2. The Hill Cattle (England and Wales) Scheme, 1947(a), is hereby varied by the deletion in paragraph 5 (*a*) thereof of the words " on hill land."

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries is hereunto affixed this 26th day of February, nineteen hundred and forty-eight.

(L.S.) *T. Williams.*

We approve

Wm. Hannan,

R. J. Taylor,

Two of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Scheme but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

This amendment to the Hill Cattle (England and Wales) Scheme, 1947, enables cows and heifers otherwise qualifying for the higher rate of subsidy to be removed from hill land for short periods for such purposes as the suckling or pail feeding of calves in districts where such removal is a recognised practice of hill farming.

The Hill Cattle Subsidy Payment (England and Wales) Order, 1948

1948 No. 417

Made - - - -	*26th February,* 1948
Laid before Parliament	*2nd March,* 1948
Coming into Operation	*12th March,* 1948

In pursuance of Section 14 (3) of the Hill Farming Act, 1946(b), the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, with the approval of the Treasury, hereby makes the following Order:—

1. Subject to the provisions of the Hill Cattle (England and Wales) Scheme, 1947(a), as amended by the Hill Cattle (England and Wales) Amendment Scheme, 1948(c), the amount which may be paid in respect of the year, 1948, by way of subsidy payment under that Scheme in respect of any animal to which it applies shall be, in respect of such an animal being a cow or heifer of the description referred to in sub-paragraph (*a*) of paragraph 5 of the Hill Cattle (England and Wales) Scheme, 1947, £3 15s. od.; or, in respect of such an animal being a cow, heifer, or homebred steer of the description referred to in sub-paragraph (*b*) of the said paragraph, £2 15s. od.

2. The Interpretation Act, 1889(d), applies to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

(a) S.R. & O. 1947 (No. 975) I, p. 19.
(b) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 73.
(c) S.I. 1948 No. 416, p. 48 above.
(d) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

3. This Order may be cited as the Hill Cattle Scheme Subsidy Payment (England and Wales) Order, 1948, and shall come into operation on the twelfth day of March, nineteen hundred and forty-eight.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries is hereunto affixed this 26th day of February, nineteen hundred and forty-eight.

(L.S.) *T. Williams.*

We approve

Wm. Hannan,

R. J. Taylor,

Two of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

The Hill Cattle (England and Wales) Scheme, 1947, made under the Hill Farming Act, 1946, sets out the conditions on which subsidy payments may be made in respect of cattle grazed on hill land. This Order prescribes the amounts of such payments for the year 1948 for different descriptions of cattle.

(iv) HILL SHEEP SCHEMES

The Hill Sheep (England and Wales) Emergency Payments Scheme, 1948

1948 No. 511

Made - - - -	*8th March,* 1948
Laid before Parliament	*15th March,* 1948
Coming into Operation	*24th March,* 1948

In pursuance of Section 13 of the Hill Farming Act, 1946(a), Sections 2 and 3 of the Agriculture (Emergency Payments) Act, 1947(b) and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries with the approval of the Treasury hereby makes the following Scheme:—

1. This Scheme may be cited as the Hill Sheep (England and Wales) Emergency Payments Scheme, 1948, and shall come into operation on the 24th day of March, 1948.

(a) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 73. (b) 10 & 11 Geo. 6. c. 32.