

Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said scheme, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette, pursuant to the said Acts; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of Durham.

Arthur Helps.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 4th day of *February*, 1869.

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 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, that the district of such Local Board of Health 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, and thereupon such Local Board shall be a Burial Board for such district accordingly, and the powers and provisions of the Acts in the said Act 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, and to any burial ground and place for the reception of the bodies of the dead previously to interment which may be provided by such Board, in like manner as to any parish or parishes and the Burial Board thereof, and any burial ground and any such place 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, one month at least before such petition is so considered:

And whereas the Local Board of Health for the district of Tunbridge Wells, in the counties of Kent and Sussex, have, under the provisions of the said recited Act passed in the session of Parliament held in the twentieth and twenty-first years of Her Majesty's reign, presented a petition to Her Majesty in Council stating to the effect that the district of the said Local Board is co-extensive with the district for which it is proposed to provide a burial ground or public cemetery; that no burial board has been appointed for the said district, though a small portion of such district (inconsiderable, however, both in extent and in population), being part of the northern extremity

thereof, is at present included in the district of the Burial Board of Tunbridge, and that an Order in Council has been made for closing a burial ground within the said district, and praying that Her Majesty would be pleased to appoint the said Local Board of Health to be the Burial Board of the district over which they have jurisdiction as aforesaid:

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 said Local Board of Health for the district of Tunbridge Wells, in the counties of Kent and Sussex, 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.

Arthur Helps.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, February 4, 1869.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be closed on and after Thursday next, the 11th instant, until further orders.

Whitehall, February 5, 1869.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Peter Robertson to the church at Ullapool, in the parish of Loch Broom, in the presbytery of Lochcarron and Shire of Ross, vacant by the transportation of the Reverend Charles McLean, late Minister thereof, to the parish of Harris, in the presbytery of Uist.

The Queen has also been pleased to present the Reverend Alexander John Mackichan to the church at Kinloch Likart or Kinloch Luichart, in the parish of Contin, in the presbytery of Dingwall, and Shire of Ross, vacant by the transportation of the Reverend John McGregor, late Minister thereof, to the church and parish of Knochbain.

Downing Street, February 4, 1869.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint John Hampden King, Esq., to be a Puisne Judge of the Colony of British Guiana.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Melford Campbell, Esq., to be President of the Council of the Turks and Caicos Islands and their Dependencies.

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*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
February 4, 1869.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs,