

And whereas certain Orders in Council have been made, directing the discontinuance of burials in the churchyards and burial-grounds hereinafter mentioned from the time mentioned in such Orders respectively; and whereas it seems fit to Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, that the time for discontinuing burials in the said churchyards and burial-grounds be postponed;

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice aforesaid, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the time for the discontinuance of burials in such churchyards and burial-grounds be postponed as follows; viz.:

In the churchyard of the parish of CLAYBROOK, from the first of October next to the first of June, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine;

In the churchyard of the parish of GILLINGHAM, Kent, from the first of September, instant, to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine;

In the churchyard of MELBOURNE, Derbyshire, in the Friends Burial-Ground, in the New Jerusalem Chapel Burial-ground, and in the Baptist Chapel Burial-ground, in that parish, from the first of September instant, to the first of May, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine;

In the new portion of the churchyard at All Saints, NEWMARKET, and in the new burial-ground in St. Mary's Parish in that town, from the first of August to the first of November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight;

In the churchyard of the parish of SELBY, from the first of September to the first of November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight;

In the parish churchyard and Vicarage Croft, in St. Andrew's Churchyard, in the burial-grounds of the Baptist, Zion, and Salem Chapels, and in the Old Friends' Burial-ground, all in WAKEFIELD, from the first of November next, to the first of May, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine;

And whereas by an Order in Council of the eighth of June, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, burials were directed wholly to cease in the churchyard of All Saints, Chorlton, in MANCHESTER, from and after the first of March, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, and the said Order was varied by an Order of the twenty-seventh of August, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, and it seems fit that the same be again varied; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that interments in All Saints Churchyard, Chorlton, in Manchester, be discontinued from and after the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine; and forthwith, except in now existing private vaults and brick graves, in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal, and separately entombed in an air-tight manner, and except in private family graves in which no coffin shall be buried within a foot of any other coffin, or four feet of the surface of the ground; and it is further ordered, that none be buried in any grave or vault except widowers, widows, parents, children, brothers or sisters of those already interred therein, and that the entire surface of the ground, not occupied by stones or walks, be covered with soil, and a living vegetation maintained.

And whereas by an Order in Council of the eighteenth of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, burials were directed to be discontinued from and after the first of June then next, in the churchyard of St. Edmund, SALISBURY, except as was therein excepted, and such time was afterwards postponed to the first of February, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, and it seems fit that the said Order be varied; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice aforesaid, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that interment in the said churchyard of St. Edmund, Salisbury, be discontinued, except for the burial of the widowers, widows, parents, and unmarried children, of those already buried in now existing catacombs, vaults, and walled graves, in which each coffin shall be imbedded in charcoal, and separately entombed in an air-tight manner, and in family graves not less than five feet deep, which can be opened without the exposure of human remains.

C. C. Greville.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *September*, 1858,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Right Honourable Spencer Horatio Walpole, 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 representations, 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 two representations stating that, for the protection of the public health, no new burial-ground should be opened in any of the undermentioned parishes without the previous approval of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and that interments in the same should be discontinued, with the following modifications:

GATESHEAD.—Forthwith in the *churchyards* of *St. Edmunds* and *St. Cuthberts, Gateshead*, except so far as is compatible with the observance of the regulations for new burial-grounds, omitting No. 3.

LEDBURY.—Forthwith in the *parish church*, and also in the *churchyard*, and *Baptist Burial-ground, Ledbury*, except in graves not less than five feet deep which can be opened without the disturbance of remains,—and that no grave be dug within three yards of any dwelling.

HORTON, NORTHUMBERLAND.—In the *parish churchyard* on the first day of November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, except in graves and vaults which are free from water, no graves to be less than five feet deep, and no remains to be disturbed, and that the churchyard be properly drained.

STAINDROP.—Forthwith in the *parish church* of *Staindrop*; and also in the *churchyard*, except in that part which is to the north of the church, on and after the first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine.