

commencement of the Winter Assizes, shall be returned as heretofore to the Clerk of the Crown and Peace to whom they would have been returned but for this Order: but all such documents returnable at a later period and before the day appointed for the opening of the said Winter Assizes, shall be returned to the Clerk of the Crown and Peace for the county of Antrim, and all such documents as shall have been returned to the Clerk of the Crown and Peace of any county forming a part of the said Winter Assize County, other than the Clerk of the Crown and Peace for the county of Antrim, shall be transmitted by such first-mentioned Clerk of the Crown and Peace at least two clear days before the first day of the Winter Assizes to the Clerk of the Crown and Peace for the county of Antrim. The Clerk of the Crown and Peace for the County of Antrim shall not be entitled to fees for copies of documents already supplied and charged for by the Clerk of the Crown and Peace for any of the counties united for the purposes of Winter Assizes by this Order.

*Entries in Crown Books.*

11. In the event of any case being for trial, which had previously been before any Court of Assize or Quarter Sessions (except the Assizes for the said county of Antrim), the Clerk of the Crown and Peace in whose custody the Crown Book containing the entry or entries of any former proceedings in the case may be, shall transmit, at least two clear days before the first day of the Winter Assizes, a copy of such entry or entries certified by him to be a true copy, and such certified copy shall be received for all purposes as a record of such proceedings in the same manner as if the original Crown Book had been produced by such Clerk of the Crown and Peace.

*Venue.*

12. In all indictments and presentments at the said Winter Assizes the venue laid in the margin thereof shall be the county where the offence is charged to have been committed, and such statement of the venue shall be sufficient without the addition of the words "Northern Ireland Winter Assize County."

*Recognizances.*

13. In all cases in which any person, before the date of this Order, has entered into or shall hereafter and before the said Winter Assizes enter into a recognizance to appear and prosecute or give evidence in the case of any person committed or returned for trial at any Assizes or Court of Quarter Sessions to be held in any of the counties forming the said Winter Assize County; and in all cases in which any person has heretofore entered into, or shall hereafter and before the said Winter Assizes enter into a recognizance to surrender and take his or her trial at any Assizes or Court of Quarter Sessions to be held in any of the said counties for any offence, such recognizance shall be deemed to have been entered into for attendance at the Winter Assizes for the said Winter Assize County, and is hereby altered accordingly; and every person bound by such recognizance shall be bound to appear at such Winter Assizes or forfeit his or her recognizance; provided always that this section of this Order shall not apply

to any case in which any person is or shall be bound as aforesaid to surrender and take his or her trial at any Assizes or Court of Quarter Sessions to be held in any of the aforesaid counties, or to appear and prosecute or give evidence in any such last-mentioned case, unless six days' previous notice (at least) shall have been given, on behalf of the Crown, to such person either by serving the same upon him or her personally or by leaving the same at the place of residence as of which he or she is described in his or her recognizance; and in any case in which such notice as aforesaid shall not have been given every recognizance entered into in the said case shall have the force and effect which such recognizance would have had if this Order had not been made, and if the Winter Assizes hereby directed had not been held.

*Governors of Prisons to transmit Calendars.*

14. Ten days before the day fixed for the opening of the Commission of Assize at Belfast, a list of the prisoners to be removed for trial at the said Winter Assizes for the said Winter Assize County, so far as the same list can then be made out, shall, together with a short statement of the offences with which they are charged, be transmitted by the Governor of each prison in which such prisoners may be, to the Governor of His Majesty's Prison at Belfast, and to the Clerk of the Crown and Peace of the county of Antrim, and the said Clerk of the Crown and Peace shall cause to be inserted in one or more newspapers in the Winter Assize County the said list and statement and a notice that the persons bound by recognizances to appear and prosecute, or give evidence for or against the prisoners so removed, shall appear and prosecute and give evidence at Belfast. The Governor of each such prison, from which such prisoners are to be removed, shall forthwith give notice to each such prisoner that he will be so removed and tried at the said Winter Assizes.

*Governors of Prisons to transmit Prisoners.*

15. It shall be lawful for, and it shall be the duty of, the Governor of the prison in which prisoners are in custody under committal for trial at the Assizes, three days before the day upon which the said Winter Assizes for the said Winter Assize County are appointed to be held, to send, without any writ of Habeas Corpus, such prisoners to His Majesty's Prison at Belfast, for the purposes of their trial, and to take all proper steps for their transmission to the said last-mentioned prison and their maintenance by the way; and such prisoners, while they are so being conveyed by the said Governor or his assistants to the said prison, whether within the said Winter Assize County, or while passing through any other county, shall be in the proper and legal custody of the said Governor; and the Governor of the said prison shall receive such prisoners into his charge and custody on their arrival, and shall keep and maintain them in the said prison until they are either ordered to be discharged or remanded by proper authority, or until they shall have been tried and sentenced, and proper arrangements have been made for their being sent back to the prison to which they would have been remitted had they been tried at the Assizes in the county where, but for the said Acts and Orders and this Order, they would have been