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TUESDAY, JANUARY 3, 1928.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 20th day of December 1927.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a Memorial from the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, dated the 14th day of December 1927 (C.W. 11646 27), in the words following, viz.:—

“Whereas by Section 3 of the Naval and Marine Pay and Pensions Act, 1865, it is enacted, *inter alia*, that all pay, pensions, or other allowances in the nature thereof payable in respect of services in Your Majesty's Naval or Marine Force to a person being or having been an Officer, Seaman, or Marine therein, shall be paid in such manner and subject to such restrictions, conditions and provisions as are from time to time directed by Order in Council:

“And whereas by Your Majesty's Order in Council bearing date the 22nd day of January 1920, it is provided, *inter alia*, that certain allowances shall be paid to Officers of the Royal Navy, for service in submarines:

“And whereas we consider that provision should be made for the payment of an allowance to qualified Fleet Air Arm Pilots and Naval Observer Officers who are appointed to submarines carrying aircraft:

“We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to sanction, with effect from the 27th day of June 1927, the payment of an allowance of 2s a day to all qualified

Fleet Air Arm Officers and Naval Observer Officers, who have been, or may hereafter be, appointed to submarines carrying aircraft, such allowance to be administered in the manner laid down for Submarine Allowance, except that payment shall be discontinued during any period in which the Officer in receipt of the allowance shall be absent from duty owing to sickness.

“The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury have signified their concurrence in these proposals.”

His Majesty, having taken the said Memorial into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to approve of what is therein proposed.

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

M. P. A. HANKEY

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 20th day of December 1927.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majesty by Order in Council made the 5th February 1918, ordered that Stanley Mordaunt Leathes, Esquire, C.B. (now Sir Stanley Mordaunt Leathes, K.C.B.) and David Beveridge Mair, Esquire, and Lawrence Cary Hampton Weekes, Esquire, or such other persons as His Majesty might from time to time approve in