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BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION

Specifying the Articles to be Treated as Contraband of War in the War with Japan.

GEORGE R.I.

WHEREAS a state of War exists between Us and Japan:

AND WHEREAS it is necessary to specify the articles which it is our intention to treat as Contraband of War:

NOW, THEREFORE, We do hereby Declare, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, that during the continuance of the War, or until We do give further public notice, the Proclamation issued on September 3rd, 1939, wherein were specified the articles which it is Our intention to treat as Contraband of War during the continuance of the War with Germany, shall be deemed to specify the articles which it is Our intention to treat as Contraband of War during the continuance of the War with Japan.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this Ninth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-one and in the Fifth year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION

Specifying the Articles to be Treated as Contraband of War in the War with Finland, Hungary and Roumania, respectively.

GEORGE R.I.

WHEREAS a state of War exists between Us and Finland, Hungary and Roumania, respectively:

AND WHEREAS it is necessary to specify the articles which it is our intention to treat as Contraband of War:

NOW, THEREFORE, We do hereby Declare, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, that during the continuance of the War, or until We do give further public notice, the Proclamation issued on September 3rd, 1939, wherein were specified the articles which it is Our intention to treat as Contraband of War during the continuance of the War with Germany, shall be deemed to specify the articles which it is Our intention to treat as Contraband of War during the continuance of the War with Finland, Hungary or Roumania, as the case may be.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this Ninth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-one and in the Fifth year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

Foreign Office,
December, 1941.

NOTIFICATION OF A STATE OF WAR
WITH JAPAN.

The following note was addressed to the Japanese Chargé d'Affaires on the 8th December:—

Sir,

On the evening of the 7th December His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom learnt that Japanese forces, without previous warning either in the form of a declaration of war or of an ultimatum with a conditional declaration of war, had attempted a landing on the coast of Malaya and bombed Singapore and Hong Kong.

2. In view of these wanton acts of unprovoked aggression, committed in flagrant violation of international law, and particularly of Article 1 of the Third Hague Convention, relative to the opening of hostilities, to which both Japan and the United Kingdom are parties, His Majesty's Ambassador at Tokyo has been instructed to inform the Imperial Japanese Government in the name of His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom that a state of war exists between the two countries.

I have, &c.,

WINSTON CHURCHILL.

Mr. Shinichi Kamimura,
&c., &c., &c.,
Japanese Chargé d'Affaires.

NOTIFICATION OF A STATE OF WAR
WITH FINLAND.

His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom conveyed to the Finnish Government by means of a note addressed to them on the 28th November by the United States Minister at Helsingfors, as being charged with British interests in Finland, a message in the following terms:—

"On the 22nd September the Norwegian Government delivered to the Finnish Government on behalf of His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom a message to the effect that if the Finnish Government persisted in invading purely Russian territory a situation would arise in which Great Britain would be forced to treat Finland as an open enemy not only while the war lasts, but also when peace comes to be made; but that if Finland should terminate her war against Russia and evacuate all territories beyond her frontiers of 1939 His Majesty's Government would be ready to study proposals for the improvement of relations between Great Britain and Finland.

"The Finnish Government's reply showed no disposition to respond to this overture nor have they ceased to pursue aggressive military operations on territory of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, the Ally of Great Britain, in the closest collaboration with Germany.

The Finnish Government have sought to contend that their war against Soviet Russia does not involve participation in general European war. This contention His Majesty's Government find it impossible to accept.

"His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom in these circumstances find it necessary to inform the Finnish Government that unless by the 5th December the Finnish Government cease military operations and in practice withdraw from all active participation in hostilities, His Majesty's Government will have no choice but to declare the existence of a state of war between the two countries."

Since the reply of the Finnish Government made it clear that they had not complied with the above conditions, and did not intend immediately to do so, His Majesty's Government took steps to inform the Finnish Government that a state of war would exist between the two countries as from 12.01 a.m. (Greenwich Mean Time) on the 7th December.

NOTIFICATION OF A STATE OF WAR
WITH HUNGARY.

His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom conveyed to the Hungarian Government by means of a note addressed to them on the 29th November by the United States Minister at Budapest as being charged with British interests in Hungary, a message in the following terms:—

"The Hungarian Government have for many months been pursuing aggressive military operations on territory of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, the Ally of Great Britain, in the closest collaboration with Germany, thus participating in the general European war and making a substantial contribution to the German war effort. In these circumstances His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom find it necessary to inform the Hungarian Government that unless by the 5th December the Hungarian Government have ceased military operations and have in practice withdrawn from all active participation in hostilities, His Majesty's Government will have no choice but to declare the existence of a state of war between the two countries."

