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(MINISTRY OF DEFENCE).OIFIG AIRM AIRGID
(ARMY FINANCE OFFICE).

2394.

Register Number	From whom, number, and date	Officer or Soldier
P.B. 6 139	S.A.	Name... Brennan - Whitmore William James Rank... Commandant Unit..... Army No..... Date of Death..... Address... 9 H.Q. Corkgate Street Dublin Date of Discharge.....
S. P	12087.	

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MINUTE SHEET.

M.S.B.
(Argumist)

Reference... 2394/S.P/12087

1. M.D.P '2' received 2-2-27
2. " a/c 13 + 15 issued 15-2-27
3. M.S.P.A/cs. 15 received 19th February, 1927.
4. " 13 " 28th February, 1927.
5. Submitted to the Minister for Defence 1.5...March, 1927.
6. Issue of Certificate approved by P.S. 21st March, 1927.
7. To Secy., Dept. of Def. to issue Certificate 24...March, 1927.
8. To Mr Kang.
9. Certificate issued 4/4/27.
10. M.S.P.A/cs. 1 and M.S.P.2 to Finance..... 17/4/27.
11. " " 4. 5 + 6 issued
12. " " 7 to 31, 3, 5 + 6 17/5/27 J.B.
13. " " 9 to Income Tax 17/5/27 J.B.

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ARMY FINANCE OFFICE (M.F.O.)

GRIFFITH BARRACKS.

D U B L I N.

15.2.27

VERY CONFIDENTIAL.

Director of Intelligence.

Military Service Pensions Acts 1924 & 1925.

S.P.No. 2384
2212087 Name Brennan Whitmore William James
 Address 9.4.2 Parkgate St Dublin Rank Commdt.

The above mentioned is an applicant for a Military Service Pension, and I am to enquire for the information of the Minister whether there are any circumstances within your knowledge which might influence him in refusing the Certificate in this case, as, for example, internment, complicity with Organisations inimical to the State, etc.

I am to request the favour of an early reply.



For M. L. Curry
 ARMY FINANCE OFFICER.

BUREAU AN FHEASA,
 Geata na Pairce,
 BAILE ATHA CLIATH.

18th February, 1927.

/EH.

TO:
ARMY FINANCE OFFICER.

I am directed to inform you, for the information of the Minister, that in the above mentioned case we are aware of no reason why payment of Pension should be withheld or Certificate refused.

W. M. Curry CEANNPHORT.
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RF/MC.

M.S.P. A/c. 13.

ARMY FINANCE OFFICE (F. 7),

Griffith Barracks,

D U B L I N.

VERY URGENT.

G.S.O. i/c STAFF DUTIES
~~OFFICER i/c PERSONNEL~~

MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONS ACTS, 1924 and 1925.

Please complete from your records the form overleaf in the case of the person named thereon. It is understood that he served in the National Army as Officer.
~~N.C.O. or Private.~~

The matter is very urgent.

M. L. O'Keefe

for Army Finance Officer.

Army Finance Officer,
(F. 7).

Particulars requested have been entered on the form which is returned herewith.



M. O'Keefe

G.S.O. i/c Staff Duties.

~~G. i/c Personnel.~~

25/2/27

/AMcN.

No.	Name and Address (Surname first).	Age and height and Army No.	Particulars of any sentence of imprison- ment passed since 6th Dec., 1921.	Cause of termina- tion of Army service; state whether resigned, deserted, dismis- ed or services dispensed with and whether there were any abnormal circumstances leading to or connected with the termination of services. .X.	Date of termina- tion of Army Service.	Character and Conduct.	Station at which serving immediate- ly prior to termi- nation of Army Services.	Unit to which applic- ant was attach- ed immed- iately before demobil- isation.	Rank on date of dis- charge or demob- ilisa- tion.	Rank on 1st Feb., 1924.
2394 OP. 12087	Brennan - Dublin. William James 2 H. A. Parkgate H. Dublin.	41 5'6"	Nil	Serving as at date in the rank of Commandant, No. 2, Bureau, G.H.Q. Resignation pending.		Clear.	Service continuous from a date prior to Sept. '23.			Comm'd.

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(Argumist)

Reference 2394/S.P./12087.

William James Brennan-Whitmore, G.H.Q., Parkgate Street,
Dublin.

The Board of Assessors have certified that the
above has had 12.441... years Pensionable Service
with the rank of Commandant.... He is, therefore,
eligible for a Military Service Pension of £186.12.5.
per annum.

