serving at the Admiralty is to receive an allowance at the rate of 4s. a day, in addition to Admiralty allowance, for any days on which he makes an ascent and himself acts as pilot.

"Payment of the allowance is to take effect from the 14th June 1932."

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 8th day of August 1932.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by Section 20 of the Finance Act, 1894, as modified by Article 14 of the Government of Ireland (Adaptation of the Taxing Acts) Order, 1922, and by Article 2 of the Irish Free State (Consequential Adaptation of Enactments) Order, 1923, it is enacted that His Majesty The King may, by Order in Council, apply that section to any British Possession where His Majesty is satisfied that, by the Law of such Possession, either no duty is leviable in respect of property situate in Great Britain when passing on death, or that the Law of such Possession as respects any duty so leviable is to the like effect as the foregoing provisions of that Section:

And whereas His Majesty is satisfied that the Law of the Province of Quebec as respects the duty leviable in respect of property situate in Great Britain when passing on death is to the like effect as the provisions of sub-section (1) of the aforesaid Section 20 of the Finance Act, 1894:

And whereas it is expedient that Section 20 of the Finance Act, 1894, should be applied to the Province of Quebec:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the power by the aforesaid Act in His Majesty vested is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council to order, and it is hereby ordered, that Section 20 of the Finance Act, 1894, shall apply to the Province of Quebec as from the date on which this Order is made.

And the Right Honourable James Henry Thomas, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Dominion Affairs, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

M. P. A. HANKEY.

TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS.

1. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England, on Friday the 19th August 1932, at 1 o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be

issued under the Treasury Bills Act, 1877, the National Debt Act, 1889, and the War Loan Acts, 1914-1919, to the amount of £45,000,000.

- 2. The Bills will be in amounts of £5000 or £10,000. They will be dated at the option of the Tenderer on any business day from Monday the 22nd August 1932 to Saturday the 27th August 1932 inclusive, and will be payable at three months after date.
- 3. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.
- 4. Each Tender must be for an amount not less than £50,000, and must specify the date on which the Bills required are to be dated, and the net amount per cent. (being an even multiple of one penny) which will be given for the amount applied for. Separate Tenders must be lodged for Bills of different dates.
- 5. Tenders must be made through a London Banker, Discount House or Broker.
- 6. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same not later than the following day, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England by means of Cash or a Banker's Draft on the Bank of England not later than 2 o'clock (Saturday 12 o'clock) on the day on which the relative Bills are to be dated.
- 7. In virtue of the provisions of Section 1 (4) of the War Loan Act, 1919, Members of the House of Commons are not precluded from tendering for these Bills.
- 8. Tenders must be made on the printed forms which may be obtained from the Chief Cashier's Office, Bank of England.
- 9. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers, 12th August 1932.

THE GOVERNMENT ANNUITIES ACT, 1929.

19 AND 20 GEO. 5 c. 29.

The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that new Tables of the premiums to be charged under contracts for the grant of Government Annuities when the average price of $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. Consolidated Stock is £71 10s. or between £71 10s. and £83 have been duly approved under the provisions of Part II. of the above-mentioned Act and will come into operation on the 13th instant.

These Tables do not supersede any Tables at present authorised for the grant of Immediate Annuities but are additional thereto.

Copies of the new Tables may be purchased (price 2d. net) directly from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—Adastral House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120 George Street, Edinburgh; York Street, Manchester; 1 St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 15 Donegall Square West, Belfast; or through any bookseller.

Treasury, 12th August 1932.