Since the Hungarian Government have returned no reply to this communication, and since the information at the disposal of His Majesty's Government affords no indication that the Hungarian Government intend to comply with the above conditions, His Majesty's Government have taken steps to inform the Hungarian Government that a state of war exists between the two countries as from 12.01 a.m. (Greenwich Mean Time) on the 7th December.

NOTIFICATION OF A STATE OF WAR
WITH ROUMANIA.

His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom conveyed to the Roumanian Government by means of a note addressed to them on the 29th November by the United States Minister at Bucharest as being charged with British interests in Roumania, a message in the following terms:—

"The Roumanian Government have for many months been pursuing aggressive military operations on territory of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, the Ally of Great Britain, in the closest collaboration with Germany, thus participating in the general European war and making a substantial contribution to the German war effort. In these circumstances His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom find it necessary to inform the Roumanian Government that unless by the 5th December the Roumanian Government have ceased military operations and have in practice withdrawn from all active participation in hostilities, His Majesty's Government will have no choice but to declare the existence of a state of war between the two countries."

Since by midnight on the 5th/6th December no reply to this communication had been received from the Roumanian Government, and since the information at the disposal of His Majesty's Government afforded no indication that the Roumanian Government intended to comply with the above conditions, His Majesty's Government took steps at midnight on the 5th/6th December to inform the Roumanian Government that a state of war would exist between the two countries as from 12.01 a.m. (Greenwich Mean Time) on the 7th December.

STATUTORY RULES AND ORDERS,
1941, No. 2023.

BEER

Prohibition, dated December 16, 1941, under section 5 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1888 (51 & 52 Vict. c. 8), of the use in Beer of certain substances.

Whereas it appears to the satisfaction of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury that Dulcin (*para*-Phenetyl Carbamide) and the compounds of Dulcin and all other substances being chemical or artificial products which furnish the chemical reactions of *para*-Phenetyl Carbamide are capable of being used in the manufacture or preparation for sale of Beer and that the use of any of the said substances may affect prejudicially the interests of the Revenue.

Now the said Lords Commissioners, under the power conferred upon them by Section 5 of the Customs and Inland

Revenue Act, 1888, do hereby prohibit the use of any of the said substances in the manufacture or preparation for sale of Beer.

Dated this sixteenth day of December, 1941.

W. W. BOULTON
PATRICK MUNRO

Two of the Lords Commissioners of
His Majesty's Treasury.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS (NORTHERN
IRELAND), 1923 AND 1939.GENERAL WASTE MATERIALS
RECLAMATION TRADE BOARD
(NORTHERN IRELAND).

The Trade Board established by the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland under powers conferred by the Trade Boards Acts (Northern Ireland), 1923 and 1939, for the General Waste Materials Reclamation Trade in Northern Ireland, hereby give notice that they have received notification, dated the 11th December, 1941, that the Ministry of Labour has made an Order confirming minimum rates of wages as varied by the Trade Board as aforesaid and specifying the 15th day of December, 1941, as the date from which they shall become effective.

On request to the Trade Board particulars of the minimum rates of wages above referred to and information as to their application will be given if, in the opinion of the Trade Board, the applicant is likely to be affected thereby.

Issued by Order of the Trade Board,
this 12th day of December, 1941.

T. F. HALL,
Secretary.

Office of Trade Boards,
31 Eglantine Avenue,
Belfast.

THE DEFENCE (GENERAL) REGULA-
TIONS, 1939.FACTORIES (EXAMINATION OF
PLANT).

The Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland hereby gives notice that on the 15th December, 1941, it made an Order under Regulation 59 of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939. The Order prescribes that the period within which the next examination of specified classes of hoisting and lowering plant or machinery, steam boilers and steam and air receivers is required to be made in accordance with the Factories Act (Northern Ireland), 1938, and the Docks Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1934, may be extended by from three to six months if certificates declaring that the extensions would be without danger have been furnished in the form set out in the Order by firms, companies or associations which undertake periodic

examination of plant or machinery of the classes specified. Any such certificate must be signed by a competent person and be served on the occupier of the factory, and a duplicate must also be served on the Chief Inspector who may, if he thinks fit, annul any such certificate, by service of notice in writing.

