

Gun. Frank Cooper.
 Gun. Herbert Denton.
 Gun. Edward John George Nightingale.
 Gun. Samuel Kent.
 Gun. John Orgee.
 Gun. Henry Batterbury.
 Gun. Norman Stacey Smith.
 Gun. Alfred E. Woodward.
 Gun. Wilford Joe Williams.
 Gun. Thomas John Catchpole.
 Gun. John Henry Morgans.
 Gun. Robert Purdie.
 Bosn. William Henry Fenn.
 Gun. Harry Williams.
 Gun. Sidney Cornwell.
 Gun. John Robert Mead.
 Gun. Edward William Rogers.
 Gun. Harry Morgan, D.S.C.
 Gun. Thomas Bartholomew Dunne.
 Gun. Clifford Snellgrove.
 Gun. George Ernest Coker.
 Gun. James Hugh Turner.
 Bosn. John Murphy, D.S.C.
 Gun. George Dyer.
 Gun. George Edward Beedle.
 Bosn. Theophilus Walker Anderson.
 Gun. Percy V. Natali.

To be tempy. Engr. Sub-Lieut.—
 George P. Derry. 9th Mar. 1918.

R.N.R.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieuts.—
 Henry Williamson. 12th Feb. 1918.
 William Wilson. 21st Feb. 1918.

To be tempy. Engr. Lieut.—
 George K. Brown. 6th Mar. 1918.

To be tempy. Engr. Sub-Lieut.—
 George Stevenson. 5th Mar. 1918.

Instructors of Cookery to be Commd. In-

structors of Cookery—
 Frederick W. Collins.
 Frank Pharoah.
 Alphonso Jago.

1st Feb. 1918.

R.N.V.R.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieut.—
 John W. A. Lea. 27th Feb. 1918.

To be tempy. Asst. Payr.—
 Samuel Wagstaff. 8th Mar. 1918.

Admiralty, 10th March, 1918.

Gunr. to be Ch. Gunr.—
 Frederick W. Phillimore. 10th Mar.
 1918.

Admiralty, 11th March, 1918.

The undermentioned Officers, who have re-
 linqushed their appointments on account of
 ill-health contracted in the Service, to retain
 their rank:—

Tempy. Lieut. Arthur J. Dawe, R.N.V.R.
 Tempy. Sub-Lieut. Percy G. M. Pyman,
 R.N.V.R.

War Office,
 7th March, 1918.

ARMY COUNCIL ORDER.

FLAX YARNS (SHIPMENT FROM IRELAND)
ORDER, AMENDMENT.

Whereas by the Flax Yarns (Shipment from
 Ireland) Order, 1918, the Army Council regu-
 lated upon certain conditions the delivery for
 shipment from Ireland of any Line or Tow
 Yarns produced wholly or partly from Flax:

And whereas it is expedient that the said
 Order should be amended:

Now, therefore, the Army Council, in pur-
 suance of the powers conferred upon them by
 the Defence of the Realm Regulations, hereby
 order that the said Order shall be amended as
 follows:—

1. In Clause 1, the words "To or" shall be inserted after the word "shipment."
2. In Clause 2, the words "To or" shall be inserted after the word "shipment."

By Order of the Army Council,

R. H. Brade.

*Civil Service Commission,
March 12, 1918.*

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give
 notice that with the approval of the Lords
 Commissioners of H.M. Treasury the following
 Regulation is substituted for the existing Reg-
 ulation Number 8 in the Regulations respect-
 ing Boy Clerks registered for temporary em-
 ployment in Public Departments dated 15th
 September, 1916, and published in the London
 Gazette of that date, as amended by notice pub-
 lished in the London Gazette dated 16th Octo-
 ber, 1917:—

8. Boy Clerks will usually be engaged and
 paid by the week of 39 hours, viz.:—7 hours a
 day on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays,
 Thursdays, and Fridays, and 4 hours on Satur-
 days; and they will be paid 17s. per week
 during the first year of their service. After a
 year of approved service, an increase of pay to
 18s. a week may be allowed; after two years of
 approved service, an increase of pay to 19s. a
 week may be allowed.

In any case of absence without pay a Boy
 Clerk's increment shall be postponed one day
 for every day of such absence—absence without
 pay equally with the interval between two
 successive engagements not being reckoned as
 service for any purpose contemplated by the
 Regulations.

Boy Clerks may also be engaged and paid by
 the hour at the rate of 4½d. per hour during
 their first year of service; and at the rate of 5d.
 per hour thereafter. Any Boy Clerks who may
 be required to attend for more than 7½ hours on
 Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, or
 Friday, or more than 4½ hours on Saturday,
 will be paid at the rate of 6d. per hour for the
 overtime attendance in excess of the normal
 attendance for such day. But in no case must
 overtime attendance exceed 6 hours in any one
 week. They may also be paid by the piece at
 such rates as may be fixed by the Civil Service
 Commissioners, with the approval of the Lords
 Commissioners of the Treasury.