

they may think proper, either generally or on a particular occasion, as to the burial of the bodies of enemies killed in the course of hostile operations and no inquest shall be held on any body to which directions so given relate."

6. For Regulation 41AA the following Regulation shall be substituted:—

"41AA. (1) Where a workman who holds, in consequence of his occupation, a certificate issued by a Munitions Recruiting Officer, to the effect that he is not for the time being to be called up for military service, ceases to be employed by a person in Great Britain that person shall, within forty-eight hours after such workman ceases to be employed by him, deliver at or send by registered post to the Munitions Area Recruiting Office from which the workman's certificate was issued or such other address as may be prescribed, a notice signed by him or on his behalf stating the workman's full names, his last known address, the number of his certificate and the date when he ceased to be so employed.

"(2) Where any person in Great Britain takes any such workman as aforesaid into his employment he shall within forty-eight hours thereafter deliver at or send by registered post to the Munitions Area Recruiting Office for the area in which the workman is so taken into employment or such other address as may be prescribed, a notice signed by him or on his behalf stating the workman's full names, his present address, the number of his certificate, the name of the Munitions Area Recruiting Office from which that certificate was issued and the date when the employment commenced.

"(3) Where whilst any such workman as aforesaid remains in the employment of any person in Great Britain his place of employment is changed from one munitions area to another the person by whom he is employed shall within forty-eight hours after the change deliver at or send by registered post to—

(a) the Munitions Area Recruiting Office from which the workman's certificate was issued or such other address as may be prescribed; and

(b) the Munitions Area Recruiting Office for the area to which the workman's place of employment is changed or such other address as may be prescribed; a notice signed by him or on his behalf stating the workman's full names, his present address, the number of his certificate, the office from which that certificate was issued and the date of the change of place of employment.

"(4) It shall be the duty of every such workman as aforesaid when required, to furnish to his present or last employer such information as may be necessary to enable such employer to comply with the requirements of this regulation.

"(5) The Army Council may by general or special order exempt any person or class of persons from all or any of the obligations imposed by this regulation and prescribe the addresses to which notices under this regulation are to be delivered or sent.

"(6) If any person fails to comply with any of the requirements of this regulation or gives in or for the purposes of any such notice as aforesaid any false or misleading information he

shall be guilty of a summary offence against these regulations."

7. In Regulation 48 after the words "Any person who attempts to commit" there shall be inserted the words "or solicits or incites or endeavours to persuade another person to commit."

ALMERIC FITZROY.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 8th day of August 1917.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a Memorial from the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, dated the 28th day of July 1917, in the words following, viz:—

"Whereas by Section 3 of the Naval and Marine Pay and Pensions Act, 1865, it is enacted, *inter alia*, that all pay, pensions, or other allowances in the nature thereof, payable in respect of services in Your Majesty's Naval or Marine Force to a person being or having been an Officer, Seaman, or Marine therein, shall be paid in such manner, and subject to such restrictions, conditions, and provisions, as are from time to time directed by Order in Council:

"And whereas we are of opinion that provision should be made for the promotion of Naval Instructors to higher Rank:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased to sanction the establishment of the Rank of Chief Naval Instructor under the conditions set forth in the annexed Schedule.

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

"SCHEDULE.

"Relative Rank.

"Chief Naval Instructors to rank with Captains of 3 years' seniority.

"Pay.

"Pay to be £1 15s. 0d. a day inclusive of all allowances.

"Half Pay.

"Half Pay to be at the rate of 17s. 6d. a day.

"Retired Pay.

"Retired Pay to be on the existing scale for Naval Instructors, with an addition of £10 a year for each year's service as Chief Naval Instructor, subject to a maximum of £500 a year.

"Widows' Pensions, etc.

"Disability, Injury, and Wounds, Pensions and Gratuities, Widows' Pensions and Compassionate Allowances for Children, to be on the scale applicable to Paymasters-in-Chief.

"Retirement.

"Retirement to be compulsory at the age of 60. Optional retirement to be allowed at the discretion of the Admiralty at the age of 55.