

Gun, 2nd Class, to be established, with the following rates of pay:—

Captain of Gun, 1st Class, 1s. a day.
 Captain of Gun, 2nd Class, 6d. a day.

“(2) The titles of Turret Director Layer, and Light Director Layer to be altered to Director Layer, 1st Class, and Director Layer, 2nd Class, respectively.

“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.

M. P. A. Hankey.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 5th day of *November*, 1926.

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 21st day of October, 1926 (N.P. (2) 2526/26), 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 Your Majesty was graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council bearing date the 25th June, 1924, to sanction the payment of certain allowances to Cook ratings:

“And whereas we consider that the conditions of payment of the Allowance to the Senior Cook rating employed under the General Mess system in Ships and Establishments other than R.N. Barracks should be revised:

“We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to authorize payment of the allowance as follows:—

“In Ships and Establishments other than R.N. Barracks.

General Mess:—

“To the Senior Cook rating employed under the General Mess System in a Ship or Establishment with 250 or more in the General Mess—

per day.
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“(a) When a Warrant Instructor in Cookery is not borne 1 0

“(b) When a Warrant Instructor in Cookery is borne ... 0 6

“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 accordingly.

M. P. A. Hankey.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 5th day of *November*, 1926.

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 26th day of October, 1926 (C.W. 9634/26), 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 Your Majesty was graciously pleased by Your Order in Council bearing date the 2nd day of August, 1918, to sanction the grant, at our discretion, of Temporary Commissions as Acting Chaplains to Ministers of Religious Bodies, not in conformity with the Church of England, who rendered full time service in the Royal Navy during the period of the late war:

“And whereas Your Majesty was graciously pleased by Your Order in Council bearing date the 13th day of October, 1922, to sanction the continuance of the grant of temporary commissions to such Ministers under the same conditions in time of peace, subject to their being designated ‘Temporary Chaplains’ and not ‘Acting Chaplains’:

“And whereas the Reverend Laurence Mann was granted a Temporary Commission as Acting Roman Catholic Chaplain (now styled ‘Temporary Roman Catholic Chaplain’) with seniority of the 24th September, 1916, and served in Your Majesty’s Naval Service until the 7th October, 1926, on which date he was found to be physically unfit for further active service:

“And whereas we consider that such service should render this Officer eligible for retired pay:

“We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to sanction the following proposals:—

“(1) Retired Pay based on a standard rate of £225 a year to be granted to this Officer, and to be awarded at the current rate of