State, should be prohibited, or that burials in any city or town, or within any other limits, or in any burial-grounds or places of burial, should be wholly discontinued, or should be discontinued subject to any exception or qualification, it should be lawful for His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order that no new burial-ground should be opened in any city or town, or within such limits, without such previous approval, or (as the case might require) that, after a time mentioned in the Order, burials in such city or town, or within such limits, or in such burialgrounds or places of burial, should be discontinued wholly, or subject to any exceptions or qualifications mentioned in such Order and so from time to time as circumstances might require ; provided always, that notice of such representation, and of the time when it should please His Majezty to order that the same be taken into consideration by the Privy Council, should be published in the Lordon Gazette, and should 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 was so considered ; provided also, that no such representation should be made in relation to the burial-ground of any parish until ten days' previous notice of the intention to make such representation should have been given to the Incumbent and Vestry Clerk or Churchwardens of such parish :

And whereas by "The Burial Act, 1900," it was enacted that the powers and duties of the Secretary of State under the Burial Acts should be transferred to the Local Government Board :

And whereas the Local Government Board after giving to the incumbents and the churchwardens of the parishes hereinafter mentioned ten days' previous notice of their intention to make such representations made representations stating that, for the protection of the public health, no new burial-ground should be opened in the undermentioned civil parishes without the previous approval of the Local Government Board, and that burials should be discontinued therein as hereinafter directed.

And whereas His Majesty was pleased, by His Orders in Council of the fifteenth day of June last to give notice of such representations, and to order that the same should be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council on the twenty-sixth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and one, and such Orders have heen published in the London Gazette, and copies thereof have been affixed, as required by the said Act:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered that no new burialground shall be opened in the under-mentioned civil parishes without the previous approval of the Local Government Board, and that burials in the said parishes shall be discontinued as follows, viz. :--

- CHITHURST, SUSSEX.—Forthwith and entirely in the Parish Church of Chithurst, in the county of Sussex, and also in the churchyard.
- SOUTHWICK, WILTS. Forthwith and entirely in the Providence Nonconformist Chapel, Southwick, in the county of Wilts, and also in the chapelyard.
- SAINT GERMOE.—Forthwith and entirely in the Parish Church of Saint Germoe, in the county of Cornwall; and also in the churchyard after the thirty-first December, one thousand nine hundred and one.

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ed and one. A. W. FitzRoy. A T the Court at Saint James's, the 8th day of August, 1901.

## PRESENT,

## The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THEREAS by "The Burial Act, 1853," it was enacted that, in case it appeared to His Majesty in Council, upon the representation of one of His 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-grounds or places of burial, should be wholly discontinued, or should be discontinued subject to any exception or qualification, it should be lawful for His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order that no new burialground should be opened in any city or town, or within such limits, without such previous approval, or (as the case might require) that, after a time mentioned in the Order, burials in such city or town, or within such limits, or in such burialgrounds or places of burial, should be discontinued wholly, or subject to any exceptions or qualifications mentioned in such Order, and so from time to time as circumstances might require ; provided always, that notice of such representation, and of the time when it should please His Majesty to order that the same be taken into consideration by the Privy Council, should be published in the London Gazette, and should 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 was so considered ; provided also that no such representation should be made in relation to. the burial-ground of any parish until ten days' previous notice of the intention to make such representation should have been given to the incumbent and vestry clerk or churchwardens of such parish :

And whereas by "The Burial Act, 1855," it was, amongst other things, enacted that it should be lawful for His Majesty, by and with the advice of His 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, should or should not have arrived), as to His Majesty, with such advice as aforesaid, might seem fit :

And whereas by "The Burial Act, 1900," it was enacted that the powers and duties of the Secretary of State should be transferred to the Local Government Board.

And whereas the Local Government Board after giving to the incumbent and the churchwardens of the parish hereinafter mentioned ten days' previous notice of their intention to make such representation, made a representation stating that they wore of opinion that the Order in Council of the third May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, affecting burials in the parish of Wrexham, should be varied so far as regards clause two, and that the following directi ns should be substituted for those contained in the said clause, with respect to buria's in the new or additional parish churchyard in Ruthin-road, Wrexham :

And whereas His Majesty was pleased, by His Order in Council of the fifteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and one, to give notice