(*c*) the construction, alteration, repair or demolition of docks, harbours, bridges, roads, viaducts, aqueducts, canals, inland navigations, pipe-lines, plant foundations, cooling towers and ponds, cable trenches, cableducts, railways, aerodromes, sea defences, river works, piers, quays, wharves, reservoirs, filter beds, drains, sewage works, sewers, tunnels and gasholders; the erection of overhead line supports; and any works of a nature similar to the foregoing works described in this head.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

This Order describes the undertakings in the field of production to which the Census of Production to be taken in 1951 will relate.

The undertakings in the field of production which are excluded from this Census are those which are wholly or mainly engaged in building contracting or civil engineering contracting activities.

The Census will relate to coal, gas, electricity and oil undertakings, but if they furnish to the Ministry of Fuel and Power such information concerning the production of those commodities as is required of them by that Ministry they will not be required to furnish it again in a return to the Board of Trade.

The Order also provides that the matters about which a person may be required to furnish returns for the purposes of the Census are all the matters set out in the Schedule to the Statistics of Trade Act, 1947.

SUGAR

The Sugar Industry (Provision for Research and Education in the Growing of Sugar Beet in Great Britain) Order, 1950

1950 No. 1315

Made - - - - 31*st July*, 1950

Whereas by virtue of sub-section (2) of Section 6 of the Sugar Industry Act, 1942(a), the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries and the Secretary of State for Scotland (hereinafter referred to as "the Minister" and "the Secretary of State", respectively) after consultation with the British Sugar Corporation Ltd. (hereinafter referred to as "the Corporation") and a body representative of growers of home grown beet have prepared for the period ending on the 31st day of March, 1951, a programme for carrying out research and education in matters affecting the growing of home grown beet and such programme is set out in the Schedule hereto:

Now, therefore, the Minister and the Secretary of State by virtue and in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by Section 6 of the said Act hereby order as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the "Sugar Industry (Provision for Research and Education in the growing of Sugar Beet in Great Britain) Order, 1950".

2. The Interpretation Act, 1889(b), applies for the purpose of the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

(a) 5 & 6 Geo. 6. c. 16. (b) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

3. The programme of research and education set out in the Schedule hereto shall have effect for the period ending on the 31st day of March, 1951.

4. The contributions from the Corporation and every grower of home grown beet who delivers beet to the Corporation during the period ending on the 31st March, 1951, towards expenditure incurred on the programme of research and education for that period shall be assessed as follows :—

(*a*) in the case of any grower of home grown beet, the contribution shall be at the rate of one penny for every ton of home grown beet sold by him for delivery to the Corporation in that period.

(*b*) in the case of the Corporation the contribution shall be at the rate of one penny for every ton of home grown beet delivered to the Corporation in that period, or sixpence for every quantity of sugar manufactured or refined by the Corporation in that period equal to one ton of white sugar whichever is the less.

5. The rate of the contribution on each ton of home grown beet sold by the grower for delivery to the Corporation during the period ending on the 31st day of March, 1951, shall be specified in all contracts made between the Corporation and the grower concerned. The total amount of the contribution shall be payable by the grower to the Corporation out of any sums standing to the credit of that grower in account with the Corporation and shall be deducted by the Corporation from the amount payable to the grower. The Corporation shall pay the proceeds, together with an amount representing a contribution at the same rate on each ton of beet delivered to it during the said period, to the Minister within that year for account of the Sugar Beet Research and Education Fund specified in subsection (3) of Section 18 of the Sugar Industry (Reorganisation) Act, 1936(a). All expenditure properly incurred in carrying out the programme of research and education for the period ending on the 31st day of March, 1951, shall be defrayed from that fund.

6. The amount of any contribution which has not been paid to the Minister during the period within which it is due shall become a debt due to the Minister and without prejudice to any other remedy for the recovery thereof, may be recoverable by him summarily as a civil debt. In its application to Scotland this paragraph shall have effect as if the word " summarily " were omitted.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries is hereunto affixed this 31st day of July, 1950.

(L.S.)

Donald E. Vandepeer,
Secretary to the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries.

Given under the Seal of the Secretary of State for Scotland this 31st day of July, 1950.

(L.S.)

P. R. Laird,
Secretary to the Department of Agriculture for Scotland.

(a) 26 Geo. 5 & 1 Edw. 8. c. 18.

THE SCHEDULE

	£	£
A. RESEARCH		
1. Manurial Trials		
(*a*) Rothamsted Experimental Station	500	
(*b*) British Sugar Corporation Limited	500	
		1,000
2. Plant Breeding		
(*a*) School of Agriculture, Cambridge	2,500	
(*b*) Scottish Society for Research in Plant Breeding ...	1,360	
		3,860
3. Variety Trials, National Institute of Agricultural Botany		2,630
4. Pests Investigations, School of Agriculture, Cambridge...		2,900
5. Diseases Investigations		
(*a*) Rothamsted Experimental Station	7,150	
(*b*) British Sugar Corporation Limited	250	
		7,400
6. Crop Husbandry, Norfolk Agricultural Station... ...		2,820
7. Scottish Trials and Experiments		250
8. Irrigation Trials		1,500
B. EDUCATION		
9. Publicity on Modern Crop Husbandry, British Sugar Corporation Limited		2,950
10. Harvesting Machinery and Cultivation Demonstrations		3,200
C. GENERAL		
11. Travelling and subsistence expenses of members and officers of the Committee		100
12. Apportioned cost of staff employed by the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries and the Department of Agriculture for Scotland on secretarial and typing services and on accounting duties in connection with the Sugar Beet Research and Education Fund ...		350
13. Contingencies		2,040
		£31,000

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of this Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

This Order provides for the assessment and collection of contributions in 1950 from the British Sugar Corporation Ltd. and growers of home grown beet towards the programme of research and education set out in the schedule to the Order.