The following reports have been received:-

- | | | |
|----------------------|---|---------------------------------------|
| <u>Staff Duties</u> | - | Serving as at date in the rank of |
| <u>Personnel</u> | | Commandant. |
| | | (Resignation pending.) |
| | | Character and Conduct Clear. |
| <u>Intelligence</u> | - | We are aware of no reason why pension |
| | | should be withheld or Certificate |
| | | refused. |
| <u>Prisons Board</u> | - | The usual report was not sought from |
| | | the Prison Authorities as the |
| | | applicant is still serving in the |
| | | Army. |

Minister for Defence.

Submitted and recommended that a Certificate
of Military Service be issued to William James Brennan-
Whitmore, G.H.Q., Parkgate Street, Dublin,.....

In accordance with the report of the Board of
Assessors and Section 2 (1) of the Military Service
Pensions Act.

84 July
ARMY FINANCE OFFICER.
.....*16* March,.....1927.

Issue of Certificate *approved*.

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MINISTER FOR DEFENCE.
.....*21* March,.....1927.

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G.S.O.1/c Staff Duties.

25.2.27

Military Service Pensions Act, 1924.

Please insert in the space below the present address and present rank of the undermentioned applicant who was serving with the Forces at the date of his application.

William James Dunbar

a.s. RUNALDHE

Name	Rank on 1st Feb. '24	Present address	Present Rank.
<i>S.P. 13057</i> <i>Whitmore William James Dunbar</i> <i>L.H.Q. Parkgate.</i>	<i>Commandant</i>	<i>Goney</i> <i>60 Weyford</i>	<i>Comm-dt at</i> <i>date of</i> <i>Resignation</i> <i>which took</i> <i>effect as from</i> <i>2/3/27</i>

Secretary

Attended to

Monahan 11 for
G.S.O. (1) STAFF DUTIES.
25/3/27

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MINUTE SHEET.

M.S.B.
(Argumist)

NAME: WILLIAM JAMES BRENNAN-WHITMORE.

Reference. 2394/SP/12087.

Secretary,

Will you please issue the Certificate, and
return this file.

W. L. Lantry
ARMY FINANCE OFFICER.

24th March, 1927.

A. J. O

*Certificate (M.S.B. form) has
been issued to day to address
shown on attached SH2 form*

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4/4/27

Mr Lang. J. J. J.

*It would appear from
SH2 attached that the above has
now resigned.*

*Will you please confirm & state
date on from which
Resignation took effect - 2-3-27.*

*Last day in British Army - 1-3-27
Pay was allowed.*

Rank on date of Resignation - Bomb.

W. L. Lantry
8/4/27

UIMHIR THAGARTHA
(REFERENCE NO.)

...S.P.12087....

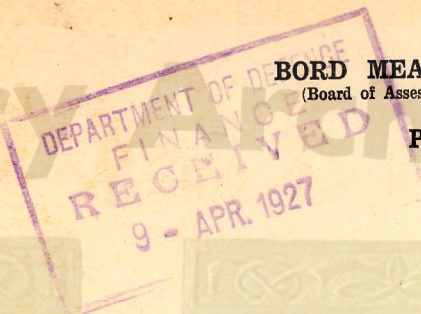
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Army Finance Officer,
Griffith Barracks,
D U B L I N.

BORD MEASTOIRI,
(Board of Assessors),

PINSIN SHEIRBHISE MILEATA,
(Military Service Pensions),

BAILE ÁTHA CLIATH.



I am directed by the Board of Assessors to transmit herewith a letter received in this Office on 6/4/27 from Mr. W.J.Brennan-Whitmore, Raheengurran, Gorey, Co. Wexford.

The Board's report was passed to the Secretary, Department of Defence on 26/1/27. It is presumed that any reply to applicant's letter will issue from your Department.

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8/4/27.

gc. R U N A I.

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To Secretary,
Board of Assessors,
Portobello Barracks,



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Rahengurran,
Gorey,
Co. Wexford.

5. 3. 27.



Sir,

I should be deeply grateful if you would kindly inform at your very earliest convenience when I may hope to receive my certificate of service under the M. S. P. Act.

I am now over a month out of the Army; and as I have a family to support, its early receipt would be most acceptable.

I am, Sir,

Yours obediently,

W. J. Brennan - Whitmore
Comdt.

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Army Finance Officer,
Griffith Barracks,
Stn. Circular Rd.,
Dublin.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE
FINANCE
RECEIVED
19 APR. 1927

Sir,

On the 4th inst., by registered post, I had the pleasure of receiving my certificate of military service from the Secretary of the Dept., of Defence. In an accompanying letter I was informed "A communication will be sent you at an early date regarding the granting of a Military Service Pension" So far I have not received any communication: but my main object in writing to you now is to ask if you will be so kind as to make arrangements to pay me my Pension monthly. Being a married man with a family to support monthly payments would be a very great convenience indeed

Thanking you in anticipation, and hoping you are very well.

