"The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury have signified their concurrence in the above proposal." His Majesty, having taken the said Memorial into con-sideration, 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.

E. C. E. LEADBITTER.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 11th day of March 1943. 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 26th day of February 1943 (N.27380 42), in the words following, viz. :--

February 1943 (N.27380 42), 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 with a view to meeting the requirements of Communications in Landing Craft, we consider it necessary to establish a new non-substantive rating for this purpose: "We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to sanction, for the duration of the war, the institution of the non-substantive rating of Landing Craft Signalman, with additional pay of 3d. a day, to be open to ratings of the seaman branch.

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E. C. E. LEADBITTER.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 11th day of March 1943.

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 27th day of February 1943, in the words following, viz. :---

"Whereas by Section 3 of the Naval and Marine Pay and "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 it has been found necessary to employ Sick Berth Ratings as clinical assistants to Neuro-psychiatric Specialists:

Specialists : "And whereas we are of the opinion that the duties per-

"And whereas we are of the opinion that the duties per-formed by these Ratings are such as to justify payment to them of an allowance whilst so employed: "We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to sanction the payment at our discretion and under such con-ditions as we may consider desirable, of an allowance of 6d. per diem to Sick Berth Ratings detailed to perform the sforesid dutias.

per diem to Sick Berth Ratings detailed to perform the aforesaid duties: "The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury have signified their concurrence in this proposal." His Majesty, having taken the said Memorial into con-sideration, 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

accordingly.

E. C. E. LEADBITTER.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 11th day of March 1943. PRESENT.

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by Section 17 of the Navy and Marines (Property of Deceased) Act, 1865, it is enacted that His Majesty in Council may, from time to time, make such

Orders in Council as seem meet for the better execution of

Orders in Council as seem meet for the better execution of any of the purposes of the said Act : And whereas by Orders in Council, dated the 28th December 1865 and the 14th September 1915, and made in pursuance of the said Act, certain provisions were ordered which it is desirable to amend as is hereinafter provided : Now, therefore, His Majesty, by virtue of the powers in this behalf by the said Act or otherwise in Him vested, is also and with the advice of His Driver Council, the said Act or otherwise in Him vested.

this behalf by the said Act or otherwise in Him vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows :--In investigating claims to Naval assets the Inspector of Seamen's Wills shall, in substitution for the investigations prescribed by the said Order in Council of the 28th December 1865, require the claimant to make a declaration suited to the circumstances of the case before a Magistrate or a Minister of Religion, and, in those cases where it is con-sidered to be necessary, to obtain a certificate from two householders certifying to the claimant's identity.

E. C. E. LEADBITTER.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918, AND TRADE BOARDS AND ROAD HAULAGE WAGES (EMER-GENCY PROVISIONS) ACT, 1940.

THE BAKING TRADE BOARD (SCOTLAND).

Proposal to vary Minimum Rates of Wages.

The Baking Trade Board (Scotland) hereby give notice that they propose to vary certain of the minimum rates of wages

at present effective in the trade. Particulars of the proposals may be obtained on application to the Secretary of the Trade Board at the address given

The Trade Board will consider any objections to the above-mentioned proposals which may be lodged with them within fourteen days from 19th March 1943. Any such objection should be in writing, signed by the person making the same (adding his or her address), and sent to the Secretary, Baking Trade Board (Scotland), Sunnyside Mansions Hotel, Knowsley Road, Southport, Lancs. It is desirable that persons making objections should state the precise grounds of their objections.

18th March 1943.

G. H. TREGEAR, Secretary.

Board of Trade, Millbank, London, S. 16th March 1943. S.W.1,

The Board of Trade hereby give notice that they have made Orders which have been published as S.R. & O., 1943,

price 1d. No. 309.—Direction, dated 2nd March 1943, under the Apparel and Textiles Order, 1942, in respect of Information and Returns.

and Returns. No. 321.—The Hire-Purchase and Credit Sale Agreements (Control) Order, 1943, dated 9th March 1943. No. 330.—The Footwear (Manufacture and Supply) (No. 8) Directions, 1943, dated 5th March 1943. No. 359.—The Trading with the Enemy (Specified Areas) Revocation Order, 1943, dated 10th March 1943. No. 360.—The Trading with the Enemy (French Somali-land, Reunion and Dependencies of Madagascar) Order, 1943, dated 10th March 1943.

These Orders can be purchased through any booksellers, newsagents, or direct from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses :--York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120 George Street, Edinburgh; 39-41 King Street, Manchester, 2; 1 St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 80 Chichester Street, Belfast.

The Minister of Fuel and Power hereby gives notice that he has revoked part of the Stewartry of Kirkcudbright Electricity Orders, 1932 and 1933, as from the date hereof, and that the said revocation takes effect from this date.

Dated this 12th day of March 1943.

A. J. COUSIN, an Assistant Secretary of the Ministry of Fuel and Power.

Ministry of Fuel and Power,

Dean Stanley Street, London, S.W.1.