(xiii) The permanent stretch shown by the water jacket test should not

exceed 10 per cent. of the elastic stretch.

(xiv) In cases where cylinders are closed at the end by welding, a further hydraulic test not exceeding 190 atmospheres or 2,850 lbs. per sq. in. should be imposed in order to prove that the cylinders are watertight.

(xv) The weight of any cylinder of a given type should not be less than an agreed minimum dependent upon the designed thickness.

(xvi) Cylinders should be periodically examined to determine the amount of corrosion and to ascertain that there are no surface defeats.

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(xvii) Each cylinder should undergo the hydraulic test specified in paras, 38 and 39 at least once in two years.

(xviii) If in the case of any particular cylinder, re-heat-treatment is considered to be desirable, that specified in para 28 should be given. After this re-heat-treatment the cylinder should again be thoroughly examined and be subjected to the hydraulic test.

(xix) A record should be kept of all tests made at the cylinder maker's works, and copies forwarded to the purchasers of the cylinders.

(xx) Provided that the valves are adequately protected by screwed-on caps, cylinders need not be protected by coir mats.

(xxi) All cylinders should be marked with :-

- (a) Manufacturer's and owner's mark and rotation number.
- (b) Last date of hydraulic test.(c) Last date of heat treatment.

(d) A mark indicating the specification to which the cylinder has been

All marks except those of the manufacturer which may be on the base should be made on the necked end of the cylinder and should be permanent and easily

COLLECTIONS IN STREETS OR PUBLIC PLACES. Police Regulations.

MADE BY THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF THE ROYAL ULSTER CONSTABULARY, PURSUANT TO 6 AND 7 GEO. V., CH. 31, SECTION 5.

1924. No. 1.

WHEREAS in pursuance of the powers vested in the Inspector-General of the Royal Irish Constabulary by an Act passed in the 6th and 7th years of the reign of His Majesty George V., Chapter 31, Regulations may be made with respect to the places where, and the conditions under which, persons may be permitted in any street or public place in Ireland outside the Dublin Metropolitan Police District to collect money or sell articles for the benefit of charitable or other purposes:

And whereas Regulations as aforesaid were made by the Inspector-General of the Royal Irish Constabulary on the 27th day of June, 1918, and approved by His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant:

And whereas said Regulations were applied to Northern Ireland by the Government of Ireland Act, 1920, and Orders made thereunder:

And whereas the powers exercised by the Inspector-General of the Royal Irish Constabulary are now by virtue of the provisions of the Constabulary Act (Northern Ireland), 1922, exercisable in Northern Ireland by the Inspector-General of the Royal Ulster Constabulary:

And whereas it is expedient that said Regulations should be amended as regards Northern Ireland:

Now I, Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Charles G. Wickham, D.S.O., being the Inspector-General of the Royal Ulster Constabulary, by virtue of the powers vested in me by the Acts and Orders aforesaid, do hereby cancel the Regulations made on the 27th day of June, 1918, and make the following Regulations in substitution therefor:—

- 1. No collection of money (other than a collection taken at an open-air religious meeting) or sale of any article for the benefit of charitable or other purposes shall be made in any street or public place in any part of Northern Ireland, unless the person, society, committee, or other body of persons responsible for such collection or sale, shall have obtained a permit from the Commissioner of the Royal Ulster Constabulary of the County Borough or the County Inspector of the Royal Ulster Constabulary of the County in which it is proposed to make such collection or sale.
- 2. Application for a permit shall be made in writing in the form contained in the Schedule hereto not later than the first day of the month preceding that month in which it is proposed to hold the collection or sale, and every application shall be made in the name of a committee or other body consisting of not less than three persons, who shall be jointly responsible for the collection or sale.

Provided that in the discretion of the Commissioner or County Inspector the period of notice may be reduced in any particular case or class of cases if he is satisfied that there are special reasons for this course.

- 3. No such collection or sale shall be made except upon the day and between the hours stated in the permit.
- 4. The Commissioner or County Inspector may in granting a permit limit a collection or sale to such streets or public places or such parts thereof as he thinks fit.
- 5. No person may assist or take part in any such collection or sale without the authority, written or printed in English, of the person or body of persons to whom a permit has been granted. Every person so authorised shall produce such written or printed authority forthwith for inspection by any member of the Royal Ulster Constabulary on demand.
- 6. No such collection or sale shall be made in any part of the carriageway of any street; nor shall any collection or sale be

made on the footway or in any public place to the obstruction or annoyance of any person in such street or public place.