Yours Faithfully,

H. J. Brennan-Whitmore
Commandant.

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23rd.
19th April,

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A Chara,

In further reference to your letter of the 5th ultimo, I am to inform you that the question of granting you a Military Service Pension, in accordance with the report issued in your favour by the Board of Assessors, is now under consideration, and that I hope to be in a position to communicate with you definitely on the subject in the course of a few days.

Mise, le meas,

sgt E. Fahy

ARMY FINANCE OFFICER.

W. J. Brennan-Whitmore
Mr. W. J. Brennan-Whitmore,
Raheengurran,
GOREY,
Co. Wexford.

Issued 23/4/27

MC/NTMcK.

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Eín-shreagra ar an litir seo, is mar seo ba chéil a tith idh:—

(An reply to this communication should be addressed to:—)

An Rúnaidhe,
(The Secretary),

f'n uimhir seo:—
(and the following number quoted:—)

ROINN AIRGID,
(Department of Finance),

SRÁID MHUIRBHTHEANN UACHT.,
(Upper Merrion Street),

BAILE ÁTHA CLIATH
(Dublin).

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE
FINANCE
RECEIVED
11 MAY 1927

Army Finance Officer.

I am directed by the Minister for Finance to refer to your minute of the 19th ultimo (No.2394/SP/12087) intimating that a certificate of Military Service has been granted, pursuant to Section 2 of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924, to Mr. William James Brennan-Whitmore, General Headquarters, Parkgate Street, Dublin, and I am to say that the Minister sanctions the grant under Section 4 of the Act of £186.12. 5. a pension at the rate of One Hundred and Eighty-Six Pounds Twelve Shillings and Five Pence a year to Mr. Brennan-Whitmore, with effect as from the 2nd March, 1927, inclusive.

The Report of the Board of Assessors is returned herewith.

W. Doole

10 May, 1927.



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S.O. 12084

Military Service Pensions Act, 1924
REPORT BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

M.S.P. 2.

TO THE MINISTER FOR DEFENCE.

We, the undersigned members of the Board of Assessors constituted under Section 3 of the above-mentioned Act, report as hereunder on the application of *William James Brennan - Whitmore, G. H. & Parkgate Street, Dublin.* for a Certificate of Military Service in accordance with the terms of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924, and the Regulations made thereunder.

(1) Periods of Military Service prescribed in the Act.	(2) Forces in which active service was rendered	(3) Duration of active service during each of the prescribed periods as established to the satisfaction of the Board	(4) Equivalent of active service for pension purposes as defined by Section 4 (2) of the Act
(a) (1) Active service in the week commencing 23rd April, 1916 ...	<i>Ogligh na hEireann.</i>	<i>Entire Period.</i>	<i>5 Year.</i>
(2) Continuous service from 1st April, 1916, to 31st March, 1917	"	"	"
(b) Continuous service from 1st April, 1917, to 31st March, 1918 ...	"	"	"
(c) " " 1st April, 1918, to 31st March, 1919 ...	"	"	"
(d) " " 1st April, 1919, to 31st March, 1920 ...	"	<i>Entire Period.</i>	"
(e) " " 1st April, 1920, to 31st March, 1921 ...	"	"	"
(f) " " 1st April, 1921, to 11th July, 1921 ...	"	<i>Entire Period.</i>	"
(g) " " 12th July, 1921, to 30th June, 1922 ...	"	"	"
(h) " " 1st July, 1922, to 31st March, 1923 ...	<i>Ogligh na hEireann (Defence Forces 266 (Temporary Provisions) Act, 1923)</i>	<i>Entire Period.</i>	<i>12 1/2</i>
(i) " " 1st April, 1923, to 30th September, 1923	"	<i>Entire Period.</i>	<i>1 13 1/4</i>

Rank of the applicant as defined by Sec. 4 (3) of the Act. *Commandant.*

Total service for pension purposes, as defined by Sec. 4 (2) of the Act. *12:44 1/2 years.*

Dated this *24th* day of *January, 1924.*

(Signed)

Member of the Board of Assessors.





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MINISTRY OF DEFENSE

TO THE MINISTERS FOR DEFENSE

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(A STAMP IS NOT REQUIRED.)

