Quorum.

(8) Two members of the Board constitute a quorum.

Vacancies.

(9) No vacancy on the Board impairs the authority of the remaining members to act. 1944-45, c. 28, s. 6; 1945, c. 9, s. 2.

Jurisdiction.

8. (1) The Board has full jurisdiction to inquire into, hear and determine any matter

Inquiries.

- (a) where it appears to the Board that any person has failed to do any act, matter or thing required to be done by this Act or by any regulation, licence, permit, order or direction made thereunder by the Board, or that any person has done or is doing any act, matter or thing contrary to or in violation of this Part, or any such regulation, licence, permit, order or direction, or
- (b) where it appears to the Board that the circumstances may require the Board, in the public interest, to make any order or give any direction, leave, sanction or approval that by law it is authorized to make or give, or with respect to any matter, act, or thing that by this Part or any such regulation, licence, permit, order or direction is prohibited, sanctioned or required to be done.

Mandatory orders.

(2) The Board may order and require any person to do, forthwith, or within or at any specified time and in any manner prescribed by the Board so far as it is not inconsistent with this Act, any act, matter or thing that such person is or may be required to do under this Part, or any regulation, licence, permit, order or direction made thereunder by the Board and may forbid the doing or continuing of any act, matter or thing that is contrary to this Part or any such regulation, licence, permit, order or direction and, for the purposes of this section, has full jurisdiction to hear and determine all matters, whether of law or fact.

Powers of a court.

(3) The Board shall, as regards the attendance, swearing and examination of witnesses, the production and inspection of documents, the enforcement of its orders, the entry of and inspection of pro-