

nomination, a Commission in Our Navy, in Our Land Forces or Marines, in Our Air force or in Our Indian, Dominion or Colonial Naval, Military or Air Forces, or a Commission in one of the Departments of Our Navy, Army or Air Force, the holder of which is entitled to Honorary or relative Navy, Army or Air Force rank, nor shall any person be nominated unless his services shall have been marked by the especial mention of his name, by the Admiral or Senior Naval Officer Commanding a Squadron or detached Naval Force, by the Commander in-Chief of the Military Forces in the Field, or by the Air or other officer commanding the Air Forces engaged, in despatches for distinguished services under fire or under conditions equivalent to services in actual combat with the enemy.

Now, Therefore, We do, by these Presents for Us, Our Heirs, and Successors, ordain and appoint that the Thirteenth Clause of Our said Statutes shall be cancelled and annulled and the following substituted therefor:—

Thirteenthly: It is ordained that it shall be competent for Us, Our Heirs and Successors, by an Order under Our Sign Manual, and on the recommendation to that effect by or through one of Our Principal Secretaries of State to cancel and annul the appointment of any person to this Order and that thereupon his name in the register of Members shall be erased; but that it shall be competent for Us, Our Heirs and Successors, to restore to the Order any person whose appointment may have been cancelled and annulled when such recommendation has been withdrawn; and notice thereof of cancellation or restoration in every case shall be published in the London Gazette.

And We do further ordain and appoint that Miniature Badges worn by Members of Our said Order shall be half the size of the Badges of Our said Order and that Sealed Patterns of the said Miniature Badges shall be deposited and kept in the Central Chancery of Our Orders of Knighthood.

Given at Our Court at *St. James's* this *fifth* day of *February*, in the Twenty-first year of Our Reign and in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and thirty-one.

By His Majesty's Command,
T. Shaw.

ROYAL WARRANT.

THE TERRITORIAL DECORATION.

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 by a Warrant under Our Sign Manual dated the 13th day of October, 1920, We were graciously pleased to make ordain

and establish rules and ordinances for the governance of The Territorial Decoration reserving to Ourselves Our Heirs and Successors full power of annulling, altering, abrogating, augmenting, interpreting, or dispensing with those regulations or any part thereof by a notification under Our Sign Manual:

And whereas it is Our Will and Pleasure that the rule and ordinance contained in the said Warrant regarding the forfeiture or restoration of the Decoration shall be amended:

And whereas reproductions of the said Decoration known as Miniature Decorations are worn on certain occasions:

And whereas We deem it expedient that the size and pattern of such Miniature Decorations shall be clearly defined:

Now therefore We do, by these Presents for Us, Our Heirs and Successors, ordain and appoint that the Twelfth Clause in the said Warrant shall be cancelled and annulled and the following substituted therefor:—

Twelfthly: It is ordained that it shall be competent for Us, Our Heirs and Successors, by an Order under Our Sign Manual, and on the recommendation to that effect of Our Principal Secretary of State for War to cancel and annul the award of The Territorial Decoration to any person and that thereupon his name in the Register shall be erased; but that it shall be competent for Us, Our Heirs and Successors, to restore the Decoration when such recommendation has been withdrawn; and notice thereof of cancellation or restoration in every case shall be published in the London Gazette.

And We do further make, ordain and establish the following additional rule and ordinance:—

It is ordained that reproductions of the Decoration in miniature which may be worn on certain occasions by those to whom the Decoration is awarded shall be half the size of The Territorial Decoration and that a Sealed Pattern of the said Miniature Decoration shall be deposited and kept in the Central Chancery of Our Orders of Knighthood.

Given at Our Court at *St. James's*, this *fifth* day of *February*, in the 21st year of Our Reign, and in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one.

By His Majesty's Command,
T. Shaw.

ROYAL WARRANT.

THE VOLUNTEER OFFICERS' DECORATION.

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, by a Warrant under Her Sign Manual dated the 25th day of July, 1892, did create a Decoration to be styled and designated "The Volun-