ARMY PENSIONS BRANCH,

ARMY FINANCE OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE,

GRIFFITH BARRACKS,

DUBLIN.

A.P. A/cs 5.

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Military Service Pensions.**LIFE CERTIFICATE.**

NOTICE.—This Certificate is Government Property. It is no security whatever for debt.

No further payment of Pension will be made until (1) the following Declaration has been filled in, and signed, by the person to whom the Pension is to be paid; (2) the Certificate at foot of this form has been signed and attested by one of the persons mentioned on the back of the form; and (3) the completed form has been received in the Army Finance Office.

(1). To be filled in by the person claiming Pension, or, if that person is unable to write, by someone on his behalf.

Name (in full, Surname first) Brennan-Whitmore. William James
Residing at Raheengurran, Gorey, Co. Wexford.
Year of Birth 1886.
Number of Award Certificate S.P. 12087/6139.
Rate of Pension £186-12-5 per ann.
Date of Discharge from National Army 2nd March 1927
Rank on Discharge Commandant.

(2). By "public moneys" is meant "any moneys provided by the Oireachtas, or out of the Central Fund, or by means of the Poor Rate, or any other Rate imposed by a local authority."—(Sec.8(1), M.S.Pen. Act, 1924).

Are you or have you been since the date of your last quarterly Declaration in receipt of any Remuneration, Pension or Allowance payable out of Public Moneys? (If you are state the amount from; whom received; and the date from which such sums became payable to you) No

(3). To be signed by the person making the declaration (in the presence of the person who attests the Certificate hereunder.) If he is unable to write he must affix his mark thus "X," and this act must be witnessed.

I hereby declare that I am the person named in (1) above; and that I am entitled to the Pension specified, I having been notified by the Army Finance Officer that such Pension has been granted to me. I further declare that all the statements I have made above are true and correct.

Signature (in full) W.J. Brennan-Whitmore Date 16th May 1927
Full Postal Address Raheengurran, Gorey, Co. Wexford.

CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have seen the person who signed the above Declaration, alive on the date stated against my name; that he was in possession of the Award Certificate bearing the number entered in (1) above; that he signed the above Declaration in my presence; and that he appears to be the person to whom the sums mentioned above are payable.

I further certify that the particulars entered by the Pensioner in (1) and (2) above, are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true and correct.

Signature Thomas Williams Date 16. 5. 27

Rank or Profession Peace Commissioner

Full Postal Address 91 main st. Gorey
Co. Wexford

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ROINN CHOSANTA,
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(Army Finance Office),

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(Pensions Section),

GRIFFITH BARRACKS,
SOUTH CIRCULAR ROAD,

DUBLIN

May. 1927

A Chara,

Military Service Pensions Act, 1924.

In connection with your claim under the above Act, will you please furnish me hereunder with a specimen of your signature, duly witnessed by one of the persons set out in the margin of the Life Certificate form enclosed.

Mise, le meas

M. J. Murphy
for ARMY FINANCE OFFICER.

TO/

Mr. William James Brennan-Whitmore
Rahengurran
Loney.

Military Service Pensions Act, 1924.

Usual Signa

Rank in National Forces

Commandant.

Address

Rahengurran, Loney,
Co. Wexford.

Witnessed

Thomas Williams

Peace Commissioner

91 Main St. Loney, Co. Wexford.

17 MAY 1927

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C. 139.

Mr. Lang

M.S.P. A/cs. 7.

ARMY FINANCE OFFICE (F.7)

GRIFFITH BARRACKS,

DUBLIN.

17th May 1927.

The Officer i/c. F.3

The undermentioned is a claimant under the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924, and before payment of any pension is made to him, will you please notify me whether there are any monies due or owing to the Minister which might be recovered under Section 5 (3) of the Act. In your reply please state the last date in respect of which Army Pay was issued.

Name ~~W. L.~~ Brennan-Whitmore, William James.

Address Rahengurran, Gorey, Co. Wexford

No. and Rank in National Army Command

Unit, Station, and date of Discharge No. 2 Bureau, 4/4/27.

Parkgate. 2/3/27.

REPLY.

Officer i/c. F.7.

Clear as regards the account of the officer i/c officers' Pay & a/c.

Paid up to and including 1/3/27

Lang

for Officer i/c. F.3

27/5

/MOM.

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The Officer i/c. F.6.

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Name Brennan-Whitmore, William James

Address Rahengurran, Greystock, Wexford.

No. and Rank in National Army Commandt

Unit, Station, and date of Discharge No 2 Bureau, GHQ.

Parkgate, 2/3/27.

REPLY.

