

declare, and it is hereby declared, that the said Bishopric of Exeter shall become vacant on the 1st day of November, 1916, and His Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased to direct, and it is hereby directed, that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the Diocese of Exeter.

Almeric FitzRoy.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 24th day of *October*, 1916.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

Lord President.
Lord Chamberlain.
Lord Carnock.
Mr. Secretary Bonar Law.
Sir Joseph G. Ward.
Mr. W. F. Massey.
Lord Justice Scrutton.

WHEREAS by the Isle of Man (War Legislation) Act, 1914, His Majesty has power to extend to the Isle of Man any Act which, in the opinion of His Majesty, was passed for the purpose of meeting any emergency created by the present War, subject to adaptations for the purpose of making the Act applicable to the Isle of Man:

Now, therefore, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the Parliament and Local Elections Act, 1916, shall extend to the Isle of Man, adapted as set out in the Schedule hereto.

Almeric FitzRoy.

SCHEDULE.

1.—(1) The next Statutory Elections of members shall be postponed, or, in the case of Elections already postponed under the Elections and Registration (Isle of Man) Act, 1915, further postponed for a year; and the term of office of the existing members shall accordingly be extended, or further extended by one year.

This provision shall apply only where the next Statutory Election (whether a postponed election or not) would take place before the 1st day of November, 1917.

(2) Sub-sections (3), (4) and (5) of Section 1 of the Elections and Registration (Isle of Man) Act, 1915, shall apply to the foregoing Sub-section as they apply to the provisions of that Section with the substitution of the year 1917 for the year 1916.

(3) Any enactment making the payment of a fine a condition of resigning any office shall not have effect so as to require the payment of a fine in the case of a member who resigns any office after the date on which his term of office would, but for the provisions of the Elections and Registration (Isle of Man) Act, 1915, or this Act, have expired.

2. This Act may be cited as the Local Elections (Isle of Man) Act, 1916, and shall be construed as one with the Elections and Registration (Isle of Man) Act, 1915.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 24th day of *October*, 1916.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

Lord President.
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WHEREAS by the Isle of Man (War Legislation) Act, 1914, His Majesty has power to extend to the Isle of Man any Act which, in the opinion of His Majesty, was passed for the purpose of meeting any emergency created by the present War, subject to adaptations for the purpose of making the Act applicable to the Isle of Man:

And whereas by Order in Council dated the 17th day of December, 1914, His Majesty was pleased to order that the Defence of the Realm Consolidation Act, 1914, and the Defence of the Realm (Consolidation) Regulations, 1914, should extend to the Isle of Man, subject to the adaptations therein contained:

And whereas the said Act and Regulations have been amended by certain other Acts and Regulations, which said Acts and Regulations have been extended to the Isle of Man by various subsequent Orders in Council, subject to the adaptations therein contained:

And whereas the said Regulations have been further amended by Order in Council dated the 7th day of September, 1916:

Now, therefore, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the Regulations amending the Defence of the Realm (Consolidation) Regulations, 1914, made by Order of His Majesty in Council dated the 7th day of September, 1916, shall extend to the Isle of Man.

Almeric FitzRoy.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 24th day of *October*, 1916.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the 16th and 17th years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, Chapter 50, and of the Act of the 23rd and 24th years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 124, duly prepared, and laid before His Majesty in Council, a Scheme, bearing date the 12th day of October, in the year 1916, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

“ We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the 16th and 17th years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, Chapter 50, and of the Act of the 23rd and 24th years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 124, have prepared, and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council, the following Scheme for effecting an exchange of the Patronage of the Benefice (being a Vicarage) of Saint James, Albert Hill (Darlington),