

“ year, and at any other time when required by
 “ the Guardians to do so, examine the stores at
 “ the Workhouse and compare the same with the
 “ quantities of stock remaining in store as shown
 “ by the entries in the proper columns in the
 “ Accounts termed respectively the ‘Quarterly
 “ ‘Balance of the Provisions Account’ and the
 “ ‘Quarterly Balance of the Necessaries and
 “ ‘Miscellaneous Account.’”

“ He shall also, on the day next after the ter-
 “ mination of each half-year, and at any other
 “ time when required by the Guardians to do so,
 “ examine the stock of clothing at the Workhouse
 “ and compare the same with the balance appear-
 “ ing in the Accounts termed respectively the
 “ ‘Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion
 “ ‘Account’ and the ‘Clothing Receipt and
 “ ‘Expenditure Account.’”

Given under the Seal of Office of the
 Local Government Board, this fourth
 day of August, in the year one thousand
 eight hundred and eighty-seven.

L. S.

Chas. T. Ritchie,
 President.

S. B. Provis, Assistant Secretary.

GENERAL ORDER of the Local Govern-
 ment Board: Altering General Consolidated
 Order. Out-door Labour Test:—

Cannock Union.

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Cannock
 Union, in the county of Stafford:—

To the Churchwardens and Overseers of the
 Poor of the several Parishes, and to the
 Overseers of the Poor of the several Town-
 ships and of the Chapelry comprised in the
 said Union;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WE, the Local Government Board, in pur-
 suance of the powers given to Us by the Statutes
 in that behalf, hereby Order, with respect to the
 relief of the Poor in the said Cannock Union, as
 follows:—

ARTICLE 1.—Subject to the provisions of the
 General Order of the Poor Law Commissioners,
 dated the twenty-first day of December, one
 thousand eight hundred and forty-four, in force
 in the Union, every able-bodied male pauper who
 receives relief within the Union, and is relieved
 out of the Workhouse, shall be relieved in the
 following manner; that is to say:—

Half at least of the relief given to such pauper
 shall be given in food, clothing, and other articles
 of necessity.

No such pauper shall receive relief from the
 Guardians, or any of their officers, or any Over-
 seer of any Parish or Place in the Union, while
 he is employed for wages or other hire or remu-
 neration by any person; but every such pauper so
 relieved shall be set to work by the Guardians.

ARTICLE 2.—The Guardians shall, within
 fourteen days after the day when this Order
 comes into force, and from time to time after-
 wards as the Local Government Board may
 require, report to the Local Government Board
 the place or places at which able-bodied male
 paupers shall be so set to work in the Union, the
 sort or sorts of work in which they or any of them
 shall be employed, the times and mode of work,
 and all such other matters relating to the employ-
 ment of such able-bodied paupers as the said
 Guardians shall deem material to be communicated
 to the Local Government Board, or as the Local
 Government Board shall require.

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ARTICLE 3.—If the Guardians shall depart, in
 any particular instance, from any of the regula-
 tions hereinbefore contained, and shall, within
 fifteen days after such departure, report the same
 and the grounds thereof to the Local Government
 Board, and if the Local Government Board shall
 approve of such departure, then the relief granted
 in such particular instance shall, if otherwise
 lawful, not be deemed to be unlawful, or be subject
 to be disallowed.

And whereas provision is made in a General
 Order of the Poor Law Commissioners, bearing
 date the twenty-fourth day of July, one thousand
 eight hundred and forty-seven, in force in the said
 Union, for the appointment of an officer, to be
 termed a Superintendent of Out-door Labour, and
 for the continuance in office of such officer, and
 it is expedient that further provision should be
 made as hereinafter mentioned;

We therefore further Order, that if at any time
 the number of able-bodied male paupers requiring
 relief shall be so small as to render the services
 of a Superintendent of Out-door Labour un-
 necessary, the Guardians may dispense with the
 services of such an officer.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local
 Government Board, this third day of
 August, in the year one thousand eight
 hundred and eighty-seven.

L. S.

Chas. T. Ritchie,
 President.

S. B. Provis, Assistant Secretary.

Civil Service Commission, August 2, 1887.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give
 notice, that the Candidates hereinafter named have
 passed the Preliminary Examination for Second
 Class Clerkships in the India Office, Second Class
 Clerkships in the India Audit Office, and for Men
 Clerkships of the Lower Division of the Civil
 Service, viz.:—

Of the Candidates examined on July 19,
 1887:—

Addison, Ralph Albert
 Ahearn, William A.
 Alexander, Joseph
 Allan, James
 Allen, Herbert William
 Allen, Robert Vickery
 Anthony, Robert Stewart
 Arnold, Percy Longman
 Ashworth, John Hoyle
 Bagg, Ernest Redfarn
 Bagshaw, Henry Barnet
 Balmford, John Alfred
 Bamford, Charles Frederic
 Bamford, Joseph
 Barclay, Robert Auton
 Barry, Charles Edward Sparkes
 Barton, Frederick John
 Barton, John Henry
 Bashford, Charles James
 Bayes, Walter John
 Beard, Alfred Henry
 Bedford, Herbert
 Beedem, Charles Wallace William
 Bell, William Lachlan
 Bennett, Robert Kinniamonth
 Benson, Edwin Strawson
 Best, William Alfred
 Blacklock, Benjamin Roper
 Bovill, Henry
 Boughton, Henry McCormick