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FRIDAY, 6 NOVEMBER, 1925.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 4th day of *November*, 1925.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HIS MAJESTY in Council was this day pleased to appoint the Right Honourable *Walter Edward Guinness, D.S.O., M.P.*, Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries.

M. P. A. Hankey.

PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE.

The 4th day of November, 1925.

THIS day, in the presence of the Secretary of State for the Home Department, the Right Honourable *Walter Edward Guinness, D.S.O., M.P.*, was sworn Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries.

M. P. A. Hankey.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 4th day of *November*, 1925.

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 12th day of October, 1925, 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 by Order in Council of the 11th October, 1921, payment of allowances to Telegraphist ratings of Your Majesty's Navy employed as Aerial Gunners and Assistant Observers was approved:

"And whereas we consider that the title 'Aerial Gunner and Assistant Observer' incompletely describes the duties of these ratings, since their duties as assistants to the naval observer are confined to the sending and receiving of W/T Signals and messages and the operation of the W/T apparatus in the aircraft, and in no other respects are they qualified to replace or understudy the naval observer:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to sanction the alteration in title from 'Aerial Gunner and Assistant Observer' to 'Telegraphist Aerial Gunner'."

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.