

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 14th day of *May*, 1914.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS there was this day read at the Board a Memorial from the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, dated the 11th day of May, 1914, 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 it desirable that Lieutenants not fully qualified in Engineering who may be employed as part of the Engine Room Staff in Your Majesty's Ships should receive extra remuneration for such duty;

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased by Your Order in Council to sanction the payment of an allowance at the rate of two shillings and sixpence a day to any Lieutenant not fully qualified in Engineering who may be so employed, provided that he has obtained a certificate that he is capable of performing the duties of a junior Engineer Officer;

"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.

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"And whereas by Orders in Council dated the 5th day of March, 1910, and the 24th

day of October, 1911, it is provided that certain allowances ranging from sixpence to two shillings and sixpence a day shall be paid to Chief Officers of Your Majesty's Coast Guard and to Lieutenants of Your Majesty's Navy when placed in charge of Wireless Telegraph Stations:

"And whereas it is sometimes found necessary to place Chief Petty Officers of Your Majesty's Coast Guard in temporary charge of such Stations:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased by Your Order in Council to grant Chief Petty Officers so employed the charge allowances specified in the Orders in Council quoted, subject to deduction of the special Wireless Telegraphy pay of the rating, unless such pay exceeds the charge allowance when it is to be retained and the charge allowance not issued.

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#### TENDERS FOR LOANS ON TREASURY BILLS.

1. The Lords Commissioners of H.M. Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England, on Monday, the 25th inst., at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Acts 40 Vic., cap. 2, and 52 Vic., cap. 6, to the amount of £1,500,000 in replacement of Bills falling due on the 29th instant.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1,000, £5,000, or £10,000. They will be dated the 29th May, 1914, and will be payable at six months after date, viz.: on the 29th November, 1914.

3. *The Tenders must specify the net amount per cent. which will be given for the amounts applied for, and the Tenders of private individuals must be made through a London banker.*

4. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.

5. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same on Tuesday, the 26th inst., and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England not later than three o'clock on Friday, the 29th May, 1914.

6. Persons tendering for Bills are hereby notified that, having regard to the provisions of the Acts 22 George III, cap. 45, and 41 George III, cap. 52, the acceptance of any such Tender is subject to the express condition that no Member of the House of Commons shall be admitted to any share or part in or to any benefit to arise from the Contract thereby made for the allotment of such Bills.

The provisions in question do not apply to Contracts entered into by an incorporated