

"dead in the Metropolis," made a representation stating that, for the protection of the public health, no new burial ground should be opened in the under-mentioned 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, viz. :—

STONE, STAFFORD.—Forthwith and entirely in the Church of Saint Michael's, Stone, in the county of Stafford, and in the churchyard within four feet of its boundaries; and also in the rest of the churchyard after the thirty-first of December one thousand nine hundred except as follows :—

(a.) In vaults and wholly walled graves now existing, burials may be allowed on condition that every coffin be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented.

(b.) In earthen graves now existing, burials may be allowed of the relations of those already interred therein provided the bodies can be deposited at or below the depth of five feet without exposing coffins or disturbing human remains.

(c.) In reserved grave spaces which have never before been buried in and which when opened are free from water, burials may be allowed of so many members of the families to whom they may be allotted as can be buried at or below the depth of five feet :—

And forthwith and entirely in the Christchurch, Stone, in the county of Stafford; and also in the churchyard after the thirty-first of December one thousand nine hundred except as follows :—

(a.) In vaults and wholly walled graves now existing burials may be allowed on condition that every coffin be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented.

(b.) In earthen graves now existing, burials may be allowed of the relations of those already interred therein provided the bodies can be deposited at or below the depth of five feet without exposing coffins or disturbing human remains.

(c.) In reserved grave spaces which have never before been buried in, and which when opened are free from water, burials may be allowed of so many members of the families to whom they may be allotted as can be buried at or below the depth of five feet.

DENTON, NORTHAMPTON.—Forthwith and entirely in the Church and in the original churchyard of the parish of Denton, in the county of Northampton.

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 ninth day of January 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 ninth day of January.

A. W. FitzRoy

AT the Court at Windsor, the 29th day of November, 1898.

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 an Order in Council has been made directing the discontinuance of burials in the churchyard hereinafter mentioned from the time specified in such Order; and whereas it seems fit to Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, that the time for discontinuing burials in the said churchyard be further postponed :

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice aforesaid, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the time for the discontinuance of burials in the said churchyard be postponed as follows, viz. :—

In the Parish Churchyard of Partney, in the county of Lincoln, until the twenty-eighth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. *A. W. FitzRoy.*

Privy Council Office, November 29, 1898.

THE following Statutes, made on the twenty-eighth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, by the Governing Body of the College of Saint John the Evangelist, in the University of Cambridge, amending Statutes XLIII and LIV of the Statutes of the College, have been submitted for the approval of Her Majesty in Council and notice of their having been so submitted is published in accordance with the provisions contained in "The Universities of Oxford and Cambridge Act, 1877" :—

STATUTES to alter and amend the Statutes of the College of Saint John the Evangelist in the University of Cambridge such amending Statutes being duly made at a General Meeting of the Governing Body of the said College specially summoned for this purpose held on the twenty-eighth day of October one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight and passed at such meeting by the votes of the whole number of persons present and voting and now submitted for the approval of Her Majesty the Queen in Council.

Whereas the Governing Body of our said College in exercise of the powers conferred by the fifty-fourth section of "The Universities of Oxford and Cambridge Act 1877" did on the fourth day of December one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three make two Statutes to alter the Statutes framed for our said College by the Commissioners appointed under the said Act viz. Statute XXX intituled "The Foundation Scholars" and Statute XLIII intituled "Distribution of Revenues."

And whereas the said altered Statutes were approved by Her Majesty the Queen in Council