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TUESDAY, 13 OCTOBER, 1931.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 1st day of *October*, 1931.

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 9th day of September, 1931 (N. 3069/31), 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 Your Order in Council dated the 7th day of May, 1928, Your Majesty was graciously pleased to authorise the payment of an allowance of 9d. a day to the Naval rating employed as Draughtsman in the Fleet Flagship of the Mediterranean Fleet:

“And whereas we consider it necessary that a Naval rating shall be employed on similar duties in the Atlantic Fleet and that this duty warrants the payment of a similar allowance:

“We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to authorise the payment of an allowance of 9d. a day to the Naval rating employed as Draughtsman in the Fleet Flagship of the Atlantic Fleet.

“The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury have signified their concurrence in this proposal.”

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 1st day of *October*, 1931.

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 4th day of September, 1931 (N.P. (2) 1389/31), in the words following, viz. :—

“Whereas by Section 3 of the Naval and Marine Pay and Pensions Act, 1865, it is