

*Marketing Schemes. 21 and 2 Geo. 5. c. 42. 23 and 24 Geo. 5. c. 31. 1 and 2 Geo. 6. c. 30.*

8. (1) Notwithstanding anything in the Agricultural Marketing Acts, 1931 and 1933 and the Sea Fish Industry Act, 1938 no marketing board set up in pursuance of any of the aforesaid Acts shall have power to impose any penalty.

(2) If any registered producer wilfully fails to comply with any provision of a marketing scheme under any of the aforesaid Acts he shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding fifty pounds, and in addition such amount as will, in the opinion of the Court, secure that the offender derives no benefit from the offence.

*Application of Limitation Act, 1939, to public authorities and provision as to costs of actions. 2 and 3 Geo. 6. c. 21. Assistance Board.*

9. (1) Notwithstanding anything in the Limitation Act, 1939 any public authority may be sued in respect of any cause of action arising after the commencement of this Act in the same manner and within the same period of limitation as any private defendant.

(2) In any successful action against a public authority begun or continued after the commencement of this Act costs shall be awarded on the same scale and according to the same principles as in action against a private defendant.

10. In the exercise of its powers in relation to (a) unemployment assistance (b) supplementary pensions in England and Wales (c) supplementary pensions in Scotland the Assistance Board shall comply with any directions given to it by the Minister of Labour, the Minister of Health and the Secretary of State for Scotland, respectively.

*Amendment of s. 43 of National Insurance Act, 1946.*

11. Section 43 of the National Insurance Act, 1946, shall have effect as if after subsection (3) thereof the following subsection was inserted:—

In any case in which leave to appeal from a local tribunal is not granted by the tribunal or chairman the claimant may, within two months after receiving notice of the tribunal's decision make application in writing to the National Insurance Commissioner for leave to appeal and the National Insurance Commissioner after considering the claimant's application and the record of the proceedings in the local tribunal, may give such leave.

*Trade Unions*

12. No person employed by a public authority shall be dismissed from his employment or otherwise penalized by reason of his being or not being a member of any Trade Union or other organization or association representing employees and no public authority shall make it a condition of any person's employment that he shall be or not be a member of any such Trade Union organization or association as aforesaid.

*Amendment of s. 1. of Visiting Forces (British Commonwealth) Act, 1932, 23 and 24 Geo. 5. c. 6. Interpretation*

13. Section 1 (3) of the Visiting Forces (British Commonwealth) Act, 1932, shall have effect as if after the words "legal proceedings within the United Kingdom" there were inserted the words "other than proceedings instituted by writ of habeas corpus".