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Tá annro, leir

An Uimhir

An Snó

DP 10066

Lucy Denis  
14 Bandon Road  
Cork

In Respect of Son  
Cornelius  
deceased

An Uimhir as Roinn  
Eile.

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Minister for Defence  
Paradise Dublin



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Please forward me pension  
form application 1937 act. in  
connection with my son  
Cornelius Lucey who died from  
disease contracted whilst on  
active service.

Denis Lucey  
14 Bandon Road  
Cork.

23/4/38.

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Your attention is specifically directed to the fact that this application form, properly completed, must be returned to this Department on or before the

1<sup>st</sup> July, 1938 .

St. 10066

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DEPT. OF DEFENCE  
RECEIVED A.P. 52.  
30 JUN 1938  
PENSIONS BRANCH

ARMY PENSIONS ACT, 1932.

Application for an allowance or a gratuity under section 12 of the Army Pensions Act, 1932, in respect of the death of a person by or on behalf of a dependant (not being the widow or child) of such person.

No record of any application under A. P. Acts 1923 & 1927.  
Initials J.W.  
Date 1/7/38

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE OF THIS FORM.

1. In every case the name to be inserted as applicant is that of the person by whom or on whose behalf it is claimed that she or he is entitled to the allowance or gratuity.
2. This application form is to be signed by the applicant, except where the Minister for Defence authorises it to be signed on behalf of the applicant by another person.
3. The attention of the person signing this form is directed to the declaration at the foot hereof to be made by such person.
4. The signature of the person signing this form is to be attested by a witness. (As to who may be a witness, see foot of this form).
5. In the event of the person making the application being unable to write he or she is to sign by affixing his or her mark and the attesting witness is to insert the name of such person.

Name of Applicant (To be written in Block Capitals) LUCEY DENIS  
(Surname), (Mr., Mrs., or Miss), (Christian Names)

PAISCE  
- EIU. 1938  
SEINIRE MILEATA

Address 14 Bandon Road, Cork

Nearest Gárda Síochána Station Barrack St. Cork

Distance of nearest Railway Station from Residence about 1 1/2 miles

Distance of nearest Bus route from Residence Residence on Bus route

Whether Railway or Bus is the more economical method of transport between Residence and Dublin } Railway

Name of Deceased Member St Cornelius S. Lucey

Late of (Address) 14 Bandon Road, Cork

Military Service Registration Board  
Entd. Register: 16/7/38  
Entd. Index: 1/7/38  
Cert. Issued:

NOTE.—Before answering any of the questions below, the person making the declaration at the foot of this Form is to note that the statements made will be checked.

The Army Pensions Act, 1932, imposes a summary penalty for a false declaration.

Every person who, with a view to obtaining the grant or payment of a pension, allowance, or gratuity under Part II of the Army Pensions Act, 1932, either for himself or for any other person, makes, signs, or uses any declaration, application, or other written statement knowing the same to be false shall be guilty of an offence under this section and shall be liable on summary conviction thereof to a fine not exceeding twenty-five pounds, or, at the discretion of the court, to imprisonment for any term not exceeding six months or to both such fine and such imprisonment. (Section 12 (1) of Army Pensions Act, 1932, as applied by the Army Pensions Act, 1932).

If the declarant is unable to read, the above notes should be read over to him (or her) by the witness, who should so testify in his attestation of the claim.

1. State relationship of applicant to deceased and such of the following particulars as is appropriate:—

(a) If father and over 60 years of age, date of birth (certificate of birth to be attached).

(b) If father and incapacitated by ill-health, nature of such incapacity (medical certificate to be attached).

(c) If a brother under the age of 18 or an unmarried sister under the age of 21, date of birth (certificate of birth to be attached).

(d) If permanently invalided brother or permanently invalided unmarried sister, nature of illness (medical certificate to be attached).

2. State whether the applicant at the date of death of the deceased was wholly dependent on him. If not wholly dependent, state the extent to which the applicant was dependent. The full circumstances as to dependency in either case should be set out in a separate statement if necessary.

3. State whether any claim has been made, or is being made by the applicant in respect of any other member of any of the organisations mentioned in 6 or of the National Army or Defence Forces.

4. (a) When and where did the deceased die, and what was the cause or causes of death? (Certificate of death to be attached).

Father.

Birth certificate attached

at date of death  
my only means of support,

was the Post Office Brandon Road

I have to pay an assistant to work this I make a

bare existence. deceased going

on military service when he

was qualified left me without

any money I was depending on

him to make good

no.

Peamount Sanatorium 1929

death Certificate attached.

Pulmonary tuberculosis

- (b) If the deceased died as a result of refusing to take nourishment while detained in prison, or died by violence while a prisoner, give details of the date, place and circumstances.

no

5. State whether the deceased was married.

no

6. Give particulars of the service of the deceased in any of the undermentioned Organisations :—

ORGANISATION	Period of Service		In what capacity he served	In what areas he served	Name of his Commanding Officer
	From	To			
(a) Oglagh na h-Eireann (Irish Republican Army)	1917	1923	Medical Officer	Cork RGHQ	F. Aiken
(b) Irish Volunteers ....			Director of medical services		
(c) Irish Citizen Army ....					
(d) Fianna Eireann ....					
(e) Hibernian Rifles ....					
(f) Cumann na mBan ....					

7. (a) When and in what area did the deceased receive the wound or injury or contract the disease which resulted in death?

developed pulmonary Tuberculosis in 1921

- (b) Who was the Deceased's Commanding Officer at the time?

Tom Barry

- (c) Give the names of any persons who can corroborate your answer to (a) above.

Tom Barry Ardfoile Ballintemple<sup>Cork</sup>  
Liam Deasy William St  
Dublin

7. (d) Replies to Questions 7 (d) (i) to (v) to be filled in only in case of death due to Disease.

- (i) In what way is it claimed that the disease which was the cause of death was connected with the Military Service of the deceased and what are the grounds for the claim?

developed disease in 1921 due to intense active service see attached certificate from Dr. Stottford Price

(A detailed statement of the facts with dates should be given).

- (ii) Were there any particular conditions affecting the service of the deceased which it

Yes he was attached to the one of the most active Columns in Ireland 3rd Cork Brigade Column was

is claimed caused the disability (or disabilities)? Did the deceased suffer from any illness during the period of his service? If so, give particulars, including any treatment received.

(iii) Give particulars of the health of the deceased for the three years prior to joining the particular force in which it is claimed he incurred the disability (or disabilities) which caused his death. If possible certificates should be furnished:—

(a) from his doctor, and

(b) from his approved Society for the three years prior to joining the particular Force, or if he was not an insured person, certificates should be furnished by the Medical Practitioner who ordinarily attended him during those three years. A statement will also be required from his Employers in respect of the three years prior to his joining the particular force.

(iv) Give the names and addresses of his Employers:—

(a) during the three years prior to joining the particular Military Force in which it is claimed he contracted any disability referred to in the reply to Question 4 above.

(b) During the period of his Military Service referred to at 6.

(c) During the period since the cessation of his Military Service.

(v) Was the deceased at any time prior to his service referred to at 6 a candidate for any appointment which necessitated a medical examination? If so, state the nature of the appointment and the result of the medical examination.

on constant active service as well as attending to his duties as M. O. was director of medical services civil war and <sup>again</sup> saw very hard conditions.

In perfect health re-joined Cork in Hurling + football and was very robust

Student Cork University  
College.

