material is being made, loaded, unloaded, and dealt with in transit therein, and that men belonging to His Majesty's Naval and Military forces are assembled therein:

Now, THEREFORE, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows :-

The Defence of the Realm (Liquor Control) Regulations, 1915, and any Regulations amending the same, shall be, and are, hereby applied to the area defined and specified in the Schedule hereto

ALMERIC FITZROY.

SCHEDULE.

The Southern Military and Transport Area, being the area comprising the Town and County of Poole, and the County of Dorset (excepting the Boroughs of Bridport and Lyme Regis, and the Petty Sessional Division of Bridport); the City of Salisbury, and the County of Wilts; the City of Winchester, the County Boroughs of Bournemouth, Portsmouth, and Southampton, and the County of Southampton (including the Isle of Wight); the County Borough of Reading, and the Boroughs of Maidenhead and Windsor, and the Petty Sessional Divisions of Maidenhead, Reading (excepting the Parishes of Ashampstead, Bassildon and Streatley), Windsor, and Wokingham, in the County of Berks; the Parishes of Maple Durham, Kidmore End, Eye and Dunsden, and Shiplake, in the County of Oxford; the Petty Sessional Division of Stoke, and the Parishes of Farnham Royal, Burnham, Taplow, Hitcham, Dorney, and Boveny, in the County of Buckingham; the Boroughs of Guildford and Godalming, and the Petty Sessional Divisions of Chertsey, Farnham, Guildford, and Woking, in the County of Surrey; the City of Chichester, and the Petty Sessional Divisions of Chichester, Arundel, Petworth, and Midhurst, in the County of Sussex.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 15th day of February 1916.

PRESENT.

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HEREAS under the Defence of the Realm (Amendment) (No. 3) Act, 1915, His Majesty has power by Order in Council to define any area wherein it appears to His Majesty on the grounds specified in the said Act to be expedient for the purpose of the successful prosecution of the present War that the sale and supply of intoxicating liquor should be controlled by the State, and to apply to such area so defined the Regulations issued by His Majesty in pursuance of the said Act under the Defence of the Realm Consolidation Act, 1914:

And whereas His Majesty in Council in pursuance of the said first-mentioned Act, has issued the Defence of the Realm (Liquor Control) Regulations, 1915, under the said last mentioned Act:

And whereas by an Order in Council, dated the 6th day of July 1915, His Majesty was pleased to apply the said Regulations and any Regulations | carriage of cargo by any British steamship ex-

amending the same to an Area more particularly described in paragraph 1 of the Schedule to the said Order.

And whereas it appears to His Majesty to be expedient that the definition of the said area should be amended, and that the said area should be extended, and that the area comprising the City of Bath, the Petty Sessional Division of Lawford's Gate, in the County of Gloucester; the Petty Sessional Divisions of Long Ashton, Keynsham, Weston, and Frome, and the Parishes of Chew Stoke, Chew Magna, Stowey, Stanton Drew, Chelwood, Publow, and Norton Malreward, in the County of Somerset, should be added to the said first-mentioned area:

And whereas it appears to His Majesty that it is expedient for the purpose of the successful prosecution of the present War that the sale and supply of intoxicating liquor in the area thereby constituted and defined and specified in the Schedule hereto should be controlled by the State on the grounds that war material is being made, loaded, unloaded, and dealt with in transit therein, and that men belonging to His Majesty's Military Forces are assembled therein:

Now, THEREFORE, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

The Defence of the Realm (Liquor Control) Regulations, 1915, and any Regulations amending the same, shall be, and are, hereby applied to the area defined and specified in the Schedule hereto.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

SCHEDULE.

The Bristol and Bath Area, being the area comprising the Cities of Bristol and Bath, the Petty Sessional Division of Lawford's Gate, in the County of Gloucester; the Petty Sessional Divisions of Long Ashton, Keynsham, Weston, and Frome, and the Parishes of Chew Stoke, Chew Magna, Stowey, Stanton Drew, Chelwood, Publow, and Norton Malreward, in the County of Somerset: and the area within the circumference of a circle having a radius of five miles measured from the Lighthouse known as the "South Pier Lighthouse," Avonmouth, and situate in the Bristol Channel at or near the estuary of the River Avon.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 15th day of February 1916.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THEREAS a state of war exists beween His Majesty and the German Emperor, the Emperor of Austria King of Hungary, the Sultan of Turkey and the King of the Bulgarians:

And whereas His Majesty holds it to be His Prerogative Duty as well as His Prerogative Right to take all steps necessary for the Defence and Protection of the Realm:

And whereas His Majesty did by Order in Council dated November 10th, 1915, prohibit the