

Officer under the rank of a Commodore of the first class, or Brigadier-general, in Her Majesty's Navy or Army, in any part of the world.

Article 9.—When Flag Officers, Commodores, Captains, or other Officers commanding, shall be saluted by merchants' ships (either British or Foreign), they shall return five guns to a single merchant ship, and seven to several ships.

This article to apply to all private ships saluting, not being in Her Majesty's Navy.

Article 10.—Having in view to assimilate, in practice, salutes in all Her Majesty's Dominions, and the exchange of salutes between Her Majesty's forts and ships having been forbidden in the United Kingdom, in future Her Majesty's ships and vessels, and Her Majesty's forts and castles, are not, on any account, to exchange salutes in any part of Her Majesty's Dominions.

Article 11.—At the funerals of General and Flag Officers, of Commodores of the first class, and Brigadier-generals, dying upon service, minute guns are to be fired whilst the body is proceeding to the place of interment ; but these minute guns are not to exceed the number to which the Officer's rank entitled him when living.

There shall moreover be fired, after the body is deposited in the grave, or in the sea, a salute of cannon, amounting to the same number of guns as the deceased Officer was entitled to when living ; and in the event of a General or Flag Officer dying afloat,