

Act was passed), should be such later day or days as might thereafter be fixed by Order in Council:

And whereas by an Order in Council, dated the 27th day of September, 1921, the first day of October, 1921, was fixed to be the appointed day for the purposes of the provisions of the Act (including the Seventh Schedule) relative to matters relating to the Supreme Court of Judicature in Ireland or the Supreme Court of Judicature of Southern Ireland or of Northern Ireland, or the High Court of Appeal for Ireland, or the Judges or Officers thereof (including the Master of the Rolls in Ireland), except the Central Office established under the Local Registration of Title (Ireland) Act, 1891:

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

The fifteenth day of December, 1921, is hereby fixed to be the appointed day for the purposes of the provisions of the Act (including the Seventh Schedule) so far as they relate or are applicable to the Central Office established under the Local Registration of Title (Ireland) Act, 1891, and for the purposes of the definition of the expression "existing" in its application to the officers employed therein.

*Almeric FitzRoy.*

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 31st day of *October*, 1921.

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 18th day of October, 1921 (E. 8352/21), in the words following, viz. :—

"Whereas by Your Majesty's Order in Council bearing date the 27th day of May, 1915, a Scheme of pensions, grants and allowances in the nature thereof was framed in pursuance of Section 1 of the Injuries in War (Compensation) Act, 1914, for the benefit of persons, not being Officers or Seamen of the Royal Navy, or Officers or Soldiers of any of Your Majesty's Land or Marine Forces, in respect of injury or disablement whilst employed afloat by, or under, the Admiralty or Army Council, in connection with warlike operations in which Your Majesty is engaged, and in the case of their death for the benefit of their widows and other dependants:

"And whereas by Orders of Your Majesty in Council bearing dates the 8th day of June, 1916, the 11th day of March, 1920, and the 3rd day of December, 1920, the said Scheme was modified in certain respects:

"And whereas we are of opinion that it is desirable further to vary the said Scheme:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to direct that the Regulations appearing in the Schedule attached hereto shall be deemed to be incorporated in the above cited Orders in Council dated the 27th day of May, 1915, the 8th day of June, 1916, the 11th day of March, 1920, and the 3rd day

of December, 1920, and to have effect from the 25th October, 1920, and that any provision of the said Orders which is inconsistent with the Regulations attached hereto shall be void and of no effect, without prejudice however to the validity of any award thereunder made prior to the date of this Order:

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

"SCHEDULE.

"1. The rate of pay upon which disablement allowances are calculated in accordance with the provisions of Order in Council dated the 27th day of May, 1915, shall be increased by forty per cent.

"2. If in any case the pension which may be awarded under the Order in Council dated the 27th day of May, 1915, as modified by the Orders in Council dated the 8th day of June, 1916, the 11th day of March, 1920, and the 3rd day of December, 1920, in respect of an injury or disablement resulting in total destruction of earning capacity is less than a weekly sum of £2 it shall be lawful for the Admiralty or the Army Council at their discretion to award such weekly sum not exceeding £2 as may in the circumstances of each case be deemed appropriate.

"3. The maximum allowance for each child (other than a motherless child) shall be £36 per annum or one-sixteenth of pay whichever may be the greater."

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, 31st October, 1921.*

Notice is hereby given, that a Petition of John Evelyn Leslie Wrench, Esquire, C.M.G., a Vice-President and Chairman of the Overseas Club and Patriotic League, and others, praying for the grant of a CHARTER OF INCORPORATION to a body to be named "The Overseas League," has been presented to His Majesty in Council; and, His Majesty having referred the said Petition to a Committee of the Lords of the Council, notice is further given, that all petitions for or against such grant should be sent to the Privy Council Office, Whitehall, on or before the 1st day of December next.

AFTER OUR HEARTY COMMENDATIONS.

Whereas by a Warrant dated the 27th day of October, 1921, the fees to be hereafter charged in the Office of Land Revenue Records and Enrolments are regulated, and whereas it is the practice, with Our sanction, to remit such fees when chargeable against any Department of His Majesty's Government, and whereas it is desirable, nevertheless, with regard to Deeds and Documents enrolled at the instance of the Commissioners of His Majesty's Woods, Forests and Land Revenues and the Commissioners of His Majesty's Works and