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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1921.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 13th day of December 1921.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

IT is this day ordered by His Majesty in Council that the name of Sir Edgar Speyer, Bt., be struck out of the List of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 13th day of December 1921.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day The Honourable George Foster Pearce was, by His Majesty's command, appointed a Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 13th day of December 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 21st day of November 1921 (N. 22518/1920), 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 we consider that the experience of Engine Room Artificers of Your Majesty's Navy trained in Hydraulics would be specially valuable in the new Ordnance Artificer Branch instituted by Your Majesty's Orders in Council of the 22nd January and 13th October 1920, and that such Engine Room Artificers who volunteer when required to transfer to Ordnance Artificer should be compensated for loss of the Engine Room Artificer Certificate Allowances referred to in Section C of your Order in Council of the 17th May 1920 :

“We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to sanction the scheme described in the attached Schedule.

“The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury have signified their concurrence in this proposal.

SCHEDULE.

“1. A lump sum to be paid at the outset to each Hydraulic Engine Room Artificer trans-