

“metropolis, and to amend the Act concerning the burial of the dead in the metropolis,” made a representation stating that, for the protection of the public health, no new burial-ground should be opened in the undermentioned places without the previous approval of one of Her Majesty’s Principal Secretaries of State, and that burials should be discontinued therein with the following modifications:—

**PEMBROKE.**—To be discontinued forthwith in the churches of *St. Mary, St. Michael, and St. Nicholas*, and from and after the first February, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, in *St. Mary’s Churchyard*; in the churchyards of *St. Michael and St. Nicholas* one body only to be buried in each grave, and no grave to be made of less depth than five feet, and except in soil which can be opened to that depth without the disturbance of undecayed remains, and no grave to be reopened in less than fourteen years. In the new burial-ground of *St. Mary*, the regulations for new burial-grounds to be observed.

**MARKET BOSWORTH.**—To be discontinued forthwith in the *church*, and from and after the first July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, in the *churchyard*.

**BROOKLAND, KENT.**—To be discontinued forthwith in the *church*, and from and after the first November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, in the *churchyard*.

**WYMONDHAM, NORFOLK.**—To be discontinued forthwith in the *church*, and in the *churchyard* within three yards of the church, and five yards of the National School; in the *Independent Chapel* and in the burial-ground thereof, within three yards of the chapel, and five yards of the British School; in the *Baptist Chapel* and in the burial-ground thereof; in *Bridewell-street Chapel*, and in the burial-ground thereof within three yards of the chapel. In the churchyard, and in the burial-grounds of the Independent and Bridewell-street Chapels (with the exception of family vaults and graves), one body only to be buried in each grave.

**SAXMUNDHAM.**—To be discontinued forthwith in the *church*, and (except in family vaults and graves) in the original part of the *churchyard*; in the *Independent Chapel*, and in the burial-ground thereof within three yards of the chapel; and to be discontinued wholly in the churchyard and in the Independent Chapel Burial-ground from and after the first August, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven.

**SANDWICH.**—To be discontinued forthwith in the churches of *St. Mary, St. Clement, and St. Peter*, in the *Independent Chapel*, and in *St. Clement’s Churchyard* within three yards of the church, and of all dwelling-houses. To be discontinued from and after the first October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, in the churchyards of *St. Mary, St. Peter, and St. Jacob*, and in the burial-ground of the *Independent Chapel*.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty in Council is pleased hereby to give notice of such representation and to order that the same be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty’s Most Honourable Privy Council, on the twenty-seventh day of January next.

And Her Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order be forthwith published in the London Gazette; and that copies thereof be

affixed on the doors of the churches or chapels of or on some conspicuous places within, the parishes affected by such representation, one month before the said twenty-seventh day of January.

*Wm. L. Bathurst.*

AT the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 11th day of *December*, 1854,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN’s Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Right Honourable Viscount Palmerston, one of Her Majesty’s Principal Secretaries of State, after giving to the Incumbents and the Churchwardens of the parishes hereinafter mentioned ten days’ previous notice of his intention to make such representation, has under the provisions of an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the sixteenth and seventeenth years of Her Majesty’s reign, intituled “An Act to amend the laws concerning the burial of the dead in England beyond the limits of the metropolis, and to amend the Act concerning the burial of the dead in the metropolis,” made a representation stating that, for the protection of the public health, no new burial-ground should be opened in the undermentioned places, without the previous approval of one of Her Majesty’s Principal Secretaries of State, and that burials should be discontinued in the same with the following modifications, viz.:

**RYDE, ISLE OF WIGHT.**—To be discontinued forthwith in the churches and churchyards of *Trinity and St. Thomas*. The regulations with respect to the formation and re-opening of graves to be observed in the *Cemetery*.

**FOLKESTONE.**—To be discontinued forthwith in the *Parish Church* and in *Christ Church*; and from and after the first of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, in the *Parish Churchyard*, in *Christ Churchyard*, and in the burial-grounds of the *Friends* and of the *Baptist Chapel*.

**SWAFFHAM.**—To be discontinued in the *church*, and in the *churchyard* within three yards of the church, and of all dwelling-houses, and within five yards of the infant-school; to be discontinued in the *Baptist Chapel*, and in the burial-ground thereof within three yards of the chapel and Sunday-school; no new graves to be opened in the original part of the churchyard; in the churchyard and in the Baptist Chapel Burial-ground (except in family vaults and graves), one body only to be buried in each grave.

**DARLINGTON.**—To be discontinued forthwith in the *Parish Church*, and in *Holy Trinity Church*; and from and after the 1st of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, in the *Parish Churchyard*. In *Trinity Churchyard* (except in family vaults and graves), no more than one body to be buried in each grave, and no burial to take place in any grave without a covering of earth four and a half feet in depth at the least, measuring from the upper surface of the coffin to the level of the ground. No interment to take place in the *Quakers’ Burial-ground* within twenty feet of the meeting-house, or of any dwelling-house.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty in Council is pleased hereby to give notice of such representation, and to order that the same be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her