

SCHEDULE F.

SCALE OF HARD LYING MONEY.

Ranks and Ratings.	Rate to each Person per diem.
	s. d.
1. Lieutenants of the Navy and Officers of corresponding or superior rank. .	3 0
2. Sub-Lieutenants and Officers of corresponding rank : Warrant and Subordinate Officers .. .. .	2 0
3. Chief Petty Officers, Petty Officers (N.S.), Petty Officers 1st Class (O.S.), Sergeants of Marines, and Artisans when employed at their trades ..	1 3
4. Second Class Petty Officers, Corporals of Marines, Leading Seamen, Able Seamen, Stokers, Artisans not employed at their trades (not being Chief Petty Officers, Petty Officers (N.S.) or Petty Officers 1st Class (O.S.)) and others whose substantive pay is not less than 1s. 7d. a day ..	1 0
5. Ordinary Seamen, Privates, R.M., and others of the ship's company ..	0 9
6. Boys .. .. .	0 3

Artisans shall include all men employed as such, whatever their ratings may be on ship's books, viz., as carpenters, sailmakers, blacksmiths, coopers, armourers, shipwrights, plumbers and painters,

Now, therefore, His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, being authorized thereto by writing under His Majesty's Sign Manual, has taken the said Memorial into consideration, and doth hereby, by and with the advice of His Majesty's Privy Council, signify His Majesty's

approval thereof and, on behalf of His Majesty, order, as it is hereby ordered, that the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty do give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

A. W. FitzRoy.

At the Court at *Saint James's*, the 2nd day of *April*, 1909.

PRESENT,

HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE OF WALES.

- Lord President.
- Lord Steward.
- Lord Haversham.
- Lord Pentland.

WHEREAS His Majesty was pleased, by His Commission dated the second day of March, one thousand nine hundred and nine, to nominate and appoint His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, in His Majesty's absence from His Realm in Foreign Parts, to hold, on His Majesty's behalf, His Privy Council, and to signify thereat His approval of any matter or thing whereunto His Royal Highness should be so authorized by writing under His Majesty's Sign Manual, and to do further on his Majesty's behalf any matter or thing for the purposes of the said Commission whereunto His Royal Highness should be authorized in manner aforesaid.

And whereas there was this day read at the Council held under the Authority of the said Commission, a Memorial from the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, dated the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and nine, 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, and other allowances in the nature thereof, payable in respect of services in Your Majesty's Naval or Marine Forces 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 are of opinion that the duties devolving upon the Accountant Officers of Depôt Ships for Torpedo Boat Destroyers in home waters are so onerous and responsible as to merit the grant of extra remuneration:

"And whereas the extent of these duties varies with the size of the flotillas, and the flotillas themselves are liable to be reconstituted from time to time to suit the requirements of Your Majesty's Fleet:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased by Your Order in Council to authorize the grant of an allowance to the Senior Accountant Officer of any Depôt Ship for Torpedo Boat Destroyers in the Fleets in home waters according to the following scale:—

2s. 6d. a day when the average numbers borne per Quarter in Depôt Ship and Tenders exceed .. .. .	1,000
4s. 0d.     "                     "                     " .. .. .	1,500
5s. 0d.     "                     "                     " .. .. .	2,000

payment to commence as from the twenty-ninth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and eight:

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

Now, therefore, His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, being authorized thereto by writing under His Majesty's Sign Manual, has taken the said Memorial into consideration, and doth hereby, by and with the advice of His Majesty's Privy Council, signify His Majesty's approval thereof, and, on behalf of His Majesty, order, as it is hereby ordered, that the Right Honourable