(2) That the export of the following articles should be prohibited to all destinations:—

Explosives of all kinds;

Valonia ;

Grindery used in the making of boots and shoes.

(3) That the export of "Vessels, craft, and boats of all kinds, floating docks, parts of docks, and their component parts" should be prohibited to all destinations abroad other than British possessions and Protectorates.

Now, therefore, Their Lordships, having taken the said recommendation into consideration, are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same be approved.

Whereof the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and

govern themselves accordingly.

Almeric FitzRoy.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 23rd day of December, 1914.

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 6th day of December, 1914, in the words following, viz.:—

"Whereas by Section 3 of the Naval and Marine Pay and Pensions Act, 1865, it is enacted that all pay, wages, pensions, bounty money, grants 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, or to the widow of any relative of a deceased Officer, Seaman, or Marine, 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 have had under consideration the question of the amount of half pay which should be granted to Admiral His Serene Highness Prince Louis of Battenberg on his retirement from the office of First Sea Lord of the Board of Admiralty:

"And whereas it was provided by Order in Council bearing date the 28th day of March, 1912, that an Admiral who had held the office of First Sea Lord should, on retirement from that office or from the active list of Your Majesty's Navy, be granted non-effective pay, at the rate of three pounds seven shillings per diem:

"And whereas we are of opinion that, having regard to the exceptional services rendered by His Serene Highness, this rate of non-effective pay is in his case inappropriate:

Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to authorize us to grant to him, whilst he is on half pay during the period of the war, the special rate of half pay of two thousand pounds a year.

"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.

Privy Council Office, 23rd December, 1914.

The following Amendments to the Statutes of Lincoln College, Oxford, made by the Governing Body of the College on the 11th December, 1914, have been submitted for the approval of His Majesty in Council, and notice of their having been so submitted is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Universities of Oxford and Cambridge Act, 1877":—

At a Meeting of the Rector and Fellows of Lincoln College, Oxford, holden on the 11th December, 1914, and specially summoned for the purpose, the following proposed Amendments to the Statutes of the College were unanimously carried by those present and voting:—

(1) In cap. 2, sect. 8, to omit the word "perpetuis," and add the following at the end of the section:—

"The Fellow nominated by the Visitor shall hold his Fellowship in the first instance for a year of Probation, during which he shall have no vote at College Meetings, and on admission ad jus Collegii shall hold his Fellowship for a further period not exceeding six years. He shall then vacate his Fellowship, but may be renominated by the Visitor for a further period not exceeding seven years, and so on from time to time for periods not exceeding seven years, provided that he either is engaged on a work of research approved by the Rector and Fellows, or is taking part in the educational work of the College to the satisfaction of the Rector and Fellows, and provided also that he will reside during full Term within the precinct of the University as defined in cap. 4, sect. 5.

"In all other respects the Fellow nominated by the Visitor shall be subject to the general provisions of these Statutes as from time to time amended."

- (2) In cap. 6, sect. 5, to omit the words "et Socii a Visitatore nominati."
- (3) In the Amendments approved by the Queen in Council, on the 19th day of May, 1898, to omit the words "Provided also that nothing in these Amendments shall affect the tenure or emoluments of the Fellow nominated by the Visitor."

W. W. Merry, Rector.
E. C. Marchant, Fellow.
J. A. R. Munro, Fellow.
N. V. Sidgwick, Fellow.
W. H. Moberly, Fellow.
E. I. Carlyle, Fellow.

