

the said parishes, or on some conspicuous places within the part or parts of the metropolis affected by such representation, one calendar month at the least before the said fourth day of May.

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AT the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 20th day of *March*, 1857,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

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, 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 any of the undermentioned parishes without the previous approval of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and that burials should be discontinued therein, with the following modifications:

**HORNSEY.**—Forthwith in the *Old Burial-ground of Saint Nicholas, Highgate*, in the parish of Hornsey, with the exception of now existing family vaults and brick graves, provided that, when required, they be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and that each coffin be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal, four inches thick, and be separately entombed in brick or stone work cemented in an airtight manner, and also except in reserved earthen family graves, provided they be opened without disturbing human remains, and that no body be buried without a covering of four feet and six inches of earth, measuring from the upper surface of the coffin to the ordinary level of the ground.

**CROYLAND, LINCOLNSHIRE.**—Forthwith in the *parish church*; and from and after the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, in the *churchyard*, except in now existing vaults and brick graves, provided that, when required, they be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and that each coffin be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal four inches thick, and be separately entombed in brick or stone work cemented in an airtight manner, and also except in reserved earthen family graves, provided they be opened without disturbing human remains, and that no body be buried without a covering of four feet and six inches of earth, measuring from the upper surface of the coffin to the ordinary level of the ground.

**HUSBANDS BOSWORTH.**—Forthwith in the *parish church*; and from and after the first day of February, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, in the *churchyard* and *Baptist Chapel Burial-ground*, with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in a layer of pow-

dered charcoal, four inches thick, and be separately entombed in brick or stone work properly cemented.

**KIMBOLTON, HUNTINGDONSHIRE.**—Forthwith in the *parish church*, also, in the *churchyard*, and in the *New Chapel Burial-ground* within three yards of all dwelling houses; and from and after the first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves, which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal, four inches thick, and be separately entombed in brick or stone work properly cemented, in the whole of the *churchyard*.

**SUTTON IN ASHFIELD.**—Forthwith in the *parish church*; and from and after the first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves, which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal, four inches thick, and be separately entombed in brick or stone work properly cemented, in the *parish churchyard* and in the *Particular Baptist Chapel Burial-ground*.

**SELSTON, NOTTS.**—Forthwith in the *parish church* and also within the *Independent Chapel*, and in the *Burial-ground* attached to the same, within three yards of all dwelling-houses; and from and after the first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, in the *parish churchyard*, with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal, four inches thick, and be separately entombed in brick or stone work properly cemented.

**SAINTE MARKS, SHELTON.**—Forthwith in the *parish churchyard*, except in vaults and walled graves which can be opened without the disturbance of soil that has been buried in, in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an airtight manner, and in other graves, except so far as is compatible with the following regulations, viz.: no coffin to be buried less than four feet below the surface; one coffin only to be buried in a grave; no grave to be reopened unless to bury another member of the same family, in which case eighteen inches in thickness of earth shall be left above the previously buried coffin; no undecayed remains to be disturbed; no new grave to be within eighteen inches of any other grave; no grave or vault to be used which is not free from water.

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 fourth 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 fourth day of May.

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