundred Yards North of the North-east Corner of the Church Yard; thence in a straight Line, South-westerly, to the Junction of the Belfast Road, and Lane leading to Mr. MacCulloch's House (10), about Four hundred Yards West of South-west Corner of the Church Yard; thence in a straight Line, Southerly, to the Point where the Flush Hall Lane and the Boundary between the Townlands Ballycullen and Corporation South crosses the old Belfast Road (11); thence in a straight Line, Easterly, to the Canal and Point first described. PROPOSED
BOUNDARY.

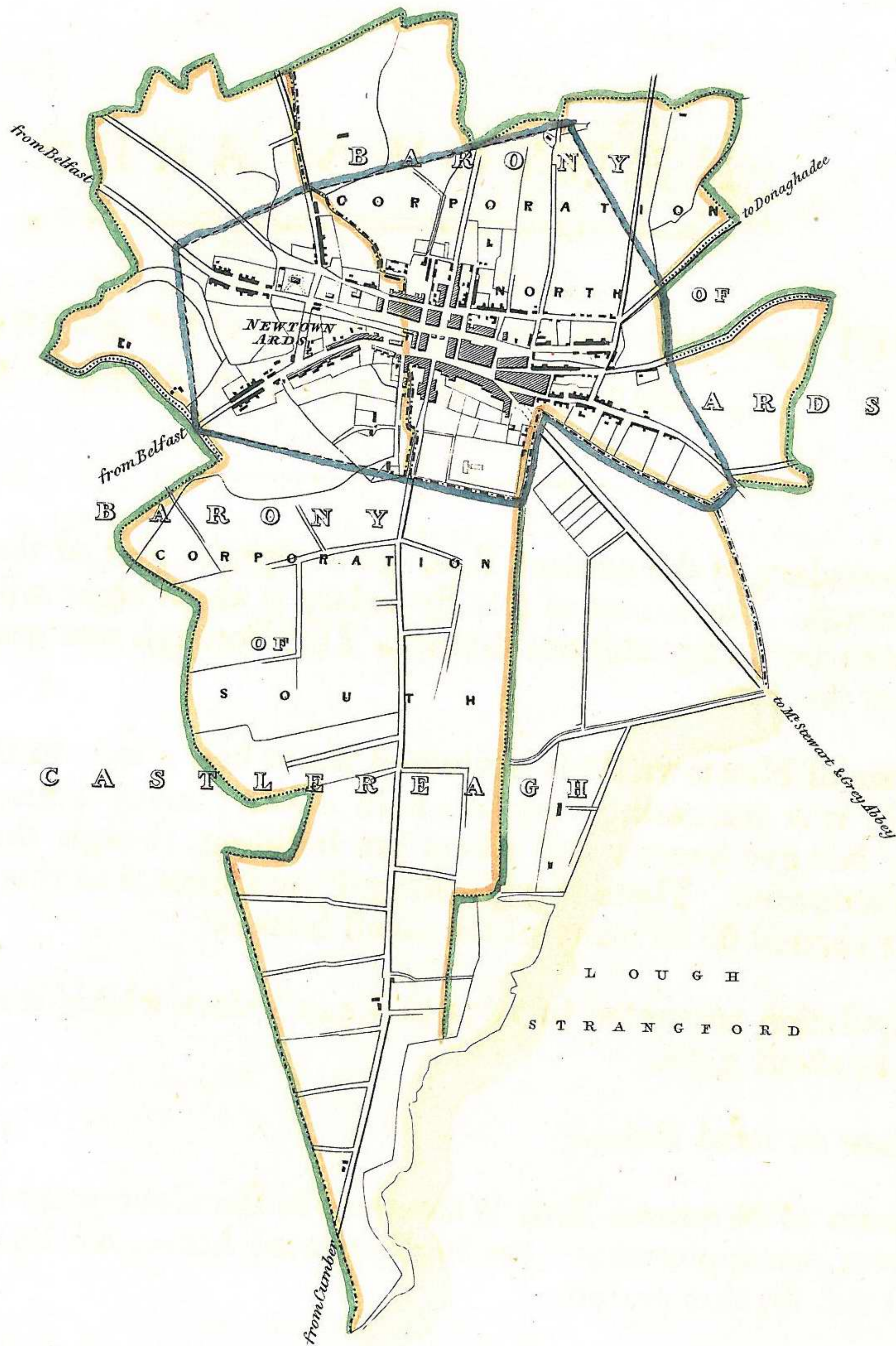
The Population within the proposed Limits will amount to about 5,500.

Henry P. Wulff.

