

such duties and exercise all such powers in connection with the audit of such Accounts as are prescribed and conferred by the said Statutes and Orders.

ARTICLE III.—The District in which the District Auditor shall, from and after the thirty first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and one, act as Auditor, and which We hereby assign to him for the performance of his duties under this Order, shall be termed "The South-West Lancashire Audit District," and shall, until We otherwise prescribe, comprise the several Poor Law Unions named in the Schedule to this Order, and the Districts or areas subject to the jurisdiction of any such Authority as is mentioned in Paragraph (4) of Article I of this Order.

ARTICLE IV.—Any Order in force on the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and one, assigning a District to the District Auditor for the discharge of his duties or prescribing his duties, shall, from and after that date, be rescinded, but nothing in this Order shall affect or interfere with the existing duties and powers of any District Auditor or Assistant Auditor as regards any audit for any period prior to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and one, or any matters or proceedings already commenced.

ARTICLE V.—In this Order—

The term "Overseers of the Poor" includes Churchwardens and Assistant Overseers.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Poor Law Unions.

Chorley.
Leigh.
Liverpool.
Ormskirk.
Prescot.
Toxteth Park.
Warrington.
West Derby.
Wigan.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this twenty-fifth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and one.



Walter H. Long,
President.

H. C. Monro, Assistant-Secretary.

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

South-East Lancashire Audit District.

To Henry Cecil Darlington, District Auditor;—

To the Guardians of the Poor of the several Poor Law Unions named in the Schedule to this Order;—

To the Overseers of the Poor of the several Parishes comprised within the said Unions respectively;—

To the Authorities referred to in Article I (3) of this Order;—

To the School Board for the United School District of Disley Stanley;—

To the Horwich, Westhoughton, and Blackrod Hospital Committee;—

To the Kirkburton Joint Isolation Hospital Committee;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by Section 4 of the District Auditors Act, 1879, it is enacted that the Local

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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 the said Henry Cecil Darlington is a District Auditor duly appointed under the provisions of the Statutes in that behalf:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, hereby certify the appointment to the office of District Auditor of the said Henry Cecil Darlington (hereinafter referred to as "the District Auditor"), and do Order and Prescribe as follows:—

ARTICLE I.—It shall be the duty of the District Auditor, from and after the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and one, to audit the Accounts of the following Authorities and their Officers; namely,—

(1.) The Guardians of the Poor of the several Poor Law Unions named in the Schedule to this Order.

(2.) The Overseers of the Poor of the several Parishes comprised in the said several Unions.

(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 one or more of the said Unions, and whose Accounts are not subject to audit by any other District Auditor.

(4.) The School Board for the United School District of Disley Stanley.

(5.) The Horwich, Westhoughton, and Blackrod Hospital Committee.

(6.) The Kirkburton Joint Isolation Hospital Committee.

(7.) Such other Authorities 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 partly situated within one or more of the said Unions, as We may by Order hereafter prescribe.

ARTICLE II.—The District Auditor shall audit the said Accounts according to the provisions of the several Statutes and of the Orders issued by competent authority, in force for the time being in that behalf, and shall perform all such duties and exercise all such powers in connection with the audit of such Accounts as are prescribed and conferred by the said Statutes and Orders.

ARTICLE III.—The District in which the District Auditor shall, from and after the thirty first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and one, act as Auditor, and which We hereby assign to him for the performance of his duties under this Order, shall be termed "The South-East Lancashire Audit District," and shall, until We otherwise prescribe, comprise the several Poor Law Unions named in the Schedule to this Order, the United School District named in Paragraph (4) of Article I of this Order, the Districts of the Hospital Committees named in Paragraphs (5) and (6) of the said Article, and the Districts or areas subject to the jurisdiction of any such Authority as is mentioned in Paragraph (7) of the said Article.

ARTICLE IV.—Any Order in force on the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and one, assigning a District to the District Auditor for the discharge of his duties or prescribing his duties, shall, from and after