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FRIDAY, MAY 5, 1922.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 1st day of *April*, 1922.

PRESENT,

The KING'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by section sixty-nine of the Government of Ireland Act, 1920, His Majesty is empowered by Order in Council to make such regulations as seem necessary or proper for setting in motion the Parliaments and Governments of Southern and Northern Ireland, and also for any other matter for which it seems to His Majesty necessary or proper to make provision for the purpose of bringing the said Act into full operation or for giving full effect to any of the provisions of the said Act, and in particular His Majesty is empowered amongst other things, by any such Order in Council—

- (1) To make such adaptations of any enactments so far as they relate to Ireland as may appear to Him necessary or proper in order to give effect to the provisions of the said Act; and also to make any adaptations of any enactments so far as they relate to England or Scotland as may appear to Him necessary or proper as a consequence of any change effected by the provisions of the said Act;
- (2) to make such adaptation of any enactments as appear to Him necessary or proper with respect to the execution of services with respect to which the Parliaments of Southern Ireland and Northern

Ireland have not power to make laws, and in particular to provide for the exercise or performance of any powers or duties in connection with those services by any department of the Government of the United Kingdom or officer of that Government where any such powers or duties are, under any existing Act or by the common law, to be exercised or performed by any department or officer in Ireland who will cease to exist as a department or officer of the Government of the United Kingdom.

- (3) to make provision with respect to the transfer and apportionment of any property, assets, rights and liabilities in connection with Irish services;
- (4) to provide for the inclusion in the National Health Insurance Joint Committee of representatives of the Governments of Southern and Northern Ireland and for conferring on that committee such powers in relation to England, Scotland, Wales, Southern Ireland and Northern Ireland as are, before the appointed day, exercisable by the committee in relation to England, Scotland, Ireland and Wales;

And whereas for the purposes of the provisions of the said Act relating to the transfer of services, the first day of March, nineteen hundred and twenty-two, has been fixed as the appointed day as respects Northern Ireland in relation to Irish services in connection with the matters dealt with by this Order, but no day has yet been fixed for the purposes aforesaid as respects Southern Ireland:

And whereas the provisions of section 1 of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, have been complied with:

Now, therefore, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Government of Ireland (Adaptation of Health Insurance Acts) Order, 1922.

(2) In this Order—

The expression “appointed day” means the first day of March, nineteen hundred and twenty-two:

The expression “the Acts” means the National Health Insurance Acts, 1911 to 1921:

The expression “the Labour Ministry” means the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland, and the expression “the Minister of Labour” means the Minister of Labour for Northern Ireland:

The expression “the Finance Ministry” means the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland:

The National Insurance Act, 1911, the National Insurance Act, 1913, and the National Health Insurance Act, 1918, are respectively referred to as the Act of 1911, the Act of 1913, and the Act of 1918.

(3) The interpretation Act, 1889, applies to the interpretation of this Order in like manner as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2.—(1) As from the appointed day the Acts shall have effect subject to the modifications and adaptations set out in this Order, save where inconsistent with the Government of Ireland Act, 1920, or the provisions of any subsequent Order in Council under that Act, and subject as respects matters within the powers of the Parliament of Northern Ireland to repeal or alteration by Acts of that Parliament.

(2) Subject to the express modifications and adaptations made by this Order, the General Adaptation of Enactments (Northern Ireland) Order, 1921, and any other Order made under the said Act containing adaptations of general application shall, if and so far as they are applicable to the enactments adapted by this Order, apply thereto in like manner as to other enactments.

(3) The modifications and adaptations made by this Order shall apply to any order, scheme, rule, regulation or instrument made or issued under any of the enactments so modified or adapted and in force immediately before the appointed day in like manner as they apply to the enactment under which it was made or issued, and any such order, scheme, rule, regulation or instrument shall continue in force in like manner and subject to the like powers of revocation and alteration as if it had been made or issued under the said enactment as so modified and adapted.

3.—(1) There shall be established a separate National Health Insurance Fund for Northern Ireland to be called The Northern Ireland National Health Insurance Fund, and references in the Acts to the National Health Insurance Fund or to the Irish National Health Insurance Fund shall, in the application of the Acts to

Northern Ireland, be construed as references to the Northern Ireland National Health Insurance Fund.

(2) The assets and liabilities of the Irish National Health Insurance Fund as existing at the appointed day, including the several accounts and funds forming part of that Fund, shall as and when the data necessary for making an apportionment become available be apportioned, on such basis as the Joint Exchequer Board think just, between Northern Ireland and the rest of Ireland, and the assets and liabilities so apportioned to Northern Ireland shall be transferred to and become assets and liabilities of the Northern Ireland National Health Insurance Fund and the assets and liabilities so apportioned to the rest of Ireland shall be transferred to and become assets and liabilities of the Irish National Health Insurance Fund.

