

Surveyor of the Board of Trade, or from some other competent person to be named by such Emigration Officer, declaring that within seven days immediately preceding the date of such certificate, the apparatus has been examined by him, and is then in good working condition, and stating the number of Imperial gallons of pure fresh water which it is capable of producing in every twenty-four hours; and further declaring that the apparatus on board is either Normandy's, Winchester and Graveley's, or Chaplin and Company's patent, as the case may be.

3. That in every case such Emigration Officer shall be satisfied that the number of gallons of pure water which the apparatus is so certified to be capable of producing is not less than the whole number of persons about to proceed on the intended voyage of such ship; that is to say, the whole number of cabin passengers, passengers, and crew.

4. That there is on board the ship, some person or persons who, to the satisfaction of the said Emigration Officer, shall be competent for the proper management and repair of such distilling apparatus.

And to prevent all doubts on the construction of this Order in Council, it is hereby further ordered, that the terms "passenger ship," "emigration officer," "statute adult," and "master," shall herein have the same significations as are assigned to them respectively in the said "Passengers Act, 1855."

And the Right Honourable Edward Cardwell, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

*Arthur Helps.*

At the Court at Windsor, the 29th day of November, 1865.

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, 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," 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 under-mentioned parishes without the previous approval of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and that burials should be discontinued therein with the modifications hereinafter specified:

And whereas Her Majesty was pleased, by Her Order in Council of the fifth day of October, last, to give notice of such representation, and to order that the same should be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on the twenty-seventh day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, 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 burials in the under-mentioned parishes shall be discontinued (except as is herein otherwise directed), as follows; viz.:

STANWELL.—Forthwith wholly in the church, and in that part of the churchyard which is to the north-west of the church.

EAST GRINSTEAD.—After the first of July, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, in the churchyard, except in vaults and walled graves, existing on the first of August, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal and separately entombed by stone or brickwork properly cemented.

ST. GEORGE, GLOUCESTERSHIRE.—Forthwith, wholly in the churches of St. George, St. Michael, and St. Mark; and also in the churchyards, except in vaults and walled graves which are free from water, in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal and separately entombed,—that is, enclosed by stone or brickwork properly cemented, and, except in earthen graves, not less than five feet deep, which are free from water: no coffins to be exposed, or bones disturbed.

BISHOP'S CLEEVE.—Forthwith, wholly in the church of the parish; and also in the churchyard, except in earthen graves not less than five feet deep, which can be opened without the exposure of coffins or the disturbance of entire bones, and except in vaults and walled graves, in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal and separately entombed,—that is, enclosed by stone or brickwork, properly cemented.

WESTON-SUPER-MARE.—Forthwith wholly in the churchyard.