

At the Court at *Windsor Castle*, the 22nd day of *April*, 1927.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by sub-section (2) of Section 8 of the Therapeutic Substances Act, 1925, it is enacted that the Act shall come into operation on such day not being earlier than one year nor later than two years after the passing thereof as may be fixed by His Majesty by Order in Council:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, in pursuance of the Therapeutic Substances Act, 1925, and of all other powers enabling Him in that behalf, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. The day on which the said Act shall come into operation shall be the 6th day of August, 1927.

2. This Order may be cited as the Therapeutic Substances Act, 1925, (Date of Commencement) Order, 1927.

Colin Smith.

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HIS Majesty was this day pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, in pursuance of the provisions in that behalf contained in the Medical Act, 1886, to nominate Henry Hallett Dale, Esquire, C.B.E., F.R.S., M.D., F.R.C.P., to be, for five years, a Member of the General Council of Medical Education and Registration in the United Kingdom, in succession to Sir Nestor Isidore Charles Tirard, M.D., F.R.C.P.

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PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Union of Benefices Measure, 1923, duly prepared, and laid before His Majesty in Council, a Scheme bearing date the 17th day of March, 1927, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Union of Benefices Measure, 1923, have prepared, and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council, the following Scheme for effecting the union of the Benefice (being a Vicarage) of Monk Hopton and the Benefice (being a Rectory) of Upton Cressett, both of which Benefices are situate in the County of Salop and in the Diocese of Hereford:

"Whereas Commissioners appointed at our request by the Right Reverend Martin Linton,

Bishop of Hereford, pursuant to the provisions of the said Union of Benefices Measure, 1923, to inquire into and report upon the union of the said two Benefices of Monk Hopton and Upton Cressett duly made their Report to the said Bishop of Hereford and therein recommended the union of the said two Benefices and the terms for effecting the union, and the said Bishop of Hereford signified in writing his approval of the said Report:

"And whereas we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, have prepared this Scheme for the union of the said two Benefices based upon the terms recommended in the said Report:

"And whereas both of the said Benefices of Monk Hopton and Upton Cressett are now full, the Reverend Samuel Gracie Hayward being the present Incumbent thereof:

"And whereas the said Samuel Gracie Hayward has consented to become the first Incumbent of the United Benefice, if and when the union which is hereinafter recommended and proposed shall take effect:

"And whereas only one Parsonage House will be left standing or remaining within or belonging to the United Benefice when the union which is hereinafter recommended and proposed shall take effect namely the Parsonage House belonging to the said Benefice of Monk Hopton:

"Now, therefore, we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, with the consent of the said Martin Linton, Bishop of Hereford (in testimony whereof he has signed this Scheme), do humbly recommend and propose to Your Majesty as follows, that is to say:—

"1. That the said Benefice of Monk Hopton and the said Benefice of Upton Cressett shall be permanently united together and form one Benefice with Cure of Souls under the style of 'The United Benefice of Upton Cressett with Monk Hopton' but the Parishes of the said Benefices shall continue distinct in all respects.

"2. That upon the day when any Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this Scheme shall be published in the London Gazette the union shall forthwith take effect and the said Samuel Gracie Hayward if he is then Incumbent of the said Benefices of Monk Hopton and Upton Cressett shall be the first Incumbent of the United Benefice.

"3. That upon the said union taking effect the Parsonage House at present belonging to the said Benefice of Monk Hopton shall become and be the house of residence for the Incumbent of the United Benefice.

"4. That after the said union has taken effect the course and succession in which the respective Patrons shall present or nominate to the United Benefice from time to time as the same shall become vacant shall be as follows, that is to say, the right of presentation shall be exercised by the Patrons of the said two Benefices alternately, the Patron of the said Benefice of Monk Hopton having the right upon the first presentation to the United Benefice to be made after the union and every alternate right of presentation and the Patron of the said Benefice of Upton Cressett having the right of presentation upon the second pre-