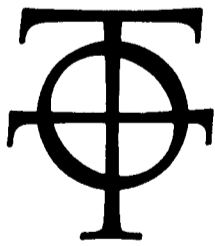


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## Direct Independants.

	Commencing at	Extending to	Plate.	Passing through.				
From LONDON to	1. <i>Aberistwith.</i>	{ 1. LONDON 2. Islip 3. Bromyard	{ Islip OXFORD Bromyard Aberistwith	1. { Alton, Uxbridg, Beaconsfield, High-Wick- ham, Tetsworth, Wheatley-Bridg.				
	2. <i>Arundel.</i>			LONDON	Arundel	2. { Enston, Morton-Inmarsh, Broadway, Per- shore, WORCESTER.		
	3. <i>Barwick.</i>			{ 1. LONDON 2. Stilton 3. Tuxford 4. YORK 5. Chester in the Street	{ Stilton Tuxford YORK Chester in the Street Barwick	3. Leominster, Prestain, Riadergowy.		
	4. BRISTOL.	{ 1. LONDON 2. Marlborough	{ Marlborough BRISTOL			4. { Towring, Ewell, Darking, Billinghamst, Wickford-Bridg, continued to CHICHE- STER.		
	5. <i>Buckingham.</i>					{ 1. LONDON 2. Banbury	{ Buckingham Bridgnorth	5. Waltham, Ware, Royston, Huntingdon.
	6. <i>St. David's.</i>	{ 1. LONDON 2. Abington 3. Monmouth 4. Burton-Ferry	{ Abington Monmouth Burton-Ferry St. David's					6. Stamford, Grantham, Newark.
	7. <i>Dover.</i>							LONDON
	8. <i>Harwich.</i>			LONDON	Harwich	8. { Burrowbriggs, Topcliff, Northallerton, Darlington, DURHAM.		
	9. <i>Hith.</i>			LONDON	Hith	9. Newcastle, Morpeth, Alnwick, Belford.		
	10. <i>Holyhead.</i>	{ 1. LONDON 2. Toceter 3. LICHFIELD 4. CHESTER	{ Toceter LICHFIELD CHESTER Holyhead	{ 10. { Brantford, Hounslow, Colebrook, Maid- enhead, Twyford, Reading, Theal, Wool- hampton, Thatcham, Newbury, Chilton, Ramsbury, or Hungerford. 11. { Little Kennet, Caln, Chippenham, Marshfield, continued to Huntspil, by Langford and Axbridg.	10. { Brantford, Hounslow, Colebrook, Maid- enhead, Twyford, Reading, Theal, Wool- hampton, Thatcham, Newbury, Chilton, Ramsbury, or Hungerford.			
						11. { Little Kennet, Caln, Chippenham, Marshfield, continued to Huntspil, by Langford and Axbridg.		
						12. { Alton, Uxbridg, Amer sham, Wendover, East-Clayton, continued to Banbury, by Shroughton.		
						13. { Nether Pillerton, Stratford, Coughton, Bromsgrove, Kederminster, with a branch to Campden by Shipston.		
			14. { Brantford, Hounslow, Colebrook, Maid- enhead, Henley, Dorchester.					
			15. { Faringdon, Lechlade, Fairford, Barneley, GLOUCESTER, Michel-Dean, Coverd.					
			16. { New-Church, Catts-Ash, Newport, Car- diff, St. Nicholas, Cowbridg, Corntown, Aberavon.					
			17. { Swansea, Llanelshy, Kidwelly, Llan- stuffan, Haverford-West.					
			18. { Deptford, Crayford, Dartford, North- fleet, Chaulk-Street, ROCHESTER, Sittingborn, Bolton-Street, CANTER- BURY.					
			19. { Rumford, Burntwood, Chelmsford, Wi- tham, Keldon, Colchester, Maning- tre.					
			20. { Eltham, Farmingham, Croseley, Aylisford, Barsted, Ashford, Wrotham, Maidstone.					
			21. { Barnet, St. Albans, Dunstable, Brickhil, Stonystratford,					
			22. { Daventre, Dunchurch, COVENTRY, Coleshil.					
