

the rates of Entertaining Allowance to be payable at our discretion according to circumstances.

"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.

*M. P. A. Hankey.*

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 27th day of *October*, 1936.

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 18th day of August, 1936 (N. 3649/36), 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 Hard-Lying Money is issued to the personnel on board certain vessels where the accommodation is below the usual naval standard, payment in respect of some vessels being restricted to periods during which they are employed mainly on sea service:

"And whereas the accommodation in two such vessels in Your Majesty's Navy, viz. the Trawlers *Vernon* and *Kate Lewis* at all times falls below the recognised naval standard, to the discomfort of the personnel on board, and we are therefore of opinion that Hard-Lying Money should be payable continuously in those vessels:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased by Your Order in Council to sanction the payment of Hard-Lying Money, at half rates, to the Officers and ratings on board those trawlers for the periods during which they are not in receipt of the full allowance, payment being made as from the 1st April, 1936.

"The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury have signified their concurrence in the above proposals."

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.

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WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a Memorial from the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, dated the 18th day of August, 1936 (N. 3671/36), 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 Order in Council dated the 17th May, 1920, sanction is given to payment under certain conditions of Tropical Allowance at the rate of 1s. 6d. a day:

"And whereas we are of opinion that the conditions in Gunboats stationed on the River Yangtse are, for a period in the year, such as to justify payment of the allowance for service within the Tropics:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased by Your Order in Council to sanction, with retrospective effect from the 7th August, 1936, and subject to our discretion, extension of payment of Tropical Allowance to the ratings in Gunboats on the River Yangtse during the period 1st June to 30th September in each year.

"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.

*M. P. A. Hankey.*

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 27th day of *October*, 1936.

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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 16th day of September, 1936, (N. 3869/36) 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