- 7. All persons acting as collectors or vendors shall occupy a stationary position at some place on the footway. Not more than two persons shall act as collectors or vendors at the same place, and no person shall collect money or sell articles within 30 yards of the place where any other person or persons are collecting or selling.
- 8. No person under the age of 18 years shall act or be permitted to act as collector or vendor.
- 9. No collector or vendor shall use a table for the purpose of any collection or sale so as to cause or be likely to cause obstruction. No table used shall exceed 30 inches in length and 20 inches in width.
- 10. No collector or vendor shall use a box or other receptacle at the end of a pole intended to reach upper windows or the roofs of conveyances.
- 11. No collector or vendor shall be accompanied by any animal.
- 12. No collector or vendor shall importune any person to the annoyance of such person.
- 13. Every collector or vendor shall carry and present to all contributors or purchasers for the reception of money contributions a box or other receptacle numbered and securely closed and sealed in such a way as to prevent the same being opened or the money extracted without such seal being broken, and into this box or other receptacle all money received shall be immediately placed. All such boxes or receptacles shall be numbered consecutively. Every collector or vendor shall deliver his boxes or other receptacles with the seals unbroken to one of the persons responsible for the proper application of the money received.
- 14. A collector or vendor shall not carry any collecting box, receptable or tray which does not bear displayed prominently thereon the name of the fund for which the collection or sale is being made, with the date of the collection, nor any box or other receptable which is not duly numbered.
- 15. No payment or reward shall be made to any collector or vendor, or other person connected with the promotion or conduct of such a collection or sale, for or in respect of services rendered in connection therewith.
- 16. Within one month after the date of any collection or sale the society, committee or other body of persons responsible therefor shall forward, where the collection is held in a county borough, to the Commissioner, and elsewhere, to the County Inspector, a statement in the form contained in the Schedule hereto, with vouchers certified by two officials of the society and audited by its auditor or other responsible person not connected

with the fund, showing in detail the amount received and the expenses incurred in connection with such sale, and shall, if required by the Commissioner or County Inspector, satisfy him as to the due and proper application of the proceeds of the collection The society, committee or other body shall also, within the same period, at their own expense and after audit, publish, in such newspaper or newspapers as the Commissioner or County Inspector may direct, a short statement showing the name of the society, etc., responsible for the collection or sale, the name of the charity or fund which is to benefit, the date of the collection or sale and the amount collected, the amount of the expenses and the amount distributed to the charity or fund.

N.B.—The foregoing Regulations shall not apply to the selling of articles in any street or public place when the articles are sold in the ordinary course of trade and for the purpose of earning a livelihood and no representation is made by or on behalf of the seller that any part of the proceeds of sale will be devoted to any charitable purpose.

Any person who acts in contravention of any of the foregoing Regulations will be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding forty shillings, or in the case of a second or subsequent offence not exceeding five pounds.

Dated this 14th day of December, 1923.

C. G. Wickham,

Inspector-General of the Royal Ulster Constabulary.

Royal Ulster Constabulary Office, Belfast.

ABERCORN.

I, James Albert Edward, Duke of Abercorn, K.P., Governor of Northern Ireland, do hereby confirm the foregoing Regulations, and direct that they shall be published in the Belfast Gazette, and that seven days after their having been so published, they shall come into operation.

Dated this 19th day of December, 1923.

Schedule.

FORM OF APPLICATION FOR PERMIT.

- 1. Name of Society, Committee or body of persons responsible for the collection or sale.
 - Address.
- 3. Names and addresses of the applicants for the permit who will be jointly responsible for the collection or sale.

 4. Name of Charity or Fund which is to benefit.

 5. Address of the Administrative Centre of the Charity or Fund and
- name of the Secretary.
 - 6. Objects of the Charity or Fund.

- 7. Date upon which it is desired to make the collection or sale.
 8. Locality within which it is desired to make the collection or sale.
 9. The method to be adopted in making the collection or sale.
 10. Disposal of the receipts. Are the whole of the receipts to be paid over for the benefit of the Charity of Fund, or will any deduction be made for the expenses or any other purpose? If any deduction is to be made state for what purpose and give an estimate of the sum which will be deducted.
 11. Signatures of persons making this application.
 12. Date of application.

FORM OF STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE.

(I.) In cases where there is no Banking Account. Name of Society, Committee or body responsible for the collection or sale.									
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