

made until ten days' previous notice of the intention to make such representation should have been given to the churchwardens or other persons, or one of the churchwardens, or other persons, having the care of the vaults or places of burial to which the representation relates;

And whereas the Right Honourable Spencer Horatio Walpole, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, after ten days' previous notice of his intention to make such representation had been duly given to the incumbent and churchwardens of the parish of Ashton-under-Lyne in the first case, and to the officiating priest, or other person or persons having the care of the vaults under Saint Anne's Roman Catholic Chapel, Edge Hill, near Liverpool, in the second case, has made a representation, stating that he was of opinion that, for the purpose of preventing the undermentioned burial-ground and vaults from becoming or continuing dangerous or injurious to the public health, the acts hereinafter set forth should be done in respect of such burial-ground and vaults;

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the incumbent or churchwardens of the parish of Ashton-under-Lyne do adopt, or cause to be adopted, the following measures in respect of the ASHTON-UNDER-LYNE PAROCHIAL CEMETERY, viz.; that the said cemetery be effectually drained, so that no water may accumulate in any grave.

And Her Majesty, by and with the advice aforesaid, is further pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the officiating priest, or other person or persons having the care of the vaults under SAINT ANNE'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHAPEL, EDGE HILL, near LIVERPOOL, do adopt or cause to be adopted the following measures in respect of such vaults, viz., that the coffins in the said vaults be completely covered with soil mixed with charcoal or McDougal's disinfecting powder, and entombed by brickwork in an airtight manner.

*Wm. L. Bathurst.*

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 13th day of *November*, 1858,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the session of Parliament, held in the twentieth and twenty-first years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the Burial Acts," it is amongst other things, enacted, in the words following; that is to say, that in case it appear to Her Majesty in Council, upon the petition of the Local Board of Health of any district established under the Public Health Act, or upon the petition of any Commissioners elected by the ratepayers, and acting under or by virtue of the powers of any local Act of Parliament for the improvement of any town, parish, or borough, stating that the district of such Local Board of Health, or of such Commissioners, is co-extensive with a district for which it is proposed to provide a burial-ground, and that no Burial Board has been appointed for such district, and that an Order in Council has been made for closing all or any of the burial-grounds within the said district, it shall be lawful for her Majesty, with the advice of Her Privy Council, in case Her Majesty see fit so to do, to order that such Local Board, shall be a Burial Board for the district of such Local Board, or that such Com-

missioners shall be a Burial Board for the district of such Commissioners, and thereupon such Local Board or such Commissioners, as the case may be, shall be a Burial Board for such district accordingly; and the powers and provisions of the Acts herein-before mentioned (except the provisions relating to the constitution or appointment and resignation of members of Burial Boards), and the provisions therein contained, shall extend to the district of such Board, and to such Board, or to the district of such Commissioners, and to such Commissioners, and to any burial-ground and places for the reception of the bodies of the dead previously to interment, which may be provided by such Board or by such Commissioners, in like manner as to any parish or parishes and the Burial Board thereof, and any burial-ground and any such places as aforesaid provided by such last-mentioned Board, save that no approval, sanction, or authorization of any vestry shall be requisite: Provided always, that notice of such petition, and of the time when it shall please Her Majesty to order the same to be taken into consideration by the Privy Council, shall be published in the London Gazette, and in one of the newspapers usually circulating in the district of such Local Board or of such Commissioners, one month at least before such petition is so considered.

And whereas the Local Board of Health for the district of HECKMONDWIKE, in the West Riding of the county of York, established under "The Public Health Act, 1848," have, under the provisions of the above recited Act, presented a petition to Her Majesty in Council, stating that the district of the said Local Board of Health was co-extensive with the township of Heckmondwike aforesaid, and that it was proposed to provide a new burial-ground for the said district; that no Burial Board had been appointed for the said district, and that an Order in Council had been made for closing the churchyard of Saint James, Heckmondwike, from and after the first day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, with certain exceptions in such Order mentioned; and praying that Her Majesty would be pleased to order that the said Local Board of Health may be a Burial Board for the district of such Local Board.

And whereas notice of such petition, and of the time when Her Majesty was pleased to order the same to be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, has been duly published 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 the Local Board of Health, established under "The Public Health Act, 1848," for the district of HECKMONDWIKE, in the West Riding of the county of York, shall be a BURIAL BOARD for the district of such Local Board, in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the twentieth and twenty-first years of Her Majesty's reign.

*Wm. L. Bathurst.*

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 13th day of *November*, 1858,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Commissioners for improving the town of RYDE, in the Isle of Wight, elected by the ratepayers, by virtue of "The Ryde