

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 Your Majesty was graciously pleased by Your Order in Council bearing date the 15th day of August, 1918, to approve the formation of a Special Reserve of Officers, Royal Marines:

"And whereas by paragraph 14 (a) of the Schedule to the aforesaid Order in Council it is enacted that Officers of the Special Reserve in receipt of pension as Warrant Officer, Class I, will be entitled during training and during service in time of War or Emergency to receive their pensions concurrently with the full pay of their rank:

"And whereas by Your Majesty's Order in Council bearing date the 22nd day of January, 1920, provision was made for Warrant Officers, Class I, Royal Marines, to rank with and to receive retired pay on the same scale as Warrant Officers, Royal Navy:

"And whereas Warrant Officers Royal Navy on the Retired List are not entitled to receive retired pay concurrently with full pay if re-employed:

"And whereas we are of opinion that Officers of the Special Reserve, Royal Marines, in receipt of retired pay as Warrant Officers

should no longer be eligible to receive such retired pay concurrently with full pay while under training or during service in time of War or Emergency:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased to direct by Your Order in Council that while under training these Officers may receive the pay and emoluments applicable to their rank, their retired pay being in the meantime suspended, and that during voluntary service, other than training, in time of peace or during service in time of War or Emergency they may be granted the same emoluments as those permissible in the cases of Officers of similar rank who are not members of the Special Reserve, and further to authorize us to give the option to those Officers serving in the Special Reserve, Royal Marines, at the date of this Order either of continuing to serve therein under the aforesaid conditions or of withdrawing therefrom as from the 31st December, 1923.

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

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.

M. P. A. Hankey.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 16th day of January, 1924.

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 14th day of January, 1924 (C.W. 11011/23), 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 Your Majesty was graciously pleased by Your Order in Council bearing date the 12th day of March, 1923, to sanction revised rates of allowances for officers and men serving in the Submarine Service:

"And whereas we consider it desirable in the interests of Your Majesty's Naval Service that the rates of Submarine Allowance payable to Warrant Officers and Commissioned Officers from Warrant Rank serving in submarines should be improved:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased by Your Order in Council to approve the revised rates of allowance for Warrant Officers and Commissioned Officers from Warrant Rank set forth in the accompanying Schedule, with effect from 19th November, 1923.

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

"SCHEDULE.

"Submarine Allowances to be granted to Warrant Officers and Commissioned Officers from Warrant Rank serving in the Submarine Service, as follows:—

		Per day, payable continuously.
		s. d.
"Officers forming part crews of Submarines		3 9
	For each day at sea in Submarine.	For each day not at sea in Submarine.
	s. d.	s. d.
"Officers appointed to Submarine Depot Ships for Duty Class II with Submarines, <i>i.e.</i> , Officers who have certain duties with Flotillas which are not considered to justify payment of the continuous allowances shown below for Officers appointed for Duty Class I, and Officers not appointed for Submarine Duty when actually at sea in Submarines		3 9 Nil