

approve of Colonels Commandant, Royal Marines, having the relative rank of Commodore, these provisions to have effect as from the 1st January 1921."

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 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 29th day of March 1921 (C.W. 3147 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 22nd January 1920, to sanction the payment of First Lieutenants' allowance and Machinery allowance to Officers serving in Your Majesty's ships in commission:

"And whereas we consider it desirable that we should have discretion to pay such allowances to Officers serving in the Ship of the Senior Officer of the Central Reserve at each Port, although these ships are not in commission:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to authorise us, at our discretion, to issue as from the 1st January 1921, payment of First Lieutenants' allowance of 1s. 6d. a day in respect of the Senior Officers' ships of the Central Reserve at each of the three Home Ports, and Machinery allowance to the Engineer Officers borne for charge of machinery of the vessels of the Central Reserve.

"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 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 31st day of March 1921 (C.W. 21753/20), 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 25th day of March 1920, to sanction the formation of a special Reserve of Engineer Officers, R.N.:

"And whereas we consider that at our discretion Officers of this Reserve should be subject to the same regulations in respect of leave and sick leave as Officers of the Royal Naval Reserve:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased by Your Order in Council to approve of the leave and sick leave regulations for Royal Naval Reserve Officers being extended to Engineer Officers of the Special Reserve; the grant of such leave to be 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.

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 23rd day of March 1921 (No. 17 N.P. (4) 217/20), 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