Medical officer Cork 3  
Bn Brigade + director  
medical services.

Seeking employment in  
his profession doing  
locums.

Was medically examined  
before he went on active  
service

8. Give the names of the hospitals where

the deceased was treated for the disability (or disabilities) stated in reply to Question 4 above, and the approximate dates of admissions and discharges, if possible.

Peamont sanatorium

9. Did the deceased suffer from the disability (or disabilities) mentioned in above answer to Question 4, or anything like it, prior to Military Service? If so, give details and dates.
10. Give the names of any hospital or hospitals, in which the deceased received treatment as an in-patient or an out-patient, prior to the period of his service, and the nature of the ailments for which treatment was provided.
11. What was the nature of the employment of deceased—
- (a) before his Military Service referred to at 6,
- (b) during the period of such Military Service,
- (c) after the cessation of such Military Service?
12. Give particulars of any period, or periods of unemployment since the cessation of the Military Service of the deceased, and the cause of it (e.g., trade depression, ill-health, etc.).
13. Did either the deceased or the applicant receive compensation from the deceased's Employers, or from any person or body in respect of any accident, injury, or disease? If so, give full particulars and state the amount of such compensation.
14. Give the names and addresses of any Doctors who attended the deceased since the cessation of his Military Service, and particulars of the ailments for which they attended him.
15. If the deceased was treated at a hospital (either as an in-patient or an out-patient) since the cessation of his Military Service, give the name of the hospital, or hospitals, dates of admission, or commencement of treatment, and the nature of the ailment for which treated.

no.

none.

Student Cork University

M.O. Cork 3 Brigade

Seeking employment at his profession doing locums. He had frequently to lie up owing to ill health.

no

Co Cork

Dr. T O Sullwan <sup>Linniskane</sup> Cork

Dr. P Kiehy St Patricks Hill

Dr. Jerry. Murphy South Mall Cork.

Peamont sanatorium  
died there

16. Give particulars of the health of deceased since the cessation of his Military Service. These should be supported by:—

*health. Bad  
certificate attached*

(a) medical certificates from any civilian doctors who attended him, and reports from non-military hospitals which deceased attended.

(b) certificates from deceased's Employers as to health and time lost.

*Had no employers.*

17. Has the applicant received, or did the deceased receive, in respect of the disability, or disabilities, which caused his death any payment:—

(a) on a decree under the Criminal Injuries (Ireland) Acts, 1919 and 1920;

*no*

(b) on an award made by the Personal Injuries Committee;

*no*

(c) from or on behalf of the person; alleged to be responsible for the act which caused such disability

*no*

(d) from any other source?

*no*

If so, give full particulars.

18. Give the name of deceased's National Health Approved Society, and (if possible) his membership number.

*not a member.*

19. Did the deceased make a claim for a certificate of service under the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924? If so, what was the result of his claim?

*no*

20. Did the applicant, or did the deceased, make any claim under the Army Pensions Acts, 1923-1927, in respect of the wound or disease which caused the death of the deceased? If so, what was the result of such claim?

*no*

21. Give particulars of any pension or gratuity awarded to the deceased under the Army Pensions Acts, 1923-1927, in respect of a wound or injury received or disease contracted in the course of duty with the Irish Volunteers, Irish Citizen Army, 1916, National Army or Defence Forces.

*None*

22. State whether deceased was at any time in receipt of a pension, allowance or gratuity, in respect of

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injuries received or disability incurred in the course of service with any of the following Military or Police Forces—(a) British (b) Australian (c) New Zealand (d) South African (e) Canadian (f) American (U.S.A.) (g) Royal Irish Constabulary (h) Dublin Metropolitan Police (i) Gárda Síochána (j) National Army (k) Defence Forces.

23. (a) Give full particulars of any pension, allowance or gratuity which the deceased held in respect of any wound or injury received in or disease contracted in the services mentioned in your reply to above questions.

no  
None

(b) State clearly the source from which payment of such pension, allowance or gratuity was made.

24. Give particulars of any payments the applicant has received from Army Funds since the death of deceased.

None

I declare that :—

- (a) I am the applicant mentioned in the foregoing particulars,
- (b) the said particulars have been read over by or to me before signing this declaration,
- (c) the said particulars are true to the best of my knowledge, information or belief.

Signature of Applicant *Denis Lucey* .....

Address of Applicant *14 Bandon Road* .....

*Cork*

or (where application is sent in by another person on behalf of applicant) :—

I declare that :—

- (a) this application is made by me on behalf of the above-mentioned applicant,
- (b) that the foregoing particulars have been read over by or to me before signing this declaration.
- (c) that the said particulars are true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Signature of Declarant .....

Address .....

Description .....

IOVER.

\* Signature of Witness *Daniel J. Healy FCRS PC*

Address *1 South Mall, Cork*

Qualification of Witness *Accountant, Auditor & Peace Commissioner*

Date *June 29<sup>th</sup> 1938.*

\*To be signed by one of the following :—

- A Commissioned Officer serving in the Defence Forces.
- A Permanent Civil Servant (active or retired) whose salary is or was not less than £200, and on a scale rising to not less than £300.
- A District Justice.
- A Peace Commissioner.
- A Barrister-at-Law, a Solicitor or a Commissioner for Oaths.
- A Minister of Religion (denomination to be stated).
- A Registered Physician or Surgeon.
- Managers, Secretaries, Chief Cashiers, and Accountants of Banks and Officials in charge of Branch Banks.
- A member of the *Gárda Síochána*.
- A Postmaster or Postmistress in actual charge of a Post Office.
- Head Teachers of Secondary or National Schools.
- A Secretary of a Registered Friendly Society.

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## SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN.

### CLÁRÚ NA MBREITĀ AGUS NA MBĀS. REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

cóip deimniúgte d'iontráil i sClár-leabhar na mbĀs, atá fé cúram an ceann-cláradóra.  
CERTIFIED COPY OF ENTRY IN THE REGISTER BOOK OF DEATHS DEPOSITED IN THE SUPERINTENDENT REGISTRAR'S OFFICE.—(See Endorsement).

1929 bĀsanna cláruite i sCeannthar *Rathfriland* i sCeannthar ceann-cláradóra *Subli* i sConndae *Arde*.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE DISTRICT OF IN THE SUPERINTENDENT REGISTRAR'S DISTRICT OF IN THE COUNTY OF

Uimh. No. (1.)	Dáta agus ionad Báis. Date and Place of Death. (2.)	Ainm agus Sloinne. Name and Surname. (3.)	Innsne (Fireann nó Daineann.) Sex. (4.)	Stádo (Docta, pósta nó Daintreabac.) Condition. (5.)	Aois. Age last Birthday. (6.)	Gráim Ueadaó. Rank, Profession, or Occupation. (7.)	Cúis Báis (Deimniúgte) agus fairsinn. Certified Cause of Death and Duration of Illness. (8.)	Siġnú, Cáilreacht agus áit ċomharóte an fairsneisíre. Signature, Qualification, and Residence of Informant. (9.)	Dáta Cláruite. When Registered. (10.)	Siġnú an Cláradóra. Signature of Registrar. (11.)
478	1929. Fouteenilt July Beumont Santam.	Dr. Cayelius Lucy 3 Sault Arde.	m	Bachelor	34 yrs.	Medical Doctor.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis & years cardiac Syncope certified.	Josephine Deegan Dunato Beumont Santam.	Twenty fifth July 1929	J. P. O'Riada Cláradóir Registrar.

