



THE
NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE.
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WELLINGTON, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1915.

Additional Regulations under the War Regulations Act, 1914.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-second day of February, 1915.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council made and gazetted on the tenth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, certain regulations were made under the War Regulations Act, 1914: And whereas it is expedient to amend those regulations in manner hereinafter appearing :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby, in pursuance of the War Regulations Act, 1914, and of every other power and authority enabling him in this behalf, revoke regulations fourteen and nineteen of the said recited regulations of the tenth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, and doth hereby make the following additional regulations under that Act, and doth hereby declare that the said revocation shall take effect and the regulations hereby made shall come into operation on the twenty-fifth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

REGULATIONS.

1. THESE regulations shall be read together with and shall be deemed part of the regulations made under the War Regulations Act, 1914, by Order in Council dated 10th day of November, 1914, and gazetted on the same day.

2. No person shall publish or communicate, or permit to be published or communicated, any information with respect to—

- (i.) Forecasts or plans of future naval and military operations ;
- (ii.) The organization, strength, movements, armaments, condition, disposition, or distribution of the naval or military forces of His Majesty or of His Majesty's allies ;
- (iii.) The condition of the warships of His Majesty or of His Majesty's allies, or the transport, supply, or other services ;
- (iv.) The situation, armaments, or state of defensive works, whether in New Zealand or elsewhere in the British Dominions, or in territory belonging to His Majesty's allies,—

unless—

- (a.) The information is received by cable passed by the appointed Censors over British cables ; or
- (b.) The information has already appeared in newspapers received by mail in New Zealand from some other portion of the British Dominions ; or
- (c.) The information has been passed for publication by the Chief of the General Staff, New Zealand Military Forces, Wellington.

3. No person shall by word of mouth, or in writing, or in any newspaper, periodical, book, circular, or other printed publication spread false reports or make false statements or reports, or statements likely to cause disaffection to His Majesty, or to interfere with the success of His Majesty's Forces by land or sea, or to prejudice His Majesty's relations with foreign powers or his allies, or spread reports or make statements likely to prejudice the recruiting, training, discipline, or administration of any of His Majesty's Forces, including the New Zealand Defence Forces.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.