

a minimum award for each limb or eye, or each injury equivalent or nearly equivalent thereto, as follows:—

### I.—IN ACTION.

#### COMMISSIONED WARRANT OFFICERS.

- (a) A Gratuity of £250 for the first year, and
- (b) A Pension of £100 a year, commencing 12 months after the date of the loss or injury.
- (c) No Officer who loses the sight of both eyes as the result of injuries received in action to be awarded less than £225 a year in all.

#### WARRANT OFFICERS.

- (a) A Gratuity of £200 for the first year, and
- (b) A Pension of £75 a year commencing 12 months after the date of the loss or injury.
- (c) No Officer who loses the sight of both eyes as the result of injuries received in action to be awarded less than £175 a year in all.

### II.—OTHERWISE THAN IN ACTION.

Commissioned Warrant Officers and Warrant Officers to receive Pensions of £75 and £50 a year respectively, commencing from the date of the loss or injury.

The above Rates of Pensions to apply to Non-combatant Officers, according to relative rank, to Marine Warrant Officers, Class I, and to Coast Guard Officers: Divisional Chief Officers of Coast Guard, and Chief Officers, Permanent Cruiser Service, ranking for this purpose as Commissioned Warrant Officers, and Chief Officers of Stations and late in charge of Batteries, together with Senior Mates and Second Mates of the Permanent Cruiser Service, ranking as Warrant Officers.

The awards to be governed by similar rules to those laid down for Commissioned and Subordinate Officers in the Order in Council of the 29th February, 1916.

Men granted Acting Warrant Rank and Officers with Acting Rank on the Permanent, Temporary, or Reserve Lists to be dealt with as if they were confirmed in the Acting Rank.

#### QUARTERMASTERS, R.M., DISABILITY PENSIONS, &c.

If on the Permanent List—as laid down in the Army Regulations (*vide* Section A (3) of Order in Council, 29th February, 1916).

If on the Reserve or Temporary List—on the scale laid down in Section B of Order in Council, 29th February, 1916.

#### WOUNDS, &c., PENSIONS, &c.

Whether on the Permanent, Reserve, or Temporary List—on the scale laid down in Order in Council, 29th February, 1916."

His Majesty, having taken the said Memorial into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to approve of what is therein proposed. And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

*Almeric FitzRoy.*

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 24th day of *January*, 1917.

#### PRESENT,

The KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Lord President.  
Lord Chamberlain.  
Lord Cowdray.  
Sir Frederick Ponsonby.  
Sir John Jordan.  
Mr. J. W. Gulland.  
Mr. Thomas Wiles.  
Mr. L. S. Jones.

**W**HEREAS 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 Orders in Council dated the 29th day of November, 1916, and the 22nd day of December, 1916, respectively:

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 29th day of November, 1916, and the 22nd day of December, 1916, respectively, shall extend to the Isle of Man, subject to the following adaptations:—

*In the Regulations of the 29th November, 1916.*

Omit paragraphs 1 and 2.

*In the Regulations of the 22nd December, 1916.*

In Regulation 41, A.A. (1) for the words "*Great Britain*" there shall be substituted the words "*the Isle of Man*" and after the words "*Munitions of War (Amendment) Act, 1916*," there shall be read the words "*being an Act of the Imperial Parliament.*"

*Almeric FitzRoy.*

*Lord Chancellor's Office,  
House of Lords,*

*26th January, 1917.*

SUPREME COURT, ENGLAND.

PROCEDURE.

THE RULES OF THE SUPREME COURT (COSTS), 1917.

DATED 26TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1917.

Notice is hereby given, that the Rule Com-