

Admiralty, dated the 30th day of May, 1913, 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 His late Majesty’s Order in Council bearing date the 1st day of June, 1907, it is provided that Officers of the rank of Commander or Lieutenant may be granted allowances of 5s. or 4s. a day respectively when employed at the Royal Naval War College, Portsmouth:

“And whereas we consider that similar allowances should be granted at our discretion to Officers who are or may be employed at the Branch War Colleges at Chatham, Devonport and Sheerness:

“We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased by Your Order in Council to authorize us at our discretion to grant allowances of 5s. and 4s. a day to Commanders and Lieutenants respectively, and to Officers of corresponding rank when employed at the War Colleges at Chatham, Devonport or Sheerness, such allowances to be inclusive of any specialist allowances already payable to them, and to take effect from the 23rd day of September, 1912.

“The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty’s Treasury have signified their concurrence in this proposal.”

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.

Almeric FitzRoy.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 13th day of *June*, 1913.

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 2nd day of June, 1913, 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 we have found it necessary to appoint an Engineer Commander for duty on the staff of the Senior Officer of the Training Squadron for boys, but without the actual charge of the machinery of one of Your Majesty’s ships, which would have entitled him

to receive charge pay under the authority of an Order in Council bearing date the 29th day of June, 1900:

“And whereas we consider that the duties and responsibilities devolving upon this officer are such as to merit the grant of an allowance in lieu of charge pay:

“We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased by Your Order in Council to sanction payment to him of an allowance of 5s. a day as from the 17th of March, 1913, inclusive.

“The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty’s Treasury have signified their concurrence in this proposal.”

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.

Almeric FitzRoy.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 13th day of *June*, 1913.

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 9th of May, 1913, 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 we are of opinion that Officers of the Royal Marines entered under the conditions in force prior to those sanctioned by Your Majesty’s Order in Council bearing date the 8th day of August, 1911, should be granted an improved scale of pay when serving afloat, in view of the prolonged periods now served in the various ranks prior to promotion and the greater extent to which they are called upon to perform Naval duties:

“We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased by Your Order in Council to sanction the grant of pay, at the scale shown in the annexed Schedule, to Officers of the Royal Marines of the ranks of Major, Captain, and Lieutenant, who entered prior to the 1st January, 1912, when they are embarked, subject to the proviso that this scale of pay shall not be applicable to Officers who, although borne on ship’s books, are in receipt of consolidated or special rates of pay, and that the messing allowance of 6d. a day payable to Lieutenants when embarked shall cease on their becoming eligible for the rate of pay of 10s. a day.

“The above proposal to have effect as from the 1st day of April, 1913.

“The Lords Commissioners of Your