

STANLEY.

Morgan John
Scott John
Wilson Rev. Christopher Stockdale
M.A. Vicarage

COMMERCIAL.

Brown John Alfred, hair dresser
Crook Co-operative Society Limited
(Alfred Horner, manager)
Crowther Fredk. Cameron, butcher
Edmundson Robert, fried fish dealer
Hurd James, farm bailiff to Mr.
John Hall
Indian Alfred, farmer, Tanners hall
Johnson Henry, fried fish dealer
Johnson James, butcher
Lowther James, builder
Lowther Jane W. (Mrs.), hardware dlr
Miners' Institute (Frederick Dowell,
hon. sec. & treasurer)
Nattress John, Earl of Derby P.H

Pease & Partners Limited, colliery
owners (George Pease, viewer),
Stanley & Woolley collieries
Robinson Josph. Heights of Alma P.H
Bodchester Eveline (Miss), dress ma
Scott Minnie (Miss), dress maker
Sharpe John George, insurance agent
Simpson George, draper
Smith Thomas, grocer
Wells James, shopkeeper
Willson Walter Limited, grocers
Woods Michael, Foresters' Arms P.H
Wright Edward, shopkeeper
Young Stanley & Cooper, grocers

SUNNYSIDE.

Pomeroy Rev. Harrison Albert
(curate), The Parsonage
COMMERCIAL.
Askwith Frederick, farmer
Bell William, farmer

Crook Co-operative Society Limited
(George Glover, manager)
Fowler Harriet Ann (Mrs.), beer retlr
Gilliland Lily (Mrs.), shopkeeper
Hale Henry, shopkeeper
Hale William, greengrocer
Hardy William, Sun inn
Harmen William, farmer
Harvey Frederick, grocer & draper
Hodgson John, butcher
Hutchinson John, farmer
Laws J. & W. grocers & drapers
Miners' Institute (Frederick Dowell,
hon. sec. & treasurer)
Nattress Hugh, Wellington Arms P.H
Roos Jacob, boot maker
Smith Joseph, farmer
Spence Edward, general dealer
Stephenson John, boot & shoe dealer,
Post office
Waugh Wilfred, insurance agent
Wilson Emily (Miss), Crown hotel

STELLA is an ancient township and gives its name to an ecclesiastical parish, formed August 8, 1845, from the parishes of Ryton and Winlaton, on the south bank of the River Tyne and on the road from Newcastle to Hexham, and includes Blaydon (which is given under a separate heading) and Derwenthaugh, and is 1 mile west from Blaydon station on the Newcastle and Carlisle section of the North Eastern railway and 5 west from Newcastle, in the Chester-le-Street division of the county, east division of Chester ward, Gateshead union and petty sessional division, Newcastle county court district, rural deanery of Chester-le-Street and archdeaconry and diocese of Durham. It is governed by the Blaydon Urban District Council. The church of St. Cuthbert is locally in Blaydon, under which place full particulars will be found. The living was constituted a rectory June 5, 1866. The Catholic church, dedicated to St. Mary and St. Thomas Aquinas, is a building of stone in the Gothic style, erected in 1831: the altar is richly ornamented, and the windows are stained, including one erected in 1906 to commemorate the fifty years of priesthood of the Rev. Canon Wrennall; the rectory attached is in the same style of architecture. A cemetery of 4 acres was formed in 1870 at Blaydon, at a cost of £2,600, and extended at a cost of £5,000 in 1900; there are two mortuary chapels. The cemetery is under the control of a Burial Board of 9 members. Stella Hall,

the seat of Joseph Cowen esq. is a fine old gabled building of stone, pleasantly situated, the north front overlooking the Tyne, and commanding extensive views of the surrounding country; it formerly belonged to the Benedictine nuns of Newcastle, and was subsequently the seat of the Tempests. The Ecclesiastical Commissioners are lords of the manor. The Towneley family are the chief landowners. The soil is sand and loam; subsoil, various. The chief crops are wheat, barley, oats and potatoes. The area is 290 acres; rateable value, £4,321; the population in 1901 was 822 in the township, and 9,315 in the ecclesiastical parish.

DERWENTHAUGH is a hamlet $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles east, on the south bank of the Tyne. The names of residents are given with Swalwell.

