

dues, rates and payments, and in respect to patronage and rights to pews, may be made with justice to all parties interested, which Scheme, together with the Consents thereto in writing of Alexander Taylor, the patron of the benefice of Overton with the chapelries of Fyfield and Alton Priors, the Reverend Henry Tootell, the Incumbent thereof, the Warden and Scholars of Saint Mary College, of Winchester, in Oxford, commonly called New College, Oxford, the patrons of the benefice of Alton Barnes, and the Reverend Charles Andrew Sladen, the Incumbent thereof, has been transmitted to us by the said Lord Bishop for our consideration.

"The Representation and Scheme of the said Lord Bishop and the Consents above referred to are hereunto annexed.

"And we, the said Archbishop, being, on full consideration and inquiry, satisfied with the said Scheme, do hereby, pursuant to the said Pluralities Act, 1838, certify the same and such Consents as aforesaid to Your Majesty in Council to the intent that Your Majesty in Council may in case Your Majesty in Council shall think fit so to do, make and issue an Order for carrying the said Scheme into effect.

"RANDALL CANTUAR."

Now, therefore, His Majesty in Council, by and with the advice of His said Council, is pleased to Order, as it is hereby Ordered, that the said Scheme be carried into effect.

*Almeric FitzRoy.*

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 13th day of *June*, 1913.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**WHEREAS** by the Burial Act, 1853, as amended by the Burial Act, 1900, it is provided that, in case it appear to His Majesty in Council, upon the representation of the Local Government Board, 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 the Local Government Board, should be prohibited, or that burials in any city or town, or within any other limits, or in any burial grounds or places of burial, should be wholly discontinued, or should be discontinued subject to any exception or qualification, it shall be lawful for His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order that no new burial ground shall be opened in such 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 His Majesty to order the same to 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 the Vestry Clerk or Churchwardens of such parish:

And whereas the Local Government Board, after giving to the Incumbent and the Churchwardens of the parish of Sprowston, in the county of Norfolk, and the parish of South Brewham, in the county of Somerset respectively, ten days' previous notice of their intention in that behalf, have made representations to His Majesty in Council that, for the protection of the public health, the opening of any new burial ground in the civil parishes of Sprowston and South Brewham aforesaid, save with the previous approval of the Local Government Board, should be prohibited, and that burials should be discontinued therein as hereinafter directed:

And whereas His Majesty was pleased, by His Order in Council of the 17th day of March, 1913, to give notice of such representations, and to order that the same should be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Privy Council, on the 22nd day of April, 1913, and such Order has been published in the London Gazette, and copies thereof have been affixed, as required by the said Act:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, is pleased to order, as it is hereby ordered, that no new burial grounds shall be opened in the said civil parishes save with the previous approval of the Local Government Board, and that burials therein shall be discontinued as follows, viz.:—

**SPROWSTON.**—Forthwith and entirely in the parish church of St. Mary and St. Margaret, Sprowston, in the county of Norfolk; and in the churchyard, except as follows:—

(a) In any vault or walled grave now existing in the said churchyard burial may be allowed subject to the condition that every coffin buried in such vault or grave be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented.

(b) In any earthen grave now existing in the said churchyard the burial may be allowed of the body of any member of the family of the person or persons heretofore buried in such grave, subject to the condition that no part of the coffin containing the body shall be at a depth less than three feet below the level of the surface of the ground adjoining the grave.

(c) In the said churchyard, in any grave space in which no interment has heretofore taken place, the burial may be allowed of the body of any person for whom or of any member of a family for which such grave space has been reserved and appropriated as a burial place, with the exclusive right of burial therein, subject to the condition that no part of the coffin containing the body shall be at a depth less than three feet below