Officer i/c. F.7.

No record.

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Officer i/c. F.6.

/MOM.

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The Officer i/c. F.5

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Name Brennan - Whitmore, William James

Address Rahengarran, Greystown, Co. Wick.

No. and Rank in National Army Commandt

Unit, Station, and date of Discharge To 2 Bureau, G.H.Q.

Parkgate. 2/3/27.

R E P L Y.

Officer i/c. F.7.

As far as is known there are no monies due to the Minister for Defence by the above-mentioned.

.....
Officer i/c. F.5.

/MOM.

pm

18/5/27
19 MAY 1927

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M.S.P. A/cs. 7.

ARMY FINANCE OFFICE (F.7)

GRIFFITH BARRACKS,

DUBLIN.

17th May 1927.

The Officer i/c. F.1.

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Name Brennan-Whitmore, William James.

Address Rahengurran, Greystown, Co. Wickford

No. and Rank in National Army Comm. mdt.

Unit, Station, and date of Discharge No. 2 Bureau, G.H.Q.

Parkgate. 2nd Mar. '27

R E P L Y.

Officer i/c. F.7.

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Officer i/c. F. 1.

18/5/27.

/MOM.

19 MAY 1927

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ARMY PENSIONS BRANCH,

ARMY FINANCE OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE,

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Residing at *Rahengurran, Gorey, Co. Wexford.*
Year of Birth *1886.*
Number of Award Certificate *S.R. 12087/6139.*
Rate of Pension *£186. 12. 5.*
Date of Discharge from National Army *2nd March 1927.*
Rank on Discharge *Commandant.*

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(3).

To be signed by the person making the declaration (in the presence of the person who attests the Certificate hereunder.) If he is unable to write he must affix his mark thus "X," and this act must be witnessed.

I hereby declare that I am the person named in (1) above ; and that I am entitled to the Pension specified, I having been notified by the Army Finance Officer that such Pension has been granted to me. I further declare that all the statements I have made above are true and correct.

Signature (in full) *W.J. Brennan-Whitmore* Date *21st June 1927.*
Full Postal Address *Rahengurran, Gorey, Co. Wexford.*

CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have seen the person who signed the above Declaration, alive on the date stated against my name ; that he was in possession of the Award Certificate bearing the number entered in (1) above ; that he signed the above Declaration in my presence ; and that he appears to be the person to whom the sums mentioned above are payable.

I further certify that the particulars entered by the Pensioner in (1) and (2) above, are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true and correct.

Signature *Thomas Williams* Date *21. 6. 27.*
Rank or Profession *Peace Commissioner*
Full Postal Address *91 Main St. Grey*
Wexford

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Army Finance Office,
Griffith Barracks,
Dublin.

25 June '27
Raheengurran,
Greay,
Co. Wexford

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE
FINANCE
RECEIVED
28. JUN. 1927

Sir,

In the first Paying Order issued to me under the Military Service Pension Act, I am of opinion that you cost me short.

My rate of pension is £186-12-5, per ann., and is payable from the 2nd day of March 1927. The Order read

From 2 ³ / ₂₇ to 31 ³ / ₂₇	£15-11-0
Add advances April & May	28-0-0.
	<u>£ 43.11.0</u>

That total ~~sum~~ appears to me to be short of the full amount due.

While I am on the subject I would like to draw your attention to a matter I feel very keenly. Your officers invariably address my correspondence as Mr. W. J. Brennan-

Whitmore. Should it not be
 Comdt. W. J. Brennan-Whitmore, in
 conformity with universal practice.
 I have held the rank of Comdt
 since 1915, and have always been
 addressed as such. It is a
 small matter to you and your staff,
 but is by no means a small
 matter to me.

Hoping you are very well.

Res. Beaumarché.

W. J. Brennan-Whitmore
 Comdt.

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11th July,

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A Chara,

I am directed by the Minister for Defence to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 25th ultimo, regarding your Military Service Pension. In reply, I am to direct your attention to paragraphs 1 and 2 of the enclosed Circular.

It is presumed you have, since the date of your letter, received the Draft issued to you in respect of the balance of pension due for the Quarter ended June last.

As to the other point made in your letter, I am to state that it is not the custom of this Department to address ex-Officers by the ranks held by them on demobilization or retirement.

Mise, le meas,

(sr) E. 7.

Deputy ARMY FINANCE OFFICER.

W.J. Brennan-Whitmore, Esq.,
Raheengurran,
Gorey,
CO. WEXFORD.

