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At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 29th day of *September*, 1949.

1948, for the rates introduced on 1st July, 1946, and for the persons shown herein.

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 September, 1949 (N.2/N.7615/49), 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 by Your Order in Council dated the 26th day of June, 1946, rates of pay and of marriage allowance were instituted with effect from 1st July, 1946, for Petty Officers and Seamen of the Royal Navy and for non-commissioned officers and men of the Royal Marines:

“And whereas it has been found desirable that certain of the aforesaid rates of pay and the rates of marriage allowance should be increased as from 24th November, 1948, subject to men called up for National Service and joining for duty on and after 1st January, 1947, not receiving the increased rates of pay before they have completed 12 months' service and have attained the rating of Able Seaman or above; and not receiving the increased rates of marriage allowance at any time during their initial period of called up service, separate provision being made for them in National Service Grants:

“And whereas it has been found desirable to introduce rates of pay additional to those provided in Your Order in Council dated the 26th June, 1946, for the payment of boys and of artificer apprentices, and of certain ratings employed on aviation duties, and also for certain qualifications, responsibilities, extra duties, or special circumstances arising during service in the Royal Navy:

“We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased by Your Order in Council to sanction the provisions set out in the accompanying Schedules:

“The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury have concurred in these proposals.

“ SCHEDULE I

“ Rates of basic pay, trade pay and of marriage allowance, to be substituted as from 24th November,

“ 1. BASIC PAY

The following rates shall apply to Able Seamen and to higher ratings of the Seaman Branch and to men of other Branches and of the Royal Marines according to their relative rank, other than those National Service men not eligible to receive these rates:

| | Daily Rate |
|---|------------|
| | s. d. |
| <i>Naval Ratings</i> | |
| Able Seaman | 6 6 |
| Leading Seaman | 8 6 |
| Petty Officer | 10 6 |
| Chief Petty Officer | 12 0 |
| <i>Royal Marines</i> | |
| Marine 1st Class | 6 6 |
| Corporal | 8 6 |
| Sergeant | 10 6 |
| Colour Sergeant | 12 0 |
| Quartermaster Sergeant (formerly Staff Sergeant) | 12 6 |
| Regimental Sergeant Major | 14 0 |

“ 2. TRADE PAY

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| Artificer 3rd class... .. | 1 6 |
| Mechanician after 5 years as such | 1 6 |

“ 3. MARRIAGE ALLOWANCE

To the undermentioned, other than those National Service men not eligible to receive such rates:

| | Weekly Rate |
|--|-------------|
| | s. d. |
| Leading ratings and below in the Royal Navy, and Corporal and below in the Royal Marines... .. | 42 0 |
| Petty Officer in the Royal Navy and Sergeant in the Royal Marines | 49 0 |
| Chief Petty Officer in the Royal Navy and Colour Sergeant in the Royal Marines | 52 6 |
| Quartermaster Sergeant and Regimental Sergeant Major in the Royal Marines | 56 0 |

“ SCHEDULE II

“ 1. Rates of pay of R.N. and R.M. boys and apprentices, and of men employed on aviation duties.

| | Daily Rate |
|--|------------|
| | s. d. |
| 1. Boys: | |
| Boy 2nd class | 1 6 |
| Boy 1st class | 2 0 |
| At 17½ years of age | 4 0 |
| 2. Apprentices: | |
| 1st year of training | 1 6 |
| 2nd year of training | 2 0 |
| 3rd year of training | 2 6 |
| At 17½ years of age, irrespective of year of training | 4 0 |