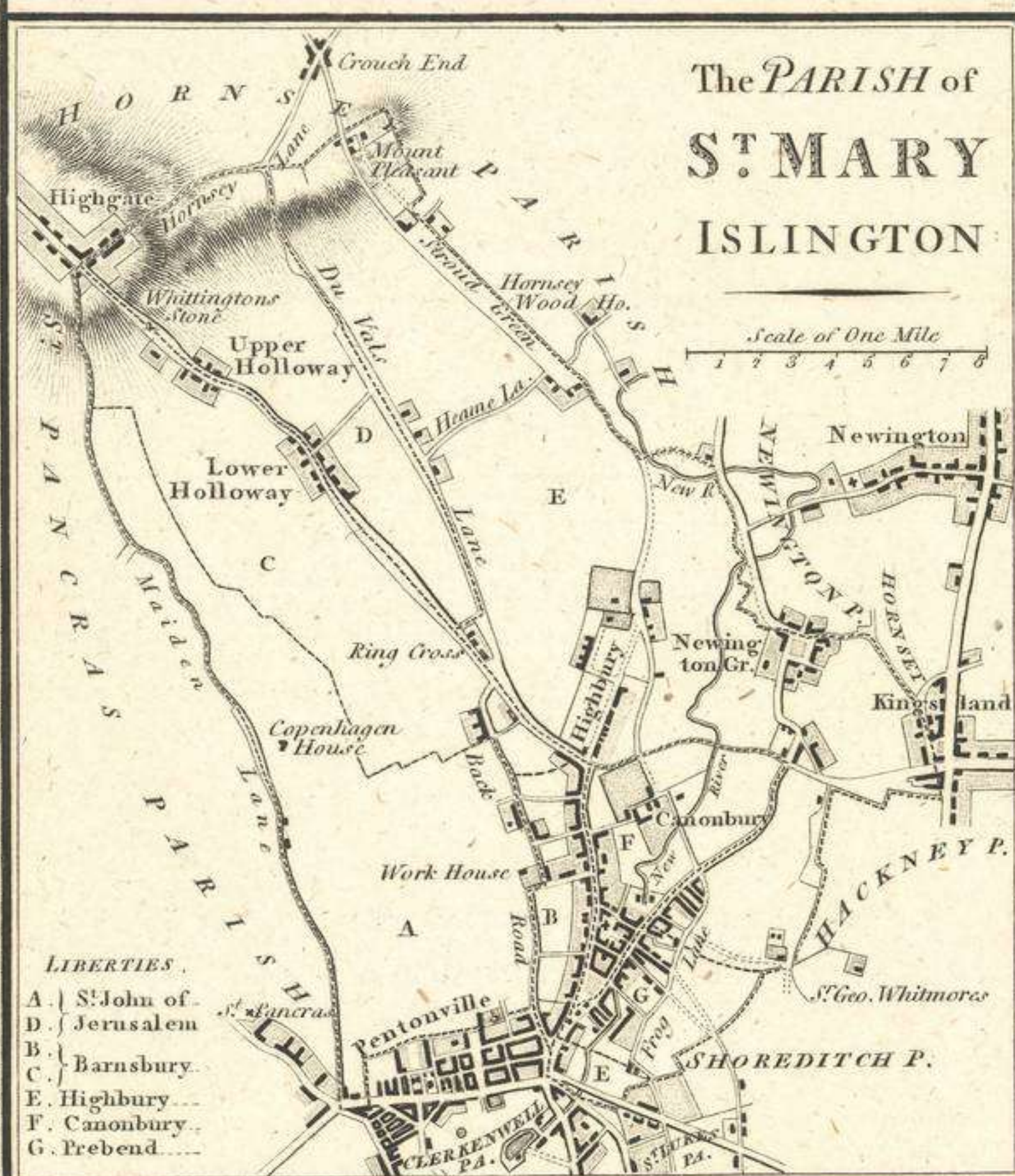
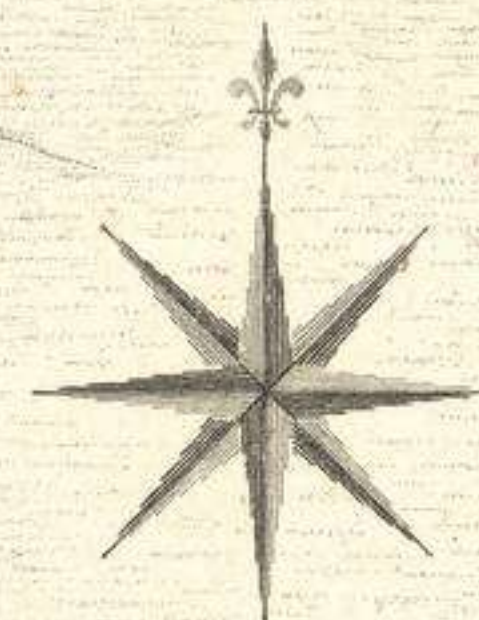


ISLINGTON

To
The Inhabitants of
ISLINGTON
(and its Environs)
This PLAN
is respectfully dedicated,
by their most Obedient Serv^{ts}
EDW^d & BENJ^d BAKER.



Scale of Half a Mile, or 160 Poles.
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Furlong



The Parish of ST. MARY ISLINGTON (anciently Iseldon) in the Finsbury Division of Ossulston Hundred, in the County of Middlesex, is about 3 Miles 2 Furlongs in Length from N.W. to S.E. 2 Miles 1 Furlong in Breadth, from E. to W. 10 1/2 Miles in Circumference, and contains about 3000 Acres.

It is divided into 7 Liberties, (named from the Manors in which they are situated) viz. Lower St. John of Jerusalem, Lower Barnsbury, Upper Barnsbury, Upper St. John of Jerusalem, Highbury or Newington Barrow, Canonbury, and the Prebend Liberty.

It is a Vicarage in the Archdeaconry and Diocese of London, with a General Vestry; and contains about 1200 Houses. Its quota to the Land Tax is 2001^l 11^s 9^d; the Povers Rate at 1^s 8^d in the Pound raises 2000^l. It is Watched and Lighted at 600^l by a Rate of 1^s 2^d in the Pound. It raises by Composition (in lieu of Statute Duty) for repairing the Parish Roads and Foot Paths 550^l.

The present Church is 108 Feet Long, 60 Broad and 164 from the Ground to the top of the Vane. The first Stone was laid the 28th of August 1751, and the Church was Opened the 26th of May 1754, having cost 6319^l. It contains 149 Pews, and a handsome Organ erected in 1772, also a peal of 8 Bells, added in 1774. It was Repaired in 1787 which cost near 800^l.

The Work House was Built in 1777 at the Expence of 3000^l. The Charity School was Founded 1710 and considerably enlarged and Improved 1788. It Cloaths and Educates 30 Boys and 20 Girls.

REFERENCE

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| 1 Kingsland Chapel | 4 Lady Owens Alms Houses |
| 2 Islington Meeting | 5 Turnpikes |
| 3 Charity School | 6 Parish Land Marks |

