

widows of officers in respect of children) for the figures £77 10s. there shall be substituted the figures £90 10s.

16. In Article 17 of the 1921 (Warrant Officers) Order, as amended (Orders of 29th September 1949 and 21st December 1960), (which provides for the award of pensions to certain officers' children who have attained the age of 18 years and are incapable of self-support) for the figures £149 10s. there shall be substituted the figures £175 10s.

17. For Schedule 1 to the 1921 (Warrant Officers) Order, as amended (Order of 21st December 1960), (which sets out the rates of retired pay for disabled officers) there shall be substituted Schedule 4 to this Order.

18. In column (2) of the Table in Schedule 3 to the 1921 (Warrant Officers) Order, as amended (Order of 21st December 1960), (which sets out the rates of pension for widows of officers) for the figures £258 and £233 there shall be substituted the figures £295 and £270 respectively.

19. In Article 5 of the 1949 Order, as amended (Order of 21st December 1960), (which provides for the supplementation of retired pay or pension and the award of allowances for unemployable pensioners):

- (a) in paragraph (2), for the figures £164 and 63s. there shall be substituted the figures £193 and 74s. respectively;
- (b) in paragraph (3) (b), for the figures £55 and 25s. there shall be substituted the figures £72 and 31s. 6d. respectively;
- (c) in paragraph (3) (c), for the figures £91 and 35s. there shall be substituted the figures £108 and 41s. 6d. respectively;
- (d) in paragraph (3) (e), for the words and figures "£45 10s. a year" there shall be substituted the words and figures "£52 a year and in respect of each other of those children to £31 6s. a year" and for the figures 17s. 6d. and 9s. 6d. there shall be substituted the figures 20s. and 12s. respectively.

20. In Article 6 of the 1949 Order, as amended (Order of 21st December 1960), (which provides for the award of allowances for lowered standard of occupation) for the figures 39s. there shall be substituted the figures 46s.

21. In Article 7 of the 1949 Order, as amended (Order of 21st December 1960), (which provides for the award of personal and additional allowances for disabled officers and nurses during periods of approved treatment):

- (a) in paragraph (1), for the figures 57s. 6d., wherever the same appear, there shall be substituted the figures 67s. 6d.;
- (b) in paragraph (4), for the figures £55 and £91 there shall be substituted the figures £72 and £108 respectively, and for the proviso to subparagraph (b) there shall be substituted the following proviso:

"Provided that the rate of the allowance for the first child may be increased to £52 a year and for each other child to £31 6s. a year;"

22. In Article 8 of the 1949 Order, as amended (Orders of 18th July 1952 and 21st December 1960), (which provides for the award of allowances for disabled ratings receiving approved treatment):

- (a) in paragraph (2), for the figures 97s. 6d. there shall be substituted the figures 115s.;

(b) in paragraph (3), for the figures 57s. 6d., wherever the same appear, there shall be substituted the figures 67s. 6d.;

(c) in paragraph (4), for the figures 25s., 17s. 6d., 9s. 6d. and 35s. there shall be substituted the figures 31s. 6d., 20s., 12s. and 41s. 6d. respectively, and in the proviso to subparagraph (b) the words "where an allowance is awarded under paragraph (3) of this Article," shall be omitted;

(d) in paragraph (7), for the figures 114s. 2d., 107s. 6d., 104s. 2d., 100s. 10d. and 97s. 6d. there shall be substituted the figures 131s. 8d., 125s., 121s. 8d., 118s. 4d. and 115s. respectively.

23. In Article 13 (1) of the 1949 Order, as amended (Order of 21st December 1960), (which sets out the rates of pension which may be awarded to ratings for 100 per cent. disablement) for the figures 114s. 2d., 107s. 6d., 104s. 2d., 100s. 10d. and 97s. 6d. there shall be substituted the figures 131s. 8d., 125s., 121s. 8d., 118s. 4d. and 115s. respectively.

24. In Article 14 of the 1949 Order, as amended (Order of 21st December 1960), (which provides for awards to widows and children on the death of officers or ratings on or after the 3rd September 1939):

- (a) in paragraph (c) of the proviso to paragraph (2), for the figures £128 10s., £100, £120 10s., 34s. 6d. and 46s. there shall be substituted the figures £149 10s., £116, £141 10s., 40s. 6d. and 54s. respectively;
- (b) in paragraph (3), for the figures £149 10s. and 57s. 6d. there shall be substituted the figures £175 10s. and 67s. 6d. respectively.

25. In Article 15 of the 1949 Order, as amended (Order of 21st December 1960), (which provides for the award of pensions to children of officers and ratings who died before the 3rd September 1939):

- (a) in paragraph (1), for the figures £83 10s. and £77 10s. there shall be substituted the figures £96 10s. and £90 10s. respectively;
- (b) in paragraph (2), for the figures £128 10s., £100 and £120 10s. there shall be substituted the figures £149 10s., £116 and £141 10s. respectively;
- (c) in paragraph (3), for the figures 29s. there shall be substituted the figures 34s.;
- (d) in paragraph (4), for the figures 34s. 6d. and 46s. there shall be substituted the figures 40s. 6d. and 54s. respectively;
- (e) in paragraph (6), for the figures £149 10s. and 57s. 6d. there shall be substituted the figures £175 10s. and 67s. 6d. respectively.

26. In Article 20 of the 1949 Order (*See* Order of 21st December 1960), (which provides for the award of rent allowances to widows) for the figures 29s. there shall be substituted the figures 34s.

27.—(1) This Order shall be construed as one with the 1920 Order, the 1921 (Officers) Order, the 1921 (Warrant Officers) Order and the 1949 Order.

(2) Subject to the following provisions of this Article, this Order shall come into operation on the 27th May 1963, so, however, that in relation to any award payable weekly the foregoing reference to the 27th May 1963, where this is not the normal weekly pay day for that award, shall be construed as a reference to the first normal weekly pay day for that award following the 27th May 1963.

(3) Articles 19, 21, 22 (b) and (c) of this Order shall come into operation on the 6th March 1963.

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