

NY	Dec 15	(Belton) Wm Sumpter of Uppingham: there is a report that the s[ai]d Sumpter did cut the leads of the s[ai]d church & and carry yt away & that he did heare the report of 3 men: Edward Fox, John Trigg, & Henry Allen of Belton.
NY	ND	or Butler Christopher <u>Butlin</u> doth not frequent his pish [parish] ch. [church] as he ought to do.
NY	Sep 30	Mr Gylson pson [parson] of Ridlington on XV Sept said in his sermon at W. [Wardley] that the Communion was no Communion unless it was ministered by a preacher & that baptising was as baptising unless they were baptised by a preacher: & 1 Dec: & 28 Jan
1203	ND	[Scut?] [reqdg?] ch. [church] of Wardley (Assize Rolls 613m 13: 4 Joh)
1329	May 20	See Exton [s.d?]
1330	Jul 12	Grant of [indistinct] fair at Belton on the Vigil & Feast of St James to Will le Blound [Blount] & Apr 24
1332	Jul 20	Same on the [indistinct] of St James
1335	May 26	See under Uppingham
1444 circ		John Oslelly yeoman late of Upp. Rotel. [Rutland] vers John Cheseldine Esq late of Upp. Wm Chesedene gent late of Adlaxton co Leic [Allexton county Leicester] et al. regardg [the same regarding] a murderous assault at Belton. Petchion [Petition] for a writ to the sheriff of Rotel [Rutland] to arrest the [defdts?] who have withdrawn to desolate places.
1444circ	ND	Earl Chanc Proc B16 N613 ibid. B. 19 N.473John son of Joh Verdez vers Robt Stumble of W. [Wardley] & John Stumble of Upping. [Uppingham] ffoffees regdg [regarding] messuages [pc?] in W. [Wardley]
1547	ND	One Alyn Pratt of the said parishe hath violently shamefully & cowardly stricken his curate the parson of the same on the heid [head] with an hacchett without any occasion showyd or given by the said parson unto the said Alyn Pratt as hereafter shall be recorded & certified (38 Hen 8)
1548	Oct 10	Belton Richard Smythe & Elizabeth his wife: withholding tith (Comp 5 [??] Th 23 Oct) (She has now gone to Gretton) Will: Reginatden? [Rigmonder?]: V [Vicar]of Belton: comm forn [committed fornication] with Margaret his maid in his house That the s[ai]d Will Rigmonder V. of B. [Vicar of Belton] shall prep[a]re himself like a penitent person against the Sondai [Sunday] after All Saints' daie [day] He havinge another prest [priest] that daye to execute his office shall come with the sd preste [said priest] in a single cloth surples [surplice] bayre hede & there shall helpe the preste to saye or singe the procession & that done shall receyde into the chauncell and there knele down upon his knees unto such tyme the pieste come downe to rede the gospell and the epystell [epistle] and the homelie and there shall stande bare hedede all the s[ai]d tyme the s[ai]d gospell & epistell [w ^{r?}] hoomilie of adulterie be sedde [said]. To certify.
1559		
1566	Jul 2	Thos Halliday R [Rector] of Wardley cum B. [Belton] g ^a [guardian] Wm Dickens of Brooke caus subtr X arum
1567 circ		F Mares cl g ^a [clerk guardian] R Ward. Tith. Suil? (No. 1 Rutl)
1567 circ		Rut Mg. 3051 Bills & Answers Exch. K.R. Ch [Church]. lands in W [Wardley]. stolen by Elizabeth: 6d
1570	ND	Edward Rudkyn, William Woeth [Worth?] present that There chauncell is in decay and that my Lord Cromwell hath it in his hands - fiant beas duo Cromwell.
1570	ND	Thomas Halliday. [Rcor?]
1575	May [19?]	Richard Spell servant of the lord Cromwell appointed to collect the profits during the vacancy of the living.
1577	May 13	Mary Bradley hath had a child & was brought to bedd in the parish but now is fled. The chll at B [chancel at Belton] is in decaye the Queen's M. being patron. The chll [chancel] wall is in decaye in defalt [default] of John Ridlington