			23. { Rugeley, Heywood-Magna, Stone, Sta- bleford-Bridg, Wore, Nampwich, Tor- perley.					
			24. { Harding, Northop, Denbigh, Abercon- way, Beaumaris, Boddedar					

	Commencing at	Extending to	Passing through.	
From LONDON to	11. } Lands-End.			
	Plate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. LONDON</li> <li>2. Andover</li> <li>3. Crookhorn</li> <li>4. Plymouth</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>25. { Brantford, Stanes, Bagshot, Hartley-Row, Basingstoke.</li> <li>26. SALISBURY, Shaftsbury, Sherborn.</li> <li>27. { Axminster, Honiton, Rockbere, EXETER, Chideleigh, Ashburton, Brent.</li> <li>28. { Low, Foy, Trewardreth, Tregoney, Philey, Market-Jew, Pensance, St. Burion.</li> </ul>	
	12. Newhaven	LONDON	Newhaven	29. { Strettham, Croydon, East-Grimsted, Lewes, continued to New-Shoreham by Brightshelmeaton.
	13. Portsmouth	LONDON	Portsmouth	30. { Wansworth, Kingston, Cobham, Guilford, Godalmin, Lippock, Petersfield, Harnden, Portsey-Bridg.
14. Rye	LONDON	Rye	31. { Lewsham, Bromley, Farnborough, Sevenoks, Tunbridg, Lamberherst, Newenden.	

## DIRECT DEPENDANTS.

	Commencing at	Extending to	Passing through
From LONDON to	15. Barstable		
	Plate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Andover</li> <li>2. Bridgwater</li> <li>3. Hetherley</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>32. { Amesbury, Shruton, Warmister, Maiden-Bradley, Bruton, Weston-Regis, Ascot.</li> <li>33. { Hartrow-House, Dulverton, South-Moulton, Barstable, Torrington.</li> <li>34. { Ivy, Newport, Hall-Drunkard, Cambleford, St. Indullion, Padstow, St. Columb, St. Michael.</li> </ul>
	16. BATH and 17. WELLS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>{ Chipnam</li> <li>{ Marlborough</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>{ BATH</li> <li>{ WELLS</li> </ul>
18. Boston	Stilton	Boston	36. { PETERBOROUGH, Wellington, Crowland, Spalding, Sutterton. continued to LINCOLN by Heckington & Sleaford.
19. CARLISLE			
Plate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Darlaston-Bridg</li> <li>2. Garstang</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Garstang.</li> <li>CARLISLE</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>37. { New-castle, Bruerton-Green, Grulam, Warrington, Newton, Wigan, Whittle, Preston.</li> <li>38. { Lancaster, Boulton, Kendal, Thrumby, Penrith, Hescot.</li> </ul>
20. CHICHESTER	Guilford.	CHICHESTER.	39. { Godalmin, Chidingfold, Midhurst, continued from Midhurst, to WINCHESTER by Petersfield.
21. Derby	Stony-Stratford	Derby	40. { Kings-Grafton, Northampton, Bricksworth, Harborough, Great Glen, Leicester, Montsorrel, Loughborough, Kegworth.
22. Flamborough			
Plate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Stilton</li> <li>2. LINCOLN</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>LINCOLN</li> <li>Flamborough-Head.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>41. { PETERBOROUGH, Market-Deeping, Born, Morton, Sleaford: or thus. Tensford, Earon, Bugdon, &amp; so to Stilton.</li> <li>42. { Redbourn, Glamsford-bridges, Barton, Hull, Beverley, Beseck, Kilham, Burlington.</li> </ul>
23. Kings-Lyn	Puckeridg	Kings-Lyn	43. { Barkway, Fowlmere, Cambridg, Strettham, ELT, Littleport, Southery, Downham Seechy.
24. Montgomery	The 4 Shire-stone	Montgomery	44. { Campden, Evesholm, WORCESTER, Hundred-house, Tenbury, Ludlow, Bishops-Castle.
25. St. Neots	Barnet	St. Neots	45. { Hatfield, Stevenage, Baldock, Biggleswade, Tensford: continued to Oakham by Catworth, Lyford, Haringworth.
