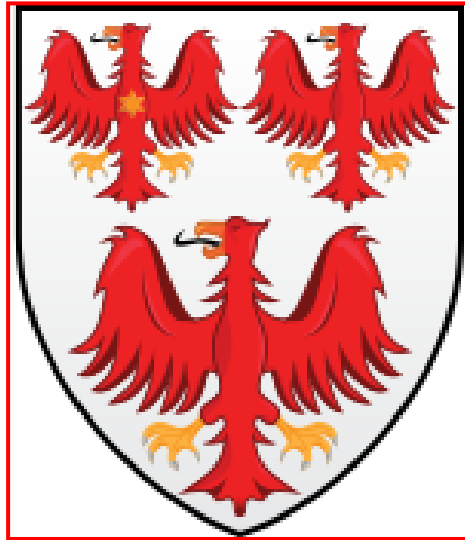


Rev. John Hill WATMOUGH



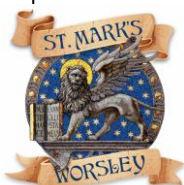
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Curate of St. Mark's/Ellenbrook 1883 - 1887

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WATNEY, Douglas Peter, LL.M., F.R.C. P.A.

1854: Birth of **John Hill Watmough** on 13 November 1854. He was baptised at St. Mary, Preston, on 10 December 1854. He was the son of James (Coal Merchant) and Jane Watmough of Deepdale Street, Preston.

1854.	18 54.						
Nov 13.	Dec 10	John Hill	James & Jane	Watmough	Deep-Coal = dale. Merchant Preston	W. of Heaton	Curate.
	No. 275						

1861 census: 32 Richmond Street, Preston.

James Watmough	Head	M	32	Coal Dealer	b. Bamber Bridge
Jane	Wife	M	36		b. Chipping
John	Son		6	Scholar	b. Preston
Mary	Daur.		4	Do.	b. Do.
Alice	Daur.		2	Do.	b. Do.
James W.	Son		2 mo.		b. Do.

1871 census: Hamilton's House, Ribbleton.

James Watmough	Head	M	41	Retired Coal Merchant	
Jane	Wife	M	46		
John	Son		16	Clerk	
James W.	Son		10	Scholar	
Eli	Son		8	Do.	b. Preston
Margaret E.	Daur.		5	Do.	b. Preston

1878: Oxford: June 27.

In a congregation held this morning the following degrees were conferred. ...[inter al.] B.A., John Hill Watmough, Queen's.

1878: Stockport Advertiser - Friday 27 September .

Christ Church, Heaton Norris. The Rev. John Hill Watmough, B.A. of Queen's College who was among the deacons ordained by the Bishop of Manchester on Sunday last, has been licensed to the curacy of Christ Church, Heaton Norris. The rev. gentleman read the lessons at the evening service.

1881 census: 189 Wellington Rd. North, Heaton Norris.

Sarah Ann Chambers Head W 58
 Martha Bradshaw Sis. S 51 Dressmaker
John H. Watmough Lodger S 26 Curate of Christ Church, H.N.

1883: *Manchester Courier* – Wednesday 21 March 1883.

The Rev. John Hill Watmough, B.A. (Queen's College, Oxford), will shortly vacate the curacy of Christ Church, Heaton Norris, near Stockport, which he has held since his ordination by the Bishop of Manchester in 1878. [He left for Worsley].

1883: Marriage of **Rev. John Hill Watmough** (of Boothstown) and Helen Maria Williamson at Christ Church, Heaton Norris on 26 June 1883.

1883. Marriage solemnized at <i>Parish Church</i> in the Parish of <i>Christ Church Heaton Norris</i> in the County of <i>Lancaster</i>								
No.	When Married.	Name and Surname.	Age.	Condition.	Rank or Profession.	Residence at the time of Marriage.	Father's Name and Surname.	Rank or Profession of Father.
416	<i>June 26</i>	<i>John Hill Watmough</i>	<i>Full</i>	<i>Bachelor</i>	<i>Curate in Holy Orders</i>	<i>Boothstown, Worsley</i>	<i>James Watmough</i>	<i>Gentleman</i>
	<i>18 83</i>	<i>Helen Maria Williamson</i>	<i>Full</i>	<i>Spinster</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>Sparthfield House Heaton Norris</i>	<i>William Williamson</i>	<i>Gentleman</i>
Married in the <i>Parish Church</i> according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church, by <i>Licence</i> contract by me,								
This Marriage was solemnized between us,		<i>John Hill Watmough</i> <i>Helen Maria Williamson</i>		in the Presence of us,		<i>John Blomfield Hemond</i> <i>Elizabeth Hurst</i> <i>S. Nunn. Off. Minister</i> <i>J. Milling</i> <i>Sam Hunt</i>		

1883: *Manchester Courier* - Wednesday 27 June 1883.

Watmough - Williamson. - On the 26th inst., Christ Church, Heaton Norris, by the Rev. S. Nunn, M.A., Rector of Lawton (brother-in-law of the bride), the Rev. John Hill Watmough, M.A., of Worsley, to Helen M., youngest surviving daughter of the late Wm. Williamson, Esq., J.P., of Sparthfield House, Heaton Norris.

1884: Birth of *Cyril William Watmough*, son of **John Hill** and Helen Maria **Watmough**. Baptised at St. Mary, Ellenbrook, on 26 October 1884 by the Rev. Earl of Mulgrave.

1885 Electoral register

Watmough, Rev. John Hill Booth Hall, Boothstown

1887: *Derbyshire Times* – Saturday 2 April 1887.

