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FRIDAY, 14 DECEMBER, 1917.

At the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 11th day of December, 1917.

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

PRESENT,

Lord President.
Duke of Northumberland.
Mr. Hayes Fisher.

WHEREAS by Section 2 of the Pharmacy Act, 1868, it is enacted that the several Articles named or described in the 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repealed, and the Schedule to the Poisons and Pharmacy Act, 1908, substituted therefor, and that the said last-named Schedule may be amended by (amongst other things) transferring any Article from one part of the same to the other in the manner provided by Section 2 of the Pharmacy Act, 1868:

And whereas the Council of the Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain did, on the 5th day of December, 1917, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in them by the Pharmacy Act, 1868, as amended by the Poisons and Pharmacy Act, 1908, resolve and declare as follows:—

“That the Schedule to the Poisons and Pharmacy Act, 1908, be amended by transferring the following Articles from Part 2 thereof to Part 1 thereof:—

Diethyl-Barbituric Acid, and other alkyl, aryl, or metallic derivatives of barbituric acid, whether described as veronal, propronal, medinal, or by any other trade name, mark, or designation; and all poisonous urethanes and ureides.”

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.