

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. :—

**KIRKBY FLEETHAM.**—Forthwith wholly in Kirkby Fleetham Church, in the county of York; and in the churchyard, except in now existing vaults, every coffin buried in which shall be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented.

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

**BARTON-ON-HUMBER.**—Forthwith in the additional burial ground attached to Saint Peter's Church, Barton-on-Humber, in the county of Lincoln, except in now existing vaults and walled graves, every coffin buried in which shall be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented.

**FARNWORTH.**—Forthwith wholly in the Roman Catholic, the Independent, the Wesleyan, the Primitive Methodist, and the Congregational Chapels, in the parish of Farnworth, near Bolton, in the county of Lancaster; and in the chapelyards, except in now existing vaults and walled graves, every coffin buried in which shall be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented.

**GOOLE.**—Forthwith wholly in the church of Goole, in the county of York; and in the churchyard after the thirty-first of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, except of the members of the families already buried therein in graves which can be opened five feet deep without the exposure of coffins.

**CAISTER-NEXT-THE-SEA.**—Forthwith wholly in the church of Caister-next-the-Sea, in the county of Norfolk; and in the churchyard, after the thirty-first of December, 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.

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 May 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 May.

C. L. Peel.

*Foreign Office, March 27, 1878.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable William Nassau Jocelyn, now Secretary to Her Majesty's Embassy, at Constantinople, to be Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires to the Grand Dukes of Baden and Hesse Darmstadt.

*India Office, March 28, 1878.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Augustus Rivers Thompson, Esq., C.S.I., of the Bengal Civil Service, to be an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor-General of India, in succession to Sir Edward Clive Bayley, K.C.S.I.

The Queen has also been pleased to appoint Gregory Charles Paul, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, to be Her Majesty's Advocate-General for Bengal; Patrick O'Sullivan, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, to be Her Majesty's Advocate-General for Madras; and John Marriott, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, to be Her Majesty's Advocate-General for Bombay.

*Crown Office, March 30, 1878.*

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

*City of Worcester.*

John Derby Allcroft, Esq., in the place of Alexander Clunes Sherriff, Esq., deceased.

*Admiralty, 30th March, 1878.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 30th April, 1877—

Engineer Thomas Green has been placed on the Retired List from this date.

*Royal Marines.*

The following promotions, dated 26th March, 1878, have taken place in the Royal Marine Light Infantry, consequent upon the removal to half-pay of Major Joseph George Shanks, viz. :—

Captain Ponsonby Ross Holmes to be Major, vice Shanks.

Lieutenant and Adjutant Cyril Frampton to be Captain, vice Holmes.

*War Office, Pall Mall,*

*2nd April, 1878.*

*47th Regiment of Foot.*

Lieutenant-General Sir William Sherbrooke Ramsay Norcott, K.C.B., to be Colonel, vice General Sir William O'Grady Haly, K.C.B., deceased. Dated 20th March, 1878.

2nd Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Rudolph Hamilton Spencer to be Captain, vice Brevet Major F. O'Beirne, promoted half-pay Major. Dated 20th March, 1878.

5th Dragoon Guards, Riding-Master John Duncan is superseded for absence without leave. Dated 3rd April, 1878.

5th Lancers, Lieutenant Arthur Francis Macmillan-Scott, from the Rifle Brigade, to be Lieutenant, vice C. R. Orde, who exchanges. Dated 3rd April, 1878.