hundred rated householders, and that the whole number of wards shall not exceed eight, and the Metropolitan Board shall apportion among the several wards the number of vestrymen to be elected for such parish, and shall, in assigning the number of vestrymen to each ward, have regard, as far as in their judgment is practicable, as well to the number of persons rated to the relief of the poor in each ward, as to the aggregate amount of the sums at which all such persons are rated, and the number of vestrymen assigned to each ward shall be a number divisible by three."

And whereas the parish of Streatham is within the limits of the "Metropolis," as defined by the Metropolis Management Act, 1855, and is one of the parishes in Part 1 of Schedule B of that Act, and at the passing of the same Act the parish was not divided into wards, and the Vestry of the parish of Streatham having now applied to us, the Metropolitan Board of Works, to divide the said parish into wards, pursuant to the provisions of the said 41st section of the Metropolis Management Amendment Act, 1862. And whereas it appears from the last account taken of the population by the authority of Parliament, that the said parish contains three thousand two hundred and fifteen rated householders, and that the

number of inhabited houses in the parish is returned at four thousand one hundred and seventy-one, and the rateable annual value of property at one hundred and eighty-five thousand four hundred and thirty pounds. Now, the Metropolitan Board of Works, having considered the said application, and having ascertained from the said last account taken of the population by the authority of Parliament as contained in the Census Return for the year 1881, that the number of rated householders for the parish of Streatham is three thousand two hundred and fifteen, and having taken into consideration the number of persons rated to the relief of the poor in the same parish, and the aggregate amount of the sums at which all such persons are rated, and all the circumstances connected with such application, doth hereby order that the said parish of Streatham be divided into three wards, to be distinguished by the names and numbers mentioned in the first column of the undermentioned Schedule, and that the extent, limits, and boundary lines of such wards shall be those described in the second column of the said Schedule, and that the number of vestrymen to be elected for each of the said wards shall be the number mentioned in the third column of the said Schedule.

The SCHEDULE above referred to.

COLUMN 1. Names and Numbers distinguishing Wards.	Column 2. Extent, Limits, and Boundary Lines of Wards.	COLUMN 3. Number of Vestrymen to be elected in Wards.
No. 1. Balham Ward.		21
No. 2. North Streatham Ward.	All that portion of the parish not included in Ward No. 1, situate to the north of a line commencing at the parish boundary between Tooting Beck and Tooting Graveney Commons, proceeding along the southern boundary of Tooting Beck Common, con-	18
	tinuing thence eastwards along Tooting Beck-road, past and to the south of St. Leonard's Church to the main Brixton and Croydon-road, turning northwards along the last-mentioned road to a point opposite Leigham-lane, thence eastwards along	
	Leigham-lane and Wells-lane, the public footpath in continuation of the same, and the parish boundary in continuation or nearly in continuation of the said footpath, and terminating at the point at which the said parish boundary turns northwards; also the	
No. 3. South	detached portion of the parish at Thurlow (or Knight's) Hill. All the remaining portion of the parish, situate to the south of a line drawn as described above for Ward No. 2.	9
Streatham Ward.		48

Sealed by Order, J. Wakefield, Clerk of the Board. Approved— W. V. Harcourt. Whitehall, 26th March, 1883.

ORDER of the Local Government Board under the District Auditors Act, 1879: Assignment of District and Duties (Supplemental):—

North Yorkshire Audit District.

South Stockton Local Government District.

To Joseph Holt Skinner, District Auditor;—
To the South Stockton Local Board, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of South Stockton;—
And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by Section 4 of "The District Auditors Act, 1879," it is enacted that the Local Government Board may from time to time assign should be to District Auditors their Duties, and the Districts:

District ":

in which such Auditors respectively are to act, and may from time to time change wholly or in part such Duties or Districts;

And whereas by an Order dated the 9th day of October, 1879, the Local Government Board certified the appointment of the said Joseph Holt Skinner as a District Auditor, and ordered and prescribed that the District in which he should in future act as Auditor, and which was thereby assigned to him, should, until the said Board should otherwise prescribe, comprise the area for the time being included in the several Unions named in the Schedule to that Order, and that such District should be termed "The North Yorkshire Audit District";