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FRIDAY, 7 NOVEMBER, 1930.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 27th day of *October*, 1930.

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 30th day of September, 1930 (G.H.), in the words following, viz. :—

“Whereas by Section 30 of the Greenwich Hospital Act, 1865, it is enacted that the Admiralty, with the approval of Your Majesty in Council, may from time to time make free grants of land part of the lands vested in them by virtue of this Act, for the erection of buildings and providing conveniences for places of worship, residence of ministers, education of children, or other public purposes (so that any such grant of land does not include any right to the minerals under the land granted, or comprise more than two acres in any one parish):

“We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to sanction the free grant to the North and Islandshires District Council of a piece of land measuring 94 square yards or thereabouts, at present vested in the Admiralty by virtue of the aforesaid Act, for the purpose of effecting certain road improvements at Scremerston, Northumberland.”

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 27th day of *October*, 1930.

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WHEREAS by Section 670 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, it is enacted that when any Lighthouse, Buoy, or Beacon has either before or after passing of that Act been erected or placed on or near the coast of any British Possession by or with the consent of the Legislature of that Possession, His Majesty may, by Order in Council, fix such Dues (in that Act referred to as Colonial Light Dues) to be paid in respect of that Lighthouse, Buoy, or Beacon by the Owner or Master of every Ship which passes the same and derives benefit therefrom as His Majesty may deem reasonable, and may by like Order increase, diminish or repeal such Dues, and those Dues shall from the time