Dearbhuġim leis seo gur fíor-cóip an cóip seo suas de'n iontráil uimh 478  
I hereby Certify that the foregoing is a true Copy of the Entry No.

{ i sClár-leabhar na mbĀs.  
{ in the Register Book of Deaths of the above District deposited in my Office.

Office, } James St, Subli.  
Date, } 26 June 1928.

*Lillian J. Gordon*  
Ceann-cláradóir na mbreitĀ, na mbĀs agus na bġosaó  
Superintendent Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages,  
i sCeannthar for the District of *Subli*.



Registration of Births and Deaths in Ireland.

43 and 44 Vic., Cap. 13.

SEC. 25.—“. . . . Subject to such regulations as shall be made from time to time by the Registrar-General, with the approval of the Lord Lieutenant, every person shall be entitled at all reasonable times to search the said indexes, and also the register books, and to have a certified copy of any entry or entries in any register book, under the hand of the Superintendent Registrar or Registrar, as the case may be, who shall have the custody of the same for the time being, on payment in each case of the appointed fee in addition to the stamp duty of one penny imposed by the Act of the Session held in the thirty-third and thirty-fourth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, chapter ninety-seven.”\*

Sec. 32.—“ In the principal Act and this Act—  
The term “general search” shall mean a search during any number of successive hours not exceeding six, without stating the object of the search; and

The term “particular search” shall mean a search over any period not exceeding five years for any given entry.”

2nd Schedule “. . . For every search, to the Superintendent Registrar, to be paid by the applicant for the search, if it is a general search five shillings; if it is a particular search, one shilling.”

“ For a certified copy of any entry given by the Superintendent Registrar, two shillings and sixpence to the Superintendent Registrar, to be paid by the applicant.”

\* This Duty was re-imposed by the 54 and 55 Vic., Cap. 39 (Stamp Act, 1891).

Fees Payable to Superintendent Registrar.

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J Aiken Esq.  
Minister for Defence

DEPT. OF DEFENCE,  
RECEIVED  
10 OCT 1938  
PENSIONS BRANCH

A Cdt.

Dr Cor. Lucy deceased.

I attach two Certificates in  
this case and would be  
thankful for your consideration  
of the claim.

Scris Lucy  
14 Bantow Road

West.

7/10/38.

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South Charitable Infirmary & County Hospital.

Cork, August 26<sup>th</sup> 1938

I hereby certify that the late D. Com  
hugh was under my care from  
the year 1924 to the year 1929 on  
various occasions he was  
suffering from Pulmonary Tuberculosis  
and in my opinion this condition  
resulted directly from the privations  
he endured in the Anglo-Burmese & Civil  
Wars. ~~during the period~~

This I certify

J. M. O'Sullivan

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MILLBROOK,

DUNISKEANE,

CO. CORK.

June 28<sup>th</sup> 38.

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10 OCT 1938

DISPATCH

To certify that the late Dr. Cornelius  
Lucy, Medical Officer, 1<sup>st</sup>, Southern  
Division, was frequently treated by  
me during the years 1922-23.  
He suffered from Pulmonary Tuberculosis,  
contracted during the Anglo-Irish  
struggle, when he underwent all the  
rigors of that most exacting period.  
He suffered from severe cough and  
occasional attacks of Haemoptysis,

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and although of the very ill &  
debilitated persisted in carrying on  
his duties during this period.

L. J. Sullivan  
late  
U.S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Cork Brigade,

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Exact copy of Baptismal Register  
Certificate of Baptism. Entry - D. Barry

FORM III.

Parish of Kilmanachty Diocese of Clonme

I HEREBY CERTIFY that Denis Lucy

was Baptized, according to the Rites of the Holy Catholic Church, in the Church of St. Lachin Parish of Kilmanachty

on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of November year 1860

by Rev. Thomas Ahern P.P.

Parents, Denis Lucy + Margaret Lucy

Sponsors, Humpry Lynch, Jude Lucy

Rev. David Barry } Parish Priest.  
} Coadjutor.

To..... Date May 31<sup>st</sup> 38

Browne and Nolan, Ltd., Dublin,

Military Service Pensions Collection

TELEPHONE: DUBLIN 61743.  
HOURS: 2 TO 4 P.M.

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10, FITZWILLIAM PLACE.  
DUBLIN.

Sept 8th 1933

I hereby certify that I was called to see Dr Con Lucy at Maraboro, Kilbrittain, Co Cork, in the summer of 1921, very soon after the Truce. It was in the middle of the night and he had just had an attack of Haemoptysis. He recovered in a few days, and he took as early an opportunity as possible of consulting Dr Ashley Cummins<sup>senior</sup> of Cork. Dr Cummins examined him very thoroughly, and told Dr Lucy that he had found a patch of early pulmonary tuberculosis in one lung, and that he should take life easy and rest, as the disease seemed to be in an early stage. Dr Lucy himself told me this not long after. I did not see him in an official capacity again.

*Dorothy Stopped Price*  
*17/3*

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CONSULTING HOURS-

2.30 TO 4.30

TELEPHONE NO. 650.

27-6-38

20. ST. PATRICK'S HILL.

CORK.

This is to certify that I knew the late Dr. Con Lucey well, and attended him on various occasions from early in 1921 to 1929 when he died. During all this time he suffered from pulmonary tuberculosis brought on by the hardships of the Anglo-Irish war. His disease started with an attack of haemoptysis while he was serving with a Column in West Cork in the spring of 1921.

I worked with him during the trouble and knew all about his health. I am satisfied beyond all reasonable doubt that his illness was directly attributable to his activities during the trouble, while serving with the I.R.A.

P. Kelly M.D. F.R.C.S.

2/4227

D.P.10066

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17~~th~~ October, 1938.

A Chara,

With reference to your letter of the 7th instant, and enclosures, in connection with your claim under the Army Pensions Acts, I am directed by the Acting Minister for Defence to inform you that investigations in your case are proceeding. The result will be communicated to you at the earliest opportunity.

Mise, le meas,

*Thelley*

z/c Rúnaidhe.

Mr. Denis Lucey,  
14, Brandon Road,  
CORK.

Rúnaidhe,  
Bord Clarathachta Sheirbhise Mileata.

Cuir i dteannta an iarratais a chuireadh chugat are 5adh Iul, 1938.

*Thelley*

z/c Rúnaidhe.

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Typed	10/11/38
Read	<i>[Signature]</i>
Checked	<i>[Signature]</i>

2 med. certs - attached.

1 from Det. Murphy  
1 " " Det. O'Sullivan

At 17/10/38.

ARMY PENSIONS ACTS, 1932 AND 1937.

**SERVICE CERTIFICATE ISSUED BY THE MILITARY SERVICE REGISTRATION BOARD  
IN RESPECT OF A DECEASED PERSON ALLEGED TO HAVE BEEN A MEMBER  
OF AN ORGANISATION TO WHICH PART II OF THE ACT OF 1932 APPLIES.**

Reg. No. of Applicant II/RB/4223. Name of Applicant Lucey, Denis  
 Address of Applicant 14, Bandon Road,  
Cork.  
 Name of Deceased Person to whom Certificate relates Lucey, Cornelius (Dr.)  
 Late Address of Deceased Person 14, Bandon Road,  
Cork.  
 Relationship of Applicant to deceased Father.

