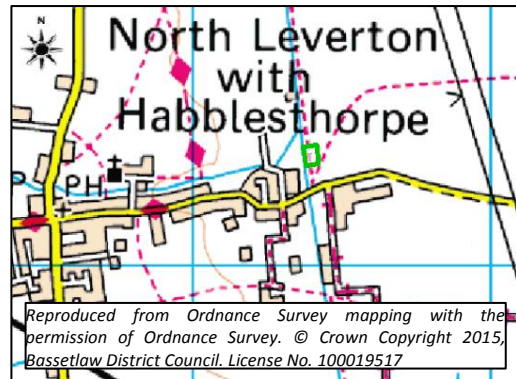


**Unregistered Park & Garden:**  
**Habblesthorpe Churchyard**

**NCC/BDC Ref:**  
**UPG17**

**Date(s):**  
 Medieval



**Description & historic information:**

The medieval church was dedicated to St Peter and was in ruins by the early-18<sup>th</sup> century. The two separate parishes of North Leverton & Habblesthorpe were united on 25<sup>th</sup> March 1884<sup>i</sup>. The landscape around the churchyard was altered in the 1770s when the Catchwater Drain was excavated (finished May 1772) and the footpaths and field boundaries around the site were straightened (see comparison between 1795 and 1898 maps – the 1795 map is based on a pre-Catchwater Drain land survey so shows the original layout). St Peter's Churchyard was still used for burials until 1912<sup>ii</sup>. The site is primarily overgrown with trees, bushes and brambles, although gravestones are still visible throughout.



*Aerial photograph of Habblesthorpe Churchyard, taken 2007 (source: Bassetlaw District Council)*



*1795 N. Leverton & Habblesthorpe Enclosure Map (Source: Retford Library)*



*1899 O. S. Map showing churchyard with later drainage works to west.*



*2015 O.S. Map showing churchyard*



*View of churchyard from north*

**Features of significance:**

Range of gravestones and monuments ranging from the 18<sup>th</sup> century to 1912. The churchyard is slightly elevated compared to the surrounding land. A trackway runs to the west of site and various earthworks (earlier roadways) are visible adjacent to the site, especially to the west and north.



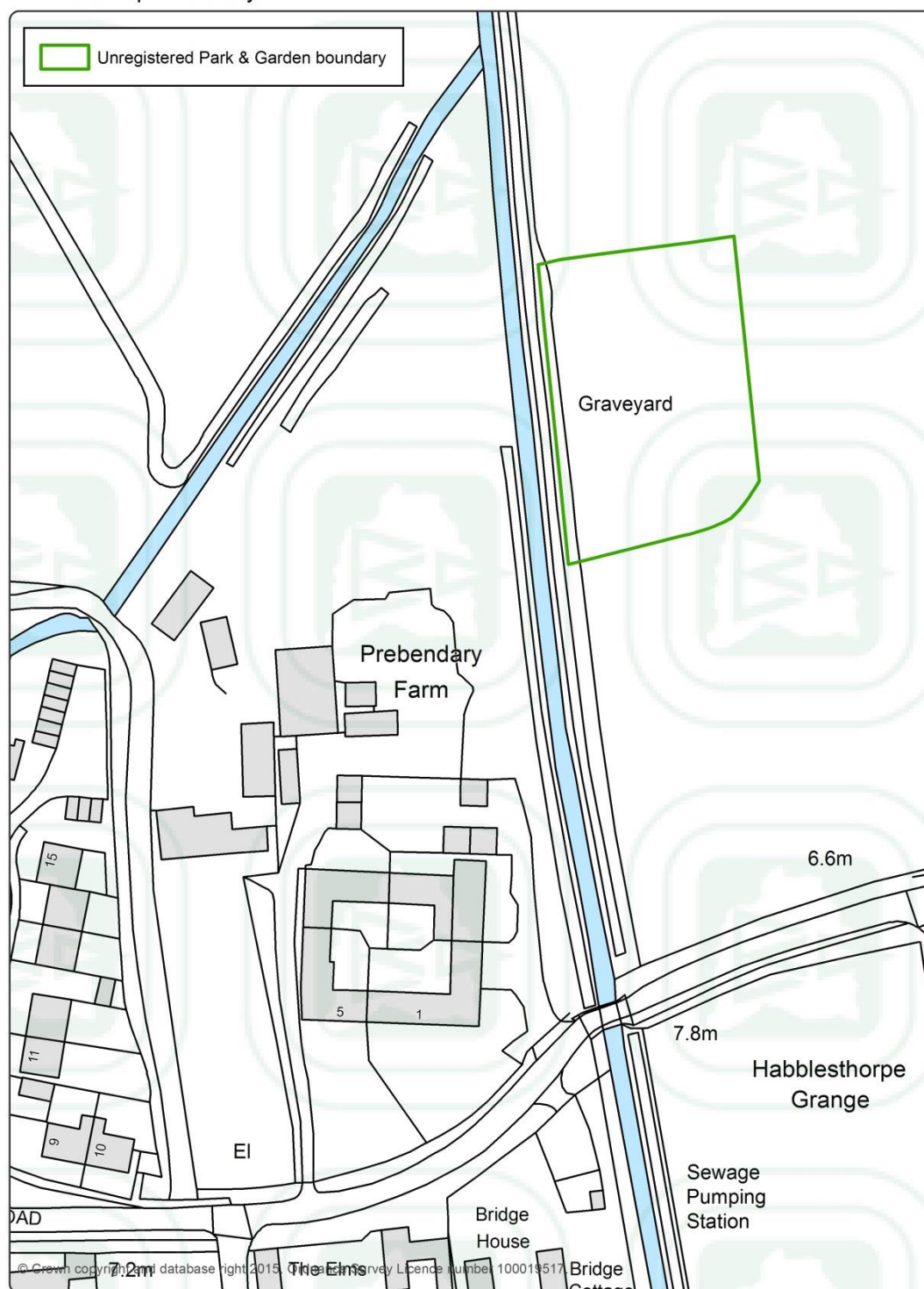
*Gravestone dated 1901*



*View of churchyard from south*

<b>Listed Buildings:</b>	n/a
<b>Scheduled Ancient Monuments:</b>	n/a
<b>Conservation Area:</b>	n/a
<b>Local Interest Buildings:</b>	n/a

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## References:

<sup>i</sup> Southwell Diocese website: <http://southwellchurches.nottingham.ac.uk/north-leverton/hintro.php>

<sup>ii</sup> Genuki website: <http://www.genuki.org.uk/big/eng/NTT/NorthLevertonwithHablesthorpe/>