Warrant Officer, Non-Commissioned Officer, or Man to whom the Conspicuous Gallantry Medal may have been, or may hereafter be, awarded, concurrently with an annuity in respect of the latter distinction.

(2) That the receipt of an annuity or an additional pension or a gratuity in respect of one of these medals shall not disqualify a holder of both medals from receiving a gratuity in respect of the other.

"The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury have signified their concurrence in this proposal."

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 28th day of June, 1917.

PRESENT,

The KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Lord Steward.

Lord Colebrooke.

Mr. Duke.

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 27th day of June, 1916, His Majesty was pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order that the Naval and Military War Pensions, &c., Act, 1915, should extend to the Isle of Man, subject to the adaptations therein contained:

And whereas an Act for establishing a Ministry of Pensions, and for purposes connected therewith, has been passed by the Imperial Parliament, entitled "The Ministry of Pensions Act, 1916":

And whereas it is desirable to extend such last-named Act to the Isle of Man:

Now, therefore, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the Ministry of Pensions Act, 1916, shall extend to the Isle of Man, subject to the following adaptations:—

The Naval and Military War Pensions, &c., Act, 1915, referred to in the Ministry of Pensions Act, 1916, shall be deemed to be the said Act as extended to, and adapted for, the Isle of Man by Order in Council of the 27th day of June, 1916.

In Sub-section (5) of Section 6, after the words "Documentary Evidence Act, 1882," there shall be read the words "(being Acts of the Imperial Parliament)."

Almeric FitzRoy.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 28th day of June, 1917.

PRESENT,

The KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Lord Steward. Lord Colebrooke. Mr. Duke.

WHEREAS 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 an Order in Council of the 2nd May, 1917:

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 the Order of His Majesty in Council dated the 2nd May, 1917, shall extend to the Isle of Man, subject to the following adapta-

tions:— Omit Paragraph 1.

In Paragraph 2 for "United Kingdom" read "Isle of Man."

Almeric FitzRoy.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 28th day of June, 1917.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HEREAS by Paragraph (b) of Article 2 of the Order in Council dated the 27th day of March, 1905, Picric Acid, when the quantity does not exceed 2,000 lbs. in any one ship, boat, carriage, building, or place, is under certain conditions exempted from being deemed to be an explosive within the meaning of the Explosives Act, 1875:

And whereas circumstances have since arisen which render it expedient in the interests of public safety that the said exemption be withdrawn:

And whereas the provisions of Section 1 of The Rules Publication Act, 1893, have been complied with:

Now, therefore, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to repeal from the date hereof the said exemption contained in Paragraph (b) of Article 2 of the Order in Council aforesaid.

Almeric FitzRoy.