WHEREAS an application for the grant of an allowance *or* gratuity in respect of the said deceased has been referred to us by the Minister for Defence under Section 8 of the Army Pensions Act, 1932, as amended by Section 15 of the Army Pensions Act, 1937;  
 NOW, WE, the Military Service Registration Board, in pursuance of the said Section 8, as amended, hereby certify as follows:—

1. ~~The deceased was not at any time a member of any organisation to which Part II of the Act of 1932 applies.~~ *or*  
 The deceased was a member of Oglaigh na h-Eireann (I.R.A.)

(State organisation or organisations of which deceased was a member.)

2. ~~The deceased was not engaged in military service within the meaning of Part II of the Act of 1932.~~ *or*

The deceased was engaged in military service within the meaning of Part II of the Act of 1932, and the following are particulars of such military service:—

Organisation or organisations of which deceased was a member	Particulars of military service		
	(*) Period of service		Nature and extent of military service
	From	To	
Oglaigh na h-Eireann (Irish Republican Army)	1921	1923	Served as Bde. M.O. Cork No.3 Bde. & Div. M.O. 1st Southern Divn.
Irish Volunteers	-	-	-
Irish Citizen Army	-	-	-
Fianna Eireann	-	-	-
Hibernian Rifles	-	-	-
Cumann na mBan	-	-	-

(\*) If the service was not continuous throughout, particulars of the period or periods of actual military service should be stated.

3. The deceased did not receive a wound or injury while engaged in military service. *or*

~~The deceased received a wound or injury while engaged in military service and the following are particulars of such wound or injury:—~~

(a) Nature of wound or injury ..... -  
 (b) Date on which wound or injury was received ..... -

(c) Circumstances in which wound or injury was received ..... -

(d) Particulars of any negligence or misconduct on the part of the deceased which in the opinion of the Board should be taken into consideration in determining whether the wound or injury was attributable to military service ..... -

4. ~~There is no evidence that the deceased contracted any disease during his military service.~~

or

There is evidence that the deceased contracted a disease during his military service and the following are the particulars of such evidence:—

(a) Nature of disease ..... Pulmonary Tuberculosis.

(b) Actual conditions under which deceased performed his military service ..... Deceased was on active service.

(c) Particulars of any illness from which the deceased suffered during his military service ..... Haemoptysis.

(d) Detailed report on the applicant's statements to, in case the application is on Form A.P. 51, questions 4 D (i) and (ii) on that form, or in case the application is on Form A.P. 52, questions 7 D (i) and (ii) of that form. It is testified that the deceased was attached to the Cork 3 Bde. "Flying Column" from January 1921 and took part in all engagements. In addition he performed the duties of Bde. M.O. He suffered from wettings, irregular meals and sleeping in dug-outs.

(e) Full particulars of any negligence or misconduct on the part of the deceased which in the opinion of the Board should be taken into consideration in determining whether the disease was attributable to military service ... NIL.

5. Deceased died on the 14th day of July 1929.

6. The deceased was not killed while engaged in military service.

or

~~The deceased was killed while engaged in military service and the following are the particulars of the date, place and manner of his death~~

7. \*

\* This paragraph will be used for certifying such other particulars in respect of the deceased as the Minister may request the Military Service Registration Board to ascertain and certify.

Signed: E. O. Gill Chairman  
M. Hilliard Member  
Jus Kullent Member  
of Military Service Registration Board

Dated this 25th day of November 1938.

Guthan 71881.  
(Phone)

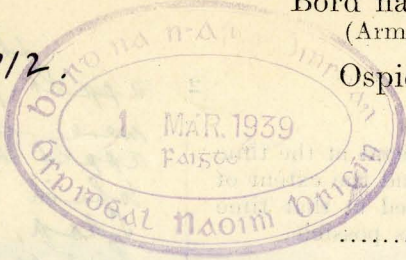
Uimhir Thagarta... *52/APB/712*  
(Reference No.)

Bord na n-Arm Phinsean,  
(Army Pensions Board)

Ospideál Naomh Bricin,  
(St. Bricin's Hospital),

Baile Átha Cliath.  
(Dublin)

*6<sup>th</sup> December* 1938.



# ACHTANNA ARM-PHINSEAN, 1923-1937

(ARMY PENSIONS ACTS, 1923-1937).

## LIUNTAS NÓ AISCE DO CLEITHIÚNAI.

(Dependant's Allowance or Gratuity).

An t-Oifigeach Fiosrúcaín.

(The Investigation Officer).

*6 Stn. Railway Chambers in Curragh Park*  
*R. Dist. Cork*

An application for an award under the Army Pensions Acts in respect of the death of *Cornelius Lucey* who died on or about *14<sup>th</sup> July 1929* has been received from

*Mr. Denis Lucey*  
*14, Bandon Rd. Cork.*

I am to request that you will kindly furnish me with a report, for the information of the Board, as to the occupation and general financial condition of the applicant and as to the degree of the applicant's dependency on the deceased at the date of his death. The report should take the form of replies to the questions herein.

It will be of great assistance to the Board if you will definitely express the opinion you have formed as to whether the applicant was dependent on the deceased, and, if so, whether wholly or partially.

*Wm Taylor*  
Rúnaí,  
(Secretary)

Bord na n-Arm Phinsean  
(Army Pensions Board)

1. Did the applicant enjoy any private income prior to the death of the deceased?	<i>No.</i>
2. Did the applicant hold any regular employment prior to the death of the deceased? If so, state the approximate amount of applicant's earnings.	<i>Yes: applt had a shop &amp; post office at 14 Bandon Rd</i>
3. Where the applicant is brother or sister to deceased, is the applicant permanently invalided and thereby prevented from earning, and if the applicant is a sister is she unmarried?	<i>/</i>
4. Where the applicant is father to the deceased and under 60 years of age, is he incapacitated by ill-health?	<i>applt. is the father of the deceased. He is 72 yrs of age</i>
5. Has applicant any other children living?	<i>Yes. — two sons.</i>
6. If so, what are their ages and occupations?	<i>1. Dr D. Lucey 47<sup>yo</sup> is married &amp; has a private practice. He resides elsewhere. Applt. does not know what he earns. 2. Dr John J. Lucey 42 yo is single &amp; resides in <del>London</del> Birmingham where he has a private practice. Applt. does not know what he earns.</i>
7. What are their earnings?	
8. Do they contribute to the upkeep of claimant? If so, to what extent?	<i>No.</i>
9. What was the occupation of Deceased?	<i>Medical Doctor</i>
10. What were his wages and contributions to claimant?	<i>applt states that he joined the I.R.A. movement on being qualified. After leaving the movement he was unable to do any work owing to severe ill-health. He was supported &amp; maintained by applt. He was in Beaumont Sanatorium for years before he died.</i>

Form for Army Pension (Army Pensions Board) (Army Pensions Board) (Army Pensions Board)

2 <sup>this wife & the</sup> applt. of niece (Miss Kelleher) - They were not dependent on deceased. applt had the sub post office then for which he received £140.18.0 & also the Shop, estd profit £15 pa. wife had no income & Miss Kelleher assisted in business as at present.

11. The circumstances of the applicant at the time of the death of the deceased and the extent of his dependency on the deceased at that time should be ascertained as far as possible.

