

Strabane, the Ulster Dairy School, Cookstown, and any similar agricultural institution which may be established and managed by the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland.

Given at the Council Chamber, Stormont Castle, Belfast, this 29th day of May, 1925.

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SCHEDULE.

PROVISIONS OF THE ACT REFERRED TO IN ARTICLE 2 OF THIS ORDER.

Training and certification of teachers.

65. It shall be the duty of the Ministry of Agriculture to make regulations as to the training and certification of teachers for schools or schemes to or in respect of which grants may be made by that Ministry out of moneys provided by Parliament, and teachers for agricultural institutions.

Appointment of teachers.

66. Every teacher appointed by a committee of agriculture in connection with a school or scheme to or in respect of which grants are made out of moneys provided by Parliament, or appointed by the Ministry of Agriculture to teach at an agricultural institution, shall have such qualifications as may be approved by that Ministry.

Terms of employment by committees of agriculture.

67. The terms upon which a teacher is employed by a committee of agriculture shall be set forth in the agreement entered into between the teacher and the committee, and such agreement shall be in such form as may be approved by the Ministry of Agriculture.

Procedure on dismissal of teacher.

68. If, at any time within six weeks after a teacher employed by a committee of agriculture in connection with a school or scheme to or in respect of which grants are made out of moneys provided by Parliament has been notified of dismissal from the employment of the committee, a petition is presented to the Ministry of Agriculture by the teacher praying for an inquiry into the reasons for his dismissal, that Ministry shall cause to be made such inquiry as it thinks fit; and if, as the result of such inquiry (at which the teacher may be represented) the Ministry of Agriculture is of opinion that the dismissal is not reasonably justifiable, that Ministry shall communicate such opinion to the committee of agriculture and to the teacher, with a view to reconsideration of the decision, and, in the event of the committee of agriculture not departing from their decision the Ministry of Agriculture may withhold or reduce any grant payable to or in respect of the school or scheme out of moneys provided by Parliament, but the teacher affected may be paid a salary for a period not exceeding twelve months:

Provided that nothing in this section shall effect the power of a committee of agriculture summarily to suspend any teacher from the performance of duty.

Salary scales for teachers.

69. It shall be the duty of the Ministry of Agriculture, after consultation with the Ministry of Finance, to frame, and from time to time as occasion requires to alter, minimum scales of salaries for the various classes of teachers employed by committees of agriculture in connection with schools or schemes to or in respect of which grants are made out of moneys provided by Parliament, and teachers employed at agricultural institutions; and the Ministry may by regulations require, as a condition for the payment of such grants, that the teachers shall be remunerated at rates not lower than those specified in such minimum scales. The decision of the Ministry, if any question arises as

to the eligibility of a teacher to be placed upon a scale, or as to the amount payable in accordance with a scale, shall be final.

Regulations of Ministry of Agriculture.

99. (1) The Ministry of Agriculture may make all such regulations as are required to be made by it under the scheduled provisions, or as appear to that Ministry to be necessary or proper for giving full effect to the scheduled provisions, or for adapting the provisions of any enactment (including any local Act) or Order of the Lord Lieutenant in Council in such manner as may appear to the Ministry of Agriculture to be necessary in order to bring such last-mentioned provisions into conformity with the scheduled provisions; and any such regulation shall, except as hereinafter in this section provided, have effect as if enacted in the Act, but may be varied or revoked by a subsequent regulation.

(3) Regulations made by the Ministry of Agriculture shall be laid before both Houses of Parliament as soon as may be after they are made, and, if an address is presented to the Governor of Northern Ireland by either of those Houses within ten days on which that House has sat next after any such regulations are laid before it, praying that the regulations may be annulled, the said Governor may thereupon by Order in Council annul the same, and the regulations so annulled shall forthwith become void, but without prejudice to the validity of anything which in the meantime may have been done thereunder.

Definitions.

108. In the scheduled provisions the expressions "Ministry of Finance" and "Ministry of Agriculture" mean respectively the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland and the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland.

BY THE GOVERNOR AND PRIVY COUNCIL
OF NORTHERN IRELAND.

ABERCORN.

RULES OF THE SUPREME COURT (NORTHERN IRELAND).

WHEREAS by Section 61 of the Supreme Court of Judicature (Ireland) Act, 1877, as amended by Section 12 of the Supreme Court of Judicature (Ireland) (No. 2) Act, 1897, as those enactments apply to the Supreme Court of Judicature in Northern Ireland under and subject to the provisions of the Government of Ireland Act, 1920, the Irish Free State (Consequential Provisions) Act, 1922, the Supreme Court of Judicature (Northern Ireland) Order, 1921, and any other Order made by His Majesty in Council under either of the two last-mentioned Acts, it is provided that upon the recommendation and with the concurrence of a majority of all the judges of the said Supreme Court of Judicature for the time being (of which the Lord Chief Justice of Northern Ireland shall be one) and one Barrister and one Solicitor (respectively practising in Northern Ireland), to be appointed for the purpose by the said Lord Chief Justice, by writing under his hand, for such time as may be specified by him, the Governor of Northern Ireland may, by Order in Council, make Rules of Court, and alter and annul any Rules of Court made under the enactments hereinbefore mentioned and for the time being in force in Northern Ireland:

And whereas certain Rules of Court entitled "The Rules of the Supreme Court (Ireland), 1905," are in force in Northern Ireland, under and subject to the provisions aforesaid and as altered from time to time by the Lord Lieutenant and the said Governor by Orders in Council: