

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 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; viz.:

DOWNHEAD, in the parish of Doulting, Somersetshire.—Forthwith in the part of the churchyard which is south of the church, except for the burial of the widowers, widows, or parents of those already buried therein.

BRADFORD, Yorkshire.—Forthwith wholly in the burial-ground of the Horton-lane Independent Chapel.

NEWCASTLE-UNDER-LYME.—On and after the first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, in the churchyard of St. George's, except in now existing vaults and walled graves in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal, and separately entombed by masonry or brickwork properly cemented, and except also in graves not less than 5 feet deep, which are free from water, and are only used for the burial of members of the families of those already buried therein. Also, forthwith in the churchyard of Saint Michael's, except in now existing vaults and walled graves, in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal, and separately entombed in masonry or brickwork properly cemented.

STOKE DAMEREL.—Forthwith in the oldest part of the parish churchyard, except in vaults and walled graves existing on the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal, and separately entombed in masonry or brickwork properly cemented; and in the rest of the churchyard, except in so far as is compatible with the observance of the regulations for new burial grounds, omitting that numbered III.

CLAINES, near Worcester.—Forthwith, except in existing vaults and walled graves, in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal, and separately entombed in an air-tight manner, interment in the churchyard of Claines to be wholly discontinued, except for the burial of the dead from that part of the parish which is not within the city of Worcester, and wholly inside the church.

CALCOTT, in the parish of Moorlinch, Somersetshire.—Forthwith in the churchyard, except in graves which have not been opened during the preceding fourteen years, and wholly inside the church.

FOLKESTONE.—From and after the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, in the burial-ground of Christchurch, with the exception of family vaults and graves, and reserved grave spaces, which shall be in existence on the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, provided that in vaults and brick graves each coffin be separately entombed in brick or stonework properly cemented, and that in earthen graves one foot of earth be left between the coffins, and that no coffin be buried

within four feet of the ordinary surface of the ground. The right of interment, however, to be reserved to the Reverend William Powell, Incumbent of the parish, and to the members of his family.

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 fifteenth day of July 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 fifteenth day of July.

Arthur Helps.

Foreign Office, June 9, 1862.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Alexander Henderson as Consul at Londonderry for the United States of America.

Whitehall, June 10, 1862.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto the Reverend Edmund Graham Clarke, late Rector of Kinnersley, in the county of Hereford, Master of Arts, of the University of Oxford, second son of John Altham Graham Clarke, of Kinnersley aforesaid, and Frocester Manor, in the county of Gloucester, Esquire, son and heir of John Graham (afterwards John Graham Clarke), of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, in the county of Northumberland, Esquire, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may henceforth discontinue to use the surname of Clarke, and bear the surname of Graham only:

And further to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be registered in the College of Arms.

War Office, Pall Mall,

10th June, 1862.

3rd Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Captain Fowell Buxton Johnston, from 100th Foot, to be Captain, vice Francis, who exchanges, receiving the former difference between Cavalry and Infantry. Dated 10th June, 1862.

1st Dragoons, Cornet Arthur Mesham to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Charles Downes Manning, who retires. Dated 10th June, 1862.

George John Lord Rosehill to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Mesham. Dated 10th June, 1862.

3rd Hussars, Major Richard Michael Williams to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice The Honourable Horace Manners Monckton, who retires. Dated 10th June, 1862.

Captain Edward Howard Vyse to be Major, by purchase, vice Williams. Dated 10th June, 1862.

Lieutenant Reginald Piffard to be Captain, by purchase, vice Vyse. Dated 10th June, 1862.

Cornet Anthony Strother to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Piffard. Dated 10th June, 1862.