1942. No. 184.

The Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland in exercise of the powers conferred on it by the National Health Insurance Acts (Northern Ireland), 1936 to 1941, and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf hereby makes the following regulations :—

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the National Health Insurance (Insurance Practitioners' and Pharmaceutical Committees) Amendment Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1942, and shall be read as one with the National Health Insurance (Insurance Practitioners' and Pharmaceutical Committees) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1936 (hereinafter referred to as " the principal regulations ").

(2) In these regulations the expression " period of the present emergency " has the meaning assigned to it by Section 17 of the National Health Insurance and Contributory Pensions (Emergency Provisions) Act, 1939.

(3) The Interpretation Act, 1921, applies to the interpretation of these regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of the Parliament of Northern Ireland.

2. Notwithstanding the provisions of regulation 13 of the principal regulations the term of office of persons who are members of a Local Insurance Practitioners' Committee, of the Central Insurance Practitioners' Committee or of the Local Pharmaceutical Committee at the date of these regulations shall, subject to the provisions of regulation 14 of those regulations, be extended to the 30th day of September first occurring not less than three months after the termination of the period of the present emergency.

Given under the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland this 30th day of September, Nineteen hundred and forty-two.

(L.S.) *W. Allen,*
Assistant Secretary to the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland.

Medical Benefit.

REGULATIONS, DATED 9TH SEPTEMBER, 1942, MADE BY THE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE JOINT COMMITTEE AND THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR FOR NORTHERN IRELAND, ACTING JOINTLY, UNDER SECTION 8 OF THE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE, CONTRIBUTORY PENSIONS AND WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1941.

1942. No. 144.