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*A. W. FitzRoy.*

At the Court at *Saint James's*, the 9th day of April, 1908.

PRESENT,  
LORD CHANCELLOR. LORD PRESIDENT.

Master of the Horse.  
Mr. Secretary Haldane.  
Mr. R. K. Causton.  
Mr. G. W. E. Russell.

**W**HEREAS His Majesty was pleased by His Commission dated the seventeenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and eight, to nominate and appoint the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, the Prime Minister, and the Lord President of the Council, or any two of them, in His Majesty's absence from His Realm in Foreign Parts, and in the absence of the Prince of Wales, to hold, on His Majesty's behalf, His Privy Council, and to signify thereat His approval of any matter or thing whereunto they should be so authorized by writing under His Majesty's Sign Manual, and to do further on His Majesty's behalf any matter or thing for the purposes of the said Commission whereunto they should be authorized in manner aforesaid:

And whereas there was this day read at the Council held under the authority of the said Commission a Memorial from the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, dated the twenty-fourth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and eight, in the words following, viz. :—

"Whereas by section three of the Naval and Marine Pay and Pensions Act, 1865, it is enacted, *inter alia*, that all pay, pensions and other allowances in the nature thereof, payable in respect of services in Your Majesty's Naval or Royal Marine Forces 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 it is occasionally found necessary to place Officers of the rank of Sub-Lieutenant in command of Torpedo Boats and other small vessels, and at such times these Officers are called upon to bear expenses for messing considerably in excess of those they would incur when belonging to the mess appropriate to their rank, viz., a Gun Room Mess:

"And whereas the existing regulations do not explicitly authorize payment to recoup Officers for such additional messing expenditure:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased by Your Order in Council to sanction the payment, as from the first April one thousand nine hundred and seven, to Sub-Lieutenants in command of Torpedo Boats and other small vessels, of a messing allowance not exceeding thirty shillings a month, such allowance being equivalent to that payable under clause two of article eight hundred and twenty-nine of the Regulations for the Government of Your Majesty's Naval Service to Gun Room Officers serving in vessels with no

Gun Room Mess and required to mess in the ward room.

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

Now, therefore, the Lord Chancellor and the Lord President, being authorized thereto by writing under His Majesty's Sign Manual, have taken the said Memorial into consideration, and do hereby, by and with the advice of His Majesty's Privy Council, signify His Majesty's approval thereof, and do, on behalf of His Majesty, order, as it is hereby ordered, that the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty do give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

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And whereas the Local Government Board, after giving to the Incumbent and the Churchwardens of the parish of Coulsdon, in the county of Surrey, ten days' previous notice of their intention to make such representation, have, under the provisions of the Burial Act, 1853, made a representation stating that, for the protection of the public health, no new burial ground should be opened in the civil parish of Coulsdon, without the previous approval of the Local Government Board, and that burials should be discontinued therein, as follows, viz. :—

**COULSDON.**—Forthwith and entirely in the Church of Saint John the Evangelist, Coulsdon, in the county of Surrey; and in the churchyard as existing in one thousand nine hundred and seven, except as follows :—

(a.) In any vault or walled grave now existing in the said churchyard burial may be allowed subject to the condition that every coffin buried in such vault or grave be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented:

(b.) In any earthen grave now existing in the said churchyard the burial may be allowed of the body of any member of the family of the person or persons heretofore buried in such grave, subject to the condition that no part of the coffin containing the body shall be at a depth less than three feet from the level of the surface of the ground adjoining the grave.