4. John Stonier, of Bignall End, in the parish of Audley, bailiwick did, in his last will and testament, 1668, give to the Free School of Audley a messuage, the sum of 50s.

9. William Abnet, of Audley, gent., and his executors, for the said Messuage, the sum of 50s. for the maintenance of the schoolmaster, the other to the poor of the parish for ever.

11. Mrs. Mary Walks, of this parish, left by will the sum of 50s. for the interest thereof to be given yearly to a writer to teach poor boys to read, and to write, and to be instructed in the Catechism of the Church of England. He (Dav.) was born in the parish of Woolston, but obtained his learning at the Free School of Audley, from Mr. Joseph Whisbaw, vicar of the same name. He died at Oswestry, in 1816, in his 4th year.

12. George Boggorny, late of London, gent., by his last will and testament, gave to the parish of Audley 50s.; the interest thereof to be given yearly to a writing-master, to teach poor boys to write and cast accounts, which is to be paid by Mrs. George Boggorny, of Audley, widow and sole executor to the above-said George Boggorny, of London, deceased June 12, 1799.

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5. Thomas Cottle, of Audley end, gentman; and

6. John Middleton, of Bignall End, gentman, both in the parish of Audley, did, each, give the sum of 50s. for the use of the said school.

The land purchased by the dominion of the three last named benefactors, amounting to 16l. 4s. 6d., Jan. 4, 1671, belong to the lordship of Keston, or Keston, now Newcastle upon Tyne, to the said, Stafford, to remain for the use of the said Free School of Audley for ever.

Additional Proviso for the Instruction of Poor Children.

1. Daniel Poulter, cler, among other his pious gifts, did by his last will, bearing date the 16th day of July, 1714, give the sum of 50s. for the interest thereof to be employed for ever, to teach poor children of the parish of Audley (whose parents are really poor) to read and write, and to be instructed in the Catechism of the Church of England.

2. Richard Vernon, brother to the said Edward Vernon, of Harbury, in Worcestershire, gave 50s. to the parish of Audley. One moiety of the use thereof was given to the schoolmaster, the other to the poor of the parish for ever.

3. William Johnston, of Ilam, in the parish of Audley, in the lifetime of his late wife, did, in his last will, bearing date the 16th day of July, 1714, give the sum of 50s.; the interest thereof to be employed for ever, to teach poor children of the parish of Audley (whose parents are really poor) to read and write, and to be instructed in the Catechism of the Church of England. He (Dav.) was born in the parish of Woolston, but obtained his learning at the Free School of Audley, from Mr. Joseph Whisbaw, vicar of the same name. He died at Oswestry, in 1816, in his 4th year.

Books.

Edward Vernon, above named (No. 1) gave twenty-four books to be kept in the School-house built by him, for the use of the Master and Scholars for ever.

ii. Relief to the Poor in Bread.

John Middleton, (No. 6, above) late of Bignall End, in this parish, did, by his last will and Testament, out of his pious and charitable intentions, give and bequeath the sum of 72l. to the use of the poor inhabitants of this parish for ever; the interest thereof to be employed by the Churchwardens and Overseers of this parish in the purchase of bread every Lord’s day, among the poor widows, and ancient people, being good laborers and inhabitants of Bignall End, in Woolston, etc., and in the buying of clothes, of such poor aged inhabitants of this parish who have lived in honest fame and good reputation, as they, the said Churchwardens and Overseers, shall think meet, and the