

the district of the said Local Board is co-extensive with the district for which it is proposed to provide a burial ground or public cemetery; that no burial board has been appointed for the said district, though a small portion of such district (inconsiderable, however, both in extent and in population), being part of the northern extremity thereof, is at present included in the district of the Burial Board of Tunbridge, and that an Order in Council has been made for closing a burial ground within the said district, and praying that Her Majesty would be pleased to appoint the said Local Board of Health to be the Burial Board of the district over which they have jurisdiction as aforesaid:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty in Council is pleased hereby to give notice of such petition, 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 twenty-fifth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine:

And Her Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order be published in the London Gazette, and in one of the newspapers usually circulating in the district of the Local Board aforesaid, one month at least before the said twenty-fifth day of January one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

*Arthur Helps.*

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 9th day of *December*, 1868.

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 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 twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, it was directed that burials be discontinued, with certain exceptions, in the churchyard hereinafter mentioned, from the time specified in such Order, which time has since been postponed:

And whereas 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 said Order be read and construed as if the following words had been originally inserted after the word "children" in the fifth line, and in the fifteenth line of that part of the said Order relating to the churchyard of the parish of Witton-cum-Twambrooks:—"Husbands and wives of children, grandchildren, and brothers and sisters."

*Arthur Helps.*

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*Whitehall, December 10, 1868.*

The Queen has been pleased by letters patent under the Great Seal to grant the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the Right Honourable Sir William Page Wood, Knt., Chancellor of that part of the said United Kingdom called Great Britain, and to the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Hatherley, of Down Hatherley, in the county of Gloucester.

*Whitehall, December 10, 1868.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant the office of Her Majesty's Advocate for Scotland to James Moncreiff, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Counsel, Dean of the Faculty of Advocates.

*Windsor Castle, December 9, 1868.*

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Anthony Cleasby, one of the Barons of Her Majesty's Court of Exchequer.

*Windsor Castle, December 9, 1868.*

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Richard Baggallay, Esq., Her Majesty's Solicitor-General.

*Windsor Castle, December 9, 1868.*

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Louis Mallet, Esq., C.B., Assistant-Secretary to the Board of Trade.

*Foreign Office, December 8, 1868.*

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Don Tomas Kinaston Weir as Consul in London for the Republic of Chile.

*Downing Street, December 10, 1868.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Richard Pine, Esq., to be Clerk of the Courts and Keeper of Records in the Colony of British Honduras,

*Crown Office, December 9, 1868.*

MEMBERS returned to serve in the PARLIAMENT summoned to be holden on the 10th day of December, 1868.

*University of Glasgow.*

James Moncreiff, Doctor of Laws, Dean of the Faculty of Advocates, Edinburgh.

*December 10.*

*County of Orkney and Shetland.*

Frederick Dundas, Esq., of Hanover-square, London.