Serial Number 1942/280



THE MEDICAL SUPPLIES NOTICE 1942, NO. 11

PURSUANT to Regulation 6 of the Medical Supplies Emergency Regulations 1939,* I, Michael Herbert Watt, Medical Supplies Controller, do hereby give notice as under :---

1. This notice may be cited as the Medical Supplies Notice 1942, No. 11, and shall come into force on the day following the date of notification hereof in the Gazette.

2. In this notice "liquid paraffin" means Paraffinum Liquidum as described in the British Pharmacopœia.

3. No person shall deal with liquid paraffin in any way which militates or is calculated or likely to militate against its use for medicinal purposes.

4. No person shall sell liquid paraffin by retail in any container having a capacity greater than 8 fluid ounces :

Provided that it shall be a defence to any person charged with an offence against this paragraph if he proves that the container in question was filled for retail sale and held in stock whether by a wholesaler or a retailer at a time prior to the coming into force of this notice.

5. No person shall manufacture any paraffin emulsion containing more than 25 per cent. by volume of liquid paraffin except an emulsion compounded on the prescription of a registered medical practitioner for the treatment of a person named in the prescription.

6. No person shall sell, transfer, part with the possession of, or otherwise dispose of liquid paraffin, or agree to dispose in any manner of liquid paraffin, if he has reasonable ground to believe that it will be used otherwise than for medicinal purposes.

Dated at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1942.

M. H. WATT,

Medical Supplies Controller.

* Statutory Regulations 1939, Serial number 1939/144, page 659.

Date of notification in *Gazette*: 24th day of September, 1942. These regulations are administered in the office of the Medical Supplies Controller, Department of Health.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act, 1936.