

consist of nine persons, and that the entire number shall be elected for the whole of the said district.

3. The first election of the said Local Board shall take place on the second day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five.

4. One-third in number of the said Local Board of Health shall go out of office on the thirty-first day of March, in each year, subsequently to that in which the said first election of that Local Board takes place; but in case the day so appointed shall fall on a Sunday, or on a day appointed for public fast or thanksgiving, then that such one-third shall go out of office on the day next following.

5. Every person at the time of his election as member of the said Local Board, and so long as he shall continue in office by virtue of such election, shall be resident, as in the said "Public Health Act, 1848," is required, and be rated to the relief of the poor of some parish, township, or place, of which some part is within the said district, upon an annual value of not less than fifteen pounds.

6. At the first election of the said Local Board, Thomas Tudor Trevor, of Gisborough, Attorney-at-Law, shall perform the duties which it may be requisite for him to perform in conducting the said first election; and, in case the said Thomas Tudor Trevor, from illness, or other sufficient cause, shall be unable to discharge such duties, or shall be absent, or shall refuse to act, then Joseph Radcliffe Wilson, of Stockton, Attorney-at-Law, shall perform such of the said duties as then remain to be performed.

7. The fourteen days' notice of qualification required by "The Public Health Act, 1848," to be given by owners of property, in order to entitle them to vote at the said first election, shall be given to the said Thomas Tudor Trevor, at the Zetland Room, Redcar; or in case he shall refuse, or be unable to receive the same, then to the said Joseph Radcliffe Wilson, at the Zetland Room, Redcar.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 21st day of *July*, 1855,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by 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;" it is enacted, that in case it appears to Her Majesty in Council, upon the representation of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, that, for the protection of the public health, the opening of any new burial-ground in any city or town, or within any other limits, save with the previous approval of one of such Secretaries of State, should be prohibited, or that burials in any city or town, or within any other limits, or in any burial-ground or places of burial, should be wholly discontinued, or should be discontinued subject to any exception or qualification; it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order that no new burial-ground shall be opened in any city or town, or within such limits, without such previous approval, or (as the case may

require) that, after a time mentioned in the Order, burials in such city or town, or within such limits, or in such burial-grounds or places of burial, shall be discontinued wholly, or subject to any exceptions or qualifications mentioned in such Order, and so from time to time, as circumstances may require; provided always, that notice of such representation, and of the time when it shall please Her Majesty to order that the same be taken into consideration by the Privy Council, shall be published in the London Gazette, and shall be affixed on the doors of the churches or chapels of, or on some other conspicuous places within, the parishes affected by such representation, one month before such representation is so considered; provided also, that no such representation shall be made in relation to the burial-ground of any parish until ten days' previous notice of the intention to make such representation, shall have been given to the Incumbent and Vestry Clerk or Churchwardens of such parish;

And whereas the Right Honourable Sir George Grey, Bart., 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 made a representation stating that, for the protection of the public health, no new burial-ground should be opened, in the undermentioned parishes, 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;

And whereas Her Majesty was pleased, by Her Order in Council of the twenty-first day of May last, 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 fifth day of July instant; and such Order has been published in the London Gazette; and copies thereof have been affixed as required by the said Act:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that no new burial-ground shall be opened in any of the undermentioned parishes without the previous approval of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State; and that burials in the said parishes shall be discontinued, with the following modifications, from and after the first day of August next (except as is herein otherwise directed), as follows, viz.:

FISHGUARD.—Beneath the *church*.

BUCKINGHAM.—Forthwith in the district church of *Gawcott*, and from and after the first June, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, in the *parish churchyard* of *Buckingham*, and in the burial-ground of *Ebenezer Chapel*.

AMERSHAM.—Forthwith in the portion of the *parish churchyard* lying on the south of the church as far as to the footpath on the east side; also in the old part of the *Lower Meeting House* burial-ground adjoining the day school; also in the *Upper Meeting House*, and in the burial-ground attached to the same; and from and after the first January, one thousand eight hundred and sixty, wholly in the *parish churchyard*, in the *vault* beneath the chapel attached to the church, and in the *catacombs* in the building adjoining the church.

REEPHAM, NORFOLK.—Forthwith in the *parish church*, and from and after the first June, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, in the *parish churchyard*.