12. What is the yearly value of any property belonging to claimant (not being property personally used or enjoyed by him) which is invested or otherwise put to profitable use by him or which though capable of investment or other profitable use is not so invested or otherwise put to profitable use by him? Calculations to be made according to present basis for Old-Age Pensions.

Saving certificates No ZK 6016  
Present value £60.16.0 Vfd.  
Income thereon  $\frac{£60-16-0 \times 5}{20} = \frac{35-16-0}{20} = £1-15-10$  pa.

13. What is the yearly value of any advantage accruing to Claimant from the use or enjoyment of any property belonging to him which is personally used or enjoyed by him, except furniture and personal effects? Calculations to be made according to present basis for Old-Age Pensions.

House owned & occupied  
P.L. V £8 Ground Rent £5 pa.  
Net Benefit £3 pa.

14. What is the income which Claimant might reasonably expect to receive during the succeeding year in cash, excluding any sums received on account of dependant's allowance under Part VII of the Army Pensions Act, 1937, and excluding any sums arising out of property as described in Question (12)? (No account shall be taken of any sums received during a period of not more than six months in any year by a person or by the husband or wife of a person (as the case may be) under a medical certificate as sickness benefit from a Friendly Society or Trade Union or under the National Health Insurance Acts, 1911-1926).

House hold  
applt & Nellie Kelleher 40, (2nd Cousin of applts <sup>late</sup> wife). She assists in shop & post office business.

In calculating the income from this source the income for the past year may be taken in the absence of a better means for calculating the income.

Income from sub post office in past 12 months 192.12.0

Shop Purchases.	Profit
Musgrave Sugar 25.6.0 - no profit	
Lardies 48.0.0	7.4.0.
Tobacco Cigarettes 126.9.0	25.6.0.
Kellumey <sup>Tea</sup> <del>Tea</del> 26.15.6	3.10.0
Phair's Bread 141.0.0	14.2.0.
	<del>207.0</del> 31.1.0.
	50.2.0

15. Where Claimant resides with and is maintained in the house of a relative of the first degree:

(a) Where the house is on an agricultural holding owned by such relative, and the means of the household are derived solely from such holding, state—  
(i) The number of adults (excluding claimant) in the house.  
(ii) The number of children.  
(iii) The valuation of the holding.

Less Allowance for Light, repairs etc 10.0.0  
Services of Miss Kelleher 78.0.0 88.0.0  
Net Benefit to applt ~~435.13.0~~ 154.14.0

(b) Where the house is not on an agricultural holding owned by such relative and is situated in an urban area, state—  
(i) The number of adults (excluding claimant) in the house.  
(ii) The number of children in the house.  
(iii) The total weekly means of the household.

(c) Where the house is not on an agricultural holding and is situated in a rural area, state—  
(i) The number of adults (excluding claimant) in the house.  
(ii) The number of children.

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(iii) The total weekly means of the household.

(d) Where the house is on an agricultural holding and is situated in an urban area and the means are derived partly from the holding and partly from other sources, state—

(i) The number of adults (excluding claimant) in the house.

(ii) The number of children in the house.

(iii) The weekly amount of income from all sources.

(iv) The valuation of the holding.

(e) Where the house is on an agricultural holding and is situated in a rural area, and the means of the household are derived partly from such holding and partly from other sources, state—

(i) The number of adults (excluding claimant) in the house.

(ii) The number of children in the house.

(iii) The weekly amount of income from all sources.

(iv) The valuation of the holding.

16. Where the claimant receives lodging or a house free of rent from any source, what is the value of such free accommodation?

*House owned by applt.*

17. What is the yearly value of any other benefit or privilege enjoyed by claimant?

*nil.*

18. Where the claimant is one of a married couple living together in the same house, what are the total means of such married couple? Set out the wife's means (if any) separately.

*applt. is a widower*

19. Has claimant directly or indirectly divested himself of any property or income at any time after 1st December, 1936? (State whether such property or income was assigned by conveyance or transfer by operation of law or by bona fide sale for valuable consideration in money or money's worth amounting to not less than 4/5ths of the value of the property or income, or whether the estate or interest therein which was the subject of the sale or the property of which the person has divested himself consists only of a farm of land assigned to a child on marriage).

*nil.*

20. Where a claimant has been voluntarily supported by any relative and has ceased to be supported at any time after the 1st December, 1936, has the cessation of such support been due to the death or bankruptcy of the said relative or because the means of such relative have so diminished as to render the continuance of such support impossible?

*No: applt. has always supported himself.*

## Notes for the Benefit of the Investigation

### Officer

The expression "agricultural holding" means any hereditament which is—

- (a) entered as land in the valuation lists under the Valuation Acts, and
- (b) is not mainly used for purposes other than agricultural or live-stock production.

The expression "valuation" means valuation under the Valuation Acts.

The expression "urban area" means any area which is either—

- (a) a county borough, or
- (b) an urban district (not being a county borough) the population of which (as shown by the census of population which is for the time being the latest such census) exceeds seven thousand.

The expression "rural area" means any part of Saorstát Éireann which is not an urban area.

The word "adult" means a person who is aged eighteen years or upwards.

The word "child" means a person under the age of 18 years.

For the purposes of determining the census of population which is the latest such census within the meaning of the definition of the expression "urban area" contained in the immediately preceding sub-rule—

- (a) the census of the population of Saorstát Éireann taken in the year 1936, shall be deemed to have been taken on the date of the passing of this Act, and
- (b) whenever a subsequent census of the population of Saorstát Éireann has been taken, the Minister shall certify the date of the publication of every such census, and every such census shall be deemed to have been taken on the date of publication so certified in respect thereof.

S.C. I.

Seol don freagairt go dtí :-

Address any reply to :-  
an cuntaíora,

An Roinn Duirte agus Telegrafa,  
Baile Átha Cliath.

Luath úimhir

Quote Number

Your No. 52/APB/712.

BRANNSE AN CÚNTASÓRA,  
AN ROINN DUIRTE AGUS TELEGRÁFA,  
BAILE ÁTHA CLIAÍ.

(ACCOUNTANT'S BRANCH,  
DEPARTMENT OF POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS,  
DUBLIN).

23adh Feabhra 1939.

A CARA,  
A CAIRDE-

In reply to your letter of the 6adh Inst.  
With reference to your application

I have to inform you that the total amount invested  
i.e. the purchase price of Savings Certificates  
registered in the name of Denis Lucy,  
14 Bandon Rd., Cork was £60:16:— as  
on the 20th February 1939.

Mife, le meap,

DONAL Ó NIARFLATA,

Cúntaíora,

(Accountant).

To The Investigations Office,  
Cork.

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O.A.P. Uimh. 26.  
O.A.P. No. 26.

*Army Pension Acts 1923-37*  
~~Achtanna Na Pinsean Sean Aoise, 1908 go 1932~~  
~~The Old Age Pensions Acts, 1908 to 1932~~

Clár-Uimh.  
an  
Eilimh  
Regd. No.  
of Claim.

*52/ARB/712*

RAILWAY CHAMBERS,  
11 MCGURTAIN STREET,  
CORK.

6 FEB 1939

A CHARA,

Maidir leis an iarratas ar Phinsean Sean Aoise do rinne  
With reference to an application for an ~~Old Age Pension~~ <sup>Army Pension</sup> allowance

*Ms Denis Lucy* as of *14 Bandon Rd Cork*  
ba mhaith liom dá gcuirtheá chugham, chó luath agus is féidir leat,  
I shall be obliged if you will furnish me at your early convenience with the information  
an t-colas a hiarrtar thíos.  
indicated below.