1577	Oct 22	Chacella de Belton est ruinata in defectum dui Cromwell.
1578	Apr 20	Wardley chll [chancel] window is in decaye of glasse thr[ough] the defalt [default] of the pson [parson]
1578	May 6	Th - Belton chancell, as usual: & Oct 20
1578	Apr 20	Belton The chll [chancel] is in decaye & hath been longe & no reformacon [reformation?]. in the default of my L. [Lord] Cromwell:
1578	May 10	Edward Liptrot of Belton is a common ale house haunter as well at Common Praier tyme [Prayer time] as at other tymes (John Diccon, [indistinct]) Edward Liptrot, publican. A certain Saunders of Wardley states that these wordes spoken by Liptrot against Saunders are not true saying that saunders should utter unto him that he had made two cokecolds [cuckolds] in the towne: meaning in Belton
1579	Oct 21	The chll [chancel] is in decaye & hath been longe & no reformacon [reformation?]. in the default of my L. [Lord] Cromwell: Our chll [chancel] (Wardley) is in decaye thr[ough]. the defalt [default] of the parson
1580	Apr 5	The Acting pretended Curate suspended
1581	Jan 9	Chancell of B. [Belton] in great decaye but whether in the queen's majesties defalt or my lord Cromwell's they know not.
1581	Apr 26	The Curate to shew his letters of orders, which was done
1582	Dec 11	Mr Haselwood's servt [servant] Richard to be cited for not coming to church: excomm [excommunicated] 29 Feb & '83. Apr 8: & July '83.
1583	Apr 8	Item : the Injunctions have not been read
1583	Apr 8	Item : they have
1583	Apr 8	Item : they have [not] their service in due tyme on the
1583	Apr 8	Wardley The chancell of W. [Wardley] is in decaye
1584	Mar 19	The chancell of B. [Belton] is in decaye in default of the lord Cromwell. Mr Francis Hasselwoodd [Haselwood] doth not frequent his parish church as he ought to doe: '82 Oct: & Mrs: H: & 11 Dec: F.H. excomm [Francis Haselwood excommunicated] 29 Feb '82: & '83, Apr 8 & July.
1586	Feb 11	The chll of B is oute of reparacon [repair?].
1586	Jun 2	Chancell of B. as above. & May 3: & '82 Oct: & Dec 11:
1587	May 6	The chancel as usual: & June 13: & 12 Mar.
1588	Jul 15	The chancell of Belton is oute of repayre soe that wee cannot in wynter tyme staye at divine serwyce [service] because it is soe open & soe [farcere?] in decaye in defalt [default] of my lord Cromwell as wee judge. Wee present but wee see no reformacon [reformation?]. - Its to be repayred by my lord Cromwell.
1588	Mar 27	Rector promised he will doe his best endeavour to repair the chancell.
1588	Mar 3	William Charter & Sibell Blackburne for being unlawfully maryed at Stowe.
1588	Jan 28	Alice Allen for being unlawfully begotten with childe by John Paryshe
1588	Jan 28	Elizabeth Bradshawe for livinge incontinently.
1588	Mar 3	John Bolland for being present at the same marriage.
1588	Mar 3	John Kynge for kepinge one Elizabeth.
1588?	Jan 28	Alice Allen for being unlawfully begotten with childe by John Paryse. Elizabeth Bradshawe for livinge incontinently.