Where the Chief Inspector serves notice in writing on a firm, company or association that there should be no postponement of the examination in a particular case, a certificate of the above nature may not thereafter be issued.

Copies of the Order—The Factories (Examination of Plant) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1941—may be obtained through any bookseller or direct from H.M. Stationery Office, 80 Chichester Street, Belfast.

F. C. S. MOORE,
Assistant Secretary.

Ministry of Labour for
Northern Ireland,
Stormont,
Belfast.

19th December, 1941.

GOVERNMENT OF NORTHERN
IRELAND.

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE.

Notice is hereby given that the Ministry of Agriculture, in pursuance of the powers vested in it under The Exported Animals (Compensation) Acts (Northern Ireland), 1928 to 1938, has made an Order entitled The Exported Animals (Compensation) Acts (Northern Ireland), 1928 to 1938 (Suspension of Charges) Order, 1941.

Copies of this Order may be obtained from H.M. Stationery Office, 80 Chichester Street, Belfast, or through any bookseller.

Ministry of Agriculture,
Stormont,
Belfast.

13th December, 1941.

MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS FOR
NORTHERN IRELAND.

LIMAVADY RURAL DISTRICT.

PUBLIC HEALTH (IRELAND) ACTS.

The Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland hereby gives notice that application has been made to the Ministry under Section 162 of the Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, for an Order for the discontinuance of burials in the Old Drumachose Graveyard in the Limavady Rural District; and that the Ministry, in pursuance of Section 163 of the above-mentioned Act, has instructed its Medical Inspector, J. T. Johnston, Esq., M.B., D.P.H., to hold a Local Inquiry into the matter of the said application at 11 o'clock a.m. on Monday, the 19th day of January,

1942, at the Offices of the Rural District Council, Limavady, Co. Londonderry.

Any ratepayer in the said Rural District, or other person interested in the matter, may attend at the time and place aforesaid and give evidence on the subject of the said application.

Ministry of Home Affairs,
Northern Ireland,
Stormont,
Belfast.

15th day of December, 1941.

NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE ACT,
1936.

Notice is hereby given under the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that it is proposed by the National Health Insurance Joint Committee, after the expiration of at least forty days from this date, in exercise of the powers conferred by the National Health Insurance Act, 1936, and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, to make regulations to be entitled the National Health Insurance (Reserve and Transfer Values) Amendment Regulations, 1942.

Copies of the draft of regulations to be made as aforesaid can be purchased directly from H.M. Stationery Office at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120 George Street, Edinburgh, 2; 39-41 King Street, Manchester, 2; 1 St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 80 Chichester Street, Belfast, or through any bookseller.

Dated this nineteenth day of December, 1941.

Ministry of Health,
Whitehall,
London, S.W.1.

MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS FOR
NORTHERN IRELAND.

BALLYMONEY RURAL DISTRICT.

PUBLIC HEALTH (IRELAND) ACTS.

The Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland hereby gives notice that application has been made to the Ministry under Section 162 of the Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, for an Order for the discontinuance of burials in the Old Burial Ground at Billy in the Ballymoney Rural District; and that the Ministry, in pursuance of Section 163 of the above-mentioned Act, has instructed its Medical Inspector, J. T. Johnston, Esq., M.B., D.P.H., to hold a Local Inquiry into the matter of the said application at 2 o'clock p.m. on Friday, the 16th day of January, 1942, at the Offices of the Rural District Council, Ballymoney, County Antrim.

Any ratepayer in the said Rural District, or other person interested in the matter,

may attend at the time and place aforesaid and give evidence on the subject of the said application.

Ministry of Home Affairs,
Northern Ireland,
Stormont,
Belfast.

15th day of December, 1941.

Board of Trade,
Millbank,
London, S.W. 1.

16th December, 1941.

The Board of Trade hereby give notice that they have made Orders which have been published as S.R. & O., 1941:—

No. 1967—The Export of Goods (Control) (No. 43) Order, 1941, dated 9th December, 1941. (1d.).

No. 2000—The Consumer Rationing (No. 8) Order, 1941, dated 16th December, 1941. (6d.).

No. 2001—The Knottingley Gas (Capital and Borrowing Powers) Order, 1941, dated 8th December, 1941. (1d.).

No. 2004—The Utility Lighters (Maximum Prices) Order, 1941, dated 11th December, 1941. (1d.).