John Hill Watmough, M.A. (Queen's College. Oxford), has been appointed to the stipendiary curacy of the Parish Church of Worksop. Notts. The Rev. gentleman was ordained by Bishop Frazer in 1878, and for five years held the senior curacy of Christ Church, Heaton Norris, near Stockport, under the Rev. C. J. Bayley M.A. Vacating this position in 1883, Mr. Watmough was then appointed by the Earl of Musgrave to the curacy-in-charge of St. Mary's donative chapelry, Ellenbrook, in the parish of Worsley, which position he resigned last year.

1891 census: Elm Tree House, Potter Street, Worksop.

John H. Watmough Head M 36 Curate of Priory Church
+ 2 servants.

1891 census: Bromley, Kent.

Helen M. Whatmough (41) and her son *Cyril William Whatmough* (5) were staying as visitors at the home of John B. Harmeson (42) and Emma Harmeson (44). Since Emma and *Helen M.* were of a similar age and both were born in Heaton Norris, the supposition is that she was visiting her sister.

1891: *Nottingham Evening Post* – Tuesday 29 September **1891**.

The Rev. J. H. Watmough, who for five years has held the position of senior curate at Worksop Priory Church, is leaving, and bid the congregation farewell on Sunday evening.

Yorkshire Post - Monday 5 October **1891**.

There is an entire change of clergy, with the exception of the Vicar, the Rev. H. T. Slodden, Worksop Abbey Church. The senior curate, the Rev. J. H. Watmough, M.A., is leaving for Hawarden, where he will be curate-in-charge; the Rev. J. Roffey, M.A., is going to East Markham, as curate to the Rev. G. W. Bratneld. The Rev. J. T. Bingley goes to London.

1893: *London Evening Standard* – Tuesday 19 December **1893**.

Mrs. Gladstone, Mr. Herbert Gladstone and Mrs. Drew yesterday attended the funeral, at Hawarden, of Zadock Outram, who for many years had been Mr. Gladstone's valet. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. H. Watmough, of St. John's Church, Penymynydd, in the absence, through illness, of the Rev. Harry Drew. Mrs. Gladstone deposited a beautiful wreath of white lilies on the coffin as it lay at the rectory, and other wreaths were sent from the servants at Hawarden Castle and Downing-street.

[Herbert Gladstone M.P., (1854-1930) was the youngest son of W. E. Gladstone. He was born in Downing Street. At this point of time, he was unmarried, so the Mrs. Gladstone was probably his mother].

1901 Wales census: The Vicarage, Hawarden, Flints.

John Hill Watmough Head M 46 Priest, Clergyman, Church of England
+ 2 servants.

1901 census: Lawton Rectory, Church Lawton, Ches.

Samuel Nunn	Head	M	65	Clergyman [He married Helen Maria]
Eliza	Wife	M	62	
Harry	Son	S	35	Solicitor
<i>Helen Maria Watmough</i>	S-in-law	M	52	<i>[Wife of John Hill]</i>

1903: *Manchester Courier* - Friday 1 May **1903**.

The Duke of Westminster has presented the Rev. J. H. Watmough, curate of Hawarden, to the rectory of Aldford, near Eaton.

[He was instituted to the parish on Thursday by the Bishop of Chester on Thursday 30 July]

1904: *Chester Chronicle* – Saturday 19 November **1904**.

MEMORIAL AT ALDFORD. The Rev. J. H. Watmough, rector of Aldford, applied for permission to place stained glass representing Christ in Glory with surrounding Angels

and Saints in the window of the north transept of the church, and to fix a brass with memorial inscription thereon, on the wall underneath the window It is intended to be a memorial to the late John Maylor, Churton Lodge, and the expense is to be defrayed by Mrs. Maylor, widow. A faculty was granted .

1911 census: Aldford Rectory, Chester. (15 rooms)

John Hill Watmough	Head	M	56	Clerk in Holy Orders
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+ 3 servants

1911 census: Lawton rectory, Stoke-on-Trent. (11 rooms)

Samuel Nunn	Head	M	75	Clerk in Holy Orders
Eliza	Wife	M	72	[2 children; 1 died]
Harry	Son	S	45	Solicitor
<i>Helen Maria Watmough</i>	S-in-law	M	62	<i>[Wife of John Hill]</i>

+ 2 servants.

1913: *Cheshire Observer* – Saturday 27 September **1913**.

*CHANGF OF LIVINGS. We understand that the Rector of Aldford, the **Rev. J. H. Watmough**, M.A., has arranged to exchange livings with the Rev. Albert Henry Ashwell M.A., Woolton Hill Vicarage, Newbury, Hampshire. **Mr. Watmough** was appointed Rector of Aldford in 1903. He formerly was curate at Christ Church, Heaton Norris; St. Mark's, Worsley; Worksop, and (from 1891 to 1903) at Hawarden The patron of the living of Aldford is the Duke of Westminster, and the gross value is £279. Mr. Ashwell has been vicar of [St. Thomas]Woolton Hill, in the diocese of Winchester, since 1902. He formerly held curacies at Tynemouth; Norlands; Tichborne; and Jersey, and was rector of Meonstoke from 1897 to 1902 The gross income of the living of Woolton Hill is £365 and the patron is the Bishop of Winchester.*

WILL.

Watmough Helen Maria of 99 Beach-avenue Leigh-on-Sea Essex (wife of the reverend John Hill Watmough) died 18 May **1932** Probate London 25 June to the said reverend **John Hill Watmough** and Cyril William Watmough solicitor. Effects £1440 2s. 3d.

WILL.

Watmough the reverend John Hill of 99 Beach-avenue Leigh-on-Sea Essex clerk died 20 June **1933**. Administration London 28 July to Cyril William Watmough solicitor. Effects £3679 1s. 5d. Resworn £3753 9s. 2d.

