Guardians of the Poor of the several Poor Law Unions in England and Wales to pay the reasonable expenses incurred in attending any Conference of Guardians held for the purpose of discussing any matter connected with the duties which devolve on them, and in purchasing reports of the proceedings of any such Conference, subject to the regulations set forth in such General Order;

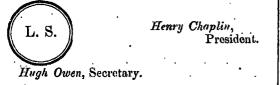
And whereas it was provided by paragraph (3) of the said General Order that in the case of the Central Conference held in London only one Guardian should be authorized to attend from any Union situate at a distance of more than fifty miles from the place of meeting :

And whereas it is expedient that further provision should be made in the matter as hereinafter mentioned :

Now therefore, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by the Statutes in that behalf, We hereby Order and Direct that the following paragraph shall be substituted for paragraph (3) in the said General Order :—

"(3.) The maximum number of Guardians "authorized to attend any Conference shall "be three, and in the case of the Central "Conference held in London two Guardians "only shall be authorized to attend from any "Union which is situate at a (distance of "more than fifty miles from the place of "meeting."

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this second day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.



ORDER of the Local Government Board under the District Auditors Act, 1879 : Assignment of District and Duties (Supplemental):-Shropshire and Worcestershire Audit District.

Chick Rural District.

To Sir Richard Dansey Green-Price, Baronet, District Auditor ;---

WHEREAS by Section 4 of the District Auditors Act, 1879, it is enacted that the Local Government Board may from time to time assign to District Auditors their Duties, and the Districts 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 7th day of May, 1883, We, the Local Government Board, certified the appointment of the said Richard Dansey Green-Price 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 We 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 Shropshire and Worcestershire Audit District";

And whereas it is prescribed by Article II of the said Order that it shall be the duty of the said District Auditor to audit the Accounts of the Guardians and the Overseers specified in Nos. (1) and (2) of that Article, as well as the

Accounts of the other Authorities (and of their Officers) referred to in Nos. (3) and (4) in the following terms :---

- "(3.) The several other Authorities for the "time being whose Accounts are or may be "by law subject to be audited by a District "Auditor, and whose Districts or the areas "of whose jurisdiction are for the time being "wholly situated within the said Audit "District.
- "(4.) Such of the said other Authorities whose "Accounts are or may be by law subject to "be so audited, and whose Districts or the "areas of whose jurisdiction are for the time "being partly situated within the said Audit "District, as We may by Order under Seal "hereafter prescribe."

And whereas the Rural District Council of Chirk is an Authority whose Accounts are subject to be audited by a District Auditor, and the District of the said Rural District Council is partly situated within the said Audit District :

Now therefore; in pursuance of the powers given to Us by the Statutes in that behalf, We hereby Order and Prescribe that it shall, until We otherwise Prescribe, be the duty of the said Richard Dansey Green - Price to audit the Accounts of the said Rural District Council, and of the Officers of that Council, in conformity with the provisions contained in Article III of the above-cited Order; and that for the purpose of such Audit the District of the said Rural District Council shall be deemed to be within the said Shropshire and Worcestershire Audit District.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this twenty-seventh day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

L. S.

Henry Chaplin, President.

S. B. Provis, Assistant-Secretary.

Civil Service Commission, December 3, 1897.

THE following Candidates have been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners as qualified for the appointments set against their respective names :--

November 29, 1897.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION. Post Office: Male Sorters, London, Thomas William Foot, Arthur John Ogilvie.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Inland Revenue: Door-Porter, Edward Charles Mayes.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I, Benjamin Parry.

Post Office : Learner, Guildford, Gilbert Franks November 30, 1897.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Female Telegraph Learner in the Central Office, London, Catherine Helen McCullough.

Learners, London, Walter Annible, Thomas Connor, William Ellis Deason Jenkins, Ernest Kingston, Frederick John Moffatt, Frank Owen, Edmond John Ruffhead, Charles Heine Schlarb, Herbert Cecil Sellars, Percy Hubert Sparkman.

Male Sorter, London, Frederick Charles Cross.