carrying on business or being in that possession such first mentioned Proclamation shall have effect as if it were part of this Proclamation.

4. This Proclamation shall be read as one with the Trading with the Enemy Proclamation No. 2, and with Our Proclamation dated the 8th day of October amending the same.

> Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace this seventh day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and in the fifth year of Our Reign.

> > GOD SAVE THE KING.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 7th day of January, 1915.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HEREAS by the Aliens Restriction VV (Consolidation) Order, 1914 (hereinafter referred to as the Principal Order), His Majesty has been pleased to impose restrictions on aliens and to make various provisions for carrying those restrictions into effect:

And whereas it is desirable to amend the said Order in manner hereinafter provided:

Now, THEREFORE, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

1. The following article shall be inserted

after Article 25A of the Principal Order:—
"25B. A registration officer may, subject to the general or special instructions of the Secretary of State, grant to a Turkish subject resident in his registration district, who is shown to his satisfaction to be by race a Greek, Armenian, or Syrian, or a member of any other community well known as opposed to the Turkish régime, and to be a Christian, a certificate of exemption from all or any of the provisions of this Part of this Order, except such as apply to alien

"Any such certificate shall be operative throughout the United Kingdom, but may be revoked by the registration officer who granted it or by the registration officer of any district in which the holder is for the time being resident."

2. This Order may be cited as the Aliens Restriction (Armenians, &c.) Order, 1915.

Almeric FitzRoy.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 7th day of January, 1915.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council. HEREAS there was this day read at the Board a Memorial from the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, dated the 2nd day of January,

1915, 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 in Article 168 of the Regulations for the government of Your Majesty's Naval Service it is laid down that the Officers of Your Majesty's Navy are to be divided into six branches, viz.—Military, Engineer, Medical, Accountant, Naval Instructor, and

Artisan :

"And whereas we are of opinion that it is desirable in the interests of Your Majesty's Naval Service that the Officers of the Engineer Branch should now be classified as part of the Military Branch, and, further, that certain alterations should be made in the rates of pay Engineer of Engineer Commanders \mathbf{and} Lieutenant-Commanders of Your Majesty's Fleet:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to approve of the Regulations set forth in the annexed Schedule, to take effect from the 1st day of January,

1915. '' The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury have signified their concurrence in these proposals in so far as the pay of the Officers is concerned.

" SCHEDULE.

"1.—From the 1st day of January, 1915, Officers of His Majesty's Navy will be divided into five Branches, namely Military, Medical, Accountant, Naval Instructor, and Artisan.

"2.—Officers of the existing Engineer Branch, although forming part of the Military Branch, will retain their present titles.
"They will not be eligible to take command

of His Majesty's Ships.

"In all details relating to the duties of the Fleet and to the discipline and interior economy of His Majesty's Ships they will be subject to the authority of any Officer who may be in charge of the Executive duties of the Ship, or acting as Officer of the Watch, or specially detailed for the charge of any other special service or duty, of whatever seniority such Officer may be.
"3.—The following revised rates of pay to

take effect for Engineer Commanders and Engineer Lieutenant-Commanders as speci-

Pay per diem. £ 8. d.

"Engineer Commander and Engineer Lieutenant-Commander after 4 years from date of promotion to Engineer Lieutenant-Commander

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"Engineer Commander and Lieutenant-Engineer Commander after 6 years from date of promotion to Engineer Lieutenant-Commander ...

His Majesty, having taken said the Memorial into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to approve of what is therein proposed.