/MD

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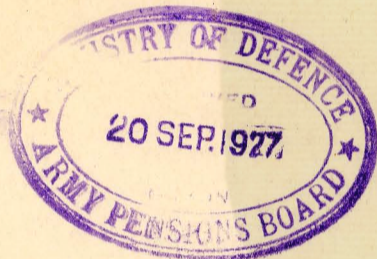
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Year of Birth 1886
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Rate of Pension £ 186. 12. 5.
Date of Discharge from National Army 2nd March 1927
Rank on Discharge Commandant
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Signature (in full) [Redacted] Date 19th Sept 1927
Full Postal Address Rahenfurran, Greay, Co. Wexford

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Signature Thomas Williams Date 19. 9. 1927
Rank or Profession Peace Commissioner
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Name (in full, Surname first) *Brennan-Whitmore, William James*
Residing at *Raheen Gurran, Gory, Co. Wexford*
Year of Birth *1886*
Number of Award Certificate *S.P. 12087/6139*
Rate of Pension *£186-12-5 per ann*
Date of Discharge from National Army *2nd March 1927*
Rank on Discharge *Commandant*
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Signature (in full) *W. Brennan-Whitmore* Date *20/12/27*
Full Postal Address *Raheen Gurran, Gory, Co. Wexford*

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Rank or Profession *Peace Commissioner*
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(~~Army Finance Office~~),

AN ROINN COSANTA
(Department of Defence),

~~BAILE UL GRIFITH~~
(~~Griffith Barracks~~),

BAILE ATEL CLIAIN
(Dublin).

4th Mar. 1929.

Uimhir Thagarta -----
(Reference No.)

6.129

Mr. Wm. J. Brennan Whitmore

A dhuine uasail,

I am directed to inform you that in accordance with instructions received from the Revenue Authorities, your Military Service Pension is subject to a deduction in respect of Income Tax.

The details of the sum to be recovered are set out hereunder, and that amount ~~has been deducted from the present payment~~ / will be deducted by instalments of £ : : : : per

from payment due at the end of the current quarter

If you are not satisfied that this Assessment is in order, and desire to appeal against it, please communicate with

The Assessor for Public Departments,
Office of Chief Inspector of Taxes,
Dublin Castle.

Mise,

~~Army Finance Officer.~~

A. P. Russell

Amount of Deductions.	Year in respect of which deduction is made.
<i>£ 2 : 9 : 6</i>	<i>1924 / 28</i>

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(Assessor for Public Departments).

Asst.No. 2231/114....

Deptl.No. C139:.....

CAISLEAN BAILE ATHA CLIATH.
(Dublin Castle).

Name..... Brennan, Whitmore W.J.

Rank..... Pensioner.

To

Army Finance Officer.

The tax assessed on above has now been amended as shewn below. Please make the necessary entries in your collection sheets and take steps to adjust your collections accordingly.

	Year 1928/29			Year 192			Total		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Amount assessed.....	7	10	0						
Add:-Undercharges....									
Deduct:-Overcharges..	7	10	0						
Amended Tax assessed..		Nil.							

Initials.....

M.J.J.MACKEOWN.
Measire d'Oifigi Puibli
(Assessor for Public Departments)

No. 41B.
P.D.

4/9/29

Military Service Pensions Collection

C. 139.

✓ William James Brennan - Whitmore

Gross pension £186.. 12.. 5 p.a from 2nd March 27 ✓

Nett pension £186.. 12.. 5 from 2³/₄ to

Income Tax. 1926-27. £1.. 8.. 0

Letter no. 189.

Pension from 2³/₄ to 31³/₄: £15.. 11.. 0⁵/₁₂ ✓

Add adv. for April & May: £28.. = : = ✓

£43.. 11.. 0⁵/₁₂ ✓

Less Income Tax

1.. 8.. 0

£42.. 3.. 0 (⁵/₁₂) ✓

W. J. (Branches)

Bal. ending 30⁹/₂₇. £46.. 13.. 1¹/₄

Advance d.

28.. = =

£18 13.. 1

M. J. Ab.

Bal. ended 21¹²/₂₇.

Adv.

46.. 13.. 1¹/₄

28.. = =

£18 13.. 1

Bal. ended 21²/₂₈. 46.. 13.. 1¹/₄ + ²/₁₂

Adv.

28..

£18 13.. 2

3'

Please see letter from Assessors. The amount in question was deducted from June 1929 payment. Will you make refund?

PAID
- 6. SEP. 1929

M.

5/9/29

Issue Payable order for £7.10.0 in favour of ~~W. J. Brennan - Whitmore~~
W. J. Brennan - Whitmore, Esq. Rahengurran, Gorey for
~~a sum of £7.10.0~~ ^{in respect of} being income tax overcharged for year 1928/9

a. j. m.

