that the Ministry reserves to itself the right to accept or refuse any such form received after that date up to and including the last day of February following and in the event of any such late form being accepted to charge double the ordinary fee in respect of each entry made therein. Under no circumstances may any form of entry received after the last day of February in the year in which the examinations are to be held be accepted by the Ministry."

5. Regulations 18, 19, 20 and 30 of the Principal Regulations are hereby repealed.

6. These Regulations shall be construed as one with the Principal Regulations and shall come into operation on the date hereof.

Given under the Seal of the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland this 31st day of October, 1947.

(L.S.) *J. A. Glen,*
Assistant Secretary.

Voluntary Schools : Building and Improvement Grants

REGULATIONS, DATED 23RD DECEMBER, 1947, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION UNDER SECTION 10 OF THE EDUCATION ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1930, AS EXTENDED BY SECTION 7 OF THE EDUCATION (EMERGENCY PROVISIONS) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1940, WITH THE CONSENT OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE.

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The Ministry of Education (hereinafter referred to as "the Ministry") in pursuance of the power vested in it by Section 10 of the Education Act (Northern Ireland), 1930, as extended by Section 7 of the Education (Emergency Provisions) Act (Northern Ireland), 1940, and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations :—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Building and Improvement Grants (Voluntary Schools) (Emergency) Regulations, 1947.

2. These Regulations shall apply to works in respect of which an application had been made by the managers of a public elementary school to the Ministry on or before the 3rd September, 1939, for a grant under sub-section (1) of section 10 of the Education Act (Northern Ireland), 1930, where, owing to the emergency, the execution of the works which were to have been the subject of the grant had been postponed in whole or in part.