Tá clúdeach fé sheoladh, íochta go hoifigiúil, anso istigh le  
haghaidh an fhreagartha.

I enclose an official paid addressed envelope for reply.

Mise, le meas,

DO *Messrs Musgrave*  
To *Cornmarket St*  
*Cork*

*S. C. O'Sullivan*  
Oifigeach Fiosrúcháin.  
Investigation Officer.

An t-colas atá ag teastáil  
Information desired.

Freagra  
Reply.

*The total value of  
goods supplied to  
the above named in  
the past 12 months,  
the nature of the goods  
supplied & the estimated  
profit thereon  
(over)*

*Sugar £25. 6. 8*

*Sundries £48. 0. 1*

*12 1/2% / 15%*

LASTALL  
Over.

An t-eolas atá ag teastáil  
Information desired.

Freagra  
Reply.

Similar particulars  
for the 12 months  
ended 30/6/29 if  
it is possible to  
furnish them.

No goods supplied to  
Denis Lucey for this  
period.

MUSGRAVE BROTHERS LTD.

Musgrave Buildings,

CORK.

Sighniú.....  
Signature.....

Data.....19.....  
Date.....

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an  
Eilimh  
Regd. No.  
of Claim.

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RAILWAY CHAMBERS,  
11 McCURTAIN STREET,  
CORK.

6 FEB 1939

19.....

A CHARA,

Maidir leis an iarratas ar <sup>Army dependents allowance</sup> Phinscan Sean-Aoise do rinne  
With reference to an application for an ~~Old Age Pension~~ made by

*Mr Denis Lucey* as of *14 Bandon Rd. Cork*  
ba mhaith liom dá gcuirfeá chugham, chó luath agus is féidir leat,  
I shall be obliged if you will furnish me at your early convenience with the information  
an t-eolas a hiarrtar thíos.  
indicated below.

Tá clúdeach fé sheoladh, íochta go hoifigiúil, anso istigh le  
haghaidh an fhreagartha.

I enclose an official paid addressed envelope for reply.  
Mise, le meas,

DO *Messrs C. Foley*  
To *24 North Mall*  
*Cork*

*J. C. O'Donoghue*  
Oifigeach Fiosrúcháin.  
Investigation Officer.

An t-eolas atá ag teastáil  
Information desired.

Freagra  
Reply.

The total value of  
goods sold to the  
above named in the  
past 12 months, the  
nature of the goods  
supplied & the estimated  
profit thereon

Total Goods for 1938  
£126-9-0  
5% profit

LASTALL  
Over.

(Over)

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An t-eolas atá ag teastáil  
Information desired.

Freagra  
Reply.

Similar particulars  
for the 12 months  
ended 30/6/29 if  
it is possible to  
furnish them?

*Goods supplied 1929.*  
*£271-1-3*  
*57% profit*

Per Pro O. FOLEY & SONS,

*Cors. S. Foley*

Sighniú.....  
Signature.

Data.....  
Date. *16th Feby.* 19*39.*

**O.A.P. Uimh. 26.**

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Clár-Uimh.  
an  
Eilimh  
Regd. No.  
of Claim.

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RAILWAY CHAMBERS,  
11 McCURTAIN STREET,  
CORK.

..... 6 FEB 1933 ..... 19.....

A CHARA,

Maidir leis an iarratas ar *Army dependant allowance* Phinsean Sean Aoise do rinne  
With reference to an application for an ~~Old Age Pension~~ made by

*Mr Denis Lucey* as *of 14 Bandon Rd Cork*

ba mhaith liom dá gcuirtheá clugham, chó luath agus is féidir leat,  
I shall be obliged if you will furnish me at your early convenience with the information  
an t-eolas a hiarrtar thíos.  
indicated below.

Tá clúdeach fé sheoladh, íochta go hoifigiúil, anso istigh le  
haghaidh an fhreagartha.

I enclose an official paid addressed envelope for reply.

Mise, le meas,

DO  
To

*The Manager*  
*Killumney Creamery*

*J. C. O'Sullivan*  
Oifigeach Fiosrúcháin.  
Investigation Officer.

An t-eolas atá ag teastáil  
Information desired.

Freagra  
Reply.

*The total value of the  
goods supplied to  
the above in the past  
12 months, the nature  
of the goods supplied  
& the estimated profit  
thereon*

*Total value of 26-15-6  
all goods supplied - Butter  
Estimated profit of 3-10-0*

LASTALL  
Over.

*(over)*

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An t-eolas atá ag teastáil  
Information desired.

Freagra  
Reply.

Similar particulars  
for the 12 months  
ended 30/6/29 if  
it is possible to  
furnish them?

Not available

For The KILUMNEY CO-OP. ORY. Ltd

O.A.P. Uimh. 26.  
O.A.P. No. 26.

Signature..... P. J. Hurler - mgt.  
Date..... 16<sup>th</sup> Feby. 1939

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Army Pension Acts 1923-37

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~~The Old Age Pensions Acts, 1908 to 1932.~~

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Regd. No.  
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RAILWAY CHAMBERS,  
11 McCURTAIN STREET,  
CORK.

6 FEB 1939

19.....

A CHARA,

Maidir leis an iarratas ar Phinsean Sean-Aoise do rinne  
With reference to an application for <sup>Army Pensions allowance</sup> an ~~Old Age Pension~~ made by

Mr Denis Lucy as of 14 Bandon Rd Cork  
ba mhaith liom dá gcuirtheá chugham, chó luath agus is féidir leat,  
I shall be obliged if you will furnish me at your early convenience with the information  
an t-eolas a hiarrtar thíos.  
indicated below.

Tá clúdeach fé sheoladh, íochta go hoifigiúil, anso istigh le  
haghaidh an fhreagartha.

I enclose an official paid addressed envelope for reply.

Mise, le meas,

DO Messrs W. Phair.....  
To Bandon Rd  
Cork

J. Coy Don Juan  
Oifigeach Fiosrúcháin.  
Investigation Officer.

An t-eolas atá ag teastáil  
Information desired.

Freagra  
Reply.

The total value of goods  
sold to the above named  
in the past 12 months  
the nature of the goods  
supplied & the estimated  
profit thereon?

Total gross value £141  
on which a discount of  
ten per cent (10%) was  
allowed Bread only  
Profit = £14-2-0

LASTALL  
Over.

(over)

An t-eolas atá ag teastáil  
Information desired.

Freagra  
Reply.

Similar particulars  
for the 12 months  
ended 30/6/29 if  
it is possible to  
furnish them

Approximately £96  
worth of Bread was  
supplied in 1929 on  
which the usual  
discount prevailing  
at that time was allowed  
which was 2/6 in the £  
Approx profit £ 12.

O.A.P. Uimh. 26.

O.A.P. No. 26.

Signature

Date

Wm. J. Cairns  
11th Feb 1939

~~SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN~~  
*Army Pension Acts 1923-37.*  
~~The Old Age Pensions Acts, 1908 to 1928.~~  
~~AND THE BLIND PERSONS ACT, 1920.~~

Regd. No. } 52/ARPB/712. CUSTOMS AND EXCISE,  
of Claim }

RAILWAY CHAMBERS,  
11 McCURTAIN STREET,  
CORK. 193

A CHARA,

I shall be obliged if, at your early convenience, you will furnish me for <sup>Army</sup> Old Age Pension purposes with the information indicated below regarding

*Mr Denis Lucey* of *14 Bandon Rd. Cork*  
who, it is understood, is in your employment.

