

for Torpedo Boat Destroyers in Home Waters shall receive allowances on the following scale:—

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

“And whereas in consequence of certain duties connected with the Mediterranean flotilla of Torpedo Boat Destroyers having been transferred from the Depôt Ship at Malta to a Seagoing Depôt Ship, we consider the allowance to the Accountant Officer of the Depôt Ship at Malta should be at the rate of 2s. 6d. a day; and we further consider that the Senior Accountant Officers of Destroyer

Depôt Ships abroad should receive similar allowances to those provided for Accountant Officers of Destroyer Depôt Ships at home.

“We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased by Your Order in Council to sanction the grant of allowances on the above sliding scale to the Senior Accountant Officer of any Depôt Ship for Torpedo Boat Destroyers in Fleets abroad, with effect as from the 5th May, 1914, and to approve of the allowance to the Accountant Officer of the Depôt Ship at Malta being fixed at the rate of 2s. 6d. a day from the date upon which the instruction for the reduction of the allowances is received at Malta.

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

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.

Almeric FitzRoy.

CURRENCY NOTES.

(4 & 5 Geo. 5, cc. 14 and 72.)

I.—ISSUE ACCOUNT.

Total Issued up to 9th September, 1914, inclusive.				Notes cancelled up to 9th September, 1914, inclusive.			
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
£1	...	24,349,972	0 0	£1	...	3,130,425	0 0
10/-	...	5,945,163	10 0	10/-	...	51,583	0 0
Issued during the week ended 16th September, 1914.				Cancelled during the week ended 16th September, 1914.			
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
£1	...	1,110,200	0 0	£1	...	1,237,139	0 0
10/-	...	504,800	0 0	10/-	...	74,057	0 0
Total				Total			
				£4,493,204 0 0			
				Outstanding.			
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
£1	...	21,092,608	0 0	£1	...	21,092,608	0 0
10/-	...	6,324,323	10 0	10/-	...	6,324,323	10 0
TOTAL				£27,416,931 10 0			
				£31,910,135 10 0			

II.—BALANCE SHEET.

Notes outstanding—	Advances—	£	s.	d.
£				
27,416,931			10	0
	Scottish and Irish Banks of Issue	...		
	Other Bankers	...	1,514,200	0 0
	Post Office Savings Bank	...	2,250,000	0 0
	Trustee Savings Banks	...	1,350,000	0 0
	Currency Note Redemption Account—			
	Gold Coin and Bullion	...	3,500,000	0 0
	Government Securities	...	10,923,545	17 5
	Balance at the Bank of England	...	7,879,185	12 7
			£27,416,931	10 0
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Treasury Chambers,
17th September, 1914.

JOHN BRADBURY,
Secretary to the Treasury.