

pay and general provisions set forth in the annexed Schedule, the changes involved, so far as embodied in Sections I and II, to come into force as from the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eight, but the provisions of Section III to take effect from such future dates and under such arrangements as we may direct:

"The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury have signified their concurrence in these proposals.

" SCHEDULE.

" I.—SUBSTANTIVE PAY.

" *Royal Marine Light Infantry.*

	Pay per diem.	
	s.	d.
Private on enlistment	1	2
Bugler on enlistment	1	3
Private, after six months' training, and having completed his recruit Infantry training, or attained the age of nineteen, whichever occurs first.. ..	1	4
Bugler, after six months' training, and having completed his recruit Infantry training, or attained the age of nineteen, whichever occurs first.. ..	1	5
Private, after passing in Naval gunnery	1	5
Musician	1	5
Corporal	2	2
Sergeant	2	10
Colour-Sergeant.. .. .	3	6

" II.—NON-SUBSTANTIVE RATINGS AND PAY.

" *Royal Marine Artillery and Royal Marine Light Infantry.*

"The titles of the undermentioned ratings to be altered as indicated, viz. :—"
 Turret Gunlayer to become Gunlayer 1st Class.
 Gunlayer } to become Gunlayer 2nd
 Turret Sightsetter } Classes.
 Sightsetter to become Gunlayer 3rd Class.

" *Royal Marine Light Infantry.*

"The rates of pay for Gunnery non-substantive ratings to be as follow, viz. :—

Qualified Man in Gunnery	1d. a day
Gunlayer 3rd Class	2d. " †
Gunlayer 2nd Class	6d. " †
Gunlayer 1st Class	8d. " †
Gunnery Instructor when actually employed as such in addition to any allowance as Gunlayer, 1st, 2nd or 3rd Class	6d. " †

* The title of 'Trained Man' as a distinctive non-substantive rating to be abolished.

† In addition to pay as 'Qualified Man in Gunnery.'

" III.—SUBSTANTIVE AND NON-SUBSTANTIVE PAY.

" *Royal Marine Artillery and Royal Marine Light Infantry.*

"The stoppage of the Non-Substantive Pay of men in the Second Class for Conduct shall be discontinued; but the total daily pay, whether Substantive or Non-Substantive, of men in the Second Class for Conduct whether afloat or ashore, will be less by one-sixth than their pay when not in that class.

"Non-Substantive Pay being conditional on the due efficiency and diligence required for the rating will not be payable continuously where such efficiency and diligence are not continuously maintained."

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.

A. W. FitzRoy.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 19th day of *October*, 1908.

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 14th day of October, 1908, in the words following, viz. :—

"Whereas by section three of the Naval and Marine Pay and Pensions Act, 1865, it is enacted, *inter alia*, that all pay, pensions and other allowances in the nature thereof, payable in respect of services in Your Majesty's Naval or Marine Forces 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 Stewardess borne on the books of Your Majesty's yacht 'Victoria and Albert' is paid at the rate of two shillings and threepence a day under the Order in Council of Her late Majesty, bearing date the 6th February, 1882, and receives in addition an allowance of one shilling and sixpence a day in lieu of provisions in kind :

"And whereas it has been found necessary to enter for duty in Your Majesty's yacht 'Alexandra' a Stewardess for whose pay provision has not yet been made :

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased by Your Order in Council to sanction payment at the rate of three shillings and ninepence a day, to be inclusive of pay and victualling, to any Stewardess whom it may be found necessary to employ in any of Your Majesty's yachts.

"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.

A. W. FitzRoy.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 19th day of *October*, 1908.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Local Government Board, after giving to the Incumbent and the Churchwardens of the parish of Saint Mary the Virgin, Monmouth, ten days' previous notice of