

PART III.

The above minimum rates of wages shall apply, subject to the provisions of the Trade Boards Acts, to all workers in Scotland who are employed during the whole or any part of their time in any branch of the trade specified in the Trade Boards (Aerated Waters) Order, 1919, that is to say:—

The manufacture, wherever carried on, of mineral or aerated waters, non-alcoholic cordials, flavoured syrups, unfermented sweet drinks and other similar beverages, and the manufacture in unlicensed premises of brewed liquors,

Including:

(a) the operations of bottle washing, bottling and filling and all other operations preparatory to the sale of any of the aforesaid liquors in bottles, jars, syphons, casks or other similar receptacles;
and including also:

(b) the operations of bottle washing, bottling and filling, and all subsidiary operations preparatory to the sale in bottles, jars or other similar receptacles of cider, ale, stout, porter and other alcoholic beers, where all or any of such last mentioned operations are, or is, conducted or carried on in association with or in conjunction with all or any of the operations specified under (a) above so as to form a common or interchangeable form of employment for workers, and whether the two sets of operations or any of them are, or is, carried on simultaneously or not.

PART IV.

SECTION I.—The above General Minimum Time-Rates and Overtime Rates shall be paid clear of all deductions other than deductions under the National Insurance Act, 1911, as amended by any subsequent enactments or deductions authorised by any Act to be made from wages in respect of contributions to any Superannuation or other Provident Fund.

SECTION II.—The above Minimum Rates of Wages are without prejudice to workers who are earning higher rates of wages.

Dated this eleventh day of June, 1920.

Signed by Order of the Trade Board,
F. Popplewell,
Secretary.

Office of Trade Boards,
5, Chancery Lane, London, W.C. 2.

Admiralty, 12th June, 1920.

NAVAL PRIZE FUND.

It is now possible to begin the distribution of the Naval Prize Money at present available in respect of those who are not now in the Service and are entitled under the Prize Proclamation of the 10th February, 1919. The amount of one full share earned by thirty months' qualifying service is 50s. The present notice only applies to those whose surnames begin with the letters A, E, L and S.

2. It will greatly assist the distribution if

none but those having the necessary qualifications apply, and if claimants will particularly note and observe the arrangements as to the order, etc., in which applications will be dealt with (paragraphs 4 and 5); no action can be taken on applications made out of order.

3. The conditions for participation are briefly as follows:—Qualifying service is that rendered in a sea-going ship of war, or on patrol flight duty over the sea (R.N.A.S. only), for a minimum period of one month between 4th August, 1914, and 11th November, 1918. (N.B.—Examination and Boom Defence Service and Service in Transports, Hospital Ships and Auxiliary and other vessels armed for defence only does not qualify.) The qualification for full rates is thirty months of such service, the rate for lesser periods being reduced proportionately. For those who were killed in action or otherwise whilst on service at sea, or who died or were invalided as the result of injuries received while on service at sea, or who, having at least ten months' qualifying service, died or were invalided on account of disease attributable to sea service, the possible qualifying time is considered as having extended to 11th November, 1918.

The number of shares depends on the ranks held at sea.

Those who have deserted or who were discharged from the Service for misconduct are not entitled to share.

4. Payment to the Imperial Naval Forces will be made as follows:—

(a) To Warrant Officers and men of the R.N.R., through Registrars R.N.R. from whom they will receive notifications of the sums due without application. Should they not receive such notification within a month of the appearance of the Admiralty notices relating to their particular cases (see paragraph 5) they should then make application either in person or by letter to the Registrar, R.N.R. (Superintendent of Mercantile Marine Office), nearest to their place of residence.

(Men who have changed the address given on their Protection and Identity Certificate or on final discharge from the Naval Reserve, should (if they have not already done so) at once notify the change to the nearest Registrar, R.N.R., or, if more convenient, direct to the Registrar-General of Shipping and Seamen, Tower Hill, London, E. 1, quoting the number and letter of their Certificate R. V. 2.)

(b) To all other Officers, and to men of the Royal Navy, Royal Marines, Royal Naval Air Service, Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve and Mercantile Marine serving under Naval engagements, by the Accountant-General of the Navy, Prize Branch, Cornwall House, Stamford Street, London, S.E. 1, to whom claims should be made in writing signed by the actual claimant and accompanied by Certificates of Service or Discharge, or, failing these, other evidence of identity. Personal application at the Admiralty is unnecessary.

(c) To representatives of all officers and men deceased by the Accountant-General of the Navy, to whom claims signed by the actual claimant should be addressed as shown in (b) above.