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From the Ordnance Survey

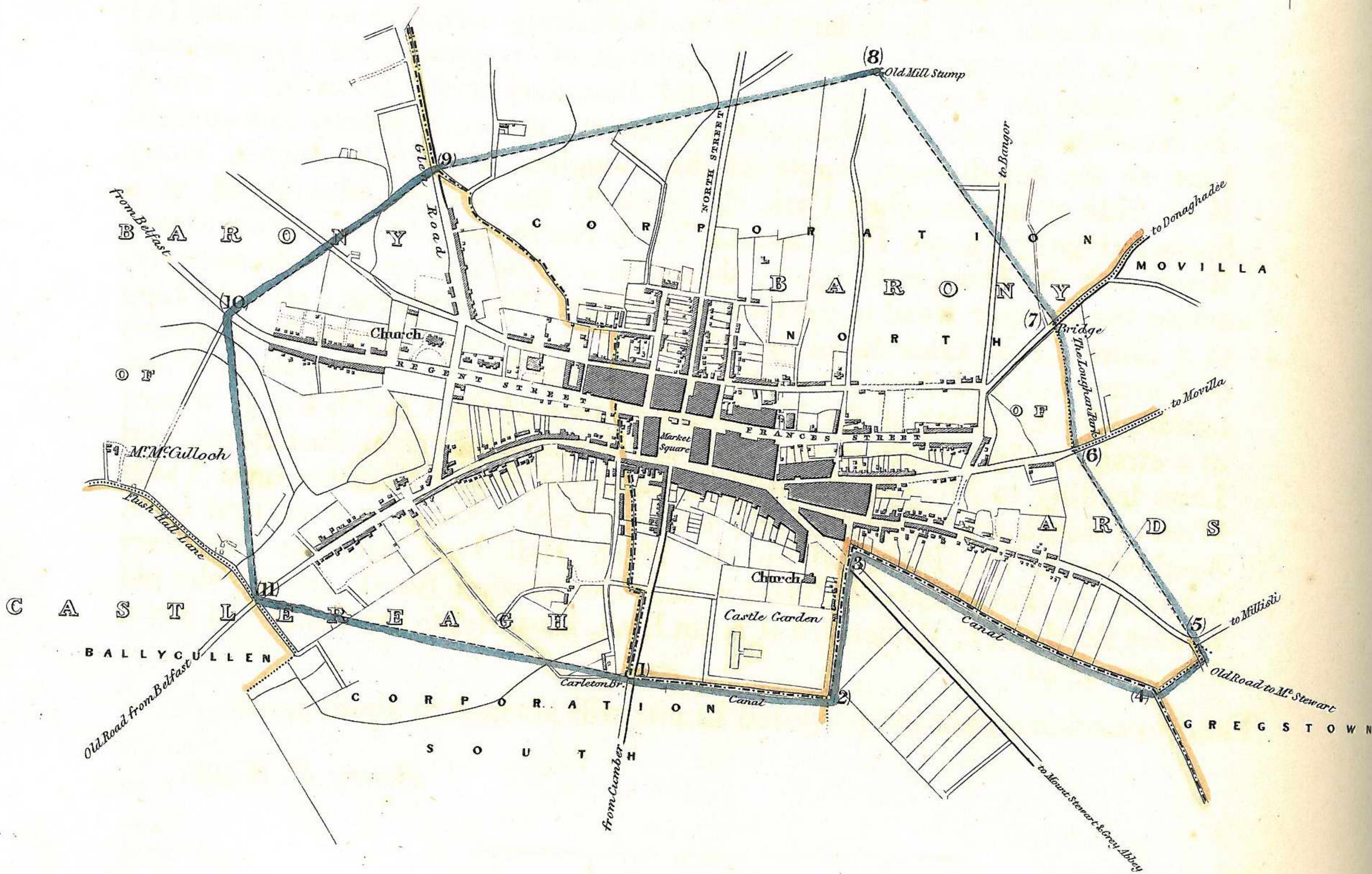
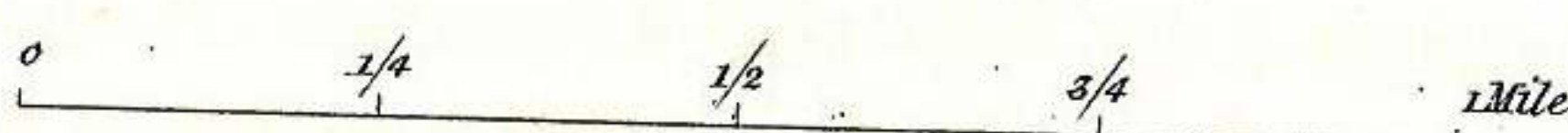
The Ancient Boundary from the Report of the Municipal Commissioners



REFERENCES

Ancient Boundary Green
 Proposed Boundary Purple
 Boundaries of Baronies Parishes & Townlands, Brown
 Water Blue

Scale—Two Inches to One Statute Mile



Scale—Four Inches to One Statute Mile

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