

appointed or acting as His Majesty's High Commissioner for Brunei by virtue of His Majesty's Commission.

3. The High Commissioner may, by writing, appoint a fit person to reside in the territories of the Sultan of Brunei, under the designation of Resident, or such other designation as the High Commissioner thinks fit, and the person so appointed is hereinafter referred to as the "Resident."

4. All functions hitherto discharged, and power, authority, and jurisdiction hitherto exercised in Brunei by the Consul shall, from and after the commencement of this Order, be exercised by the Resident, and all references to the Consul in the principal Order, or in any King's Regulations, Proclamations, Notices, Rules of Court, or other documents issued or made under the principal Order shall be deemed to be references to the Resident, and shall be construed accordingly.

5. During a vacancy in the office of Resident, or in case of the illness or incapacity of the Resident, or of his absence from Brunei, the High Commissioner may appoint a fit person to act as Resident. An Acting Resident shall, during the continuance of his appointment, have all the power, authority, and jurisdiction of the Resident.

6. The Resident shall hold office during the pleasure of His Majesty.

7. In Article 86 of the principal Order the words "High Commissioner" are substituted for the words "Secretary of State," wherever the same occur.

8. This Order shall, except as to the making of any appointment, take effect on such day as the High Commissioner shall by public notification appoint, and such day is in this Order referred to as the commencement of this Order, and as to the making of any appointment this Order shall take effect forthwith.

And the Right Honourable the Earl of Elgin, K.G., one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary direction herein accordingly.

A. W. FitzRoy.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 28th day of *July*, 1906.

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 sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and six, in the words following, viz. :—

"Whereas by the twentieth section of an Act passed in the twenty-ninth year of Her late Majesty's reign, chapter eighty-nine, entitled 'The Greenwich Hospital Act, 1865,' it is, amongst other things, enacted that the Admiralty shall from time to time continue or appoint such officers, clerks, and servants, for the purposes of the Hospital and Schools as seem fit, and may (subject to the approval of Your Majesty in Council) fix the salaries of such officers and clerks ;

"And whereas we deem it expedient that there should be an officer of Greenwich Hospital

styled the 'Receiver and Agent for the Greenwich Estate,' charged, amongst other things, with the duty of collecting the rents and supervising the works and repairs on the estate at Greenwich and at the Royal Hospital School ;

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased by Your Order in Council to authorize a salary not exceeding three hundred pounds per annum, with residence, to be attached to this appointment, dating from the first April, one thousand nine hundred and five. The appointment will not confer any claim to pension or gratuity ;

"And whereas the present salary of the officer charged with the supervision of the staff of instructors and servants at the Royal Hospital School, Greenwich, is at the rate of one hundred pounds by four pounds a year to one hundred and twenty pounds with quarters ;

"And whereas we are of opinion that it is desirable that this salary should now be revised ;

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased by Your Order in Council to authorize the scale of salary of the Chief Officer to be at the rate and on the scale of one hundred pounds to one hundred and forty-five pounds, rising by five pounds a year, with quarters, and to authorize an immediate increase of salary of ten pounds to the present holder of the appointment. The improved scale of salary to come into operation as on the fourteenth June, one thousand nine hundred and six."

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.

A. W. FitzRoy.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 28th day of *July*, 1906.

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 25th day of July, 1906, in the words following, viz. :—

"Whereas by Orders in Council of Her late Majesty bearing date the tenth November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, second March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, tenth March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, and thirtieth June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety, the establishment was authorised under the 'Naval Savings Bank Act 1866' of Naval Savings Banks on board Your Majesty's Ships, at the Headquarters of the Royal Marine Divisions, and at such of Your Majesty's Naval Establishments on shore as we might think desirable, and sanction was given to the issue of such regulations for the proper management of the same as were from time to time found necessary.

"And whereas under the said Orders in Council the rates of interest were fixed at three and three-quarters per cent. simple interest per annum on all deposits in the banks established on board Your Majesty's Ships, and at two and a half per cent. compound per annum on