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TUESDAY, 6 JULY, 1915.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 6th day of July, 1915.

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 28th day of June, 1915, 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 26th day of October, 1914, it is provided that Engineer Sub-Lieutenants entered for temporary service shall receive pay at the rate of 9s. a day:

"And whereas this rate of pay has been found to be insufficient in certain cases of candidates over the age of 24 years whom it is desired to enter in that rank:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that

Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to approve of Engineer Sub-Lieutenants for temporary service over 24 years of age being granted pay of from 9s. to 12s. a day, at our discretion.

"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.

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