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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1916.

At the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 9th day of February 1916.

By the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

PRESENT,

Lord President.
Earl of Desart.
Mr. Arthur Acland.

WHEREAS by Section 2 of the Pharmacy Act, 1868, it is enacted that the several Articles named or described in Schedule (A) to that Act shall be deemed poisons within the meaning of that Act, and that the Council of the Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain may, from time to time, by Resolution, declare that any article in such Resolution named ought to be deemed a poison within the meaning of that Act, and that thereupon the said Society shall submit the same for the approval of the Privy Council; and that if such approval shall be given, then such Resolution and approval shall be advertised in the London Gazette; and, on the expiration of one month from such advertisement, the article named in such Resolution shall be deemed to be a poison within the meaning of that Act:

And whereas by Section 1 of the Poisons and Pharmacy Act, 1908, it is enacted that Schedule (A) to the Pharmacy Act, 1868, be repealed, and the Schedule to the Poisons and Pharmacy Act, 1908, substituted therefor, and that the said last-named Schedule may be amended by adding

thereto, or removing therefrom, any article, or transferring any article from one part of the said Schedule to the other, in the manner provided by Section 2 of the Pharmacy Act, 1868, for adding to the list of articles deemed to be poisons within the meaning of that Act:

And whereas the Council of the Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain did, on the 2nd day of February 1916, pass the following Resolution:—

“That by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in the Council of the Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain by the Pharmacy Act, 1868, as amended by the Poisons and Pharmacy Act, 1908, the said Council does hereby resolve and declare:—

“That the Article in Part 1 of the Schedule to the last-named Act ‘Opium and all preparations or admixtures containing 1 or more per cent. of Morphine’ ought to be removed therefrom, and that the article ‘Opium and all preparations or admixtures containing 0.75 per cent. of Morphine’ ought to be added thereto”:

And whereas the said Society have submitted their Resolution for the approval of the Privy Council, and the Lords of the Privy Council are of opinion that the said Resolution should be approved:

Now, therefore, their Lordships are hereby pleased to signify their approval of the said Resolution.

ALMERIC FITZROY.