

NATIONAL PARKS AND ACCESS TO THE COUNTRYSIDE ACT, 1949.

LOCAL AUTHORITY: *Maple Leaf* *11 part of*  
*Chased by* PATH No. 13  
 Stafford Rural District Council;

Staffordshire County Council: Survey of Rights of Way

Note—The survey should be carried out as described in the pamphlet "Survey of Rights of Way."

PARISH:

*Hopkor - Colton -*

PATH SYMBOL, as

*F.P.*

Path starts at:  
*South end of Holmoxwell Lane*

Path finishes at:  
*No 6 Pitt south N. 6<sup>th</sup> quarter Ordnance of Beacon farm*

Names and addresses of persons making the survey:

Survey started on *9 July 1951*

Survey finished on *9 July*

*Mr. Knapp*

*See - Vantage*

*Stafford*

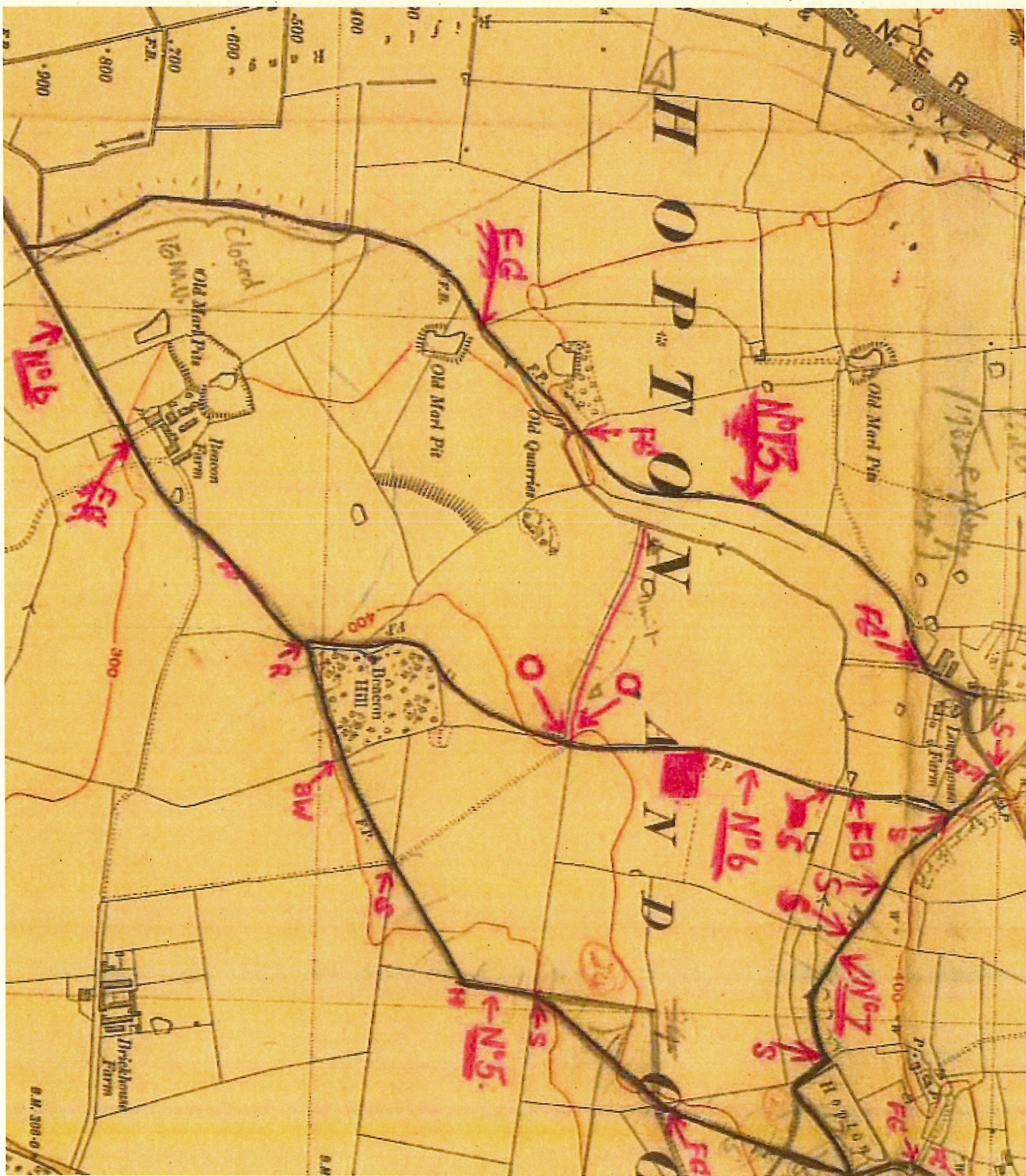
*J. E. Martin*

*Hopkor - Stafford*

Grounds for believing path to be public: please mention Enclosure Award Maps, Title Maps, and any other relevant documentary evidence

*Stile at commencement of F.P. beneath field gate with a north fence and is included by side of 7 1/2 in. R.A.F. D.S. - 1881 - 1881. Used for over 20 yrs up to time of M.C.H.*







**STAFFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL.**  
**National Parks and Access to the Countryside Act, 1949 (Part IV).**

**SURVEY OF RIGHTS OF WAY.**

**STATEMENT ACCOMPANYING DRAFT MAP.**

Routes over which a public right of way is alleged to subsist on the 24th day of July, 1954.

F.P. = Footpath.  
 B.P. = Bridleway.  
 R.P. = Road used as  
 a public path.

*County District : STAFFORD R.D.*  
*Parish : HOPTON AND COTON.*

Statement No. 124.  
 1/25000 Map No. 83/92.

Path No.	Type of Path	Path commences at	Path finishes at	Documents creating or modifying the right of way and other relevant information
1	F.P.	Within Lane, about 150 yds. S.E. of Wilmorehill Lane	Brick-kiln Lane, opposite Brick-kiln Covert (about 150 yds. from E. corner)	Shown on map deposited under Rights of Way Act, 1932
