

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 no new burial-ground shall be opened in any of the undermentioned parishes without the previous approval of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and that burials in the said parishes shall be discontinued (except as herein otherwise directed), as follows ; viz. :—

**MADRON.**—Forthwith wholly in Madron Church, Cornwall ; and in the churchyard after the thirtieth of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, except in now existing vaults and walled graves, every coffin buried in which shall be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented ; and in earthen graves, to be used for the burial only of the widowers or widows of those previously interred therein.

**CALLINGTON.**—Forthwith wholly in Callington Church, Cornwall ; and in the churchyard after the thirtieth of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, except in now existing vaults and walled graves, every coffin buried in which shall be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented, and except in earthen graves, to be used for the burial only of the widowers or widows of those previously interred therein.

*C. L. Peel.*

**A**T the Court at *Windsor*, the 22nd day of *February*, 1878.

PRESENT,

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

**W**HEREAS the Right Honourable Richard Assheton Cross, 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, under the provisions of an Act passed in the 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 a representation stating that, for the protection of the public health, no new burial-ground should be opened in the undermentioned parishes without the previous consent of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and that burials should be discontinued therein, with the following modifications, viz. :—

**LLANFAIRFECHAN.**—Forthwith wholly in Llanfairfechan Church, in the county of Carnarvon ; and in the churchyard, except in vaults and walled graves, every coffin buried in which shall be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented ; and except in earthen graves, not less than five feet deep, which can be opened without the disturbance of coffins.

**BEXHILL.**—Forthwith wholly in the parish church of Bexhill, Sussex ; and in the churchyard, except in now existing vaults and walled graves, every coffin buried in which shall be separately enclosed by stonework properly cemented ; and except for the burial, in earthen graves of the widowers or widows of those already buried therein.

**MIDDLE CLAYDON.**—Forthwith wholly in the parish church and churchyard of Middle Claydon, Bucks.

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 tenth day of April 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 tenth day of April.

*C. L. Peel.*

*Duchy of Lancaster, February 22, 1878.*

The Queen has been this day pleased to appoint Nathaniel Eckersley, Esq., of Standish Hall, to be Sheriff of the County Palatine of Lancaster for the year ensuing.

*Downing Street, February 23, 1878.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Edward Newton, Esq., C.M.G. (late Colonial Secretary for the Island of Mauritius), to be Colonial Secretary and Lieutenant-Governor of the Island of Jamaica.

*Downing Street, February 25, 1878.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Frederick Napier Broome, Esq., C.M.G. (late Colonial Secretary of the Colony of Natal), to be Colonial Secretary of the Island of Mauritius.

*Downing Street, February 26, 1878.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Major Charles Bullen Hugh Mitchell, R.M. (late Receiver-General of the Colony of British Guiana), to be Colonial Secretary of the Colony of Natal.

*Westminster, February 25, 1878.*

**THIS** day the Lords being met a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read ;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to apply the sum of six million pounds out of the Consolidated Fund to the service of the year ending the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

An Act to raise the sum of six million pounds by Exchequer Bonds, Exchequer Bills, or Treasury Bills.

An Act to relieve certain occupiers of dwelling-houses from being disqualified from the right of voting in the election of Members to serve in