F. 1.

6.9.29

Ref. No. C-139

AN ROINN COSANTA,

(DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE),

GEATA NA PAIRCE,

(PARKGATE),

BAILE ATHA CLIATH.

(DUBLIN).

31st December, 1931.

MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONS ACT, 1924.

A CHARA,

In connection with the payment of the pension awarded to you under the above Act, I am directed by the Minister for Defence to request that you will please furnish me hereunder with a fresh specimen of your signature duly witnessed by one of the persons set out on the back hereof.

Failure to furnish a fresh specimen signature is likely to result in delay in future issues of pension.

An addressed envelope which need not be stamped is enclosed for the return of this form.

Mise, le meas,

RUNAI.

To each Military Service Pensioner.

[Not to be detached.]

Usual Signature of Pensioner.

Address. Queensabe, Donsilla,Courtown, Greely,Co Wexford

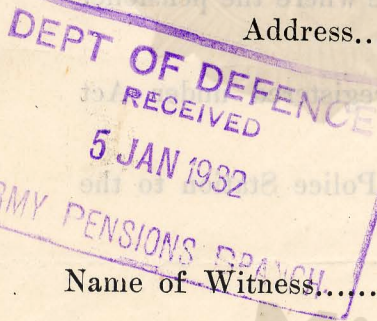
Name of Witness.

Thomas Williams

Qualification.

Peace Commissioner

Address.

91 Main StreetGreely, Co WexfordDate 2 January 1932

THE PERSONS WHO MAY WITNESS THE SIGNATURES OF PENSIONERS ARE AS BELOW. THE QUALIFICATION WHICH ENTITLES THEM TO WITNESS SHOULD BE STATED FULLY ON THE FORM OVERLEAF.

1.—In the Irish Free State.

Officers appointed to examine vouchers for non-effective payments in the offices of the Minister for Finance, the Minister for Posts and Telegraphs and the Minister for Defence.

Postmasters and Postmistresses actually in charge of Post Office. (The name of the Post Office is to be given on the form of attestation.)

Head Teachers of National and Secondary Schools. (The name of the school is to be given on the form of attestation.)

Secretaries of Friendly Societies registered under the Friendly Societies Acts.

District Justices and Peace Commissioners.

Any of the persons mentioned in paragraph 2 below.

2.—In the British Empire.

Commissioners for Oaths.

Ministers of religion habitually officiating at a place of worship within 10 miles of the place where the pensioner resides for the time being. (The denomination and the address of the place of worship to be given.)

Persons duly practising within 10 miles of the place where the pensioner resides for the time being, such under the law of the

Actuaries and Secretaries of Savings Banks registered under Act of Parliament.

Police Officers in actual charge of the nearest Police Station to the place where the pensioner resides for the time being.

3.—In Foreign Countries.

Irish Free State or British Diplomatic or Consular Officers empowered by law to administer oaths.

Notaries Public and other persons competent by law of the country to administer such declarations. (The law must be quoted sufficiently for verification.)

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24 AP/C. 139.

Arm. Finance Officer,
Dept. of Defence,
Parkgate,
Dublin

Quiensabe,
Tomsilla,
Courtown,
Gorey,
Co. Wexford.
9-3-43

Roimh Coranta
Fáisce
10 APR 1943
CLÁN LANN NA DRÁIN
Ainseadóir

(? C68 £75) (276)

Sir - I desire to draw your attention to the fact that the Quarterly Paying Order of my M.S.P. dated 1st inst. was made out ten shillings short of the due amount. It was made out for the sum of £18. 3. 2.; whereas it shd. have been made out for the sum of £18. 13. 2.

I trust you will make the necessary adjustment at your earliest convenience.

Thanking you in anticipation.

Sincerely yours.

W. J. Brennan - Whitmore,
Cmndr.

Adjusted
made.

Military Archives

~~C.R.~~ spoke Asst Reg.
Jc
ck

Can you have file?

27 AUG 1943
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

human air
27.8.48

F-3.

The ref. quoted
w. appear to be yours.

Jc
ck

27/8/48
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Pensions Collection

BRENNAN-WHITMORE & COMPANY

*Asst. Secretary,
Dept. of Defence.*

Commercial and
General Printers

Mc Dermot Street,
Gorey

20-8-48

Sir - Re attached.

*May I invite your attention to the
error in the style of address; and express
the hope that it is accidental.*

Yours & fully

W. J. Brennan-Whitmore

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Fire.

