

Now, therefore, Her Majesty having taken the said award into consideration, is pleased by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to approve thereof, and of the division and apportionment therein proposed, and the same are hereby approved accordingly; and Her Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order be forthwith published in the London Gazette.

C. C. Greville.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 19th day of October, 1855,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the last session of Parliament, intituled "An Act for the better Local Management of the Metropolis," it is enacted, that each of the parishes mentioned in either of the schedules A and B to the said Act, which at the time of the passing of the said Act contained more than two thousand rated householders, shall be divided into Wards; and that it shall be lawful for such person or persons as may be appointed for that purpose, as in the said Act provided, to determine and set out, on or before the tenth day of October in this present year, the number, extent, limits, and boundary lines of such wards; but so, nevertheless, that no ward shall contain less than five hundred rated householders, and that the whole number of wards in any parish shall not exceed eight; and that the person or persons setting out such wards in any parish, 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 his or their judgment it 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 that the number of vestrymen assigned to each ward shall be a number divisible by three; and that a copy of the particulars of such division and apportionment shall be forthwith transmitted to one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and also to the Vestry Clerk of the parish to which such division and apportionment relate; and that if Her Majesty, by the advice of Her Privy Council, approve of such division and apportionment, the particulars thereof shall be published in the London Gazette; and that the parish shall, after such publication, be deemed to be divided into such wards so determined and set out, and such division shall continue to be in force until the same be altered, as in the said Act provided; and that the number of vestrymen assigned to each ward, shall be the number to be elected for such ward until altered as aforesaid:

And whereas, in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act, the following award has been made by the person appointed for that purpose by the Right Honourable Sir George Grey, Bart., one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State; viz.:

" PARISH OF LAMBETH.

"(EIGHT WARDS.)

"I, William Durrant Cooper, of Guilford-street, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, having been duly appointed by the Right Honourable Sir George Grey, Baronet, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, by virtue of an Act passed in the

last session of Parliament, intituled ' An Act for the better Local Management of the Metropolis,' to be one of the persons to set out the wards into which certain parishes are by the said Act directed to be divided, and to apportion the number of vestrymen to be elected for such parishes respectively among such wards, and to apportion the number of vestrymen to be elected for any parish already divided into wards under any local Act, and, further, to act separately in such division and apportionment from the other persons appointed or to be appointed to perform those duties under the said Act, have proceeded in the performance of the duties required by the said Act to be executed by me in reference to the parish of Lambeth (being a parish mentioned in Schedule (A) to the said Act, containing more than two thousand rated householders, and not already divided into wards under any local Act), and to determine and set out the number, extent, limits, and boundary lines of the wards into which the said parish is to be divided, and to apportion among such wards the number of vestrymen to be elected for such parish:

"Now I do hereby, by virtue of the provisions and directions of the said Act, divide the said parish of Lambeth into eight wards, none of which contains less than five hundred rated householders, to be called respectively No. 1 or North Marsh Ward; No. 2 or South Marsh Ward, No. 3 or Bishop's Ward, No. 4 or Prince's Ward, No. 5 or Vauxhall Ward, No. 6 or Stockwell Ward, No. 7 or Brixton Ward, and No. 8 or Norwood Ward; and I determine and appoint that the said ward to be called No. 1 or North Marsh Ward shall consist of so much of the said parish as will be comprised within a line drawn from the boundary of the parish in the centre of the River Thames opposite the Old Barge House running along the east boundary of the parish to the centre of the New Cut, thence westward along the centre of the New Cut to the centre of the Westminster Bridge-road, thence turning north-westerly along the centre of the Westminster Bridge-road to the boundary of the parish in the centre of the said river at Westminster Bridge, and thence eastward along the said boundary of the parish in the said river to the starting point opposite the Old Barge House; and that the said ward to be called No. 2 or South Marsh Ward shall consist of so much of the said parish as will be comprised within a line drawn from the boundary of the parish in the centre of the New Cut adjoining the parish of Christchurch running in a south and south-westerly direction along the boundary of the said parish of Lambeth to Durham-place, where the said parish of Lambeth adjoins the parish of St. George Southwark, thence westward along the centre of the Lambeth-road to Hercules-buildings, thence along the boundary of the Bishop's Liberty to the centre of the Westminster Bridge-road, thence south-eastward along the centre of the Westminster Bridge-road to the centre of the New Cut, and thence easterly along the centre of the New Cut to the starting point; and that the said ward to be called No. 3 or Bishop's Ward shall consist of the district known as the Bishop's Liberty; and that the said ward to be called No. 4 or Prince's Ward shall consist of the district known as the Prince's Liberty; and that the said ward to be called Ward No. 5 or Vauxhall Ward, shall consist of so much of the