(2) The landing in Northern Ireland from any country of any living plant of the genus mentioned in the Second Schedule to this Order is hereby prohibited except under licence.

Procedure where plants are landed in contravantion of this Order

4. If any plant of any of the genera mentioned in the Schedules hereto, is landed in Northern Ireland in contravention of this Order, it shall forthwith be destroyed or re-exported at the expense of the importer unless it is otherwise disposed of in accordance with the terms of a licence issued by the Ministry or by an Inspector.

Licences

5. Notwithstanding any of the provisions of this Order, any plant of any of the genera mentioned in the Schedules to this Order may be landed in Northern Ireland under and in accordance with the conditions of a licence issued by the Ministry or by an Inspector.

Penalties

6. Any person failing to comply with the provisions of this Order or with the terms of a licence issued thereunder shall be liable to a fine not exceeding ten pounds, or, in respect of a second or subsequent offence, to a fine not exceeding fifty pounds.

Revocation of Orders

7. The Importation of Forest Trees (Prohibition) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1949, is hereby revoked.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland this twelfth day of November nineteen hundred and fifty-two in the presence of

(L.S.) *J. I. Magowan,*
Assistant Secretary.

FIRST SCHEDULE

The genus Quercus
The genus Castanea
The genus Populus
The following genera of the Order Pinaceae, viz., Abies, Larix, Picea, Pinus, Pseudotsuga, Sequoia, Thuja and Tsuga.

SECOND SCHEDULE

The genus Ulmus

THE IMPORTATION OF PLANTS (AMENDMENT) (NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER, 1952.

1952. No. 233

The Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in it by the Destructive Insects and Pests

Acts (Northern Ireland) 1877 to 1934, and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, orders, and it is hereby ordered as follows :—

Citation, Commencement and Construction

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Importation of Plants (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1952, and shall come into operation on the fifth day of January nineteen hundred and fifty-three and shall be read as one with the Importation of Plants (Northern Ireland) Order, 1947 (hereinafter referred to as " the principal Order ").

(2) The Principal Order and this Order may be cited together as the Importation of Plants (Northern Ireland) Orders 1947 and 1952.

(3) The Interpretation Act, 1889, shall apply for the purpose of the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the purpose of the interpretation of an Act of the Parliament of Northern Ireland.

Amendment of Article 7 of the principal Order and of the Second Schedule thereto

2. The principal Order shall have effect with the following modifications :—

(*a*) The following paragraph shall be substituted for paragraph (4) of Article 7 thereof :—

" (4) Except in the case of a consignment consisting wholly of potatoes, the certificate prescribed in this Article shall include a statement to the effect that the consignment does not include any plant of sugar beet or mangold or any Chrysanthemum Plant or any plant of the genera Castanea, Populus, Ulmus, or Quercus, or of the under-mentioned genera of the Order Pinaceae, viz. Abies, Larix, Picea, Pinus, Pseudotsuga, Sequoia, Thuja and Tsuga, except the seeds thereof."

(*b*) The Schedule to this Order shall be substituted for the Second Schedule thereto.

Revocation

3. The Importation of Plants (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order of 1949 is hereby revoked as from the fifth day of January nineteen hundred and fifty-three.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland this thirty-first day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-two, in the presence of

(L.S.) *J. I. Magowan,*
Assistant Secretary.

SCHEDULE

(*Substituted for the Second Schedule to the principal Order*)

This is to certify that (the living plants / a representative sample of the living plants) (*strike out words not applicable*) included in the consignment of which particulars are given below, were/was thoroughly examined on the ..... (*date*) by ..... (*name*) a duly authorised Official of the ..... and found to be healthy, no evidence of the presence of any insect, fungus or pest destructive to agricultural or horticultural crops having been found in them.

THIS ADDITIONAL CERTIFICATE MUST BE GIVEN FOR ALL CONSIGNMENTS, EXCEPT THOSE CONSISTING WHOLLY OF POTATOES.

It is further certified that the consignment does not contain any plants of the genus Castanea, Populus, Ulmus or Quercus, or of the genera of the Order Pinaceae, viz. Abies, Larix, Picea, Pinus, Pseudotsuga, Sequoia, Thuja, and Tsuga, or any Chrysanthemum plant or any plant of sugar beet or mangold (Beta vulgaris Linn.), except the seeds thereof.

THIS ADDITIONAL CERTIFICATE MUST BE GIVEN FOR ALL POTATOES :—

It is further certified that no case of the disease known as " wart disease " or " black scab " of potatoes (*Synchytrium endobioticum*) has occurred at any time on the farm or holding where the potatoes included in the consignment were grown, nor within two kilometres thereof.

(Signed) .....
(Official status) .....
(Date) .....

Number and description of packages .....
Distinguishing marks .....
Description of contents .....
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Stated to be grown at .....
Exported by .....
Name and address of consignee .....
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Name of vessel .....
Date of shipment .....
Port of landing in Northern Ireland .....

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REGULATIONS, DATED 4TH APRIL, 1952, BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE UNDER SECTION I (1) OF THE DEVELOPMENT LOANS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1945.

1952. No. 55

WHEREAS it is provided by sub-section (1) of section one of the Development Loans Act (Northern Ireland), 1945 (hereinafter referred to as " the Act ") that the Ministry of Agriculture (hereinafter referred