

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 5th day of *April*, 1921.

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 17th day of March, 1921 (C.W. 2513/21), 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 Your Majesty was graciously pleased by Your Order in Council bearing date the 9th day of February, 1920, to authorize us to treat Acting Warrant Officers as Warrant Officers for the purposes of injury awards, widows' pensions and compassionate allowances for children:

"And whereas we are of opinion that Acting Mates should similarly be treated as Mates for these purposes:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased by Your Order in Council to sanction their treatment accordingly.

"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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WHEREAS by the Sea Fisheries Act, 1868, it is (amongst other things) enacted that His Majesty may, by Order in Council, direct that bye-laws for the purpose of restricting or regulating the dredging for oysters on any oyster beds or banks situate within the distance of twenty miles measured from a straight line drawn from the eastern point of Lambay Island to Carnsore Point on the coast of Ireland, outside of the exclusive fishery limits of the British Islands, shall be observed, and His Majesty may revoke or alter any Order in Council so made:

And whereas Her late Majesty Queen Victoria was pleased, by Her Order in Council of the 29th April, 1869, in pursuance of the said Act, to direct the observance of the Bye-law in

the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We, whose names are hereunto subscribed, being Commissioners of Sea Fisheries, acting in pursuance of the sixty-seventh section of an Act passed in the Session of Parliament of the thirty-first and thirty-second years of Her present Majesty, chapter forty-five, called 'The Sea Fisheries Act, 1868,' do hereby decide and appoint that the close time, during which it shall not be lawful to dredge for, take, catch, or destroy any oyster or oyster-brood, on or off any part of the east and south-east coast of Ireland, within the distance of twenty miles measured from a straight line drawn from the eastern point of Lambay Island, in the county of Dublin, to Carnsore Point, in the county of Wexford, outside the exclusive fishery limits of the British Islands, shall be between the thirtieth day of April and the first day of September in each year.

"J. G. MCKERLIE,

"W. R. LE FANU,

"Two of the Commissioners of Public Works and Sea Fisheries in Ireland.

"JAMES REDMOND BARRY,

"Inspecting Commissioner of Sea Fisheries in Ireland.

"Dated at the Office of Public Works, Dublin, this 23rd day of April, 1869."

And whereas it is expedient to revoke the said Order in Council, and a notice to that effect has been published in the London Gazette as provided by the said Act:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, in pursuance of the said Act, is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the said Order in Council of the 29th day of April, 1869, be revoked.

*Almeric FitzRoy.*

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WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Union of Benefices Act, 1919, duly prepared, and laid before His Majesty in Council, a Scheme bearing date the 17th day of March, 1921, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Union of Benefices Act, 1919, have prepared, and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council, the following Scheme for effecting the union of two neighbouring Benefices, that is to say, the Benefice (being a Vicarage) of Aston Rowant and the Benefice (being a Rectory) of Crowell, both of which Benefices are situate in the County of Oxford and in the Diocese of Oxford:

"Whereas Commissioners appointed at our request by the Right Reverend Hubert Murray, Bishop of Oxford, pursuant to the provisions of the said Union of Benefices Act,