25. The rates of allowance granted to monitors shall be as follows :—

Three Year Course.	*Boys.*	*Girls.*
1st Year	£10	£8
2nd ,,	15	12
3rd ,,	20	16

Four Year Course.	*Boys.*	*Girls.*
1st Year	£8	£6
2nd ,,	10	8
3rd ,,	12	10
4th ,,	15	12

26. A fee of £12 in the case of a monitor or of £9 in the case of a monitress shall be payable to the teachers for each candidate who passes the King's Scholarship Examination in the first or second division.

Given under the Seal of the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland this 18th day of February, 1925.

L. M'Quibban,
Secretary.

(L.S.)

Pupil Teachers and Monitors (2).

MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION, NORTHERN IRELAND, AFTER CONSULTATION WITH THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE, NORTHERN IRELAND, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE EDUCATION ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1923,

1925. No. 115.

In pursuance of the powers conferred by the Education Act (Northern Ireland), 1923, the Ministry of Education, Northern Ireland (hereinafter referred to as "the Ministry") after consultation with the Ministry of Finance, Northern Ireland, hereby makes the following regulations :—

1. A grant of £4 10 0 per annum in respect of each senior pupil teacher shall be payable to the principal teachers of public elementary schools attended by senior pupil teachers. This fee shall not be paid unless the inspector is able to certify that due attention has been given by the teacher to the instruction of the senior pupil teacher in the art and practice of teaching. Weekly criticism lessons shall be given.

2. A grant of £11 in the case of a monitor or of £8 10 0 in the case of a monitress shall be payable to the teachers for each candidate who passes the King's Scholarship Examination in the first or second division.

3. The foregoing regulations shall have effect from 1st January, 1926.

4. Nos. 20 and 26 of the "Elementary Education: Pupil Teachers and Monitors" Regulations (Statutory Rules and Orders of Northern Ireland, 1925, No. 3) are hereby repealed.

5. In case of doubt or dispute as to the meaning and effect of these regulations, the decision of the Ministry thereon shall be final.

6. These regulations may be cited as the Elementary Education (Pupil Teachers and Monitors) Amending Regulations, 1925.

Given under the Seal of the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland this 4th day of December, 1925.

L. M'Quibban.

(L.S.) Secretary.

Grants to Preparatory, Intermediate, and Secondary Schools (1925–1926).

MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION, NORTHERN IRELAND, UNDER SECTION 77 OF THE EDUCATION ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1923 (13 & 14 GEO. 5, C. 21),

1925. No. 17.

Definitions and Recognition of Schools.

1. For the purposes of these regulations:—

(a) A Preparatory School is a school or department of a school providing instruction suitable for preparing pupils for entry to an intermediate or secondary school.

(b) An Intermediate School is a school or department of a school providing at least a three years' course of instruction in such subjects as may from time to time be deemed suitable for pupils who, before entrance, have reached such stage (in these regulations referred to as the 'qualifying stage') of attainment in elementary education as may be prescribed by the Ministry.

(c) A Secondary School is a school or department of a school providing at least a five years' course of instruction in the subjects aforesaid beyond the qualifying stage.