

such limits, or in such burial-grounds 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 the Local Government Board, after giving to the Incumbent and the churchwardens of the parish of All Saints or Saint James, Braithwell, in the West Riding of Yorkshire, and of the parish of Saint John the Baptist, Aulkborough, in the parts of Lindsey, 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 grounds should be opened in the civil parishes of Braithwell and Aulkborough without the previous approval of the Local Government Board, and that burials should be discontinued in the said parishes as hereinafter directed:

And whereas His Majesty was pleased, by His Order in Council of the twenty-sixth day of September 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 sixteenth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and eight, and such Order has been 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, as it is hereby ordered, that no new burial-ground shall be opened in the said civil parishes without the previous approval of the Local Government Board, and that burials in the said parishes shall be discontinued as follows, viz.:—

BRAITHWELL, WEST RIDING OF YORKSHIRE.—

Forthwith and entirely in the Parish Church of All Saints or Saint James, Braithwell, in the West Riding of Yorkshire; and in the parish churchyard as it existed in the year one thousand nine hundred and seven, except as follows:—

(a.) In any vault or walled grave now existing in the said churchyard burial may be allowed subject to the condition that every coffin buried in such vault or grave be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented:

(b.) In any earthen grave now existing in the said churchyard the burial may be allowed of the body of any member of the family of the person or persons heretofore buried in such grave; subject to the condition that no part of the coffin containing the body shall be at a depth less than three feet below the level of the surface of the ground adjoining the grave.

AULKBOROUGH, PARTS OF LINDSEY.—Forthwith and entirely in the Parish Church of

Saint John the Baptist, Aulkborough; and in the churchyard surrounding the said church, except as follows:—

(a.) In any earthen grave now existing in the said churchyard the burial may be allowed of the body of any member of the family of the person or persons heretofore buried in such grave; subject to the condition that no part of the coffin containing the body shall be at a depth less than three feet below the level of the surface of the ground adjoining the grave:

(b.) In the said churchyard in any grave space in which no interment has heretofore taken place the burial may be allowed of the bodies of William and Susanna Stamp, Sarah Booth, Elizabeth Brumby, and Wheatley Taylor, at their decease; subject to the condition that no part of the coffin containing the body shall in any case be at a depth less than three feet below the level of the surface of the ground adjoining the grave.

A. W. FitzRoy.

Foreign Office,

November 1, 1908.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—

James William Ronald Macleay, Esq., to be a First Secretary in His Majesty's Diplomatic Service; and

William James Garnett, Esq., and George Augustus Mounsey, Esq., to be Second Secretaries in His Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

Foreign Office,

November 21, 1908.

The KING has been pleased to approve of—

Mr. Henry Stagg as Consul of Panama at Brighton; and

Mr. Jacob Gerber as Vice-Consul of the Argentine Republic at East London, Cape Colony.

Foreign Office,

November 24, 1908.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—

Algernon Law, Esq., C.B., to be an Acting Councillor of Embassy in His Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

War Office, Whitehall,

30th November, 1908.

ARMY ACT.

It is proposed to amend the Rules for Military Prisons in the Field, under section 44 (9) of the Army Act.

Copies of the Rules, as amended, may be seen at the War Office.