

Council subject to the adaptations therein contained:

And whereas the said Regulations have been further amended by an Order in Council dated the 8th day of November, 1918:

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, issued by Order of His Majesty in Council, dated the 8th November, 1918, shall extend to the Isle of Man, with the following adaptations:—

Omit paragraphs 1 and 3.

Almeric FitzRoy.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 15th day of *April*, 1919.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

Lord President.

Earl of Donoughmore.

Sir Maurice de Bunsen.

Sir Frederick Ponsonby.

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 Order in Council dated the 12th day of March, 1919:

And whereas it is desirable to extend the said Regulations contained in the Order in Council of the 12th day of March, 1919, 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 said Regulations amending the Defence of the Realm (Consolidation) Regulations, 1914, issued by Order of His Majesty in Council, dated the 12th March, 1919, shall extend to the Isle of Man.

Almeric FitzRoy.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 15th day of *April*, 1919.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by section 26 of the Pluralities Act, 1838, after reciting that "whereas in some instances Tithings, Hamlets, Chapelries, and other Places or Dis-

tricts may be separated from the Parishes or Mother Churches to which they belong, with great advantage, and Places altogether extra-parochial may, in some instances, with advantage be annexed to Parishes or Districts to which they are contiguous, or be constituted Separate Parishes for ecclesiastical purposes," it is, amongst other things, enacted, "That when with respect to his own Diocese it shall appear to the Archbishop of the Province, or when the Bishop of any Diocese shall represent to the said Archbishop, that any such Tithing, Hamlet, Chapelry, Place or District within the Diocese of such Archbishop, or the Diocese of such Bishop, as the case may be, may be advantageously separated from any Parish or Mother Church, and either be constituted a Separate Benefice by itself or be united to any other Parish to which it may be more conveniently annexed, or to any other adjoining Tithing, Hamlet, Chapelry, Place, or District, parochial or extra-parochial, so as to form a Separate Parish or Benefice, or that any extra-parochial place may with advantage be annexed to any Parish to which it is contiguous, or be constituted a Separate Parish for ecclesiastical purposes; and the said Archbishop, or Bishop, shall draw up a Scheme in writing (the Scheme of such Bishop to be transmitted to the said Archbishop for his consideration) describing the mode in which it appears to him that the alteration may best be effected, and how the changes consequent on such alteration in respect to Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction, Glebe Lands, Tithes, Rent Charges, and other Ecclesiastical Dues, Rates and Payments, and in respect to Patronage and Rights to Pews, may be made with justice to all parties interested; and if the Patron or Patrons of the Benefice or Benefices to be affected by such alteration shall consent in writing under his or their hands to such Scheme, or to such modification thereof, as the said Archbishop may approve, and the said Archbishop shall, on full consideration and inquiry, be satisfied with any such Scheme, or modification thereof, and shall certify the same and such Consent as aforesaid, by his Report to His Majesty in Council, it shall be lawful for His Majesty in Council to make an Order for carrying such Scheme, or modification thereof, as the case may be, into effect."

And whereas the Right Reverend Herbert, Lord Bishop of Hereford, hath made a Representation in writing, dated the 4th day of October, 1918, to the Right Honourable and Most Reverend Randall Thomas, Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, as follows:—

"I, the Right Reverend Herbert, Lord Bishop of Hereford, do hereby represent to your Grace that there is in the City of Hereford, in my Diocese, the Parish of St. John Baptist, which is widely scattered:

"The Dean and Chapter of Hereford are the Patrons of the Living, and the Dean of Hereford is the present Incumbent. There is no Parsonage House, and no separate Parish Church, but there is a prescriptive right to hold services in some part of the Cathedral of Hereford, and for many years such services have been held in the Lady Chapel in the said Cathedral:

"It appears to me that, with advantage to the interests of religion, the larger portion of the said Parish and part of the parochial endowments should be divided between the adjoining Parishes as is more particularly de-