

to appear to Her Majesty in Council, that any parish wholly or in part within such borough is provided with a sufficient burial ground, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, in and by such Order, to direct that no part of such parish shall be assessed towards defraying the expenses of executing the said Act in such borough, and that in such case no burial ground provided for such borough, under the said Act, shall be deemed to be provided for such parish :

And whereas the rector, churchwardens, and other inhabitants of the parish or ecclesiastical district of Gateshead Fell have presented a Petition to Her Majesty in Council, setting forth that Gateshead Fell was in 1809 erected into a separate and distinct rectory and parish ; that they are satisfied with the accommodation provided for interments in their own churchyard ; that, anticipating the wants of the parishioners in future years, the Churchwardens have been and are in treaty with the owners of land immediately contiguous, for increasing the area of the churchyard of Gateshead Fell, to double its present size ; and that the Petitioners have no desire to be included under the operation of the Burial Board of Gateshead :

And whereas it appears to Her Majesty, the said parish or ecclesiastical district of Gateshead Fell is provided with a sufficient burial ground for the requirements of the parishioners of the said parish or ecclesiastical district ; but that there is difficulty and inconvenience in providing, under the above-mentioned Act, passed in the sixteenth and seventeenth years of Her Majesty's reign, requisite places of burial for the inhabitants of other parts of the parish of Gateshead, in the said borough :

Now therefore Her Majesty is pleased by and with the advice of Her Privy Council to order, and it is hereby ordered, that powers be vested in the Town Council of the borough of Gateshead, for providing requisite places of burial, under the provisions of the said first-recited Act, intituled "An Act to make further provision for the burial of the dead in England, beyond the limits of the Metropolis," or of any other Act of Parliament relating to burials, for the inhabitants of those parts of the parish of Gateshead, within the said borough, which are not included within the limits of the ecclesiastical district of Gateshead Fell, and that the said ecclesiastical district or parish of Gateshead Fell be and it is hereby exempted from the operation of this Order, which is limited exclusively in its effect to the other parts of the parish of Gateshead, within the said borough.

Arthur Helps.

NOTICE.

Council Office, Whitehall, November 23, 1860.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition has been presented to Her Majesty in Council, from the Inhabitant Householders of the town of BURNLEY, in the County Palatine of Lancaster, praying, under the Acts of the 5th and 6th William the 4th, cap. 76, and 1st Vict., cap. 78, the grant of a CHARTER OF INCORPORATION to the said town ; and notice is hereby further given, that Her Majesty has been pleased, by Her Order in Council, of this day's date, to order that the said petition be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on the 10th day of January next.

Arthur Helps.

Foreign-Office November 5, 1860.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Major James Hay Wodehouse to be Her Majesty's Consul in the Society or Leeward Islands in the Pacific Ocean.

Whitehall, November 22, 1860.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting unto Admiral Sir Graham Eden Hamond, Bart., G.C.B., the office or place of Rear-Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the Admiralty thereof, in the room of the Earl of Dundonald, deceased.

By virtue of an Act, passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two Acts made in the tenth and fifteenth years of the reign of His present Majesty, as authorizes the Speaker of the House of Commons to issue his warrant to the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs for the election of Members to serve in Parliament, in the manner therein mentioned, and for substituting other provisions for the like purposes."

I do hereby give notice, that it hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, that the Honourable Sidney William Herbert Pierrepont, commonly called Viscount Newark, late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the Southern Division of the county of Nottingham, is become a Peer of the United Kingdom, and that a writ of summons hath been issued to him, under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, to summon him to Parliament ; and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said Southern Division of the county of Nottingham, at the end of fourteen days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this 22nd day of November, 1860.

JOHN EVELYN DENTSON, Speaker.

Crown-Office, November 22, 1860.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Reading.

Gillery Pigott, Esq., Serjeant-at-Law, in the room of Francis Pigott, Esq., who has accepted the office of Lieutenant-Governor of the Isle of Man.

Whitehall, November 9, 1860.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Daniel Richards Garner, of Brandon, in the county of Suffolk, Gentleman, Her Royal Licence and Authority, that he may, in compliance with an injunction contained in the last will and testament of his great-uncle, William Richards, of Palgrave, in the said county of Suffolk, Gentleman, deceased, henceforth take and use the surname of Richards, in addition to and after that of