(3) For the purpose of effecting such apportionment as aforesaid, all the said assets of the Irish National Health Insurance Fund shall forthwith be transferred to the body of Trustees to be constituted for the purposes of this Order (hereinafter referred to as “the Trustees”).

(4) Pending the making of the said apportionment the Joint Exchequer Board may, by way of provisional distribution, apportion as between Northern Ireland and the rest of Ireland such part as they consider proper of the said assets, and any assets so apportioned to Northern Ireland shall be transferred to the Northern Ireland National Health Insurance Fund and any assets so apportioned to the rest of Ireland shall be transferred to the Irish National Health Insurance Fund, to be held in each case upon trust for meeting the liabilities which may ultimately be apportioned to those Funds respectively.

(5) The foregoing provisions of this Article (other than the provisions thereof relating to a provisional distribution of assets) shall apply to the Irish Reserve Suspense Fund and the Irish Reserve Values Account in like manner as they apply to the Irish National Health Insurance Fund.

(6) The Trustees shall consist of three persons, of whom one (who shall be chairman) shall be a person to be appointed by the Treasury, one shall be the person who is for the time being the Chairman of the Irish Insurance Commissioners and one shall be a person to be appointed by the Labour Ministry, and shall be a body corporate by the name of “the Irish National Health Insurance Trustees.”

If a person appointed as a Trustee by the Treasury or by the Labour Ministry under the foregoing provision vacates his office, the vacancy shall be filled by the Treasury or the Labour Ministry, as the case may be.

4.—(1) Any investments which are at the appointed day held by the Irish Insurance Commissioners under sub-section (3) of section fifty-six of the Act of 1911 on behalf of a society shall be apportioned by the Joint Exchequer Board between the Labour Ministry and the Irish Insurance Commissioners, and the investments so apportioned shall be held by the Ministry and Commissioners respectively on behalf of that society.

(2) For the purpose of effecting such apportionment as aforesaid, all the investments which are at the appointed day held by the Irish Insurance Commissioners under the said sub-section on behalf of societies shall be transferred to the Trustees.

(3) Pending the making of the said apportionment the Joint Exchequer Board shall from time to time apportion provisionally between the Labour Ministry and the Irish Insurance Commissioners all sums received by the Trustees by way of interest or dividend on the investments transferred to the Trustees under this Article, and the Trustees shall pay to the Ministry and the Commissioners respectively any sums so apportioned, and the Ministry and the Commissioners respectively shall credit to the societies concerned any sums so paid.

5. As from the appointed day any powers of the Irish Insurance Commissioners in relation to investments held by the National Debt Commissioners shall, so far as relates to investments so held immediately before that day, become powers of and be exercisable by the Trustees, and the National Debt Commissioners shall from time to time, in accordance with directions to be given by the Trustees, transfer to the Finance Ministry, or to such persons as may be nominated by the Ministry in that behalf, so much of the said investments as may be apportioned to the Northern Ireland National Health Insurance Fund.

6. The Irish Insurance Commissioners and the Trustees shall execute such instruments, prepare such accounts, and do all such other acts as the Joint Exchequer Board may reasonably require for the purpose of effecting the transfer and apportionment under the foregoing provisions of this Order.

7. The Women's Equalisation Fund and the Central Fund shall continue to be funds under the control of the National Health Insurance Joint Committee (hereinafter referred to as "The Joint Committee") but any sums which under the Act of 1918 are to be carried to those funds out of moneys provided by Parliament shall be apportioned by the Joint Committee between Northern Ireland and the rest of the United Kingdom on such basis as may be approved by the Treasury and the Finance Ministry, and the amounts apportioned to Northern Ireland shall be paid out of moneys provided by the Parliament of Northern Ireland, and the amounts payable out of moneys provided by the Parliament of the United Kingdom under the said Act shall be reduced by the amounts so apportioned to Northern Ireland.

8.—(1) The amounts to be contributed out of moneys provided by Parliament towards the benefits (including the cost of administration of benefits) of persons who are entitled to benefits out of the Navy and Army Insurance Fund, or who are members of the Seamen's National Insurance Society, or towards the benefits payable to persons under the scheme prepared in pursuance of subsection (6) of section forty-eight of the Act of 1911, shall, in the case of such of those persons as are resident in Northern Ireland, be paid out of moneys provided by the Parliament of Northern Ireland, and the Joint Committee shall periodically ascertain and inform the Finance Ministry of the amounts due under this provision to the accounts of the Navy and Army Insurance Fund, the Seamen's National Insurance Fund and the special fund mentioned in the said subsection (6), respectively.

