

Members of Princess Mary's Royal Air Force Nursing Service, or its Reserve, and members of the Voluntary Aid Detachments employed therewith; Women enrolled in the Women's Auxiliary Air Force.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 29th day of *January*, 1947.

PRESENT

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by the Northern Rhodesia (Crown Lands and Native Reserves) Order in Council, 1928, (hereinafter referred to as "the Principal Order") His late Majesty King George the Fifth, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, was pleased to declare what land within Northern Rhodesia should be Crown Land and Native Reserves respectively and to confirm certain alienations of land within Northern Rhodesia:

And whereas it was further declared that the expression "Native Reserves" should mean the lands set apart by the principal Order (and described in the Schedule thereto) for the sole and exclusive use of the Natives of Northern Rhodesia and any lands which might thereafter be constituted Native Reserves by any Order in Council amending or adding to the said Order:

And whereas the principal Order has been amended from time to time:

And whereas it is expedient further to amend the principal Order:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers by the Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1890, or otherwise in His Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Northern Rhodesia (Native Reserves) Amendment Order in Council, 1947.

2. Section X of the Schedule to the Principal Order is hereby amended by the substitution for the last sentence of the description of the Tonga (Sigongo) Reserve of the following:

"Included within the boundaries defined above, but excluded from the Reserve:

Ibwe Munyama Mission (unsurveyed) 1,000 acres in extent, situated on the Mulolobela Stream.

Chirundu Township, 36 acres in extent, situated on the Zambezi River."

3. His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Council, may at any time revoke, alter, add to or amend this Order.

4. This Order shall come into operation forthwith and shall be published in the Northern Rhodesia Gazette and the Governor or other Officer for the time being Administering the Government of the Territory of Northern Rhodesia shall give directions for the publication of this Order at such places and in such manner and for such times as he thinks proper for giving due publicity thereto.

*E. C. E. Leadbitter.*

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 29th day of *January*, 1947.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have duly prepared and laid before His Majesty in Council a Scheme bearing date the 9th day of *January*, 1947, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the 33rd and 34th years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, Chapter 39, and of the Acts therein mentioned, that is to say, the Act of the 3rd and 4th years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 113, the Act of the 4th and 5th years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 39, and the Act of the 31st and 32nd years of Her said late Majesty, Chapter 114, have prepared the following Scheme for effecting a transfer of the ownership of the advowson or perpetual right of patronage of and presentation to the church and cure (hereinafter called "the said benefice") of Welford with Wickham in the county of Berks and in the diocese of Oxford:

"Whereas we are satisfied that Christopher Hampden Nicholson of Balrath Burry, Kells, County Meath, Ireland, Esquire, is the patron or

person entitled to present or nominate to the said benefice in case the same were now vacant:

"And whereas the said Christopher Hampden Nicholson desires to transfer the advowson of the said benefice to the Bishop of Oxford for the time being and is consenting to this Scheme (in testimony whereof he has executed the same).

"And whereas we are satisfied that the transfer will tend to make better provision for the cure of souls.

"Now, therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend Kenneth, Bishop of Oxford (in testimony whereof he has executed this Scheme) we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, humbly recommend and propose that upon and from the day of the date of the publication in the *London Gazette* of any Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this Scheme and without any conveyance or assurance in the law other than such duly gazetted Order, the whole advowson or perpetual right of patronage of and presentation to the said benefice shall be transferred to the said Kenneth, Bishop of Oxford, and his successors in the same Bishopric and shall thereupon and thenceforth become and be absolutely vested in and shall and may from time to time be exercised by the Bishop of Oxford for the time being."

And whereas the said Scheme has been approved by His Majesty in Council:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice of His said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said Scheme, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately upon the publication of this Order in the *London Gazette* pursuant to the said Acts.

And His Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said Diocese of Oxford.

*E. C. E. Leadbitter.*

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 29th day of *January*, 1947.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have duly prepared and laid before His Majesty in Council a Scheme bearing date the 12th day of *December*, 1946, 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 a share of the patronage of the benefice of Saint Nicholas, Dunston in the diocese of Durham for a share of the patronage of the benefice of Bishopton with Great Stainton in the same diocese:

"Whereas the right of patronage of and presentation to each of the two benefices mentioned above is at present exercised alternately by the Lord High Chancellor on behalf of Your Majesty and by the Bishop of Durham for the time being:

"And whereas it has been proposed to us that the patronage of the said two benefices should be re-arranged by way of exchange in the manner which is hereinafter recommended and proposed:

"And whereas we have made due inquiry and calculation as to the circumstances and relative value of the said benefices and of the patronage thereof respectively and we do hereby certify to Your Majesty in Council that the circumstances and present values of the said benefices are as set forth in the Schedule hereunto annexed:

"Now, therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend Alwyn, Bishop of Durham, and the Right Honourable William Allen Baron Jowitt, now Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain acting on behalf of Your Majesty (in testimony whereof they have executed this Scheme) we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, recommend and propose that upon and from the day of the date of the publication in the *London Gazette* of any Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this Scheme and without any conveyance or assurance in the law other than such duly gazetted Order, the share of the patronage of and presentation to the said benefice of Saint Nicholas, Dunston, which is now as