I enclose an official paid addressed envelope for reply.

Mise le Meas,

To *The Postmaster*  
*G. P. O. Cork.*

*J. Coyle*  
Pension Officer.

Information desired.

Reply.

- (1) What are his ~~or her~~ present weekly earnings, including any bonus, overtime, tips, or other perquisites, now being received?

*£3. 10 0 per week.*

Amount received by him ~~or her~~ during the last twelve months <sup>in respect of Post office at 14 Bandon Road</sup>

*£192 - 12 - 0*

- (2) Does he receive any payment in kind in addition to wages, e.g., food, rent, or free house, and if so, what is the weekly value?

*No*

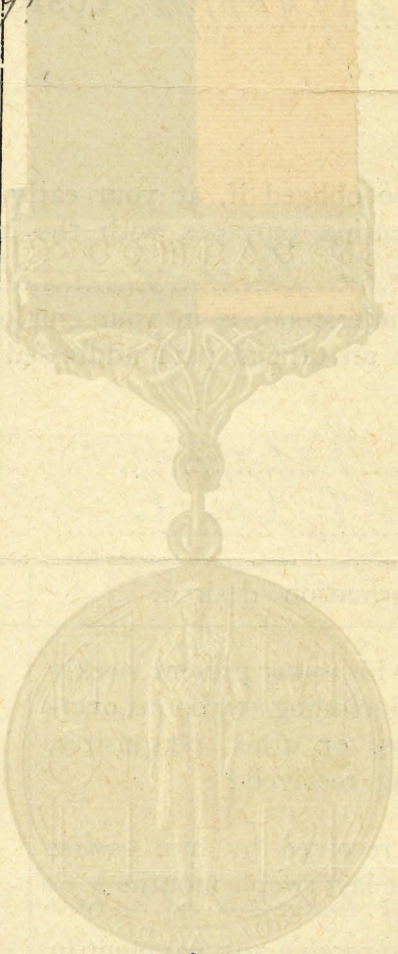
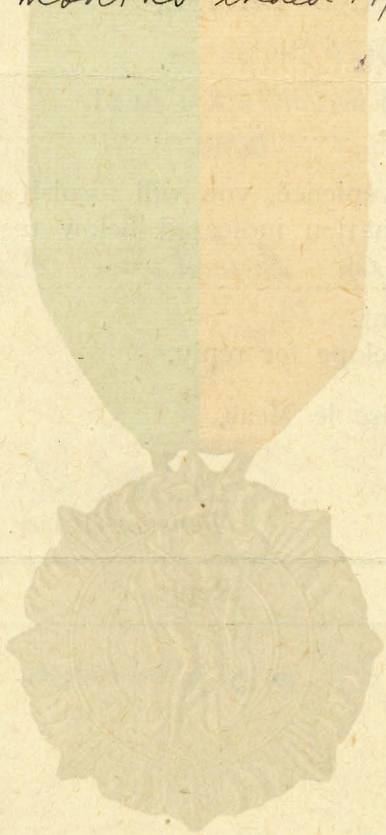
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Information desired.

Reply.

What was the amount  
paid to him for the  
12 months ended 14/7/29?

£140 - 13 - 0.



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Date.....*8/2*.....193*9*.

ARMY PENSIONS ACTS, 1932 AND 1937.

**REPORT BY THE ARMY PENSIONS BOARD ON AN APPLICATION FOR AN ALLOWANCE OR GRATUITY UNDER SECTION 12 OF THE ARMY PENSIONS ACT, 1932, OR UNDER THE SAID SECTION 12 AS AMENDED BY SECTION 19 OF THE ARMY PENSIONS ACT, 1937, IN RESPECT OF A PERSON (OTHER THAN A PERSON KILLED WHILE ENGAGED IN MILITARY SERVICE).**

Ref. No. D.P. 10066.

Ref. No. 52/APB/712.

To the Army Pensions Board.

To the Minister for Defence.

I am directed by the Minister for Defence to transmit the accompanying application for report and investigation in accordance with the Army Pensions Board (Investigation of Applications under Part II of the Army Pensions Act, 1932) Regulations, 1937. The relevant service certificate is also sent herewith. The report should take the form of replies to the questions set out herewith.

The following members of the Army Pensions Board attended :—

Mr. M. Murney.

Dr. E. O'Hogain.

Capt. H. Macken.

The report of the Board is as follows :—

(Where the findings of the Board are not unanimous, separate reports signed by the individual members of the Board should be furnished.)

Date 27 Dec 1938



Signed Micéal MacBuidéir  
Chairman of the Board.

Application of Denis Lucey

Date 23rd March, 1939.

14, Brandon Road, Cork

in respect of the death of his son

Cornelius Lucey

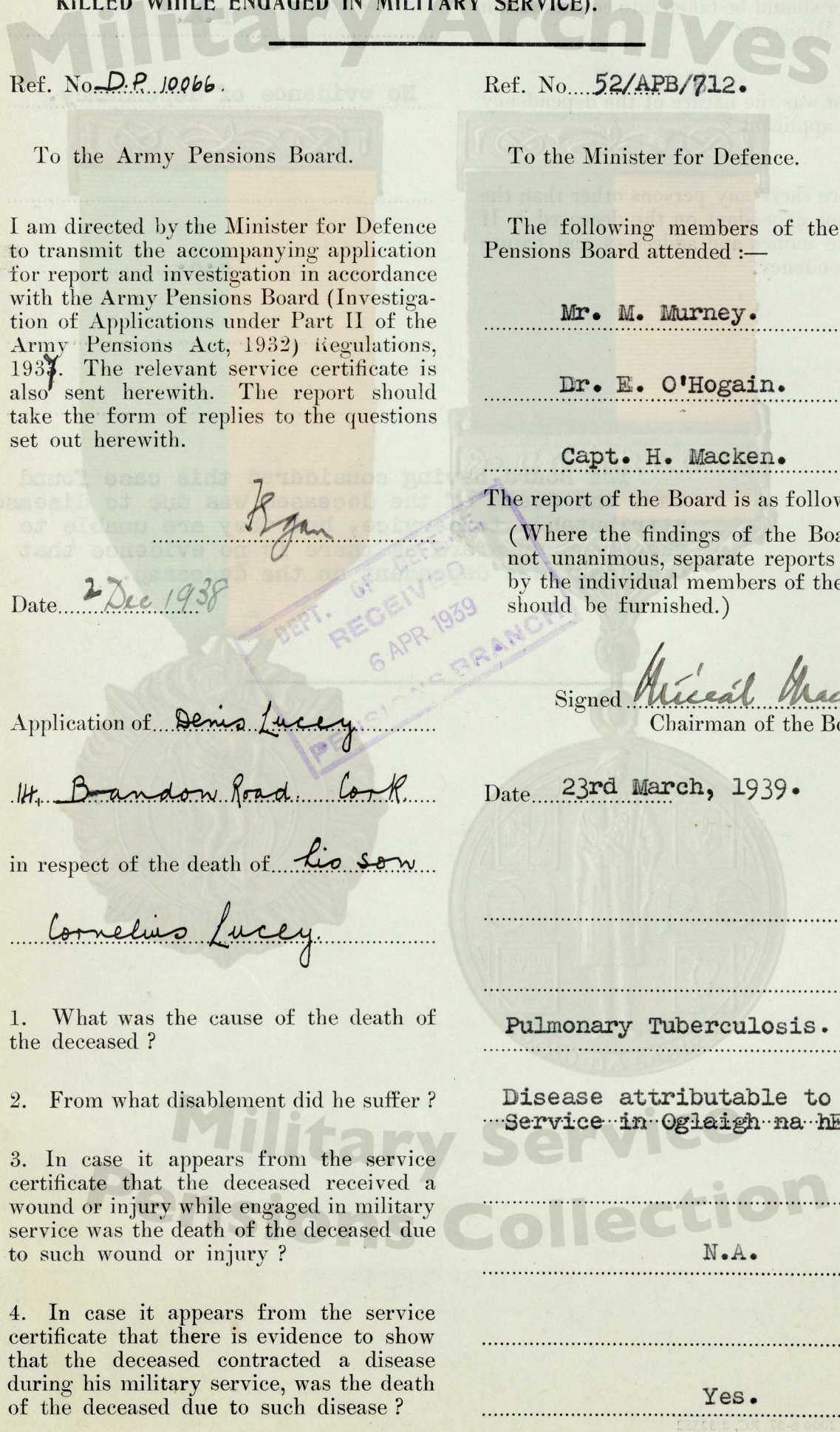
1. What was the cause of the death of the deceased ?
2. From what disablement did he suffer ?
3. In case it appears from the service certificate that the deceased received a wound or injury while engaged in military service was the death of the deceased due to such wound or injury ?
4. In case it appears from the service certificate that there is evidence to show that the deceased contracted a disease during his military service, was the death of the deceased due to such disease ?

