

it is, amongst other things, enacted that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, from time to time, to postpone the time appointed by any Order in Council for the discontinuance of burials, or otherwise to vary any Order in Council made under any of the Acts recited in the said Act, or under the said Act (whether the time thereby appointed for the discontinuance of burials thereunder, or other operation of such Order, shall or shall not have arrived), as to Her Majesty, with such advice as aforesaid, may seem fit ;

And whereas by an Order in Council of the sixteenth of May, one thousand eight hundred and fifty seven, certain regulations were made in respect of burials in the churchyard of Holy Trinity, Brompton, in the parish of Kensington, and burials were directed to be wholly discontinued, from and after the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, in the said churchyard, and it seems fit that the said Order be varied ; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the use of the family vaults and graves in Holy Trinity Churchyard, Brompton, which were in existence on the eighteenth of February, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, be permitted, subject to the following conditions, viz. That no human remains be disturbed ; that in the vaults and brick graves each coffin be imbedded in a layer of powdered charcoal four inches thick, and be separately entombed in an air-tight manner ; that in earthen family graves a layer of earth not less than one foot thick be left undisturbed above the previously buried coffin ; and that no coffin shall be buried within four feet of the ordinary level of the ground, measuring from the top of the coffin.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

Council Office, Whitehall, April 23, 1859.

WHEREAS the major part of the governing body of ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE, in the University of CAMBRIDGE, in pursuance of the Act of the 19 and 20 Vict., cap. 88, intituled "An Act to make further provision for the Good Government and Extension of the University of Cambridge, of the Colleges therein, and of the College of King Henry the Sixth, at Eton," made a Statute, on the 7th of December, 1857, for putting an end to the option of the Master of the said College, in respect of certain Benefices, and for otherwise commuting the rights of the Master in relation thereto, and for making him compensation out of the College Revenues ; and whereas the said Statute was duly laid before the Commissioners, appointed for the purposes of the above-recited Act, as required thereby, and was on the 12th of this instant April, approved by them, and has been this day laid before Her Majesty in Council, the same is published in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act ; and NOTICE is hereby given, that it is lawful for the bodies or persons mentioned in the 39th section of that Act, within one month after this publication, to petition Her Majesty in Council against the approbation of the said Statute, or any part thereof.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

STATUTE above referred to.

WHEREAS the major part of the Governing Body of the College of Saint John the Evan-

gelist, in the University of Cambridge, acting in pursuance of the powers and directions contained in an Act passed in the Session of Parliament, holden in the nineteenth and twentieth years of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act to make further provision for the Good Government and Extension of the University of Cambridge, of the Colleges therein, and of the College of King Henry the Sixth at Eton," on the 7th day of December, 1857, made and passed a Statute, which was duly signed by them, and except as to the signatures thereto, was in the words and figures following ; that is to say :—

Whereas the Right Honourable and Right Reverend Father in God, John, Lord Bishop of Lincoln, Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of England, did, by an instrument under his hand and seal, grant, assure, and convey unto the Master, Fellows, and Scholars of the College of Saint John the Evangelist, in the University of Cambridge, the perpetual donation and patronage of four Ecclesiastical Benefices ; to wit, the Rectory of Souldern, in the county of Oxford, the Rectory of Freshwater, in the Isle of Wight, the Rectory of Aberdarron, in the county of Caernarvon, and the Rectory of Saint Florence, in the county of Pembroke.

And whereas it was covenanted and agreed, between the said John Lord Bishop of Lincoln and the said Master, Fellows, and Scholars, that it should be lawful to and for the Master of the said College for the time being, to assume and retain unto himself any one of the said benefices at every avoidance.

And whereas the late Isaac Pennington Knight, Doctor of Physic, and Fellow of the said College did, by his last will and testament, give to the Master of the said College for the time being, two hundred pounds a year, if he be Rector of Freshwater aforesaid, but not otherwise.

And whereas the said Isaac Pennington did further provide, that if it should happen that the Master be not Rector of Freshwater, then the said sum should accumulate as fast, and as long, as by the law it might, by making fresh purchases in the funds, always, however, upon this condition, that the accumulation do stop for the time, and the Master receive not only the original two hundred pounds a year, but also the interest of all the accumulation whenever he is Rector of Freshwater.

We, the undersigned, being the major part of the Governing Body of the said College, named in the 19th and 20th Vict., cap. 88 acting in pursuance of the powers and directions contained in the said Act, hereby make a statute, that, from the date hereof, it shall not be lawful for the Master of the said College for the time being, to assume and retain unto himself any one of the said benefices at any avoidance.

That from the 21st of December, 1857, the Master of the said College shall receive yearly a variable sum, equal in amount to three times the dividend of a Junior Fellow for the current year, together with a fixed annual payment of seven hundred and ninety pounds from the general revenues of the College, which sums shall be in lieu of the statutable or customary payments heretofore made to the Master by the Senior Bursar, the Junior Bursar, and the Steward of the said College, and shall also include compen-