26. NORWICH	Puckeridg	NORWICH	46. { Barkway, Wittlesford-bridg, New-Market, Berton-Mills, Therford, Larlingford, Atceleborough, Windham.
27. Oakham			
Plate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. St. Albans</li> <li>2. Oakham</li> <li>3. Barnsley</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Oakham</li> <li>Barnsley</li> <li>Richmond</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>47. { Luton, Selso, Bedford, Shellington, Wellingborough, Kettering, Rokingham, Uppingham</li> <li>48. { Milton-Mowbray, Plumtree, Nottingham, Papplewick, Ashton, Rotheram, Womble.</li> </ul>
28. Salop	Meriden	Salop	49. { Almondbury, Hallifax, Kighley, Skipton, Cuniston, Carlton, and Midlam.
29. Southampton	Bagshot	Southampton	50. { Birmingham, Dudley, Bridgnorth, Wenlock; continued to Welsh-pool by Aberbury.
30. Wells and Bury	New-Market	Bury	51. { Farnham, Alton, Alresford, Twiford; continued to SALISBURY by Rumsey & White-Parish.
31. Weymouth	Basingstoke	Weymouth	52. { Berton-mills, Burton-ferry, Hilboro, Swaffham, Tittleshal, Fakenham, Walsingham, Kenford.
32. Yarmouth	Colchester	Yarmouth	53. { Sutton, Stockbridg, Broughton, Dunckson, Cranborn, Blandford, Dorchester.
			54. { Stratford, Ipswich, Woodbridg, Saxmundham, Bliborough, Beccles, Hadfco.

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	Commencing at	Extending to	Passing through.
34. <b>BRISTOL</b> } to <i>Banbury</i>	<b>BRISTOL</b>	<i>Banbury</i>	55. { <i>Chipping-Sodbury, Tedbury, Cirencester,</i> <i>Burford, Bloxham.</i>
35. <b>CHESTER</b> Plate {	1. <b>BRISTOL</b> 2. <i>Ludlow</i>	<i>Ludlow</i> <b>CHESTER</b>	56. { <i>Aust-Ferry, Chepstow, Monmouth, H E-</i> <i>R E F O R D, Leominster.</i>
36. <b>EXETER</b>	<b>BRISTOL</b>	<b>EXETER</b>	57. <i>Church-Stretton, Shrewsbury, Whitchurch.</i>
37. <i>Weymouth</i>	<b>BRISTOL</b>	<i>Weymouth</i>	58. { <i>Bishops-Chue, W E L L S, Glastonbury,</i> <i>Gremton, Lyng, Taunton, Willington,</i> <i>Welland, Bradinch</i>
38. <b>WORCESTER</b>	<b>BRISTOL</b>	<b>WORCESTER</b>	59. { <i>Bishops-Chue, W E L L S, Glastonbury,</i> <i>Somerton, Martock, Crookhorn, South-</i> <i>Parret, Frampton</i>
39. <i>Cambridg to</i> <b>COVENTRY</b> }	<i>Cambridg.</i>	<b>COVENTRY</b>	60. { <i>Alton, Dursley, Whitminster, GLOCES-</i> <i>TER, Tewksbury, Severn-Stoke</i>
40. <b>CARLISLE</b> } to <i>Barwick</i>	<b>CARLISLE</b>	<i>Barwick</i>	61. { <i>Elstey, St. Neots, Great Stoughton, Higham-</i> <i>Ferries, Northampton, Warford, Rugby.</i>
41. <b>CHESTER</b> to <i>Cardiff</i> Plate {	1. <b>CHESTER</b> 2. <i>Llanbeder-Vunnetb</i>	<i>Llanbeder-Vunnetb</i> <i>Cardiff</i>	62. { <i>Brakenhil, Castleton, Jedborough, Kelfo,</i> <i>Cornil, W. ssel.</i>
42. <i>Dartmouth</i> } to <i>Minhead</i>	<i>Dartmouth</i>	<i>Minhead</i>	63. { <i>Wrexham, Scilatty, Llanfyllen, Llanvelling,</i> <i>Llantair, Tregunnon, New-Town.</i>
