180 EMERGENCY POWERS (DEFENCE). I/We (Name) TH. hereby declare that on this I/We have supplied the aboveday of lbs. of binder twine against the surrender of this Acquisition Note: Signature./ • Form of acquisition note to be used when application is made for binder twine for use in a self-binding harvesting machine. AGRICULTURAL CONTRACTOR'S BINDER TWINE ACQUISITION NOTE.* Τ. I (Full name) (full postal address) hereby declare that I am an agricultural contractor and that I require..... My present stock of binder twine iscwts......cwts..... Signature Dated The above application has been examined and the applicant is authorised to ΤĪ. purchase a quantity of binder twine not exceeding Signed on behalf of the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland this ИІ. I/We (Name)_____of ____ hereby declare that on this against the surrender of this Acquisition Note. Signature..... Form of acquisition note to be used when application is made for binder twine for use in a trussing machine. COAL. Supply. Order dated 29th February, 1944, made by the Ministry of COMMERCE UNDER REGULATION 55 OF THE DEFENCE (GENERAL) Regulations, 1939. 1944. No. 17.

'The Ministry of Commerce for Northern Ireland (in this Order referred to as " the Ministry ") by virtue and in exercise of the powers

under Regulation 55 of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939, delegated to it by the Minister of Fuel and Power, hereby orders as follows:—

1. Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in paragraphs 7 and 8 of the Coal Supply (Northern Ireland) Order, 1942, hereinafter referred to as the "Principal Order "—

- (a) the quantity of coal which may be furnished or acquired for consumption in any of the premises covered by the Principal Order shall not exceed one quarter ton during the month of March, 1944. The provisions of this paragraph shall not apply in respect of supplies to premises which are more than two miles from the merchant's last loading point and more than two miles outside the boundary of an urban district, nor to any consumer who is registered as a farmer, nor to premises which are not wholly or mainly used as a dwelling-house.
- (b) no supplies of coal may be furnished to or acquired by a consumer registered under the Principal Order at any time while he has in stock a quantity of coal exceeding one half ton and the declaration form set out in the Second Schedule to the Principal Order shall be amended accordingly by the substitution of " one half ton " for the words " one ton ".

Every occupier of premises in which coal is consumed other than 2. a gas, electricity or railway undertaking and other than an occupier registered under the Principal Order, shall on or before 8th March, 1944, furnish to the Ministry and to his suppliers of coal a certified statement showing the quantities of coal consumed during each week of the three weeks period ended on 26th February, 1944, the average of which is hereinafter called "the average weekly consumption." On . and after the sixth day of March, 1944, no coal may be furnished or acquired for consumption in the premises mentioned in this paragraph until the occupier has certified to the supplier that his stock of coal amounts to less than five times the average weekly consumption and thereafter no coal may be so furnished or acquired in excess of twice the average weekly consumption in any period of two weeks but in the event of the stock of coal on 28th February, 1944, being less than 3 weeks average weekly consumption sufficient additional coal may be furnished or acquired to bring the stock up to 3 weeks average weekly consumption. For the purposes of this paragraph a stock of coal shall be deemed to include coal specifically held by a merchant on behalf of the consumer concerned.

3. The Ministry may in accordance with the terms of paragraph 10 of the Principal Order authorise such exceptions or exemptions either in whole or in part from the terms of this Order as it may deem necessary or expedient.

4. The expressions defined in paragraph 11 of the Principal Order as amended shall, where used in this Order, have the meanings assigned to them in that paragraph. The expressions "coal" shall for the purposes of this Order be deemed to include "coalite" and "phurnod" up to and including No. 2.

5. This Order shall come into force on the 1st March, 1944.

6. This Order may be cited as the Coal Supply (Temporary Provisions) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1944.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Commerce for Northern Ireland this 29th day of February, 1944, in the presence of

(L.S.)

(Signed) John I. Cook,

Assistant Secretary.

The Coal Supply (Temporary Provisions) (Northern Ireland) Amendment (No. 1) Order, 1944, dated 29th March, 1944, made by the Ministry of Commerce under Regulation 55 of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939.

1944. No. 29.

The Coal Supply (Temporary Provisions) (Northern Ireland) Amendment (No. 2) Order, 1944, dated 29th April, 1944, made by the Ministry of Commerce under Regulation 55 of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939.

1944. No. 40.

Note :- The above two Orders, being of temporary effect, have not been printed at length in this Volume.

Order, dated 30th May, 1944, made by the Ministry of Commerce under Regulation 55 of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939.

1944. No. 45.

The Ministry of Commerce for Northern Ireland (in this Order referred to as "the Ministry") by virtue and in exercise of the powers under Regulation 55 of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939, delegated to it by the Minister of Fuel and Power hereby orders as follows:—

1. The Coal Supply (Temporary Provisions) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1944, as amended by the Coal Supply (Temporary Provisions) (Northern Ireland) Amendment (No. 2) Order, 1944, is hereby further amended as follows, namely :---

By the substitution in paragraph 1(a) of the words "during each of the months of March, April, May and June 1944" for the words "month of March".