1589 circ		Willus Laute R [Rector] ib null grad ordinat & dum Thom Covent lich epuu XX11 dir Mart 1574 etaute [adm?] seia ad owin fuit scholar Ecc valet X li
1589	Feb 10	The Cur. [Curate] [p?.] for not being licenced. & Mar 24
1589	May 14	Anthony Woodcock, the Rector, answers [that the chauncell [indistinct] of Wardley Church is in decay and also the chauncell glass windowes: & that the parson ministereth the communion without a surplus [surplice]: on Easter Even[ing] last: and that they have not had ther sermones orderly: and that they have not ther register because the parson denied it to be his dutie to write it: And that they have not had the catechysme [catecism] orderly taught] that ther is a stone or two loose in the [indistinct] end of the chauncell and that ther is a little hole or two in the glasse windowes [the Rector is ordered to put these defects right before the coming Michaelmas]: that the said surples [surplice] was not in rediness, but was in the towne, and not drye enough to be worne: that he appoynted his curat [curate] to write it for him and that from henceforth it shoulde be done: that some sondaies [Sundays] he hath omitted the teaching of the catechysme [catecism] and that the greatest occasion why he left teachinge of the catechism because he cannot make his parishioners to bring ther youth to the church. For the sermones he saith that ther hath been more sermones preached in his church than if he shoulde have had them but quarterly and because the said sermones were not made quarterly at the end of any quarter therefore he was presented because he had two or three sermones in one quarter, therefore his parishioners liked not so well of it.
1589	Sep 2	The Rector is not resident and the church is in decay and the church windowes is in decay: that he ministered the communion on Easter day with out a surples [surplice]: that they have not had ther sermones orderlie: that they have not had their register of christeninges etc because the [parson?] will not write it, [denying?] it to be his dutie They have not had the Catechism not orderly taught - The Rect [Rector] to certify reg [register?]. there [indistinct]
1590	ND	Thos Reedham Warden: Humph. Patricke, Edward Rudkyn, [Jurat?]: absent from Archd's [Archdeacon's] Visit.
1591	ND	Mr Will: Lance, Vic [Vicar] Mr Toky, Cur [Curate] The chauncell in greate decay and we knowe not whoe should repaire it
1592	ND	BM (indistinct)rl 2129 (notes by Mr Vincent of Kent) (circ - Belton) Tho: Haselwood esq and Clemence his wife, he dyed in the year
1592	Nov 21	The Parson is nonresident & the chancell of Belton is in decaie [decay] in whose default they know not.
1593	Nov 19	The chancell goethe greatlie to decaie [decay] in faulte of her Majestie or my lord Cromwell (?Belton)
1594	ND	Lamb, Recl [Rector] Tookey, Cur [Curate].
1595	Jun 7	Chanc[e]ll of B [Belton] in decay by [slef?] of H. M. [Her Majesty?] or my Lord Cromwell.
1598	Nov 18	Wm Laut. R [Rector]. is not resident with us & dothe not preache nether [neither] monthly nor quarterly: the glasse windows of the chancell are all oute of repaire: & also because our poore hath no releafe [relief] by him: & on 29 Nov. & 20 Dec & 15 Jan & 23 Jan & 13 Feb. & 27 Feb & 13 Mar.
1599	Oct 23	Alice Allen of Belton hath a child & is not married.
1604	Oct 31	Francis Haselwood for a recusant. Robert the miller incontinent[t] with his wife bef marr. Thos Willimson for calling our minister Mr Tookey knave & ??? knave
1606	Jul 5	Kenelm Billings not coming to the church. Andrew Marshall & Johanna Andrews: fornic [fornication]
1609	Sep 17	John Andrew cl. lic [clerk licensed] to preach in W. [Wardley] & 13 by bp [Bishop?]. Th. [Thomas] Dove.
1610	Nov 3	Joh Stevens for keeping an alehouse & not suffering Dorothy Hillem his serv[ant]t to come to church to heare dyvine service & to be catechised for the space of these 2 months last past.
1611	Jun 25	Ffrancis Ward for begetting Alice Derborow with childe as the [indistinct] goeth Alice Desborow was also presented

1611	Sep 23	Rector have paid 3s 4d for his bill.
1612	Jun 13	Steph[en] Bayly for incont [incontinence] with Mary Casseldine & she hath a childe unless fully [????] of her bodye & he is reputed to be the father of the sd childe.
1612	Oct 31	Wm Clark [madleth?] with his mother's goods by a dede of gifte which he exhibited & alledget the same to be true & that the same was sealed & delivered ??? as it is certifyed in the s[ai]d dede of gifte. Jonas Hubbard for strikening & making of bloodshed in the churchyard. J. H. [Jonas Hubbard] admitted that he did strike in the churchyard but it was against his will. Ferdinando Pope aute? nupt formic
1612	Oct 5	John Temple lic [licensed] to teach
1613	Oct 1	Wm Haselwood not coming to church these 2 monthes. Alice Robinson for having a childe her husband not lyving with her.
1613?	Oct 15	Mr Laut R The glane [glass?] windows of the chancell of Belton & the roofe are out of repair. The R [Rector] states it doth not belong to him to repair but to one Wm Godfrye of Belton who is the farmer of the impropriacon [impropriation] The ??? windows of the churchare out of repaire. Thos Catesby & Katharine ????? out??? nupt forn [nuptial fornication]. Belton Mr Tookey by the [confirmation?] of Ffawkner was hired to go to cart on the holly day as namely upon St Matthew's Day he went to Peterborough fayre with his cart.
1614	Jun 3	Thomas More for that upon the Sunday before Assencion daye he brought a forme and set it in the chauncell contrary to the likeinge of the parson there and for then saweing of the fete [sawing off the feet] of the (blank space) there standeing and displainge the same at his pleasur and sitting there withoute the consent of the parson.
1614	Jun3	Thomas Baues for absenting himself from divine sevice upon Arsension Day last and allso oftentimes on the Saboth Day and for his irreverent behaviour towards the minister And beinge of late presented for playeing at cards in service time in the alehouse, when he came to the wake dinner and he himselfe in poore aparel and under that habit escaped without fees and cominge hence he boasted there of and how he got his diner frey [dinner free].
1616	Jul 12	Execut. [famulae?] window Robert de Wardley, to [administ?]
1616	Oct 30	(see Braunston)
1618	Apr 13	Eliz. wife of Dan. Wilson: & May 11 El. W [Elizabeth Willson] absolved
1618	Apr 29	Agnes Ridlington for standing excomm [excommunicated].
1618	Apr 29	Johana Baker for not performing of her penance as she was [indistinct]
1618	Jan	Eliz: wife of Dan [Willson?] - he received? Providance Simpson that was Mr [Stoyets?] maid into his house. And Willson's wife [illegible] the parson of Ayston ??? The s[ai]d Providence would not go into her parler [parlour] and he would follow her and s[ai]d that he [blank space] her And that the parson and Willson were seen talking together in Wardley fields & when a day or two after the s[ai]d Willson carried away the s[ai]d Providence and that man that is prosecuted of suspicion of incontinence with the s[ai]d Providence went from the parish about Midsummer last & the s[ai]d woman since Michaelmas (see Ayston): & Feb 16: & Mar 9
1618	Nov 20	Belton J Baker to certify penance.
1618	Oct 30	Johana Baker of Belton for standing excomm [excommunicated]..
1618	Oct 30	Johanna Baker of B [Belton]. for standinge excomm [excommunicated]::
1618	Sep 30	Wright of Belton as executor of will
1619	May 11	Daniel Nyx of Teigh for a paine of giveinge of Peter Croadreyne a box on the ears in the churchyarde upon a sabothe Daye