43. <i>St. Davids to Holywel</i> Plate {	1. <i>St. Davids</i> 2. <i>Tallabont</i>	<i>Tallabont</i> <i>Holywel</i>	64. { <i>Llanbadarn-Vawr, Bealt, Brecknock, Pont-</i> <i>Stucketh.</i>
44. <b>EXETER</b> } to <i>Barstable</i>	<b>EXETER</b>	<i>Barstable</i>	65. { <i>Newton-Bushel, Kenford, EXETER,</i> <i>Silverton, Tiverton, Bampton, Berry, Em-</i> <i>bercum, Minhead.</i>
45. <i>Truro</i>	<b>EXETER</b>	<i>Truro</i>	66. { <i>Fiscard, Newport, Cardigan, Llanarch,</i> <i>Llanrusted, Llanbader-Vawr.</i>
46. <b>GLOCESTER</b> } to <b>COVENTRY</b>	<b>GLOCESTER</b>	<b>COVENTRY</b>	67. { <i>Machenlet, Aberangel, Llanum-mounthy,</i> <i>Bala, Bettus, Ruthyn.</i>
47. <b>GLOCESTER</b> } to <i>Montgomery</i>	<b>GLOCESTER</b>	<i>Montgomery</i>	68. { <i>Crediton, Chimleigh, Barstable: continued</i> <i>from Ilfracomb to B. disford &amp; Torrington.</i>
48. <b>HEREFORD</b> } to <i>Leicester</i>	<b>HEREFORD</b>	<i>Leicester</i>	69. { <i>Dunsford, Chegford, Tavestoke, Liscard,</i> <i>Liftshiel, Grampond.</i>
49. <i>Huntingdon</i> } to <i>Ipswich</i>	<i>Huntingdon</i>	<i>Ipswich</i>	70. { <i>Cheltenham, Winchcomb, Stratford, Camp-</i> <i>den, Warwick.</i>
50. <i>Ipswich to</i> <b>NORWICH</b> }	<i>Ipswich</i>	<b>NORWICH</b>	71. { <i>Huntley, Rofs, Much-Birch, H E R E-</i> <i>F O R D, Pembridg, Prestain, Knighton,</i> <i>Clun.</i>
51. <i>Lyn to</i> <i>Harwich</i> }	<i>Lyn</i>	<i>Harwich</i>	72. { <i>Froomshil, WORCESTER, Droitwich,</i> <i>Bromsgrove, All-hurch, Selshul, Meriden,</i> <i>COVENTRY, Woolvey, Shanford.</i>
52. <b>NORWICH</b> <i>Lyn</i>		<b>NORWICH</b>	73. { <i>St. Ives, Erith, Sutton, E L T, Soham, Bu-</i> <i>rry, Wulpit, Stow-Market.</i>
53. <i>Monmouth</i> } to <i>Lanbeder</i>	<i>Monmouth</i>	<i>Lanbeder</i>	74. { <i>Claydon, Thwait, Osmondston, Long-Strat-</i> <i>ton: continued to Cromer by Ali-sham.</i>
54. <i>Nottingham</i> } to <i>Grimsby</i>	<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Grimsby</i>	75. { <i>Swaffham, Stanford, Thetford, Icksworth,</i> <i>Stow-Market, Ipswich.</i>
55. <b>OXFORD</b> to } <b>BRISTOL</b> }	<b>OXFORD</b>	<b>BRISTOL</b>	76. { <i>Gayton, Mileham, Billingford: continued</i> <i>to Yarmouth by Hadsko.</i>
56. <i>Cambridg</i>	<b>OXFORD</b>	<i>Cambridg</i>	77. { <i>Llandilo-Cruseny, Abergavenny, Creco-</i> <i>wel, Brecknock, Redbrue, Llanindofry.</i>
			78. { <i>Newark, LINCOLN, Wilton, Market-</i> <i>Raising, Stanton in the Hole, Brigglesley.</i>
			79. { <i>Fisfield, Faringdon, Hiworth, Purton,</i> <i>Malmesbury, Luckinton, Puckle-Church.</i>
			80. { <i>Bisciter, Buckingham, Newport-Painel,</i> <i>Bedford, Gamlighay.</i>

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	Commencing at	Extending to	Passing through.	
