

change, whether such promotion or exchange has been made or sanctioned by Her Majesty under Royal Sign Manual, before or after the passing of this Act, and all Commissions given for Adjutants and Quartermasters in the Militia and Volunteer Forces, shall be signed, in the case of Her Majesty's Land Forces (except as in this Clause after mentioned), by the Commander-in-Chief or the General Commanding-in-Chief, and by one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State; and, in the case of the Royal Marines, by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Admiralty; and, in the case of Military Chaplains, Commissariat and Store Officers, and of Adjutants and Quartermasters in the Militia and Volunteer Forces, by one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

3. That every Commission signed in pursuance of this Order (except the Commissions referred to in Clause 1, and except all Commissions which shall have been actually prepared under Sign Manual direction, bearing prior date to the making of this Order), shall refer to this Order, and bear even date with the direction under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, appointing or promoting such Officer.

4. That neither this Order, nor anything contained therein, shall be construed to prevent Her Majesty from signing any Commission, or to prevent any Commission so signed from having the same validity and effect as if this Order had not been made.

And the Right Honourable Sir George Cornwall Lewis, Bart., one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

*Edmund Harrison.*

[The following Order in Council is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of the 10th instant.]

**A**T the Court at *Windsor*, the 7th day of *June*, 1862,

**PRESENT,**

The **QUEEN's** Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS 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 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, intitled "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 Giles'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.

**CATCOTT**, 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 or on some conspicuous places within the parishes affected by such representation, one month before the said fifteenth day of July.

*Arthur Helps.*