
THE BELLS IN THORNBOROUGH CHURCH.

As the old bells in this Church have lately been taken down preparatory to the hanging of a new peal, Mr. J. E. WATKINS has kindly communicated the following description of the old bells; of which the two older have their inscription in old English characters, the other two in Roman letters:—

Largest Bell, diameter 45 inches.—Henrie Knight made this bell, anno domini 1610, whose name is called “Gabriell.”

Third Bell, diameter 40 inches.—In multis annis resonet Compana Johannis.

Second Bell, diam. 36 inches.—Edward Hall made me, 1736.

First Bell, diam. 35 inches.—Assit Principio Scā Maria Meo.
—In this last, all the capital letters have crowns over them.