SCHEDULE REFERRED TO IN FOREGOING ORDER.

1. Inspector-General — £1,500 — £50 — £1,850.

Pensions

ROYAL ULSTER CONSTABULARY PENSIONS (AMENDING) ORDER, 1946, DATED 17TH OCTOBER, 1946.

1946. No. 184

I, THE RIGHT HONOURABLE EDMOND WARNOCK, K.C., Minister of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by Section 2 of the Constabulary Act (Northern Ireland), 1922, and by sub-section (1) of Section 4 of the Constabulary and Police (Ireland) Act, 1919, as applied by the said Act of 1922, and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, do hereby order as follows :—

1. For paragraph (*a*) of Article 2 of the Schedule appended to the Royal Ulster Constabulary (Pensions) Amending Order, 1929, there shall be substituted the paragraph in Part I of the Schedule appended hereto.

2. For Article 10 of the First Schedule (Part II) to the Royal Ulster Constabulary Pensions Order, 1923, there shall be substituted the Article in Part II of the Schedule appended hereto.

3.—(*a*) Paragraph (4) of Article 4 of the Royal Ulster Constabulary Pensions Order, 1923, shall be read and have effect as though the following words were added thereto.

" The provisions of this paragraph shall not apply to a person appointed to the post of Inspector General after the 31st July, 1945, and shall cease to have effect as from the 31st January, 1946, but without prejudice to any pension granted before 1st February, 1946."

(*b*) The following paragraph shall be inserted after paragraph (4) of Article 4 of the Royal Ulster Constabulary Pensions Order, 1923 :—

" (4) (*a*) A person appointed to the post of Inspector General after the 31st July, 1945, and who has served in an established capacity in the Civil Service of Northern Ireland, shall be entitled to reckon his period of service in that capacity as approved service for the purpose of this Order, provided that four years of service as a Civil Servant shall be reckoned as equivalent to three years approved service in the force."

4. Articles 1 and 2 of this Order shall take effect as from 1st April, 1946.

5. This Order shall not apply to any woman appointed as a member of the Royal Ulster Constabulary.