

In virtue of the powers conferred on me by Section 53 of the Explosives Act 1875 and of every other power enabling me in this behalf I, The Right Honourable William Craig, M.P., being the Minister of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland, hereby appoint Sergeant William Robert Arthurs (No. 5192) of the Royal Ulster Constabulary as an Inspector for Northern Ireland under the said Act and do hereby direct him to exercise only such powers and to perform such duties under the Act as I shall from time to time assign to him.

Wm. Craig,
Minister of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland.

GAME PRESERVATION ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1928 and

GAME LAW AMENDMENT ACT (N.I.) 1951
Hares

Notice is hereby given that the Minister of Home Affairs proposes to make an Order varying, in its application to certain occupiers of land, the close season during which it is unlawful to take, kill or destroy hares.

The effect of the Order will be that during the year 1964, occupiers of orchards of half an acre and above will be permitted to take, kill or destroy any hare on their own land during the period of the general close season up to and including the 30th June, 1964.

Any person objecting to this proposal should send their objections in writing to the Ministry of Home Affairs, Stormont, within 14 days of the date of this notice.

MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND NATIONAL INSURANCE

WAGES COUNCILS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1945

Notice is hereby given that in exercise of powers conferred by sub-Section (4) of Section 10 of the Wages Councils Act (Northern Ireland), 1945, the Ministry of Labour and National Insurance for Northern Ireland has made Orders entitled "The Retail Bespoke Tailoring Wages Regulation (Holidays) Order (Northern Ireland), 1964" (S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1964, No. 2) and "The Retail Bespoke Tailoring Wages Regulation Order (Northern Ireland), 1964" (S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1964, No. 3).

Copies of these Orders may be purchased at an early date from H.M. Stationery Office, 80 Chichester Street, Belfast, 1, or through any bookseller.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES FOR SCOTLAND

The Secretary of State for Scotland, the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food and the Secretary of State for the Home Department, in pursuance of Section 2 (2) of the Herring Industry Act, 1938, have appointed Mr. J. A. Lawrence to be a member of the Herring Industry Advisory Council until the 31st day of December, 1965.

INLAND REVENUE

AN ACCOUNT pursuant to the Bankers (Northern Ireland) Acts, 1845 and 1928, the Currency and Bank Notes Act, 1928, and the Coinage Act, 1946, 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 28th day of December, 1963.

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	Coin other than Gold Coin	Total
The Bank of Ireland	The Governor and Company of the Bank of Ireland	{ Belfast Londonderry	£ †131,414	£ 752,165	£ 103,449	£ 855,614	£ 860,001	£ 58,825	£ 918,826
The Provincial Bank of Ireland, Limited	The Provincial Bank of Ireland Limited	{ Belfast Londonderry	†280,236	1,318,147	89,949	1,408,096	1,416,950	43,197	1,460,147
The Belfast Banking Company Limited	The Belfast Banking Company Limited	{ Belfast Londonderry	350,000	1,651,107	52,175	1,703,282	2,364,583	134,243	2,498,826
The Northern Bank, Limited...	The Northern Bank, Limited ...	{ Belfast Londonderry	244,000	1,972,622	68,371	2,040,993	2,912,750	207,535	3,120,285
The Ulster Bank, Limited	The Ulster Bank, Limited	{ Belfast Londonderry	290,000	858,007	60,211	918,218	1,527,242	107,640	1,634,882
The National Bank, Limited	The National Bank, Limited ...	{ Belfast Londonderry	120,000	487,481	26,893	514,374	464,326	6,013	470,339

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 Coin and Coin other than Gold Coin not less than that which they are required by the Treasury to hold during the period to which this return relates.

Dated 7th day of January, 1964.

S. J. C. BOUCHER,
for Registrar of Bank Returns.

† 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 Section 9(1) of the Currency and Bank Notes Act, 1928, are to be treated as gold coin held by the Bank.