North-Western Counties Audit District," and shall, until We otherwise prescribe, comprise the area for the time being subject to the jurisdiction of the County Councils of the several Administrative Counties named in the Schedule to this Order, and the areas within which the Authorities mentioned in Paragraphs (4), (5), (6), (7), (8), and (9) of Article I. of this Order, and any such body as is referred to in Paragraph (10) of that Article may exercise authority.

ARTICLE IV .- Any Order in force assigning a District to the District Auditor for the discharge of his duties or prescribing his duties, shall, from and after the date upon which this Order shall come into operation, be rescinded, but nothing in this Order shall affect or interfere with the existing duties and powers of the District Auditor as regards any Audit, or any matters or proceedings already commenced.

ABTICLE V.—This Order shall come into operation on the twenty-seventh day of February, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Administrative Counties.

Anglesey. Carnarvon. Chester. Cumberland. Denbigh.

Flint. Lancaster. Merioneth. Westmorland.



Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this fourteenth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and seven. . John Burns, President.

H. C. Monro, Assistant-Secretary.

ORDER of the Local Government Board: District Auditor: Assignment of Duties and District :-

HAMPSHIRE AUDIT DISTRICT.

To Arthur Hardinge David Cunynghame, 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;-

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 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 Arthur Hardinge David Cunynghame 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 Arthur Hardinge David Cunynghame (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 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.) 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 act as Auditor, and which We hereby assign to him for the performance of his duties under this Order, shall be termed "The Hampshire 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 assigning a District to the District Auditor for the discharge of his duties or prescribing his duties, shall, from and after the date upon which this Order shall come into operation, be rescinded, but nothing in this Order shall affect or interfere with the existing duties and powers of any District Auditor as regards any Audit or any matters or proceedings already commenced.

ARTICLE V.-In this Order-

The term "Overseers of the Poor" includes

Churchwardens and Assistant Overseers. ARTICLE VI .- This Order shall come into operation on the twenty-seventh day of February, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Poor Law Unions.

Alresford. Alverstoke. Catherington. Chichester. Droxford. Fareham. Havant. Hursley. Isle of Wight. Midhurst.

Petersfield. Portsmouth. Romsey. Southampton. South Stoneham. Stockbridge. Westbourne. West Hampnett. Winchester.



Given under the Seal of Office of the Government Board, this Local fourteenth day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and seven.

John Burns, President.

H. C. Monro, Assistant-Secretary.