No. 2018—The Rothwell (Yorkshire) Gas (Borrowing Powers) Order, 1941, dated 8th December, 1941. (1d.).

These Orders can be purchased directly from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:— York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120 George Street, Edinburgh, 2; 39-41 King Street, Manchester, 2; 1 St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 80 Chichester Street, Belfast; or through any bookseller.

EMERGENCY POWERS—DEFENCE.

The Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland has made Orders dated the 6th December, 1941, under the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939, restricting traffic in certain Areas of Counties Down, Londonderry and Tyrone. The Orders in question, which relate to goods vehicle traffic only, are entitled:—

The Restriction of Traffic (Goods Vehicle) (County Down) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1941.

The Restriction of Traffic (Goods Vehicle) (County Londonderry) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1941.

The Restriction of Traffic (Goods Vehicle) (County Tyrone) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1941.

and persons interested may obtain copies from His Majesty's Stationery Office, 80 Chichester Street, Belfast, or from any bookseller.

C.S.S. (Estabs.) No. 3.

AN ACCOUNT pursuant to the Bankers (Northern Ireland) Acts, 1845 and 1928, and the Currency and Bank Notes Act, 1928, of the Amount of Notes authorised by Law to be issued by the several Banks of Issue in Northern Ireland, and the Average Amount of Notes in Circulation, and of Bank of England Notes and Coin held during the Four Weeks ended Saturday, the 29th day of November, 1941.

Name and Title as set forth in Licence	Name of the Firm	Approved Offices	Circulation Authorised by the Bankers (Northern Ireland) Act, 1928	Average Circulation during 4 Weeks ended as above.			Average Amount of Bank of England Notes and Coin held during 4 Weeks ended as above		
				£5 and upwards	Under £5.	Total	*Gold and Bank of England Notes	Silver	Total
The Bank of Ireland...	The Governor and Company of the Bank of Ireland ...	{ Belfast Londonderry	†3,135,425	£ 1,274,650	£ 1,892,418	£ 3,167,068	£ 40,084	£ 32,547	£ 72,631
The Provincial Bank of Ireland, Limited...	The Provincial Bank of Ireland, Limited...	{ Armagh Belfast Londonderry Omagh	†338,946	£ 603,138	£ 419,964	£ 1,023,102	£ 683,517	£ 40,637	£ 724,154
The Belfast Banking Company Limited ...	The Belfast Banking Company, Limited ...	{ The Head Offices of the respective Banks at Belfast and all the Branch Offices of such Banks in Northern Ireland	350,000	£ 1,849,157	£ 858,443	£ 2,207,600	£ 1,790,512	£ 97,861	£ 1,888,373
The Northern Bank, Limited ...	The Northern Bank, Limited ...		244,000	£ 2,258,086	£ 235,913	£ 2,493,999	£ 2,102,469	£ 183,312	£ 2,285,781
The Ulster Bank, Limited ...	The Ulster Bank, Limited ...		290,000	£ 2,355,406	£ 583,435	£ 2,938,841	£ 2,553,865	£ 107,061	£ 2,660,926
The National Bank, Limited ...	The National Bank Limited		{ Belfast Londonderry	†235,034	£ 276,743	£ 69,539	£ 346,282	£ 109,258	£ 3,432

I hereby certify that each of the Bankers named in the above Return, who have in circulation an amount of Notes beyond that authorised by the Bankers (Northern Ireland) Act, 1928, have held an amount of Bank of England Notes and Gold and Silver Coin not less than that which they are required by the Treasury to hold during the period to which this Return relates.

P. MARTIN,

Registrar of Bank Returns.

Dated 12th day of December, 1941.

†These amounts are the latest amounts approved by the Treasury.

*This column includes Bank of England Notes deposited at the Bank of England which, by virtue of Sec. 9 (1) of the Currency and Bank Notes Act, 1928, are to be treated as gold coin held by the Bank.

GOVERNMENT OF NORTHERN IRELAND.

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 TO 1935.

SUMMARY OF RETURN OF OUTBREAKS OF SCHEDULED DISEASES WHICH HAVE BEEN CONFIRMED BY OR NOTIFIED TO THE MINISTRY DURING THE PERIOD 1ST DECEMBER, 1941, TO 15TH DECEMBER, 1941.

