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FRIDAY, 6 JUNE, 1941

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 30th day of *May*, 1941.

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 13th day of May, 1941 (Pt. N. 9715/41), 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 we consider it desirable that extra remuneration should be granted to ratings with special linguistic qualifications:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to sanction the grant of a special allowance of rs. a day to qualified ratings when we consider that payment is justified by the importance of the duties performed.

"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.

*Rupert B. Howorth.*

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 30th day of *May*, 1941.

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 17th day of May, 1941 (N. 9716/41), 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 Orders in Council of 29th January, 1929, 1st October, 1932, 27th October, 1936, 1st July, 1937, 24th February, 1938, and 5th September, 1939, authorised payment of extra duty pay to certain Royal Marine ranks when organised in service units:

"And whereas we consider that extra remuneration at the rate of 3d. a day should be paid to Royal Marine ranks qualified and employed as Wire Splicers in the establishment of such units:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to sanction payment accordingly.

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