

to the storage, cooling, transport or distribution of goods for or for the purposes of the Admiralty or Army Council or the Minister of Munitions as they or he may direct, and if any such person fails to comply with such requirements he shall be guilty of an offence against these regulations, and, if such person is a company, any director or officer of the company who is knowingly a party to the default shall also be guilty of an offence against these regulations."

5. The following regulation shall be inserted after regulation 58c. :—

" 58d. Where His Majesty has by Proclamation suspended, either generally or as respects any specified area, the operation of section one of the Defence of the Realm (Amendment) Act, 1915, then any person who is alleged to have committed any offence (whether an offence against these regulations or otherwise) at any place within the United Kingdom or within the specified area, as the case may be, while the Proclamation was in force and while he was subject to military law shall, notwithstanding anything in any Act or law to the contrary, be liable to be tried for the offence by court-martial and not otherwise, and on any such trial the procedure of the court-martial and the punishment to be inflicted in case of conviction shall be as prescribed by the Army Act."

*Almeric FitzRoy.*

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 23rd day of *May*, 1916.

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 10th day of May, 1916, 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 under the regulations for the government of Your Majesty's Naval Service an allowance is payable to the Senior Lieutenant-Commander or Lieutenant of a ship in commission:

"And whereas we consider that the responsibilities devolving upon the Officer performing the duties of Senior Lieutenant at certain Air Establishments and Stations also deserve recognition:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to authorise us to grant Senior Allowance of 1s. 6d. a day at Air Establishments and Stations where the

numbers borne are not less than 350, such allowance to take effect from the 8th April, 1916.

"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 23rd day of *May*, 1916.

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 15th day of May, 1916, 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 under the Regulations for the Government of Your Majesty's Naval Service an allowance is payable to Officers employed swinging ships for the adjustment of their compasses:

"And whereas we consider that, in certain cases, an allowance should be granted to Officers who are required to swing aircraft for the adjustment of their compasses:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to approve of payment being made, as from the 15th March, 1916, to the Navigating Officers of Seagoing Ships and other Officers certified as duly qualified by the Superintendent of Compasses who may be required to adjust the compasses of aircraft, of an allowance of 2s. 6d. for each machine adjusted, provided (a) that the Officers are not in receipt of Flying Pay or other special emoluments in connection with the Flying Service, or specially appointed for the purpose, and (b) that no allowance shall be paid for the adjustment of any particular Machine at less intervals than 6 months.

"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