Pulmonary Tuberculosis.

Disease attributable to Military Service in Oglagh na hEireann (I.R.A.)

N.A.

Yes.



5. Were any of the disabilities under 2 due to any serious negligence or misconduct on the part of the deceased person ?

No.

6. Were there any special circumstances connected with this case which the Board consider should be taken into consideration by the Minister ?

N.A.

7. What was the nature of the dependency of the applicant ?

No evidence of dependency.

8. Were there any persons other than the applicant dependant on the deceased ? If so, state names and addresses and nature of dependency.

N.A.

The Board having considered this case found that the death of the deceased was due to disease attributable to service, but they are unable to recommend an award as there is no evidence that applicant was dependant on the deceased.

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GUTHAN 71881  
(Telephone)

UIMHIR THAGARTA  
(Reference No.)

DP. 10066.

ROINN COSANTA,  
(Dept. of Defence)

GEATA NA PAIRCE,  
(Parlgate)

BAILE ÁTHA CLIATH.  
(Dublin.)

21 April, 1939.

A CHARA,

ARMY PENSIONS ACTS, 1923 TO 1937.

I am desired by the Minister for Defence to state that your claim under the above Acts **in respect of the death of your son Cornelius** has been duly investigated. The Minister regrets that for the following reasons no award can be made to you.

**There is no evidence that you were dependent on the deceased.**

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Mise, le meas,

Sgd. PEADAR MACMATHAMHA

Rúnaíidhe.

Mr. Denis Lucey,

14 Bandon Road,

Cork.

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ROIM COSANTA.  
24 SAMH. 1939  
RUNAI AIRE.

Grattan Hill,  
Cork.

22nd November, 1939.

O. Traynor, Esq. T.D.  
Minister for Defence.  
DUBLIN.

A Chara,

Mr. Denis Lucey, Post Office, Bandon Road, Cork applied for an award under the 1932 Pension Act. Ref. D.P. 10066. The claim was on the death of his son, Dr. Con. Lucey late director of Medical Services.

Certificates were furnished proving that Dr. Lucey died from hardships inflicted during the Tan and Civil Wars. Apparently the Board were satisfied that such was the case, but turned Mr. Lucey's claim down on the grounds that he was not dependent on his son.

After the Civil War Dr. Lucey went into private practice and lived with his father who was then about 64 or 65 years of age and there is no doubt that he contributed to his support. His father had put his three sons through the U.C.C. and all obtained their Medical degree.

Dr. Denis Lucey married, Dr. John Lucey went to England and at the time of Dr. Con. Lucey's death he was the only one supporting his father. Since his death the father has had to find for himself and is now barely able to carry on. <sup>explain to</sup> He is now up to 80 years of age and is not in a position to a stranger how he was dependent on his deceased son.

I am certain that Mr. Lucey has not been fairly treated and submit that you should have the case re-opened.

If an investigator were to call on Mr. Lucey I would suggest that he would meet me first when I would introduce him and help in the investigation of this claim.

Is mise,

T. Croft

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Ronn Coranta  
Fáilte  
28SAMH 1939  
Clárán na Driamha  
An 5e. 10. 31

A Chara,

The Minister for Defence desires me to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 22nd instant regarding the application for an award under the 1932 Pensions Act stated to have been made by Mr. Denis Lucey, Post Office, Bandon Road, Cork, in respect of the death of his son, Dr. Con Lucey.

The Minister is making enquiry in the matter and a further reply will be sent to you as early as practicable.

Mise, le meas,

  
Private Secretary.

Mr. T. Crofts,  
Grattan Hill,  
CORK.

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LEATHÁN MONTUAIRISE.

m.s.c.

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The Secretary,

TAGAIRT.....

For consideration and further explanatory  
reply, please, for my signature.

*J*  
Private Secretary.

27adh Samhain, 1939.

Roinn Coranta  
Fáilte  
28 SAMH. 1939  
Clárúinn na bPainne  
Ainseadóir

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15 December, 1939.

A Chara,

Further to my letter of the 27th ultimo, relative to the claim under the Army Pensions Acts of Mr. Denis Lucey, Post Office, Bandon Road, Cork, in respect of the death of his son, Con, I am desired by the Minister for Defence to state that all the facts in connection with the case were very carefully and sympathetically considered. The Minister was advised, however, that there was no evidence that Mr. Lucey was dependent on his deceased son. No award could, therefore, be made to him.

The Minister has fully reviewed the findings but much regrets that the circumstances of the case do not permit of a departure from the decision reached.

Mise, le meas,

Rúnaidhe Aire.

Mr. T. Crofts,  
Grattan Hill,  
Cork.

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*O Traynor Esq T.D*  
*Minister for Defence.*  
*Sublim*

9 APR. 1940  
RUMAT AIRE.

9 APR. 1940  
CLARLANN NA DRAMH  
AINSEADAIR

*in Denis Keeney Bandon Road* *Co. Wick. Blamont*  
*death of his son D. Ken Keeney 1932 act*

*Across*

*I wrote you in detail some time ago stating the above case in detail.*

*I received an acknowledgement promising a further communication.*

*I cannot trace receiving this and would be greatly obliged if you had the claim further investigated*

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*in my memo*  
*T. Boyd.*

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D.P/10066.

22 April, 1940.

A Chara,

The Minister for Defence desires me to refer to your letter of the 8th instant in connection with the application under the Army Pensions Acts of Mr Denis Lucey, Post Office, Bandon Road, Cork, in respect of the death of his son, Con, and to enclose herewith a copy of my letter of the 15th December last.

Mise, le meas,

RÚNAIDHE AIRE

Mr T. Crofts,  
Grattan Hill,  
C O R K.

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