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Notice.

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THE PRISON DISCIPLINE LAW, 1879. No. 435.

REGULATIONS MADE BY THE INSPECTOR OF PRISONS WITH THE AUTHORITY OF THE GOVERNOR UNDER SECTION 3.

By virtue of the authority conferred on me by His Excellency the Governor, I, William Sutherland Gulloch, Inspector of Prisons, hereby make the following regulations:

- 1. These Regulations may be cited as the Prison Officers (Badges Short title. and Allowances) Regulations, 1939.
- 2.—(1) Subject to the conditions hereinafter set forth, badges and Good pay for good conduct may be granted by the Inspector of Prisons to the Sergeant-Major Warder, Sergeant Warders and Prison Warders pay. of the Prison Service as follows:-

1st badge after 2 years' uninterrupted good conduct.

2nd badge after 2 further years' uninterrupted good conduct. 3rd badge after 4 further years' uninterrupted good conduct. 4th badge after 4 further years' uninterrupted good conduct.

- (2) By "uninterrupted good conduct" is meant that no punishment, other than "confinement to barracks for not more than seven days" or "a reprimand," has been awarded. When a punishment, other than the punishments aforementioned, is awarded, the period of uninterrupted good conduct shall be deemed to be broken and to start again on the day following that on which the offence was committed.
- (3) Each badge will carry a good conduct pay of 2s. $4\frac{1}{2}p$. per month, that is to say:

An officer in possession of 1 badge will draw 2s. $4\frac{1}{2}p$. per month. An officer in possession of 2 badges will draw 5s. per month.

An officer in possession of 3 badges will draw 7s. $4\frac{1}{2}p$. per month.

An officer in possession of 4 badges will draw 10s. per month.

(4) The badges shall be small red and gold chevrons to be worn on the left arm below the elbow.

One red chevron shall denote one badge.

Two red chevrons shall denote two badges.

One gold chevron shall denote three badges.

One gold and one red chevron shall denote four badges.

3.—(1) Where a member of the Prison Service is punished twice Forfeiture within a period of six months with a punishment which is entered in his of badges Defaulter Sheet the last badge earned by such member shall automatically and be forfeited and withdrawn.

- (2) Where such a member is reduced in grade, judicially punished or sentenced to imprisonment the last two badges earned by such a member shall automatically be forfeited and withdrawn.
- (3) Notwithstanding anything in paragraphs (1) and (2) of this Regulation contained, in any case where the "good conduct" of a member of the Prison Service is called in question the Inspector of Prisons may in his discretion and having regard to all the circumstances