The Examiner should be careful to see that the candidate has no books or papers in his possession, other than those specified in Rules 73 and 75, while in the examination-room, also that he has not used the blotting-paper in solving his problems.

MATHEMATICAL TABLES AND DRAWING INSTRUMENTS.

73. Books of mathematical tables, also drawing-boards and T squares, will be provided by the Marine Department, but candidates will be required to bring the requisite drawing instruments with them.

LEAVING EXAMINATION-ROOM.

74. In the event of a candidate being permitted to leave the examination-room the Examiner should substitute other questions for those which have not been attempted.

Rules to be observed during the Examination.

- 75. (1) Perfect silence must be observed during the examination.
- (2) Candidates must not have with them any books, notes, memoranda, or paper other than that supplied for use at the examination. If any candidate has brought any such notes, &c,. with him he must hand them to the Examiner before the examination commences.
- (3) Candidates must not communicate with each other or use any unfair means.
- (4) Candidates should read the questions carefully before attempting to work them, and should confine their attention to the problems as presented, without dealing with extraneous matter. This instruction, which is applicable to all sections of the examination, has special reference to the subject-paper for drawing.
- (5) All work, except that specified in the subject-paper for drawing, should be done in ink. The numbers of the questions attempted should be clearly indicated, but the questions themselves should not be copied.
- (6) Candidates are permitted to use slide rules for checking their calculations, but in each case the full working necessary for arriving at the result must be shown in ink, otherwise no significance will be attached to the answer.
- (7) The mathematical tables provided may be used by candidates in working any of the questions set in the examination, except those which state that reference thereto is not permissible.
- (8) The question papers and mathematical papers, which are the property of the Marine Department, must not be written upon or defaced.
- (9) The candidate should sign his name and write the port and date on the cover of each answer-book, also on each separate sheet used in working the problems and in answering the questions, including each sheet of drawing-paper used. Only one side should be used; and additional sheets will be supplied by the Examiner, if required.
- (10) Credit will be given for clear statements, correct spelling and punctuation, good composition, and sound reasoning in answering the questions and in solving the problems; and bad grammar, faulty spelling, errors of punctuation, and indistinct reasoning will be discredited.
- (11) Candidates may not vacate their seats or leave the examination-room without permission. If a candidate leaves the room he will not be permitted to go on with any sheet or problem which he had in hand before leaving the room.
- (12) A candidate guilty of any breach of these rules will be subjected to all the penalties of failure, and may be excluded from further examination for such period as the Marine Department may decide.

Breach of Rules.

76. The circumstances attending any breach of the Rules or any unseemly conduct on the part of the candidate, should be reported immediately to the Chief Examiner.