

the intention to make such representation shall have been given to the Incumbent and the vestry clerk or churchwardens of such parish :

And whereas by the Burial Act, 1855, it is, amongst other things, enacted that it shall 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, shall or shall not have arrived), as to His Majesty, with such advice as aforesaid, may seem fit :

And whereas by an Order in Council dated the 8th day of February, 1855, it was ordered that burials should be discontinued in (amongst other places) the parish church and the churchyard of Wotton-under-Edge, in the county of Gloucester, as in the said Order mentioned :

And whereas the Local Government Board, after giving to the Incumbent and the churchwardens of the said parish of Wotton-under-Edge ten days' previous notice of their intention in that behalf have made a representation that so much of the said Order in Council of the 8th day of February, 1855, as relates to burials in the parish church and the churchyard of Wotton-under-Edge aforesaid, should be varied by substituting for the directions therein contained with regard to the said church and churchyard the following directions, viz. :—

That, except as hereinafter provided, burials shall be discontinued forthwith and entirely in the parish church of Saint Mary, Wotton-under-Edge, and in that portion of the churchyard which was in existence prior to the year 1855: Provided that in any vault or walled grave now existing in the said portion of the churchyard and situate not less than fifty feet from the house known as Lisle House, 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.

Now, therefore, His 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 Privy Council, on the 20th day of November next.

And His 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 parish affected by such representation one month before the said 20th day of November.

*Almeric FitzRoy.*

*Privy Council Office, October 14th, 1913.*

Notice is hereby given, that a Petition has been presented to His Majesty in Council by the

Council of the County Borough of Blackpool, praying, under the provisions of the Municipal Corporation Acts, 1882 and 1893, for an alteration of the number and boundaries of the Wards of the said Borough; and notice is hereby further given, that His Majesty has been pleased, by His 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 His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on the 17th day of November, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

*Chancery of the Royal Victorian Order,  
St. James's Palace, S.W.,*

*13th October, 1913.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to make the following promotions in the Royal Victorian Order:—

*To be Commanders.*

Commodore Norman Craig Palmer, M.V.O.,  
A.D.C., R.N.  
Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Cecil Lowther,  
C.M.G., M.V.O., D.S.O.

**TENDERS FOR LOANS ON TREASURY BILLS.**

1. The Lords Commissioners of H.M. Treasury hereby give notice, that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England, on Monday, the 20th October, at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Acts 40 Vic., cap. 2; 52 Vic., cap. 6; and 3 & 4 Geo. V, cap. 35, to the amount of £3,500,000.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1,000, £5,000, or £10,000. They will be dated the 24th October, 1913, and will be payable at three months after date, viz.:—on the 24th January, 1914.

3. *The Tenders must specify the net amount per cent. which will be given for the amounts applied for, and the Tenders of private individuals must be made through a London banker.*

4. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.

5. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same on Tuesday, the 21st October, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England not later than three o'clock on Friday, the 24th October, 1913.

6. The Lords Commissioners of H.M. Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers,  
14th October, 1913: