

those offices, be carried into effect agreeably to the provisions of the said Acts: And Her Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the Diocese of Manchester.

*Arthur Helps.*

AT the Court at *Windsor* the 26th day of *October*, 1860.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by 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;" it is enacted, that in case it appears to Her Majesty in Council, upon the representation of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, 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 one of such Secretaries of State, should be prohibited, or that burials in any city or town, or within any other limits, or in any burial-ground or places of burial, should be wholly discontinued, or should be discontinued subject to any exception or qualification; it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order that no new burial-ground shall be opened in any 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 Her Majesty to order that the same 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 Vestry Clerk or Churchwardens of such parish;

And whereas the Right Honourable Sir George Cornwall Lewis, 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 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 approval of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and that burials should be discontinued therein, with the following modifications;

And whereas Her Majesty was pleased, by Her Orders in Council of the first and twenty-seventh days of August last, 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 fourteenth day of September last, and tenth day of October instant, respectively; and such Orders have been published in the London 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 under mentioned 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, with the following modifications, from and after the fifth day of November next (except as is herein otherwise directed), as follows; viz.:

DUNSTABLE.—Forthwith beneath the *Parish Church*, the *Old Baptist Chapel*, and the *Wesleyan Chapel*; and from and after the first October, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, in the *parish churchyard* and the *burial-grounds* of the *Particular Baptist Chapel*, *Tabernacle Chapel*, *Old Baptist Chapel*, and *Wesleyan Chapel*, with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves in which each body shall be separately entombed in stone or brickwork properly cemented; also with the exception of now existing family earthen graves, in which no body shall be buried within four feet of the general surface of the ground—which vaults and family graves shall be used only on condition that, when opened, no human remains shall be exposed.

ST. LEONARDS-ON-THE-SEA. — Forthwith beneath the *Parish Church*, and also in the *Lower Burial-ground* within three yards of the church; and that in the vaults and brick graves of the lower ground each body be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in brick or stone work properly cemented; also in the *Upper Burial Ground*, from and after January first, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves which can be opened without disturbing human remains, and in which each body shall be imbedded in powdered charcoal, and separately entombed in brick or stone work properly cemented.

*Edmund Harrison.*

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 26th day of *October*, 1860.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament, held in the eighteenth and nineteenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act further to amend the laws concerning the burial of the dead in England" 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