(2) For the purposes of this Article a seaman, marine, soldier or airman, who was immediately before his entry or enlistment resident in Northern Ireland, shall be deemed to be resident in Northern Ireland.

9. The amounts to be contributed out of moneys provided by Parliament towards the benefits (including the cost of administration of benefits) of the persons who are by virtue of subsection (4) of section sixteen of the Act of 1913 treated for the purpose of certain provisions of the Act of 1911 as residing in that part of the United Kingdom in which the registered office of the society or branch of a society of which they are members is situate shall, whatever the situation of the registered office, be paid, in the case of such of those persons as are actually resident in Northern Ireland, out of moneys provided by the Parliament of Northern Ireland, and in the case of such of those persons as are not actually resident in Northern Ireland out of moneys provided by the Parliament of the United Kingdom.

10. The maximum amount of thirty thousand pounds mentioned in section thirty-one of the Act of 1913 shall be apportioned between Northern Ireland and the rest of the United Kingdom in such manner as the Joint Exchequer Board think just, and the Acts in their application to Northern Ireland and to the rest of the United Kingdom respectively shall have effect as if for the sum of thirty thousand pounds there were substituted the sum apportioned under this Article to Northern Ireland and the sum apportioned under this Article to the rest of the United Kingdom respectively.

11. The Minister of Labour shall be the representative of the Government of Northern Ireland on the Joint Committee, and accordingly subsection (2) of section nine of the Ministry of Health Act, 1919, shall have effect as though the Minister were included among the persons named in the said subsection as the members of the Committee, and Article 2 of the National Health Insurance (Joint Committee) Regulations, 1919, shall have effect as though for the words "and the Chief Secretary for Ireland" there were substituted the words "the Chief Secretary for Ireland and the Minister of Labour for Northern Ireland."

12. The Joint Committee shall have and exercise for the purposes of the Acts in relation to England, Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland and Southern Ireland, all such powers as were immediately before the appointed day exercisable by the Committee in relation to England, Scotland, Ireland and Wales.

13. Where under any provisions of the Acts the approval or consent of the Treasury is required to any regulations, orders or schemes made or to be made by the Joint Committee, the approval or consent of the Finance Ministry to the regulations, orders or schemes shall also be required in so far as the regulations, orders or schemes apply to Northern Ireland, and any provisions of the Acts requiring any regulations or orders made by the Joint Committee to be laid before Parliament shall be construed as requiring any such regulations or orders which apply to Northern Ireland to be laid also before the Parliament of Northern Ireland and shall have effect accordingly:

Provided that no action taken under the said provisions of the Acts in Northern Ireland with respect to any such orders or regulations shall affect the operation thereof in the rest of the United Kingdom, and no action taken under the said provisions in the United Kingdom exclusive of Northern Ireland with respect to any such orders or regulations shall affect the operation thereof in Northern Ireland.

14.—(1) Subject to the provisions of this Order, any society which was immediately before the appointed day a society approved for Ireland shall be deemed to have been approved by the Joint Committee for Northern Ireland and for Southern Ireland, and where the registered office of a branch of a society is situate in either part of Ireland the branch shall, without any authorization from the Joint Committee, be entitled to admit as members of the branch persons resident at the time of admission in the other part of Ireland.

(2) Where the registered office of a branch of a society is situate in either part of Ireland, subsection (4) of section sixteen of the Act of 1913 shall not apply as regards members of the branch resident in the other part of Ireland, if and so long as the branch is entitled to admit as members persons resident in the other part of Ireland.

15. Where the registered office of a society, being a society which is by virtue of the last-preceding Article deemed to have been approved for Northern Ireland and for Southern Ireland, is situate in one part of Ireland, the society may, with the approval of the Joint Committee, relinquish approval for the other part of Ireland notwithstanding that some of its members are resident in that other part, and where the registered office of a branch of a society is situate in either part of Ireland the branch may, with the consent of the central authority of the society, relinquish its right to admit as members persons resident in the other part of Ireland.

16. Where a society or branch of a society has members resident in Ireland and the society has duly relinquished or proposes to relinquish approval for, or the branch has duly relinquished its right to admit as members persons resident in, Ireland or either part of Ireland, as the case may be, Article 83 (1) of the National Health Insurance (Approved Societies) Consolidated Regulations, 1918, shall, during the period of twelve months next following the appointed day, have effect, so far as relates to the transfer of engagements relating to insured members of the society or branch resident in Ireland or in that part of Ireland, as if paragraphs (b), (c), (d) and (e) thereof were not contained therein, and accordingly a resolution to transfer any such engagements proposed and carried in manner mentioned in paragraph (a) thereof, shall on being so carried immediately be of full force and effect, subject always to the other provisions of the said Regulations.