PERIOD	Anthrax		Bovine Tuberculosis		Foot and Mouth Disease		Parasitic Mange	Sheep Scab	Swine Fever	
	Outbreaks	Animals Attacked	Outbreaks	Animals Attacked	Outbreaks	Animals Attacked	Outbreaks	Outbreaks	Outbreaks	Swine Slaughtered as diseased or Exposed to Infection
Fortnight ended 15th Dec., 1941.	—	—	11	11	—	—	—	7	—	—
Previous Fortnight	—	—	14	14	—	—	—	4	—	—
Period from 1/1/41 to 15/12/41	5	5	442	448	54	844	—	165	—	—

NOTE.—The following diseases have not appeared in Northern Ireland since the year shown after each disease:—Rinderpest (Pestis Bovina), 1877; Pleuro-Pneumonia (Peripneumonia contagiosa bovum), 1893; Sheep Pox (Variola oviium), 1850; Rabies (Rage), 1923; and Glanders (including Farcy) (Malleus), 1910. Epizootic Lymphangitis (Lymphangitis Epizootica) and Dourine have never existed in Northern Ireland.

Ministry of Agriculture,
Stormont,
Belfast.

THOMAS DICKSON, late of Ballymurry, County Down.
Farmer, deceased.

PURSUANT to Statute, all persons having claims against the Estate of above deceased, who died on 7th May, 1941, are required to send particulars thereof (in writing) to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors, under Probate, dated 28th July, 1941, on or before 1st January, 1942, and notice is given, that after such 1st January, 1942, the assets will be distributed amongst the persons entitled having regard only to Claims then received.

Dated 12th December, 1941.

H. C. WEIR & CO., Solicitors, Downpatrick.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PATRICK McHUGH, late of Mullanabreen, Mournebeg, Strabane, in the County of Tyrone, Farmer, deceased.

PURSUANT to Statute 22 and 23 Vic. Cap. 35, all persons having any claims against the Estate of above deceased, who died on 29th August, 1941, are requested to send particulars thereof to the undersigned Solicitor for the Executors, before the 3rd day of February, 1942, after which date the assets will be distributed among the persons entitled having regard only to the claims then received.

Dated this 15th day of December, 1941.

RICHARD C. KEOHANE, Solicitor,
Mayfair, Arthur Square, Belfast; and
Strabane, Co. Tyrone.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Goods of HARRIETT CLARKE, late of St. Winifred's, Lodge Road, Coleraine, County Londonderry, Widow, deceased.

PURSUANT to Statute 22 and 23 Vic. Cap. 35, all persons claiming to be creditors of or otherwise having any claims or demands against the estate of

above deceased, who died on the 28th day of May, 1941, are hereby required to furnish particulars thereof (in writing) to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors, on or before the 15th day of January, 1942, after which date the assets will be distributed, having regard only to such claims furnished as aforesaid.

Dated this 13th day of December, 1941.

MACAULAY, O'NEILL & MARTIN,
Solicitors for said Executors, 83 Royal
Avenue, Belfast; and Coleraine.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Goods of AITCHISON PORTER, late of 25 Nursery Avenue, Coleraine, County Londonderry, Retired Law Clerk, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Vic. Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be Creditors, or to have any Claims or Demands against the Estate and Effects of the said Aitchison Porter, deceased, who died on the 12th day of June, 1941, at Coleraine aforesaid, are hereby required to furnish (in writing) the particulars of such claims or demands on or before the 9th day of January, 1942, to the undersigned Solicitors for John H. Young, of Dungiven, County Londonderry, Solicitor, the Attorney lawfully appointed by the Residuary Legatees to whom Probate was granted forth of the Principal Registry of the King's Bench Division (Probate) of the High Court of Justice in Northern Ireland on the 9th December, 1941.

And notice is hereby further given, that after the said 9th day of January next, the said Executor will proceed to distribute the Estate of the said deceased having regard only to such Claims and Demands of which notice and particulars have been given as above required.

Dated this 12th day of December, 1941.

MARTIN, KING, FRENCH & INGRAM,
Solicitors, Dungiven, County Londonderry.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

JOHN ERNEST CORNWALL, late of Leacain, Rostrevor, Couny Down, Farmer, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to 22nd and 23rd Vic. Cap. 35, that all persons having any claims or demands against the Estate of the above deceased, who died on the 19th day of March, 1941, are hereby requested to furnish particulars of said claims or demands (in writing) on or before the 15th day of January, 1942, to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executrix to whom Probate of the Will was granted on the 1st day of August, 1941, forth of the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice in Northern Ireland, King's Bench Division (Probate).

