The Cook Islands Pearl-shell Fisheries Regulations Amendment, 1930.

MICHAEL MYERS, Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this 19th day of February, 1930.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT IN COUNCIL.

In pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred on him by section fifty-three of the Cook Islands Act, 1915, and of every other power and authority enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby amend in the manner hereinafter set out the regulations relating to pearl-shell fisheries in the Cook Islands made by Order in Council on the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and published in the New Zealand Gazette on the twenty-sixth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, at page 2275, hereinafter called "The Cook Islands Pearl-shell Fisheries Regulations Amendment, 1928"; and with the like advice and consent doth declare that the amendment hereby made shall come into operation on the date of publication of this Order in Council in the New Zealand Gazette.

REGULATIONS.

1. The regulations made by Order in Council on the 1st day of February, 1921, and published in the *Gazette* on the 17th day of February, 1921, at page 496, relating to pearl-shell fisheries in the Cook Islands may be cited as "The Cook Islands Pearl-shell Fisheries Regulations, 1921," and are hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations."

2. The regulations made by Order in Council on the 16th day of July, 1928, and published in the *Gazette* on the 26th day of July, 1928, at page 2275, in amendment of the Cook Islands Pearl-shell Fisheries Regulations, 1921, may be cited as "The Cook Islands Pearl-shell Fisheries Regulations Amendment, 1928."

3. These regulations may be cited as "The Cook Islands Pearl-

shell Fisheries Regulations Amendment, 1930."

4. These regulations shall be read together with and form part of the Cook Islands Pearl-shell Fisheries Regulations, 1921, and the Cook Islands Pearl-shell Fisheries Regulations Amendment, 1928.

5. Regulations Numbers 1 and 2 of the Cook Islands Pearl-shell

Fisheries Regulations Amendment, 1928, are hereby revoked.

6. Notwithstanding anything contained in the principal regulations, fishing for pearl-shell by means of diving-machines shall be permitted in both the northern reserve of Penrhyn and the southern reserve of Penrhyn from the date of the coming into force of this Order in Council until the 31st day of December, 1932, but shall thereafter only be permitted during the times set out in clause 8 of the principal regulations.

7. Fishing for pipi pearls by means of diving-machines shall be permitted in both the northern reserve of Penrhyn and the southern reserve of Penrhyn from the date of the coming into force of this

Order in Council until the 31st day of December, 1932:

Provided, however, that only diving-machines which are for the time being licensed pursuant to the provisions of Part III of the principal regulations shall be permitted to fish for pipi pearls. No additional fee shall be payable.

F. D. THOMSON, Clerk of the Executive Council.