17. There shall be included among the representatives of the Board of Trade on the Committee constituted under subsection (5) of section forty-eight of the Act of 1911 to manage the affairs of the Seamen's National Insurance Society a person nominated by the Labour Ministry, and the scheme prepared by the Board of Trade under the said subsection shall be deemed to be amended and have effect accordingly.

18. Article 9 of the National Health Insurance (Navy, Army, and Air Force) Consolidated Regulations, 1920, (which provides for the constitution of an advisory committee to advise the Minister of Health with respect to administration of the Navy and Army Insurance Fund), shall have effect as though for the words "consisting of five members, of whom one shall be appointed by the Minister,

one by the Admiralty, one by the Army Council, one by the Air Council, and one by the Secretary of State for India" there was substituted the words "consisting of six members, of whom one shall be appointed by the Minister, one by the Admiralty, one by the Army Council, one by the Air Council, one by the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland, and one by the Secretary of State for India."

19. The powers and duties of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue with reference to the granting of allowances for or the repurchase of stamps issued for the purposes of the Acts shall, so far as relates to stamps issued for the purposes of the Acts as applying to Northern Ireland, be exercised and performed on and after the appointed day by the Labour Ministry.

20. In the application of the Acts to Northern Ireland—

- (a) So much of section one hundred and eight of the Act of 1911 as relates to the preparation and issue of stamps for the purposes of the Acts and references to the Postmaster-General and the Post Office shall not apply, without prejudice to the making of arrangements under section sixty-three of the Government of Ireland Act, 1920, for the exercise and performance by the Postmaster-General and his officers on behalf of the Labour Ministry of the powers and duties which under the Acts were before the appointed day exercised and performed by the Postmaster-General and his officers:
- (b) The reference to the Local Government Board in section one hundred and fourteen of the Act of 1911 shall be construed as a reference to the Finance Ministry:
- (c) References to the National Debt Commissioners shall be construed as references to the Finance Ministry, but nothing in this provision shall prejudice the power of the Finance Ministry to make arrangements under section sixty-three of the Government of Ireland Act, 1920, with the National Debt Commissioners for the exercise by them on behalf of the Ministry of such powers of the Ministry under the Acts as are outside Northern Ireland exercisable by the Commissioners.

*Almeric FitzRoy.*

*Board of Trade,  
Great George Street,  
London, S.W. 1.*

#### OPTICAL AND OTHER SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS.

COMMITTEE UNDER PART II OF THE SAFEGUARDING OF INDUSTRIES ACT, 1921.

The Board of Trade give notice that they have received a complaint by the British Optical Instrument Manufacturers' Association Limited, the British Photographic Manufacturers' Association, the Spectacle Manufacturers' Association, and the Drawing Instrument Manufacturers' Association, that Optical and other Scientific Instruments manufactured in Germany are being sold or offered for sale in the United Kingdom at prices which, by reason of depreciation in the value in relation to sterling of German currency,

are below the prices at which similar goods can be profitably manufactured in the United Kingdom, and that by reason thereof employment in the industry manufacturing similar goods in the United Kingdom is being or is likely to be seriously affected. The Board of Trade, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by Part II of the Safeguarding of Industries Act, 1921, have referred the matter for inquiry to a Committee constituted for the purposes of that Part of the Act and consisting of:—

Sir R. Henry Rew, K.C.B. (Chairman),  
Mr. A. K. Davies,  
Mr. Rayner Goddard,  
Mr. A. E. Holmes, and  
Mr. J. F. Mason, J.P.

The Committee are directed, after ascertaining the facts, to report to the President of the Board of Trade (a) whether the conditions specified in Section 2, Sub-section (1), of the Safeguarding of Industries Act, 1921, are fulfilled in respect of all or any particular varieties of Optical and other Scientific Instruments; (b) on the effect which the imposition of a duty under Part II of the Act on goods of the class or description covered by the complaint would exert on employment in any other industry being an industry using goods of that class or description as material; and (c) whether, in the opinion of the Committee, production in the industry manufacturing similar goods in the United Kingdom is being carried on with reasonable efficiency and economy.

The Committee propose to hold their first sitting for the taking of evidence at 3 p.m. on Monday, the 15th May, 1922, at the Hotel Windsor (Mines Department), Victoria Street, London, S.W. 1.

The Secretary to the Committee is Mr. T. Turner, Board of Trade, Great George Street, London, S.W. 1, to whom all communications should be addressed.

Board of Trade,  
Great George Street,  
London, S.W. 1.