And Notice is hereby further given, that the said Executrix will, after the said 15th day of January, 1942, proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims and demands of which notice shall have been given as above required.

Dated this 9th day of December, 1941.

FISHER & FISHER, Solicitors for Executrix, Newry.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Goods of REVEREND HUGH JAMISON, late of 2 Waterloo Park, in the City of Belfast, Presbyterian Minister, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Vic. Cap. 35, that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of the above deceased, who died on the 31st day of January, 1941, are hereby required to furnish particulars of such claims or demands (in writing) on or before the 26th day of January 1942, to the undersigned Solicitors for the Administratrix, to whom Letters of Administration were on the 15th day of December, 1941, granted forth of the Principal Registry of the King's Bench Division (Probate) of the High Court of Justice in Northern Ireland.

And notice is hereby further given, that after the said 26th day of January, 1942, the Administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased, having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have received notice.

Dated this 16th day of December, 1941.

W. G. WILSON & SONS, Solicitors for the Administratrix, 29 Wellington Place, Belfast.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.

In the Goods of WILLIAM SLOAN, late of Lurganreagh, in the County of Down, Farmer, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic. c. 54, that the above-named William Sloan, deceased, died on the 16th January, 1941. By his Will dated 28th February 1939, he bequeathed the following:—

1. £20 to the Very Reverend John MacGowan, P.P., Kilkeel, for Masses for the repose of deceased's soul and the souls of his deceased friends, 3/6 being the offering for each Mass.

2. £5 to the Parish Priest of Kilkeel, to defray Parochial expenses in connection with Grange Church.

3. One half of the residue of deceased's Estate to be placed at the disposal of Saint Colman's Conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society, Kilkeel, for the benefit of the poor.

4. The remaining half of the residue of deceased's Estate to be given to Charities at the discretion of deceased's Executors.

By his said Will and Codicil of even date the said Testator appointed William Magee of Lurganreagh and John Joseph Cunningham, of Greencastle, both in the County of Down, Farmers, to be the Executors of his said Will; and Probate of said Will and Codicil was on 3rd March, 1941, granted forth of the Principal Registry King's Bench Division (Probate) of the High Court of Justice in Northern Ireland to the said William Magee and John Joseph Cunningham.

Dated 11th day of December, 1941.

COLLINS & COLLINS, Solicitors for said Executors, 5 Hill Street, Newry; and Mayfair, Arthur Square, Belfast.

To the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland (Charities Branch), and all other persons concerned.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.

In the Goods of HANNAH McELHINNEY, late of 533 Oldpark Road, Belfast, Married Woman, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic. Cap. 54, that the above-named deceased who died on the 3rd day of September, 1941, by her last Will dated the 29th day of August, 1941, bequeathed amongst other legacies the following charitable legacies:—

To the Treasurer for the time being of the First Strabane Presbyterian Church, County Tyrone, the sum of £200, in trust, to invest the same and to apply the annual income therefrom for the purchase of Sunday School Prizes for children attending the Sabbath School in connection with the said Church.

To the Committee of Management of the District Hospital at Strabane, the sum of £500 in trust, to apply the same for the erection and maintenance and endowment of a Bed in said Hospital in memory of the deceased's late brother, John Ewing, to be known as "The John Ewing Bed."

To the Committee of Management, of the District Hospital at Lifford, County Donegal, the sum of £500, in trust, to apply the same for the erection and maintenance and endowment of a Bed in said Hospital in memory of the said John Ewing, to be known as "The John Ewing Bed."

And Testatrix died on the 3rd day of September, 1941, and Probate of her said Will was on the 3rd day of November, 1941 granted forth of the Principal Registry of the King's Bench Division (Probate), of the High Court of Justice in Northern Ireland, to John McElhinney, of 533 Oldpark Road, Belfast, the sole Executor named in the said Will.

Dated this 12th day of December, 1941.

JAMES BOSTON, Solicitor, 40 Victoria Square, Belfast.

To the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland, and all others whom it may concern.

NOTICE

All Notices and Advertisements are published in the Belfast Gazette at the risk of the Advertiser.

The Belfast Gazette is published on Friday evenings. All advertisements must be paid for in advance, and delivered to the Gazette Office, 80 Chichester Street, Belfast, before one o'clock on the day previous to publication.

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