2	R.P.	Stafford—Uttoxeter Road, opposite drive to Heathyards	Parish boundary in Ingesire Park, about 450 yds. S. of Old Lodge Covert	Shown on map deposited under Rights of Way Act, 1932
3	F.P.	Junction of F.P. 18 and F.P. 19 at Fiddler's Lodge	Parish boundary in Ingesire Park, about 100 yds. S. of R.P. 2	Part shown on map deposited under Rights of Way Act, 1932
4	F.P.	Stafford—Uttoxeter Road, about 75 yds. S. of Pool Cottage	Within Lane, by Burbank Cottage	Part shown on map deposited under Rights of Way Act, 1932
5	F.P.	Junction of F.P. 4 and F.P. 7, S. of Hopton Pools	F.P. 6 at S.W. corner of wood on Beacon Hill	Shown on map deposited under Rights of Way Act, 1932
6	F.P.	F.P. 7, about 100 yds. from Wilmorehill Lane	Beaconside, S.W. of Beacon Farm	Shown on map deposited under Rights of Way Act, 1932
7	F.P.	Wilmorehill Lane, at bend N.E. of Lowerhouse Farm	Junction of F.P. 4 and 5, S. of Hopton Pools	Shown on map deposited under Rights of Way Act, 1932
8	F.P.	Hoptonhall Lane, about 100 yds. N.E. of smithy, Hopton	Within Lane, S. of Ravensbank	Shown on map deposited under Rights of Way Act, 1932
9	F.P.	Hopton Lane, W. of site of St. Peter's Church and burial ground	F.P. 14, E. of railway	Shown on map deposited under Rights of Way Act, 1932
10	F.P.	Parish boundary, near end of Coronation Road	Beaconside	Shown on map deposited under Rights of Way Act, 1932
11	R.P.	Stafford—Sandon Road, about 75 yds. N.E. of Brickland Cottages	Parish boundary, at end of lane, about 300 yds. N.W. of Gorse Covert	Shown on map deposited under Rights of Way Act, 1932
12	R.P.	Stafford—Sandon Road, at lane leading to Kent's Barn Farm	R.P. 11, N.E. of Newbuildings Farm	Shown on map deposited under Rights of Way Act, 1932
13	F.P.	Wilmorehill Lane, N. of Lowerhouse Farm	F.P. 6, about 350 yds. S.W. of Beacon Farm	Part temporarily closed under Defence Regulations
14	F.P.	Hoptonhall Lane, E. of Hoptonhall Farm	Stafford—Sandon Road, opposite lane leading to Kent's Barn Farm (R.P. 12)	Shown on map deposited under Rights of Way Act, 1932