#### GLASS BOTTLES.

##### COMMITTEE UNDER PART II OF THE SAFEGUARDING OF INDUSTRIES ACT, 1921.

The Board of Trade give notice that they have received complaints from the Association of Glass Bottle Manufacturers of Great Britain and Ireland (1) that Glass Bottles, manufactured in Holland, are being sold or offered for sale in the United Kingdom at prices below the cost of production thereof as defined by the Safeguarding of Industries Act, 1921, and that by reason thereof employment in the industry manufacturing similar goods in the United Kingdom is being or is likely to be seriously affected; and (2) that Glass Bottles, manufactured in Germany, are being sold or offered for sale in the United Kingdom at prices which, by reason of depreciation in the value in relation to sterling of German currency, are below the prices at which similar goods can be profitably manufactured in the United Kingdom, and that by reason thereof employment in the industry manufacturing similar goods in the United Kingdom is being or is likely to be seriously affected. The Board of Trade, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by Part II of the Safeguarding of Industries Act, 1921, have referred the matter

to a Committee constituted for the purposes of that part of the Act and consisting of:—

Mr. C. A. Russell, K.C. (Chairman);  
Sir Cecil L. Budd, K.B.E.;  
Mr. Owen Parker, C.B.E., J.P.;  
Mr. E. W. Rainer; and  
Mr. James Rowan, J.P.

The Committee are directed, after ascertaining the facts, to report to the President of the Board of Trade

(a) whether the conditions specified in Section 2, Sub-section (1) of the Safeguarding of Industries Act, 1921, are fulfilled;

(b) on the effect which the imposition of a duty under Part II of the Act on goods of the class or description covered by the complaint would exert on employment in any other industry being an industry using goods of that class or description as material; and

(c) whether in the opinion of the Committee production in the industry manufacturing similar goods in the United Kingdom is being carried on with reasonable efficiency and economy.

The Committee propose to hold their first meeting for the taking of evidence at 2.30 p.m. on Monday, the 15th May, 1922 at 5 Old Palace Yard, Westminster, London, S.W. 1.

The Secretary to the Committee is Mr. G. S. Bailey, Board of Trade, Great George Street, London, S.W. 1, to whom all communications should be addressed.

#### IRISH UNIVERSITIES ACT, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Senate of Queen's University, Belfast, have made a Statute bearing date the 12th day of April, 1922, in the manner prescribed.

Copies of this Statute may be obtained from the undersigned.

J. M. FINNEGAN,  
Secretary to the Senate.  
Queen's University,  
Belfast.

#### WAR PENSIONS ACT, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given under the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that the Minister of Pensions proposes, after the expiration of at least 40 days from this date, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon him by section 2 (2) of the War Pensions Act, 1921, to make regulations governing the exercise by Committees established under that Act of their functions.

Copies of the draft Regulations can be purchased, either directly or through any bookseller from His Majesty's Stationery Office, at the following addresses:—

Imperial House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2,  
and 28 Abingdon Street, London, S.W.1.  
37 Peter Street, Manchester; 1 St. Andrew's  
Crescent, Cardiff;  
23 Forth Street, Edinburgh;  
or from Eason & Son, Ltd., 40 and 41 Lower  
Sackville Street, Dublin.

Dated this 2nd day of May, 1922.  
Ministry of Pensions,  
2 Sanctuary Buildings,  
Great Smith Street,  
London, S.W.1.

ACCOUNT OF THE EXCHEQUER OF NORTHERN IRELAND FOR THE PERIOD TO 30TH APRIL, 1922.