1619 May 29 Daniel Wilson cited to receive sentence June 22: continuacious 9 July: to be sentenced [?] 23 July & 14 Sept: & 2 Oct

1619 Oct 19 Thomas Bratson & Avis his wife for incontinency.

1620 Jan Belton Maria Homan for [comm.]: forn [fornication]: with one Edward Newton of East Newton [Norton?] in the County of Leicester: & Feb: Non [comp?]. Feb 22 : & Mar 22

1620 Jan 25 Mary Homan for comm forn [committing fornication] with Edward Newton of East Norton co Leicester

1621 Apr 21 Wardens of W & B [Wardley & Belton] did not pay 4d for their [othe]: & May 7

1621 Dec 14 Margaria Hollyday for comittance of ffornication.

1621 Feb 6 [F rest indistinct] Lant ux [wife] M^r Lant. cl. R. [clerk Rector?] admitted that about Martinmas last past she was present in the chappell of [blank space] when Mr Gooche the Curate there did maree [marry] Robt [indistict] [Ting?] of Somerby & Eliz [Rolle?] of [blank space] by a license granted from one Mr Babington there & then being present one John Blunt of Cole Orton & his wife & others whose names she remembereth not.

1621 Jul 24 Fr [Francis]. Lant. R g^a [Rector guardian] Richard Atton. tithe suit.

1621 Jul 24 Hugh Gray g^a [guardian] Wm Crampe

1621 Jul 24 The same gd Wm Bradshaw. Tithe suit.

1621 Jun 15 Francis Lant R of W [Rector of Wardley]: for committing fornica [fornication] with Joan Hoe of Uppingham Joan Hoe affirmed that the s[ai]d Mr Lant had the use of her body. Comm [Communion] purgators; Ffrancis Meares, Tho Stonier, Matthew Puller, Daniel Deacon, & John Popely, cl [clerk]. Then (June 26) the s[ai]d Lant denied having had intercourse with Ho. & [indistinct] othe [other] to that effect.

1621 May 18 Will of Beeby to be proved Thomas More

1622 Apr 12 Cuthbert Baylee of Belton [def?]

1622 Apr 16 [Mayeria?] Hollyday of B [Belton]. admitted that John Ironmonger of Hornigold [Horninghold] in the co. of Leics [County of Leicester] did beget her with child.