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SURVEY OF RIGHTS OF WAY

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County District/Parish HOPTON & COTTON.

nth No.	Query	Decision	Parish to be informed of alteration	Parish Informed	Amendments to Parish Survey done	Whether to be reported to Committee
1	FP. 1. ends at Brick-kiln Lane. Should Brick-kiln Lane and Longwood Lane be included in the survey? (The portions along the boundary are shown on R.P. by Salt & Eiser).	Include part of Brick-kiln Lane & link to road (17)	Yes.	✓	✓	✓
2	FP. 3 should approximately continue to the Stafford-Vittorietta Road - opposite FP. 4?	Continue W. of Fiddler's Lodge along 2 legs to <del>join</del> link with Rother Lane (FP. 4).	Yes.	✓	✓	✓
3	FP. 13 (a) N. end should join Withershill Lane. (b) obstructed by 16 M.H.	Yes. Assume closed under Regts. "temporarily" closed: now better.	Yes.	✓	✓	✓
4	FP. 15 (a) this path is closed as it crosses 16 Hill. (b) if this is to be included should the two short branches at the N. end be shown?	do. do. Includes branches <del>XXXXXX</del> (20)	Yes.	✓	✓	No.
5	See Stafford Borough query 5. No continuation of path shown by Stafford originally as FP. 8.	Include (21)	Yes.	✓	✓	✓
6	No continuation of Stafford FP. 9.	Include as R.P. (22)	Yes.	✓	✓	✓
7	Paths 23 & 24 shown on 1932 R.P. map but not as survey.	Omit.	Yes.	✓	✓	✓



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9th June, 1954.

Dear Sir,

Survey of Rights of Way - Hopton and Coton

We are now engaged on the final stages of preparing the Draft Maps and Written Statements for submission to the County Council and for placing on deposit for public inspection. In the course of this work we have had to pay particular attention to the question of paths which cross parish, local authority and county boundaries, while at the same time ensuring that so far as possible any apparent anomalies are reduced to the minimum. In the case of your parish it appears that:-

- (a) The western portion of Brick Kiln Lane extending for a distance of about 200 yards from Within Lane should be included in the survey as a road used as a path, as the continuation of this lane has been included in the Salt and Enson Parish survey.
- (b) The path shown on your survey leading from the direction of Ingestre Hall and terminating at Fiddler's Lodge should be continued to meet the Stafford-Uttoxeter Road at the south west corner of Pool Covert and also the the south of Pool Cottage.
- X (c) The path shown on your survey leading northwards from a point near Beacon Farm to the village of Hopton near Lowerhouse Farm should be continued to Wilmorehill Lane as all public footpaths should give access to a public highway.
- X (d) Two paths shown on your survey as being obstructed by 16 M.U. should be included in the survey as the closure of these paths was effected under the Defence Regulations and was, therefore, of a temporary nature. The two paths concerned are the southern portion of the path referred to in (c) above, and the path leading from Beaconside Road near the north end of Coronation Road to Hopton Lane east of the railway line.



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- (e) A path should be included in the survey leading from Beaconside Road south-west of Beacon Farm to the boundary with Stafford Borough as although this path is now obstructed by the Air Ministry housing site the Stafford Borough Council have shown the continuation of their survey and considered that the right of way should be preserved.
- (f) The short length of roadway formerly forming part of the Tixall Road, east of Kingston Hill, should be included in the survey as a road used as a path to link the path over Kingston Hill, which is shown on the Stafford Borough survey, with the county road.

It is proposed therefore to make an amendment on these lines to the maps which will be formally submitted and a note will be made on the 6" maps and log cards prepared by your parish to the effect that the amendment has been made.

Yours faithfully,

County Planning and Development Officer.