REVENUE AND OTHER RECEIPTS.	Month of April 1922.	Total to 30th April, 1922.	EXPENDITURE AND OTHER ISSUES	Month of April 1922.	Total to 30th April, 1922.
Balance in Exchequer on 1st April, 1922 ...	£ 64,730	£ 64,730	<b>EXPENDITURE.</b>	£	£
<b>TAX REVENUE.</b>			Consolidated Fund Services, viz. :—		
Estate, etc., Duties ...	35,700	35,700	Statutory Salaries ...	261	261
Stamps ...	25,500	25,500	Interest on Temporary Advances ...	—	—
Excise ...	6,500	6,500	Supply Services, viz. :—		
Motor Vehicle Duties ...	17,070	17,070	Ministry of Finance—		
Residuary Share of Reserved Taxes :—			Old Age Pensions ...	80,000	80,000
British Treasury (on account) ...	150,000	150,000	Public Works and Buildings ...	500	500
Local Loans Repayments ...	2,500	2,500	Houses of Parliament ...	1,000	1,000
<b>TOTAL TAX REVENUE ...</b>	<b>237,270</b>	<b>237,270</b>	Other Services ...	7,000	7,000
<b>NON-TAX REVENUE.</b>			Ministry of Home Affairs—		
Land Purchase Annuities ...	2,800	2,800	Grants to Local Authorities ...	5,000	5,000
Advances for Public Buildings ...	—	—	Special Constabulary ...	155,000	155,000
Miscellaneous Receipts ...	233	233	Other Services ...	10,500	10,500
<b>TOTAL NON-TAX REVENUE ...</b>	<b>3,033</b>	<b>3,033</b>	Ministry of Labour—		
<b>TOTAL REVENUE ...</b>	<b>240,303</b>	<b>240,303</b>	Unemployment Insurance ...	20,000	20,000
<b>OTHER RECEIPTS.</b>			Other Services ...	10,000	10,000
Grant-in-aid (on account) ...	150,000	150,000	Ministry of Education ...	158,500	158,500
Temporary Borrowings under Consolidated Fund Act, 1922 ...	75,000	75,000	Ministry of Agriculture ...	3,500	3,500
Ulster Savings Certificates ...	15,000	15,000	Ministry of Commerce ...	1,000	1,000
<b>TOTAL ...</b>	<b>545,033</b>	<b>545,033</b>	<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURE ...</b>	<b>452,261</b>	<b>452,261</b>
			<b>OTHER ISSUES.</b>		
			Advances under Unemployment Fund Act, 1922 ...	80,000	80,000
			Balance in Exchequer on 30th April, 1922 ...	12,772	12,772
			<b>TOTAL ...</b>	<b>545,033</b>	<b>545,033</b>

Ministry of Finance, Belfast,  
1st May, 1922.

E. CLARK,  
Secretary to the Ministry of Finance.

NOTES.—The Exchequer Account of Northern Ireland is the general account of Receipts and Issues established under the Exchequer and Audit Act, 1921. The Exchequer Account is a cash account showing the financial position of the Northern Government at a certain date. The amounts shewn under "Revenue" are sums transferred from a subsidiary Revenue Account to the Exchequer after due provision for possible rebates and repayments has been made. Similarly, the amounts shewn under "Expenditure" are the issues made from the Exchequer on account of the Services administered by the various Departments, and, subject to balances in their hands, represent approximately the amounts expended by Departments out of such issues. The Residuary Share of Reserved Taxes is the net sum due to the Northern Government from the produce of taxes collected by the British Treasury and attributable to Northern Ireland after deduction of the Imperial contribution and the cost of Reserved Services. Under the Exchequer and Audit Act, 1921, the whole of the Receipts into the Exchequer form one general Consolidated Fund. Standing charges against the revenue of the year under Act of the Northern Parliament are shewn as Consolidated Fund Services. Other charges on revenue are voted by the House of Commons and are shewn as Supply Services. The sum shown above under "Grant-in-aid (on account)" is part of the Grant of £1,000,000 included in the Estimates of the United Kingdom, under head of Unclassified Services, Vote 8.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 8 and 9 Vict., cap. 37, of the Amount of Bank Notes authorized by Law to be issued by the several Banks of Issue in Ireland, and the Average Amount of Bank Notes in circulation, and of Coin held during the four Weeks ended Saturday, the 15th day of April, 1922.

Name and Title as set forth in Licence.	Name of the Firm.	Head Office or Principal Place of Issue.	Circulation authorized by Certificate.	Average Circulation during 4 Weeks ended as above.			Average amount of Coin held during 4 Weeks ended as above.		
				£5 and upwards.	Under £5	Total.	Gold.*	Silver.	Total.
The Bank of Ireland .. ..	The Governor and Company of the Bank of Ireland.	Dublin	£ 3,738,428	5,332,075	3,352,800	8,684,875	5,077,386	75,227	5,152,613
The Provincial Bank of Ireland, Limited.	The Provincial Bank of Ireland, Limited.	Head Office, Throgmorton Avenue, London.	927,667	1,249,638	643,175	1,897,813	829,084	314,971	1,144,055
The Belfast Banking Company, Limited.	The Belfast Banking Company, Limited.	Belfast.	281,611	980,887	314,830	1,295,717	920,199	286,642	1,206,841
The Northern Banking Company, Limited.	The Northern Banking Company, Limited.	Belfast.	243,440	1,181,352	467,815	1,649,167	1,299,918	193,286	1,498,204
The Ulster Bank, Limited ..	The Ulster Bank, Limited ..	Belfast.	311,070	1,486,369	481,981	1,968,350	1,687,467	67,282	1,754,749
The National Bank, Limited ..	The National Bank, Limited ..	Head Office, 13 Old Broad Street, London.	852,269	2,284,115	795,947	3,080,062	1,935,114	673,989	2,609,103

\* This column includes Currency Notes deposited at the Bank of England which, by virtue of Treasury Minutes made under the authority of the Act 4 and 5 Geo. V., ch. 14, are to be treated as coin held by the bank at its head office or principal place of issue.

