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FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 1923.

ORDER.

CIVIL AUTHORITIES (SPECIAL POWERS) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1922.

I, The Right Honourable Sir Richard Dawson Bates, Minister of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland, being the Civil Authority under the Civil Authorities (Special Powers) Act (Northern Ireland), 1922, by virtue of the powers vested in me by the said Act and the Regulations made thereunder, and of all other powers enabling me in this behalf, do hereby order and require that every person within the area of Northern Ireland, including the County of the City of Belfast, shall remain within doors between the hours of 12 o'clock midnight and 5 o'clock a.m., unless provided with a Permit in writing from an Officer of the Royal Ulster Constabulary as herein specified, that is to say, within the County of the City of Belfast, from the Commissioner of Police or a District-Inspector duly authorised by the Commissioner, and elsewhere within the area of Northern Ireland, from the County Inspector of the County for which the Permit is required or an Officer duly authorised by the County Inspector, or from the District-Inspector of the District for which the Permit is required.

Provided that any Permit granted under this Order may be revoked at any time by the person authorised to issue such Permit, who shall in every such case send notice in writing to the person to whom the Permit was granted of its having been revoked.

This Order shall come into force at 11 o'clock p.m. on the 22nd day of April, 1923, and as from that date and time, cancels the Orders made by me on the 25th day of May, 1922, on the 31st day of October, 1922, and on the 3rd day of January, 1923, and varies the Order made by me on the 8th day of June 1922, in so far as the last-mentioned Order prescribed the hours between which persons should remain within doors within the County of the City of Belfast, but does not cancel it in so far as it prescribed the hours between which licensed premises in that area should be closed.

Given under my hand at Belfast, this 6th day of April, 1923.

R. DAWSON BATES,
Minister of Home Affairs for Northern
Ireland, Civil Authority

NOTES.

1. (a) The Order of the 25th May, 1922, imposed Curfew from 11 p.m. to 5 a.m. within the area of Northern Ireland, excepting the County of the City of Belfast.

(b) The effect of the Orders of the 8th June, 1922, 31st October, 1922, and 3rd January, 1923, was to impose Curfew from 11-30 p.m. to 6 a.m. on the County of the City of Belfast, on the area outside Belfast within twelve miles from the Great Northern Railway Terminus, and on the Urban District of Bangor.

2. Under this Order and the Regulations above specified every person who is in the area