1*s.* 6*d.* for each year of the man's service in the forces in respect of which contributions under the Act were paid (any portion of a year exceeding six months being treated as a complete year), and Article 7 of the National Health Insurance (Reserve and Transfer Values) Regulations, 1924, (a) shall be read accordingly :

Provided that—

(i) the increase shall in no case exceed the sum of 15*s.* ; and

(ii) in the case of a man who was, after discharge, entitled to benefits out of the Navy, Army and Air Force Insurance Fund under paragraph (*e*) of sub-section (1) of section 59 of the Act, the period during which he was so entitled to benefits out of the said Fund shall be treated as though it were a period of service in the forces.

4. For the purposes of these Regulations the date on which a man enters or enlists shall be the same date as that on which he enters or enlists or is deemed to have entered or enlisted for the purposes of any Regulations made under the National Health Insurance Act, 1926 (16 & 17 Geo. 5, c. 9), relating to payment of additional benefits to members of the Navy, Army and Air Force Insurance Fund and for the time being in force.

Given under the Seal of Office of the National Health Insurance Joint Committee this 15th day of November, in the year One thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

H. W. Vaughan Williams,
Secretary to the National Health Insurance Joint Committee.

(L.S.)

(a) S. R. & O. 1924, No. 1463.

Arrears.

MADE BY THE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE JOINT COMMITTEE UNDER THE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE ACT, 1924 (14 & 15 GEO. 5, c. 38).

1927. No. 51.

The National Health Insurance Joint Committee, in pursuance of the powers conferred on them by Section 15 of the National Health Insurance Act, 1924, and by Article 5 of the National Health Insurance (Joint Committee) Regulations, 1924, hereby make the following regulations :—

1. The National Health Insurance (Arrears) Amendment

Regulations, 1926 (S.R. & O., 1926, No. 1393), shall, in their application to Northern Ireland, be read as follows :—

(*a*) "the Pensions Act" means the Widows', Orphans' and Old Age Contributory Pensions Act (Northern Ireland), 1925 (15 & 16 Geo. 5, c. 23) ;

(*b*) the reference in Article 3 to the National Health Insurance and Contributory Pensions (Voluntary Contributors) Regulations, 1925 (S.R. & O., 1925, No. 1363), shall be read as a reference to the National Health Insurance and Contributory Pensions (Voluntary Contributors) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1926, (S.R. & O. of N.I., 1926, No. 6) ;

(*c*) the words in Article 7 from "shall have effect" to the end of that article shall be read "shall have effect as if the rates of 7d. and 6½d., respectively, were substituted for the rates of 8d. and 7d. specified in para. 2 of that Article."

2. These regulations may be cited as the National Health Insurance (Arrears) Amendment Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1927.

Given under the Official Seal of the National Health Insurance Joint Committee, this 8th day of April, in the year of One thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

W. F. Wackrill,

(L.S.) Secretary to the National Health Insurance Joint Committee.

Deposit Contributors.

MADE BY THE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE JOINT COMMITTEE AND BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR FOR NORTHERN IRELAND WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE UNDER THE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1924 AND 1926, AND THE WIDOWS', ORPHANS' AND OLD AGE CONTRIBUTORY PENSIONS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1925 (15 & 16 GEO. 5. C. 23).

1927. No. 50.

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