1622 Jul 9 There is one Tookey of B [Belton]. hath begotten a woman with child.

1622 May 8 Prudence [Syrason?] incest with Nevell Samper now dead

1622 ND (Bp's [Bishop's] Visit) Meeres compt & exht bras Ordin Inst & Induc: [luiam?] predict & docend pueros Galley Cur. compt & lic uspiciend exlil

1622 Nov 12 Thomas ffleminge & Margaret his mother: [adm?]. goods.

1624 Apr 14 Nathan Tooky: Will

1624 Apr 29 John Ogden, Francis Haselwood.

1624 Apr 29 Thomas Haselwood [indistinct] not cominge to church.

1625 Nov 10 Belton M^r Haselwood & Frances H [Haselwood] his sister? Johes Ogden Recusants

1626 Jun 20 Belton Thomas Haselwood gen [gent] & Frances Haselwood his sister. Not coming to church Hen^y Clarke nor recg [recognizing] the Communion.

1626 Nov 9 Rich Johnson & his now wife: ant nupt forn

1626 Oct 26 Business of pursuing the custom of paying tithes on wool, sheep, (or lambs) milk, calves, & offerings & other church dues in Belton. Sheild g^d [guardian] Laud R [Rector]

1627	May 10	<u>Belton</u> Thos Haselwood [<i>indistinct</i>] not coming to church for the space of these 2 months.
1627	May 10	Frances Azure not paying her levies to the ch. [<i>church</i>] being 12d
1628	Jun 31	Fr. Lant R g ^a [<i>Rector guardian</i>] Anna Cant. Tithes withheld
1628	May 13	Fr. Lant, R ^r g ^a [<i>Rector guardian</i>] Thos Desborough. Tythes withheld
1629	Feb 11	<u>Belton</u> John Goodwyn & Susan Stevens A.N.F. [<i>another fornication?</i>].
1629	Jul 2	Thos. Haslewood of B [<i>Belton</i>]. [<i>Pop. Rec?</i>]
1629	Nov 26	John Goodwin of Belton & Isabel Wilkinson. F [<i>Fornication</i>].
1630	Dec 16	Widow Wortly [<i>Wortley</i>] [<i>indistinct</i>] by Mr Lant R [<i>Rector</i>] for [<i>indistinct</i>]buriall of her dr [<i>daughter</i>]. contrary to law & the for holding a papisticall error That her d dr [<i>daughter</i>]. better for bringinge her corps into the ch. it beinge a custome .. churche of Englande not [<i>indistinct</i>] for the good of the partie deceased but for readinge of divine prayers & putting the congregaçon [<i>indistinct</i>] of their [<i>indistinct</i>]
1630	Jan 26	Edw Palmer of Uppingham & John Tyers of Belton cited regarding the will of Christopher Saunders late at Belton
1630	Oct 13	See Ayston
1632	Feb 12	Belton church [<i>silv?</i>]
1632	Jan 10	Wardley church wanteth painting & whiteninge.
1632	Nov 22	Belton Thos. Haselwood. Popish recusant.
1633	Mar 6	f franc. Laut R. [<i>Rector</i>] g ^a [<i>Guardian?</i>] Edward Cassledyne als[o] Mason of Ridlington: [<i>caus. Cocrecl?</i>] & 1634 July 24
1634	Apr 27	Fr Lant R g ^a [<i>Rector guardian</i>] Edward Mason of Ridlington
1634	Dec 22	Bartimus Clarke cl [<i>clerk</i>] [<i>AB?</i>] lic [<i>licensed</i>] to serve [<i>cur??</i>]
1634	Jul 9	Eliz dr [<i>daughter</i>] of Robt Newton for disturbing the congregation in time of Divine Service & [<i>indistinct</i>] violently upon a woman greate with childe To her great [<i>indistinct</i>] & sorrowe.
1634	Jun 6	Thos Haselwood. A popish recusant & for not recg the Comm [<i>recognizing the Communion</i>].
1634	Oct 2	Francis Lant g ^a [<i>guardian</i>] Edw Cassendine, [<i>causa?</i>] correct:
1635	Dec 1	John Ward & Isabella Wilkinson of Belton A.N.F [<i>another fornication?</i>].
1635	Feb 18	Thos Ffesham & Joan Seaton fame? of incontineny
1635	Sep 27	Fr Lant R g ^a [<i>Rector guardian</i>] Hy Thirlby, withh Tithes
1636	Feb 16	Richard [<i>Talluis?</i>] alo [<i>also?</i>] Acres: no comp. John Dickens et ux [<i>euis?</i>]: non comp
1636	Jun 21	Mr Thom. Hasslewood. A Recusant.
1636	ND	Geo Marton [<i>Marston</i>] of B [<i>Belton</i>] is the [<i>farmer?</i>] of the Rectory & allowed the curate nothing & that the parsonage house is oute of repaire. Geo Marton [<i>Marston</i>] cited because he hath suffered his hogges to be kept in the hall of the parsonage house.
1637	Feb 1	Robt Hubbard & Joan his wife A.N.F [<i>another fornication?</i>].
1637	Nov 21	Edwd Whyte, gard [<i>guardian</i>], for [<i>indistinct</i>] words against Mr Lant
1637	Nov 21	[<i>to?</i>] Barrowden. Ffrancis Hunt for not paying of his levy to the Church.
1637	Nov 21	Thos. Sculthorp schr [<i>scholar</i>]
1646	ND	John Allington R [<i>Rector</i>] seq. [<i>sequested</i>] 5 May 1646 by parl Comm [<i>Parliamentary Committee?</i>] but not actually deprived until