I hereby certify that each of the Bankers named in the above Return, who have in circulation an amount of Notes beyond that authorized in their Certificate have held an amount of Gold and Silver Coin not less than that which they are required to hold during the period to which this Return relates.

Dated 25th day of April, 1922.

H. BIRTLES,  
Registrar of Bank Returns.

L/124.

MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS FOR  
NORTHERN IRELAND.

NEWRY UNION.

To the Guardians of the Poor of Newry Union;  
and to all others whom it may concern:

WHEREAS the Local Government Board for Ireland, by Order under Seal dated 22nd March, 1921, did transfer the Townlands contained in Crossmaglen Rural District to Newry Union, and did make certain consequential provisions for the constitution, management and government of the said Newry Union as altered by the said Order:

And Whereas the said Board by Orders under Seal, dated the 29th November, 1921, did order and direct that, as from the 1st day of April, 1922, the Townlands contained in the said Crossmaglen Rural District should be separated from the said Newry Union and form a separate Union, and did issue and make further provisions for the constitution, management and government of the said Crossmaglen Union as from the said 1st day of April, 1922:

And Whereas the powers and duties of the Local Government Board for Ireland are now vested in the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland:

Now, Therefore, the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers enabling that Ministry in this behalf, do hereby order and declare that the aforesaid Orders made by the Local Government Board for Ireland on the 29th November, 1921, shall not take effect until the 1st day of April, 1923, and that the aforesaid Order of the Local Government Board bearing date the 22nd March, 1921, shall have effect and be in force until the said 1st day of April, 1923, notwithstanding anything in the said Orders of the 29th day of November, 1921.

Given under the Seal of the Ministry  
[L.S.] of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland  
this 24th day of March, 1922.

(Signed), R. D. MEGAW.

We the Lord Lieutenant-General and General Governor of Ireland do hereby approve of this Order.

(Signed), FITZALAN OF DERWENT.

26th day of March, 1922.

Form "E."

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.  
ESTATES COMMISSIONERS.

Record No. E.C. 7900.

Estate of ANDREW WILLIAM ORR.  
County Londonderry.

TAKE Notice that the said Andrew W. ORR, claiming as tenant for life, is proceeding to sell his Estate at Inishrush, in the Barony of Loughinsholin, and County of Londonderry, to the tenants thereof and other persons in fee-simple, reserving out of plot No. 22 of the said lands to the lessor in the lease hereinafter mentioned, his heirs and assigns or other the person or persons entitled thereto, his or their

heirs and assigns the mineral rights and concurrent sporting rights in so far as the same are excepted and reserved in and by a lease for lives renewable for ever, dated 6th July, 1796, or in and by any superior grant or lease affecting the said plot No. 22, and also reserving out of the residue of the said lands to the Rt. Hon. William Thomas Earl of Clancarty and others, their heirs and assigns or other the person or persons entitled thereto, his or their heirs and assigns, the mineral rights and concurrent sporting rights in so far as the same are excepted and reserved in and by three fee-farm grants, all dated 30th July, 1853, one from the said Rt. Hon. William Thomas Earl of Clancarty and others to William Orr, and two from the said parties to Hercules Ellis and another, or in and by any superior grant or lease affecting the said residue of the said lands. And further, take notice that the Land Commission intend, without any further investigation of title, within fourteen days from this date, unless some valid reason is shown in the meantime why they should not do so, to deal with the said Andrew W. Orr as the owner of the said lands for all purposes other than the distribution of the purchase money or the payment of any percentage out of the Land Purchase Aid Fund established under the Irish Land Act, 1903.

(Signed), F. SCALES.

By Order of the Estates Commissioners.

Dated this 5th day of May, 1922.

N.B.—Any person interested in the Estate will, on application at the Office of the Estates Commissioners, be furnished with information as to the amount of the purchase money of the several holdings on the Estate.

Final Notice to Claimants and Incumbrancers.

COURT OF THE IRISH LAND COMMISSION.

LAND PURCHASE ACTS.

Record No. E.C. 7613.

Estate of CHARLES TOLER McMURROUGH  
KAVANAGH.

County of Armagh

TAKE Notice that the Final Schedule of Incumbrances affecting the proceeds of the sale of the lands comprised in the First Schedule to the Originating Application herein, which have been sold under the above Acts, in fee-simple, has been lodged in the Examiner's Office of this Court, Dublin, and may be there inspected together with the said Originating Application; and that the 9th day of May, 1922, has been fixed as the last day on which claims or other objection to the said Schedule of Incumbrances may be lodged the 12th day of May, 1922, for proof of claims before the Examiner, and the 16th day of May, 1922, for distribution of the purchase money by the Judicial Commissioner.

