

## " SCHEDULE.

" 1. The Royal Marine Artillery and the Royal Marine Light Infantry to be amalgamated as one Corps with the title of 'The Royal Marines'; the Royal Naval School of Music to continue as at present.

" 2. The Corps to be constituted and, for the present, to be distributed as follows:—

- (a) First Division, stationed at Chatham.
- (b) Second Division, stationed at Portsmouth.
- (c) Third Division, stationed at Plymouth.
- (d) Depot, Royal Marines, stationed at Deal.
- (e) Royal Naval School of Music, stationed at Portsmouth.

" 3. The rates of pay, allowances, retired pay, pension, and gratuity, prescribed in existing Orders in Council for service in the Royal Marine Artillery and Royal Marine Light Infantry, will continue to be applicable on amalgamation, and nothing in this Order shall prejudice the right of any Officer, Non-commissioned Officer, or man, to any pay, pension, or other emolument, earned prior to such amalgamation.

" 4. Commissions issued to Officers in either branch of the Corps to be effective in the Corps as reconstituted.

" 5. The title 'Marine' to be substituted for the titles 'Gunner' and 'Private.'

" 6. Commissioned Officers, Commissioned Officers from Warrant Rank, and Warrant Officers, to be combined on one list according to the following rules:—

" (i) *Commissioned Officers — (Direct Entries).*

(a) According to rank by date of seniority; two or more Officers of the same date of promotion to be placed in order of date of entry into the Service; if still of the same seniority, to be placed in each batch in the proportion of one Royal Marine Artillery to three Royal Marine Light Infantry, the relative position of the two senior Officers of the batch being determined by age.

(b) The position of Officers of the rank of Captain, entered prior to 1907, who joined Greenwich together and underwent the same examinations, to be determined by the result of the Greenwich and 'Excellent' courses; otherwise as in (a) above.

(c) Officers entered subsequent to 1st January, 1912, to be placed in their original order before the lists were divided in 1920, and the senior Subalterns, Royal Marine Artillery, to be promoted at our discretion to Captains and replaced in their positions on the list.

" (ii) *Quartermasters.*

According to dates of seniority.

" (iii) *Commissioned Officers from Warrant rank and Warrant Officers.*

According to dates of seniority."

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 11th day of *October*, 1923.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS it is provided by the Treaties of Washington Act, 1922 (hereinafter referred to as the Act), that the Act shall come into operation on such day as may be fixed by Order of His Majesty in Council:

Now, therefore, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Treaties of Washington Order, 1923.

2. The 15th day of October, 1923, is hereby fixed as the day on which the Act shall come into operation.

M. P. A. Hankey.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 11th day of *October*, 1923.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by the Suffragans Nomination Act, 1888, it is enacted, that from and after the passing of that Act, for the purposes of the Act of the 26th year of the reign of King Henry the Eighth, Chapter 14, intituled "An Act for Nomination and Consecration of Suffragans within this Realm," such other Towns as His Majesty the King may from time to time by Order in Council direct shall be taken and accepted for Sees of Bishops Suffragans as if they had been included in that Act, and that that Act shall be construed and have effect accordingly:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, under and by virtue of the powers vested in Him by the said recited Act, and all other powers enabling Him in that behalf, and by and with the advice of His Privy Council, is pleased to direct, and doth hereby direct, that the Town of which the name is scheduled to this Order, shall be taken and accepted for a See of a Bishop Suffragan as if it had been included in the above-mentioned Act of the 26th year of the reign of King Henry the Eighth, Chapter 14.

M. P. A. Hankey.

*Schedule.*

| Name of Town.                 | County in which Town is situate. |
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| Hulme (Diocese of Manchester) | Lancaster.                       |

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 11th day of *October*, 1923.

PRESENT.

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by the Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Act, 1920, provision has been made for the enforcement in England and Ireland of maintenance orders