

“SCHEDULE—Continued.

“REVISED RATES OF PAY FOR CERTAIN RANKS—Continued.

“Royal Marine Officers entered after 1st January, 1912.

	Present.	Proposed.
	A day. s. d.	A day. s. d.
“Probationary 2nd Lieutenants, after 2 years	6 0	7 6
“Lieutenants, R.M., on promotion	10 0	11 0
“Captains, R.M., on promotion	12 0	12 6

“Quartermasters, R.M.

	Present.		Proposed.	
	R.M.A.	R.M.L.I.	R.M.A.	R.M.L.I.
	A day. s. d.	A day. s. d.	A day. s. d.	A day. s. d.
“Quartermasters, R.M., on appointment after 5 years	9 6	9 0	10 6	10 0
„ 10 „	11 0	10 6	12 0	11 6
„ 15 „	12 6	12 0	13 6	13 0
„ 15 „	14 0	13 6	15 0	14 6
„ 20 „	15 6	15 0	16 6	16 0

Half-Pay.

“Half-pay for less than a month to be abolished for all Officers below the rank or relative rank of Captain, Royal Navy, except in case of prolonged sickness, for misconduct, or at an Officer’s own request. This concession to apply also, under similar conditions, to Officers on the Retired, Reserved and Emergency Lists when re-employed.”

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.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 3rd day of February, 1915.

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 29th day of January, 1915, 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 the highest rate of pay for Lieutenant-Commanders entered as Lieutenants or Sub-Lieutenants on the Supplementary List of Your Majesty’s Navy under Orders in Council bearing dates the 29th June, 1895, and 9th August, 1898, is 14s. a day (in addition to Messing Allowance of 2s. a day), being the highest rate in force for Lieutenants, Royal Navy, at the time of the above-mentioned Orders in Council:

“And whereas the highest rate of pay for Lieutenant-Commanders is now 16s. a day, this rate being payable after 6 years’ seniority as Lieutenant-Commander:

“We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to sanction the payment of full pay at the rate of 16s. a day (in addition to Messing Allowance of 2s. a day) to Lieutenant-Commanders of 6 years’ seniority entered on the Supplementary List under the above-mentioned Orders in Council, to take effect from the 1st January, 1915.

“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.

Almeric FitzRoy.