Pauper Lunatics.

REGULATIONS, DATED 28TH APRIL, 1930, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR FOR NORTHERN IRELAND IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE FOR NORTHERN IRELAND UNDER SUB-SECTION (1) OF SECTION 30 OF THE WIDOWS', ORPHANS' AND OLD AGE CONTRIBUTORY PENSIONS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1925 (15 & 16 GEO. 5, C. 23), AS AMENDED BY SECTION 12 OF THE WIDOWS', ORPHANS' AND OLD AGE CONTRIBUTORY PENSIONS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1929 (20 GEO. 5, C. 17).

1930. No. 51.*

The Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland in conjunction with the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland in exercise of the powers conferred on them by sub-section (1) of section 30 of the Widows', Orphans' and Old Age Contributory Pensions Act (Northern Ireland), 1925, as amended by section 12 of the Widows', Orphans' and Old Age Contributory Pensions Act (Northern Ireland), 1929, and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Regulations :—

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Contributory Pensions (Pauper Lunatics) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1930, and shall be deemed to have had effect from and including the 2nd day of January, 1930.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1921, shall apply to the interpretation of these Regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2.—(1) Where any person entitled to receive a pension is a pauper lunatic who is detained in any asylum as such, or is being maintained in any other place as such, the sum payable on account of the pension shall be paid to the local authority, as hereinafter defined, responsible for the care and maintenance of the lunatic and shall be administered by the authority or by such committee thereof as the authority may determine, at the discretion of the authority or committee—

(*a*) in providing up to such amount as the authority or committee may determine, not exceeding in any week the sum of two shillings and sixpence, additional comforts for the lunatic ; and

(*b*) for the benefit of such dependants of the lunatic as are not contributing to the expenses incurred by any poor law authority in respect of his support :

Provided that where the lunatic has no such dependants there shall be paid to the authority only such sum as shall be required for the purpose of providing additional comforts for the lunatic.

* This Order was subsequently revoked. *See* S. R. O. 1930, No. 166, *page* 55.

(2) For the purposes of this Article the local authority shall be the County Asylum Committee or the Board of Guardians having the control of the institution in which the pauper lunatic is being maintained.

Given under the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland this 28th day of April, in the year One thousand nine hundred and thirty.

(L.S.) *John S. Godden,*
Assistant Secretary, Ministry of Labour, for Northern Ireland.

Given under the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 28th day of April, in the year One thousand nine hundred and thirty.

(L.S.) *G. C. Duggan,*
Assistant Secretary, Ministry of Finance, for Northern Ireland.

REGULATIONS DATED 4TH NOVEMBER, 1930, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR FOR NORTHERN IRELAND IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE FOR NORTHERN IRELAND UNDER SUB-SECTION (1) OF SECTION 30 OF THE WIDOWS', ORPHANS' AND OLD AGE CONTRIBUTORY PENSIONS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1925, (15 AND 16 GEO. 5, C. 23), AS AMENDED BY SECTION 12 OF THE WIDOWS', ORPHANS' AND OLD AGE CONTRIBUTORY PENSIONS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1929 (20 GEO. 5, C. 17).

1930. No. 166.

The Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland, in conjunction with the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland, in pursuance of the powers conferred on them by sub-section (1) of Section 30 of the Widows', Orphans' and Old Age Contributory Pensions Act (Northern Ireland), 1925, as amended by Section 12 of the Widows', Orphans' and Old Age Contributory Pensions Act (Northern Ireland), 1929, and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Regulations :—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Contributory Pensions (Pauper Lunatics) Regulations (No. 2) (Northern Ireland), 1930, and shall have effect from the date hereof.

2.—(1) In these Regulations "the Ministry" means the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1921, applies to the Interpretation of these Regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.