date on which the school was recognised or began to receive grants from the accredited education authority, provided that on the said date the teacher was employed in full-time teaching service in the school and possessed the qualifications required for recognition by the Ministry."

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland this 30th day of March, 1953, in the presence of

(L.S.) *R. S. Brownell,*
Secretary.

The Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland hereby approves of the foregoing Regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 30th day of March, 1953, in the presence of

(L.S.) *Thom McCrea,*
Assistant Secretary.

Salaries and Allowances

REGULATIONS DATED 30TH MARCH, 1953, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION UNDER THE EDUCATION ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1947 TO 1952 AFTER CONSULTATION WITH THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE.

1953. No. 55

The Ministry of Education (hereinafter referred to as " the Ministry ") in pursuance of the powers vested in it by Sections 83 and 112 of the Education Act (Northern Ireland), 1947, and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, and after consultation with the Ministry of Finance, hereby makes the following Regulations :—

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Primary Schools (Salaries and Allowances) Amending Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1953.

(2) These Regulations shall have effect from 1st April, 1953.

2. The existing Regulations hereby amended are the Primary Schools (Salaries and Allowances) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1951, (**a**), as amended by the Primary Schools (Salaries and Allowances) Amending Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1952, (**b**).

3.—(1) The proviso to paragraph (7) of Regulation 4 of the existing Regulations shall be amended by the deletion of the words " having more than 200 pupils on the rolls ".

(**a**) S. R. & O. 1951, No. 76. (**b**) S. R. & O. 1952, No. 107.

(2) Regulation 12 of the existing Regulations shall be amended by the deletion of the words " which has more than 200 pupils on the rolls " in proviso (ii) to sub-paragraph (*b*) and in the proviso to sub-paragraph (*c*) of paragraph (2) of that Regulation.

Sealed with Official Seal of the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland this 30th day of March, 1953, in the presence of

(L.S.) *R. S. Brownell,*
Secretary.

State Exhibitions

REGULATIONS, DATED 24TH JUNE, 1953, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION UNDER THE EDUCATION ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1947, WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE.

1953. No. 91

The Ministry of Education (hereinafter referred to as " the Ministry ") in pursuance of the powers vested in it by Section 77 of the Education Act (Northern Ireland), 1947, and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations :—

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the State Exhibitions Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1953.

(2) These Regulations shall come into operation on the date hereof.

2. The Ministry may award annually a number of Exhibitions tenable at Universities, to be known as State Exhibitions.

3. The number of Exhibitions awarded each year shall be determined by the Ministry.

4.—(1) Subject to the provisions of this regulation, Exhibitions, to be known as Group I Exhibitions, shall be awarded in order of merit on the results of the relevant examination in the group of subjects set out in Part I of the Schedule to these regulations.

(2) Subject to the provisions of this Regulation, Exhibitions, to be known as Group II Exhibitions, shall be awarded in order of merit on the results of the relevant examination in the group of subjects set out in Part II of the Schedule to these regulations.

(3) An applicant may not obtain both a Group I Exhibition and a Group II Exhibition and a person who obtains any Exhibition may not at any time obtain another Exhibition.

(4) The Ministry may, at its discretion, draw up separate orders of merit for boys and girls.

(5) In this regulation the expression " relevant examination " means the Ministry's Grammar School Senior Certificate Examination held in the year in which application is made for an Exhibition.