Dated the 26th day of April, 1922.

ROBERT C. K. WILSON, Examiner.

James Poe and Son, Solicitors for the  
said Charles T. McMurrough Kavanagh,  
13 Molesworth Street, Dublin.



**FINAL NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS AND  
INCUMBRANCERS.**

**COURT OF THE IRISH LAND  
COMMISSION.**

**LAND PURCHASE ACTS.**

Record No. E.C. 8516.

Estate of **DAME MARY MILLER AND OTHERS,**  
County of Londonderry.

TAKE Notice that the Final Schedule of Incumbrances affecting the proceeds of the sale of the Lands comprised in the First Schedule to the Originating Application herein, which have been sold under the above Acts in fee-simple, has been lodged in the Examiners' Office of this Court, Dublin, and may be there inspected, together with the said Originating Application; and that the 2nd day of June, 1922, has been fixed as the last day on which claims or other objection to the said Schedule of Incumbrances may be lodged, the 8th day of June, 1922, for proof of claims before the Examiner, and the 9th day of June, 1922, for distribution of the purchase money by the Judicial Commissioner.

Dated the 4th day of May, 1922.

**W. DICK,**  
Chief Examiner.

Miller & Babington, Solicitors for said  
Dame Mary Miller and Others, 7 St.  
Stephen's Green, Dublin.

Gazette Notice—Adjudication—Public Sitting.

**THE BANKRUPTCY (IRELAND) AMEND-  
MENT ACT, 1872.**

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE IN  
NORTHERN IRELAND.**

**KING'S BENCH DIVISION—IN BANKRUPTCY.**

**JOHN McFERRAN**, of 142 Cavendish Street, in the City of Belfast, Retired Spirit Grocer, was on the 7th day of April, 1922, adjudged Bankrupt.

Public Sittings will be held at the Local Bankruptcy Court, Belfast, on Friday, the 19th day of May, 1922, and on Friday, the 26th day of May, 1922, at the hour of Eleven o'clock noon, whereat the Bankrupt is to attend, and to make a full disclosure and discovery of his Estate and Effects. Creditors may prove their Debts, and at the First Sitting choose a Creditors' Assignee. At the Last Sitting the Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination.

All Persons having in their possession any Property of the Bankrupt must deliver it, and all Debts due to the Bankrupt must be paid, to Major F. G. Hill, Official Assignee, 86 Donegall Street, Belfast, to whom Creditors may forward their Affidavits of Debt.

**ARTHUR J. WEIR**, Acting Registrar.  
**S. ROSS & CO.**, Solicitors, 10 Arthur  
Street, Belfast.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned Samuel MacKeown and Robert Wallace, practising as Solicitors under the style of Carson & McDowell, at 51 Royal Avenue, Belfast, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

The said Samuel MacKeown will practise at 51 Royal Avenue, Belfast, under the name and style of Carson & McDowell, and the said Robert Wallace will practise in his own name at Saxone House, Donegall Place, Belfast.

Dated this 1st day of May, 1922.

**SAMUEL MACKEOWN.**  
**ROBERT WALLACE.**

Signed by the said Samuel MacKeown and  
Robert Wallace in presence of:—

James Shaw,  
51 Royal Avenue,  
Belfast.

**STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**

In the Goods of **MARY JOSEPHINE BLACK**, late of 65 Botanic Avenue, Belfast, Widow, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be Creditors of or otherwise to have any claims or demands against the Estate of the above-named deceased, who died on the 19th day of October, 1921, are hereby required on or before the 22nd day of June, 1922, to furnish (in writing) particulars of such claims and demands to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executor, to whom Probate of the Will of the above deceased was on the 15th day of March, 1922, granted forth of the Principal Registry, King's Bench Division (Probate) of the High Court of Justice in Northern Ireland. And Notice is hereby further given that after the said 22nd day of June, 1922, the said Executor will distribute the Assets of the above deceased, having regard only to the claims and demands of which Notice shall have been given as hereby required.

Dated this 2nd day of May, 1922.

**CARSON & McDOWELL**, Solicitors for  
the Executor, 51 Royal Avenue, Belfast.

**THE FLAX SOCIETY, LTD.**

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of Section 188 (1) of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, a Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Company will be held at the Offices of Messrs. S. B. Quin Knox & Co., 34 Donegall Place, Belfast, on Thursday, the 11th day of May, 1922, at 12 o'clock noon.

**W. MOORE KNOX, F.C.A.,**  
Liquidator,  
34 Donegall Place, Belfast.

Note:—This Meeting is called to comply with Statutory requirements. All Trade Creditors have been paid in full.

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