Post Office, Stella.—Mrs. Francis Bell, sub-postmistress. Letters via Blaydon, co. Durham, are delivered at 7.40 a.m. & 3.30 & 6.30 p.m.; dispatched, 8.45 & 11.30 a.m. & 4.30 & 7.45 p.m.; no delivery or dispatch on sundays. Blaydon-on-Tyne, 1 mile distant, is the nearest money order & telegraph office
Catholic School (mixed), built in 1849 for 172 & enlarged in 1903 for 215 children; average attendance, 170; Thomas McGuinness, master
Carriers to & from Newcastle pass through the village, tues. thurs. & sat

Cowen Joseph, Stella hall
Roberts Mrs. Stella house
Wilkinson Rev. Adam (Catholic), The Rectory

COMMERCIAL.

Bell Matthew & Son, joiners
Bell Frances (Mrs.), shopkpr. Post off

Cemetery (John Henry Rogers, Blaydon, clerk to the Burial Board)
Gibson Richard, farmer, Path head
Gray Thomas, shopkeeper
Hudson Jane (Miss), shpkpr. Path head
Newton Geo. farm bailiff to Joseph Cowen esq. Path head

Phillipson George, The Board inn
Scott Mary Ann (Mrs.), shopkeeper
Stella Coal Co. Limited, colliery proprietors & coke manufacturers
Timms Charles, Stella Staith inn
Welsh John George, insurance agent

STILLINGTON parish was formed by Order in Council, May 31, 1872, and comprises the township of Stillington, formerly belonging to the parish of Redmarshall, and the township of Whitton, formerly belonging to the parish of Grindon. The township of Foxton-cum-Shotton, in the parish of Sedgfield, was also included within the new parish of Stillington, for ecclesiastical purposes, by Order in Council, July 15, 1886. Stillington station is 1 mile north-east from the village, in Stillington township, on the Stockton and Ferryhill branch of the North Eastern railway and is 5 miles south from Sedgfield and 240 from London; the parish is in the South Eastern division of the county, petty sessional division and county court district of Stockton-on-Tees, union of Sedgfield, rural deanery of Stockton, archdeaconry of Auckland and diocese of Durham. The church of St. John, locally at Carlton Iron Works in the township of Whitton, was erected in 1879, at a cost of £2,800, and consecrated by Bishop Lightfoot in June, 1880; it is an edifice of red brick in the Gothic style, from designs by Messrs. Alexander & Henman, architects, of Stockton and Middlesbrough, and consists of nave, south aisle, small transept used as a vestry, organ chamber, south porch, and a tower, with spire containing one bell: there are 303 sittings. The register dates from the year 1872. The living is a vicarage, net yearly value £230, with residence, in the gift of the Bishop of Durham, and held since 1891 by the Rev. Firth Newsome, of St. Aidan's. The vicarage house, which adjoins the church, was erected in 1884 at a cost of £1,250, of which amount £600 was granted by the Governors of Queen Anne's Bounty and the balance raised by subscription. Here is a Catholic chapel, served from St. Mary's Stockton-on-Tees. The whole of the

township of Stillington is owned by the Warden and Fellows of Merton College, Oxford. The soil is clay; subsoil, clay and gravel. The chief crops are oats, barley and potatoes. The area is 1,153 acres; rateable value, £8,752; the population in 1911 of Stillington was 87 in the township and 1,261 in the ecclesiastical parish.

FOXTON and SHOTTON form a township, 3 miles south of Sedgfield, and 2 miles north-west from Stillington station on the North Eastern railway; for ecclesiastical purposes the township was in 1886 united to Stillington. Viscount Boyne is the sole landowner. It contained a population in 1911 of 61; area, 1,803 acres; rateable value, £1,493.

Letters arrive from Ferryhill via Sedgfield at 8 a.m. daily (sundays excepted)

The nearest post & money order office is at Carlton Iron Works, & the nearest telegraph office is at Sedgfield, 3 miles distant

WHITTON is a township and village, in the union of Stockton, half a mile south-east from Stillington station. In this township are the iron works of the Carlton Iron Co. Limited, which give their name to a collection of houses consisting chiefly of workmen's dwellings. The parish church is situated in this township, and there is also a Wesleyan chapel, built about 1883, and seating 100. The Working Men's Club at Carlton Iron Works comprises reading and recreation rooms. The Carlton Iron Co. Limited, the trustees of the late Francis Robinson esq. and Sherburn Hospital