

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO.

No. 35.—1918.

I ASSENT,

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J. R. CHANCELLOR,
Governor.

20th December, 1918.

AN ORDINANCE to vest the property of the Salvation Army in the General for the time being of the said Army.

[20th December, 1918.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS by Deed Poll dated the 7th day of August 1878 made by William Booth and duly recorded in the Chancery Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice in England it was declared that a Society had been formed under the name of the Christian Mission for the purposes mentioned in the said Deed: And Whereas by another Deed Poll dated the 24th day of June 1880 made by the said William Booth and duly recorded as aforesaid it was declared that the name of the said Society had been changed to "The Salvation Army": And Whereas by another Deed Poll made by the said William Booth and recorded as aforesaid on the 22nd day of July 1904 the purposes and objects of The Salvation Army were more fully set forth and declared: And Whereas in and by the said Deeds it was declared that the General of the Salvation Army should have power to acquire any real or personal

estate which might in his judgment be required for the purposes of the Salvation Army and the said William Booth was declared the First General of The Salvation Army and provision was made for the appointment of subsequent Generals of The Salvation Army: And Whereas the said William Booth died on the 20th day of August 1912, and William Bramwell Booth was duly appointed the General of The Salvation Army in succession to the said William Booth: And Whereas the said William Bramwell Booth acquired Real Property in this Colony for the purposes of the Salvation Army which Real Property was conveyed to and vested in the said William Bramwell Booth in fee simple and also acquired certain personal property and it is now desirable to provide for the vesting of the said real and personal property in the General for the time being of the Salvation Army: Be it enacted by the Governor of Trinidad and Tobago with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof as follows:—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as The Salvation Army Short Title.
Incorporation Ordinance, 1918.
2. The General of the Salvation Army for the time being shall be deemed a Corporation Sole and shall be known and described as "The General of The Salvation Army." General of Salvation Army to be deemed a Corporation Sole.
3. All real and personal property in this Colony and all interest therein now vested in the said William Bramwell Booth are hereby vested in "The General of The Salvation Army" to the same extent to which they vested in the said William Bramwell Booth prior to the commencement of this Ordinance. Realty and Personalty vested in General of Salvation Army.
4. "The General of The Salvation Army" shall have full power to acquire by purchase, transfer, donation, exchange, devise, bequest, grant, gift, conveyance or otherwise any real or personal property in this Colony or any estate or interest therein. Power of General of Salvation Army to acquire realty and personalty
5. "The General of The Salvation Army" shall subject to any restraint, reservation or condition contained in the document under which he shall have acquired title thereto General entitled to sell mortgage, etc.

be entitled to sell, mortgage, lease or otherwise dispose of and deal with all property which may for the time being be vested in or have been acquired by him under any of the provisions of this Ordinance.

Change of person holding office of General not to affect property and interest.

6. No change of the person holding the office of General of The Salvation Army shall affect any real or personal property or any interest therein vested in "The General of The Salvation Army" but the same shall vest in the succeeding General of The Salvation Army in the same way and to the same extent that they vested in the former General of The Salvation Army.

Power to appoint Attorney.

7. "The General of The Salvation Army" shall have power to appoint an Attorney for such time and purposes and with such powers as may be stated in the Power of Attorney.

Who to be deemed General of the Salvation Army.

8. Upon the lodging at the office of the Registrar-General of copies certified by the proper Officer or sealed by the proper Department of His Majesty's High Court of Justice in England of documents purporting to be the appointment of and acceptance of Office by a General of The Salvation Army the person named in such appointment and acceptance shall be deemed "The General of The Salvation Army" until the recording and lodging of similarly certified copies of a new Appointment and Acceptance.

Not to prejudice the right of His Majesty the King, etc.

9. Nothing in this Ordinance shall prejudice or affect the right of His Majesty the King His Heirs and Successors or any body politic or corporate or of any other person or persons except such as are mentioned in this Ordinance and those claiming by from through or under them.

Passed in Council this Thirteenth day of December in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

J. M. FARFAN,
Acting Clerk of the Council.