~~Rev. W. L. Knight,~~ *E.A. Haycock, Esq.*  
 Chairman to Hopton and Coton P.M.  
 The Vicarage,  
 Salt, *Boyn, Salt or Bick,*  
 Nr. Stafford.

W/PMS.



STAFFORD COUNTY BOARD  
 STAFFORD MUNI. BOBO  
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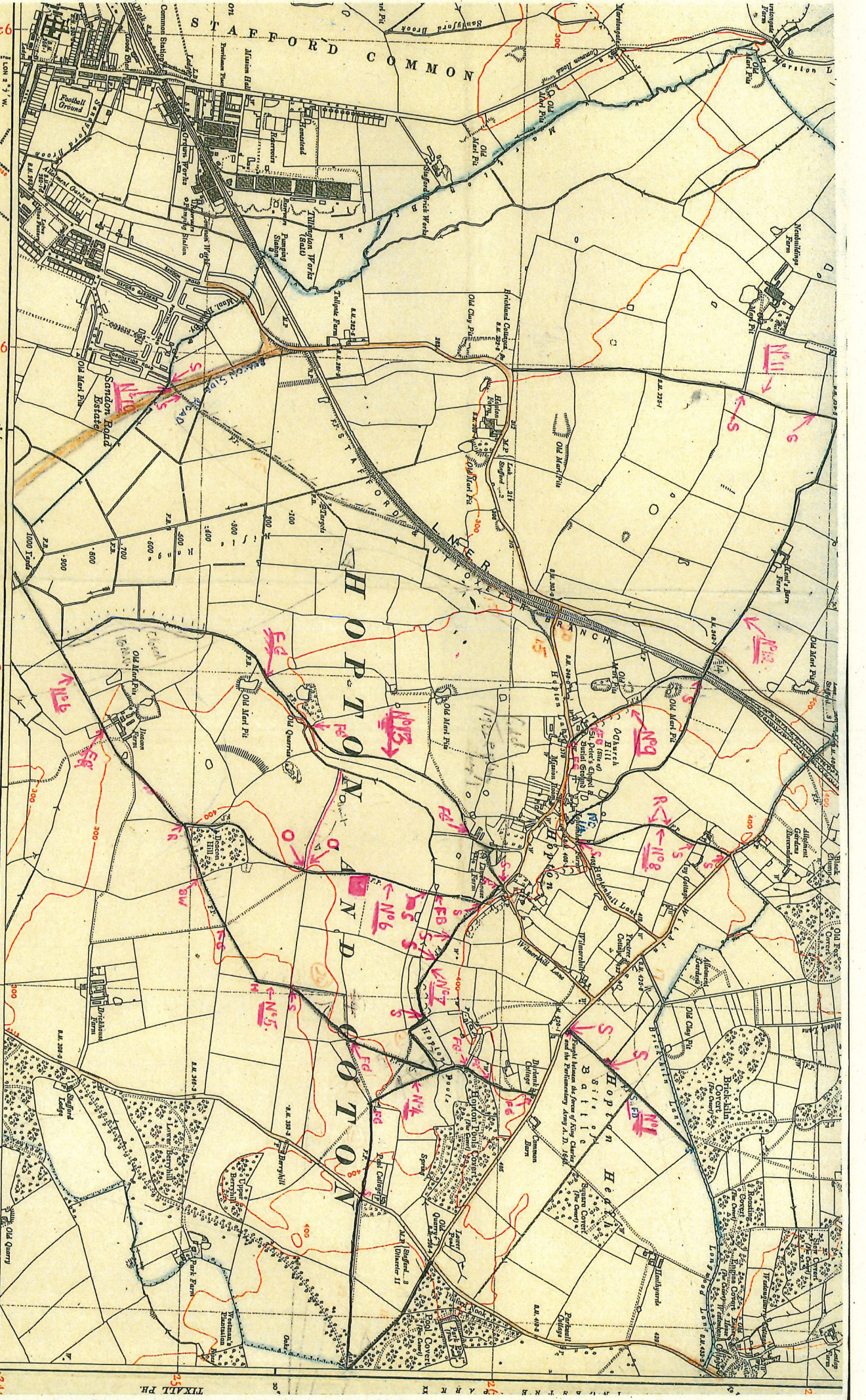
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