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FRIDAY, 10 OCTOBER, 1930.

*Whitehall, October 4, 1930.*

The KING has been pleased to issue Warrants under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual to the following effect:—

**GEORGE R.I.**

GEORGE THE FIFTH, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India, to all to whom these Presents shall come,

Greeting!

Whereas Her late Majesty Queen Victoria being desirous of distinguishing by some mark of Her Royal Favour the many heroic acts performed by Mariners and others who endanger their own lives in saving or endeavouring to save the lives of others from shipwrecks and other perils of the sea; and the many heroic acts performed on land by those who endanger their own lives in saving or endeavouring to save the lives of others from accidents in mines, on railways and at fires, or other peril within Her Dominions, other than perils of the sea, did, by Warrants under the Royal Sign Manual bearing date respectively the 7th March, 1866, the 12th April, 1867, and the 30th April, 1877, for Herself, Her Heirs and Successors institute and create as a mark of Royal Approval of such heroic acts, new Decorations styled respectively "The Albert Medal of the

First Class," and "The Albert Medal of the Second Class," which Decorations Her Majesty was desirous should be highly prized and eagerly sought after:

And whereas all the Warrants relating to these Decorations were consolidated by a Warrant under the Sign Manual bearing date the 5th June, 1905:

And whereas by Warrant under Our Royal Sign Manual bearing date the 28th August, 1917, the style of the said Decorations was amended and the Rules and Ordinances for the government of the Decorations were further consolidated:

And whereas We are desirous of amending the seventh clause of the said Royal Warrant of the 28th August, 1917:

Now know ye that We do by these Presents for Us, Our Heirs and Successors abrogate the seventh clause of the said Royal Warrant of the twenty-eighth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and in lieu thereof We ordain that it shall be competent for Us, Our Heirs and Successors by an Order under Our Sign Manual and on a recommendation to that effect by or through one of Our Principal Secretaries of State to cancel and annul the award to any person of either of the above Decorations and that thereupon his name in the Register shall be erased. Provided that it shall be competent for Us, Our heirs and Successors to restore any Decoration which may have been so forfeited when such