28 Nov 1655 when deposed by Maj Gen [Major General] Butler for celebrating Divine Service according to the Comum Pr Bk: [Common Prayer Book] indicted 17 Mar 1653 at Oakham. The Jurors present that Edw. Freeman of Ayston & Dorothy his wife on 25 Dec & 1 Jan 1653, commonly called holydays of saints, & Friday called good Friday do usually travel from Ayston to Wardley to hear Mr John Allington, clerk, to read Com.Pr [Common Prayer] & to receive the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper according to that book. John Allington, clerk, also presented for reading the bk of Comm.Pr. [Book of common Prayer] & administering the Lords Supper to Popish & Prelatic persons of other counties, cringing, bowing, & kneeling to the Altar & Sacrament thus proved contrary to the Ordinance of Parliament in that case provided. John Allington said He would be torn in pieces by wild horses before he would give over bowing at naming Jesus. Mr Spriggs succeeded J.A. [John Allington] turning his wife & children into the town street. J.A. [John Allington] lived till after the Restoration. Mr Spriggs prayed 'O Lord get up on Thine horse & make haste unto [??] land or Thou will lose more honour there than ever Thou gottest in England.

1647	ND	B.M. MS1567 Plut 196.1 Charter Rolls 4 Ed iii m26 6 Ed iii m20 6 Ed iii m17 Sarah wife of John Allington ^E R [? Rector] has rec ^d [received] no [indistinct] (12 June). The value of the Rectory ho [house]. to come off these.
1688	ND	See Char Comm Petty Off. Pt 43. 1 W & M. Rutl. 29 for Belton.
1708	Mar 12	Bod Lib Oxf Coll. [Bodlian Library Oxford College] Walker [Suff?] of Clergy [Biog Lett] [Biographical Letters?] & Papers iv fol 62 (letter p.pd. to the Rev nd M ^r Walker at Exon these) M ^r J [John] Allington's upology [apology] for the sequestered Clergy first pubshed [published] in 1649 Reprinted in 1678 quotes S ^r Edw Cook on Robt Cawdry [indistinct] in 33 Eliz. M ^r J A. [John Allington] was, at the Committee for [indistinct] ministers, sequestered 17 Mar 1653 - indicted at the General Sessions Oakham & deprived 28 Nov 1655 (of Wardley) - From Isaac Massey.
1717	Jul 14	[Nutt ag. Home?]
1725	May 30	Susan Rowell excomm [excommunicated]:
1773	Feb 1	The living was sequestered on the King's Writt to Robert French of Uppingham, gent: renewed on 26 May 1773.
1804	May 12	The Rector of Wardley cum B. [Belton] (John Wright Wickes) seeks to remove a very dilapidated & ruinous cottage commonly called the Sun Ale House belonging to the V. [Vicar] of Belton: he also states that most of the Wardley glebe joins the village of Belton & is far from the church: that Wardley has rather more than 50 people in it while Belton has more than 360, and therefore demands on his past numerous professional duties arising from its extent & increased population he therefore desires to cease residence at Wardley & to live at Belton. A faculty is therefore issued to build a new substantial & convenient house at Belton on the Home Allotment of glebe there: especially as there is supposed to be a bed of clay on this Home Allotment suitable for making brick tile & [pc?]: a Commission made up of Wm Baker R [Rector] of Lyndon, Wm Forster R [Rector] of Ayston Hy Shield R [Rector] of Preston, Geo Pywell & Wm Kemp of Belton espy [especially?] recommend the demolition of the Recty ho. [Rectory house] & its buildings at Wardley as well as the cottage, & the building of a new house of residence at Belton. Faculty issued accordingly.
1865	Sep 29	Consecration of 23 perches addition to graveyard at Belton