

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 ST. PAUL, DEPTFORD.

"I, Alexander Pulling, of the Inner Temple, Esquire, Barrister-at-Law, 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 St. Paul, Deptford (being a parish mentioned in Schedule (B) 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: And

"I do hereby, by virtue of the provisions and directions of the said Act, divide the said parish of St. Paul, Deptford, into four wards, none of which contains less than five hundred rated householders, to be called respectively No. 1 or North Ward, No. 2 or South Ward, No. 3 or East Ward, and No. 4 or West Ward; and I determine and appoint that the said Ward No. 1 or North Ward shall consist of so much of the said parish as is comprised within an area formed on the north and east by the boundaries of the said parish running from the county boundary on the north-west to the centre of High-street opposite Edward-street on the east, and on the west by the county of Surrey as far as Edward-street, and on the south by a line drawn along the centre of Edward-street from the county boundary on the west to the parish boundary in High-street on the east; that the said Ward No. 2 or South Ward shall consist of an area formed on the south and east by the parish boundary running from the county boundary on the South-west to Deptford Bridge on the east, on the west by the county boundary running from the boundary of the parish on the south to the north-west side of the building and premises called the Royal Naval School, and thence along the north-west side of the said building and premises to the Lewisham Turnpike-road, and thence along the centre of the said last-mentioned road to the county boundary at New-cross, and on the north by a line drawn from the county boundary at New-cross on the west along the centre of New-cross-road and Broadway to the parish boundary at Deptford Bridge on the east; that the said Ward No. 3 or East Ward shall consist of so much of the said parish as is comprised within an area formed by the Ward No. 1 and the boundaries of the parish on the north and east, the said Ward

No. 2 on the south, and the county boundary on the west; and that the said Ward No. 4 shall consist of the remainder of the said parish not comprised in either of the said Wards Numbers 1, 2, or 3. And, having regard, as far as in my 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, I do apportion and assign fifteen vestrymen to the said ward to be called No. 1 or North Ward; twenty-one vestrymen to the said ward to be called No. 2 or South Ward; eighteen vestrymen to the said ward to be called No. 3 or East Ward; and eighteen vestrymen to the said ward to be called No. 4 or West Ward.

"In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand, this eighth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five.

"(Signed) *Alexander Pulling.*"

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