From	57. CHICHESTER.	OXFORD	CHICHESTER	81. { Abington, East-Illey, Newbury, Kingsclear, Basingstoke, Alton and Petersfield.
	58. COVENTRY.	OXFORD	COVENTRY	82. { Kidlington, Deddington, Banbury, Southam, Princes-Thorp, continued to Derby by Nuneaton, Asherston, Ashby, Swarkeston.
	59. SALISBURY.	OXFORD	SALISBURY	83. { Abington, Great Shelford, Hungerford, North-Tudworth, continued to Pool, by Cranborn and Winborn.
	60. Prestain to Carmarthen.	Prestain	Carmarthen	84. { New Radnor, Beals, Ludlow-Vaugh, Llanidlofry, Abermarlas, Rue-Raddor.
	61. SALISBURY to Campden.	SALISBURY	Campden	85. { Everley, Burbich, Marlborough, Hiworth, Lechlade, Burford, Stow.
	62. Tinnmouth to CARLISLE.	Tinnmouth	CARLISLE	86. { Newcastle, Ovingham, Hexham, Halswessel, Chapelbourn, Corby.
	63. Welshpool to Carnarvan.	Welshpool	Carnarvan	87. { Llanvair, Dinas-Monthy, Dolgelhe, Llandura, Harlech, Dolbenmer.
	64. YORK to CHESTER.			
	Plate { 1. YORK 2. Warrington	YORK	Warrington	88. { Tadcaster, Thorner, Leeds, Burstal, Ealand, Rochdale, Manchester & Eccles.
		Warrington	CHESTER	89. { Froddesham, with the branch from Manchester to Derby by Stoford, Buckston and Brassinton.
	65. YORK to Lancaster.	YORK	Lancaster	90. { Allerton, Knaresburgh, Ripley, Boulton, Skipton, Conyston, Settle, Greenby, Hornby, Lancaster.

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	Commencing at	Extending to	Passing through.	
From	66. Carmarthen to Aberistwith	Carmarthen	Aberistwith	91. { Kilvah-Kilreaden, Cardigan, Tredrair, Red-Owen, Llanbeder, Tallafern, Llanriffet.
	67. Chelmsford to Bury & Walden.	Chelmsford	{ Bury Walden	92. { Braintry, Halsted, Sudbury and Lavenham, Dunmow and Thaxted.
	69. Maldon	Chelmsford	{ Maldon Raleigh Gravesend	93. Billericay, Hornndon.
	70. Raleigh			
	71. Gravesend			
	72. and CANTERBURY to Dover.			Sandwich and Deal.
	73. EXETER to Dorchester	EXETER	Dartmouth	94. { Bishops-Clyst, Newton-Poplar, Cullyford, Lime, Chidiok, Bridport, Modbury, Holwel.
	74. and Plymouth to Dartmouth			
	75. Ferrybridg to Boroughbridg, Barnard Castle	Ferrybridg	Wakefield	95. { Abyforth, Wetherby, Boroughbridg, Rippon, Lemyng, Richmond, Barnard Castle.
	76. and Ferrybridg to Wakefield.			
	77. Kendal to Cockermouth	Kendal	CARLISLE	96. { Stanley, Ambleside, Keswick, Cockermouth, Egrimond, Winnick, Cockermouth, Boland, Thuresby.
	78. & Egrimond to CARLISLE.			
	79. LONDON to Pool, Pool to Lemington	Alresford	WINCHESTER	97. { WINCHESTER, Rumsey, Castle-Malwood, Ringwood, Knafton, Pool, Lemington, Southampton.
	80. and Southampton to WINCHESTER.			
	81. Shrewsbury to Holywel	Shrewsbury	Holywel	98. { Ellesmere, Wrexham, Mould, C H E S T E R, Flint.
82. wel and CHESTER to Holywel.				
83. Whitby to Tinnmouth	Whitby	Tinnmouth	99. { Skelindam, Gisbrough, Morton, Norton, Sigfield, D U R H A M, Sunderland,	
84. YORK to Whitby	YORK	Scarborough	100. { Whitwel, New-Malton, Pickering, Whitby, Rollington, Sherborn, Seamor.	
85. and Scarbrough.				