MAKE THE
ROADS SAFE



Mr. W.J. Brennan Whitmore,
McDermot Street,
Gorey,
Co. WEXFORD.



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23 August, 1948.

My dear Commandant,

With reference to your note of 20th instant returning envelope from this Department addressed to you without reference to your military title, I can assure you personally and officially that the matter was accidental. I can only express regret at the annoyance caused and would ask you to be good enough to quote the reference on the communication enclosed in the envelope so that I may prevent a recurrence.

With all good wishes.

Beir beannacht,

(S1.) S. ua M oráin

Commandant W.J. Brennan-Whitmore,
McDermot Street,
Gorey,
Co. Wexford.

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BRENNAN-WHITMORE & COMPANY

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Gorey

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*Asst. Secy.
Dept. of Defence*

*Recd. I am obliged for your favour of 23rd
inst., and your frank admission of the clerical
error gives me great pleasure. Personally, I am
not very particular how I am addressed myself;
but I still have a very warm affection for
our little Army. The reference number of the
previous communication is 24/L2323, dated
19th August 1948.*

*In type
W. Brennan-Whitmore*

CASAIRÉ

24/6/199

Mr Taylor

File 24 L.2323 is attached but no letter seems to have issued to Comdt. Brennan. Whitmore on this file.

Perhaps 73(d) may have issued a letter in the attached envelope re some other case.

Pension warrants are issued to him as MR. but will now be addressed as Comdt. in accordance with the Asst. Secretary's instructions.

For your information, I am to add that it is not usual to address M.S. pensioners by their former military rank except they are still members of the Reserve of Officers or in receipt of Retired Pay under D. 7. (Pen.) Scheme 1937.

Mr. Hogan,

Re. see copy of Sept. Lr. of 11th. July '27

It wd. be well if a General direction was given in this matter.

R. 31/8/48.

Mr Taylor,

Enquire from SI whether there is any Regulation or Order on the subject

J. H. 31/8

1.

Pl. see Mr. Horgan's letter, over.
+ for reply

R. Taylor.

73 1/9/48.

73.

There is neither legislation nor a regulation on this matter. The only reference is in D.F.R. R.1 - The Board of Officers - first line, para 5. which provides that a Board Officer using his rank for any purpose unconnected with military duty shall insert after the rank the abbreviation "(R.O.)". The position in relation to ex-officio is, however, as stated in the first sentence hereof.

I understand from Mr. Collins that the question is under consideration with a view to re-explaining the practice of use of military ranks by ex-officio generally.

P. H. H. H.
S. H.

Mr. Horgan
J. H. H.

Assistant Secretary.

File herewith for your information.

J. Horgan
6.9.48

See Hanks leave
7.9.48

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F.1.(c)

Please refund to

William J. Brennan - Whitmore.

1 Lona Lane, Glasnevin, Dublin.

£4.16.8

the sum of £ 4.16.8

(four pounds, sixteen shillings) ^{over}

, which amount was deducted in

respect of Income Tax from the Military Service Pension paid to him for the quarter ended

31st December 1953.

[Signature]

*Rated off 13/4
in ledger 15/4*



F.3. Pensions.

11 February

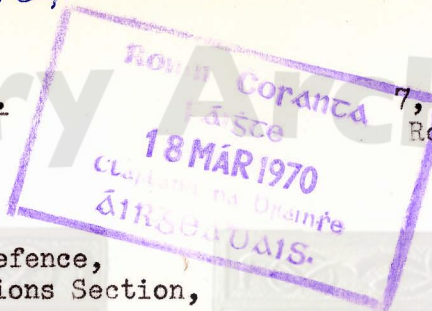
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Recd m/s
12/3
12/3

24 C 139

Phone: 984986.



7, Salzburg, Ardilea,
Roebuck, Dublin, I4.

I4 - 3 - '70.

Ministry of Defence,
Military Pensions Section,
Dublin.

24. C. 139

Achara, --- With regard to stoppages from my monthly instalments
of Military Service Pension payments, in respect of Income Tax.

The Income Tax people suggest that arrangements should be made
with your Department for even mon thly stoppages over the year, instead
of heavy stoppages the last few months of the financial year. I now
pass the suggestion on to you.

If such an arrangement is practical for you, I'd be grateful for its
adoption; and ~~heavy~~ stoppages of over £18 per month, for the last three
or four months of the year puts me on a spot as regards discharging
my obligations.

I'd be glad to have your comments.

Thanking you.

W. J. Brennan-Whitmore

Comdt.

Form issued.

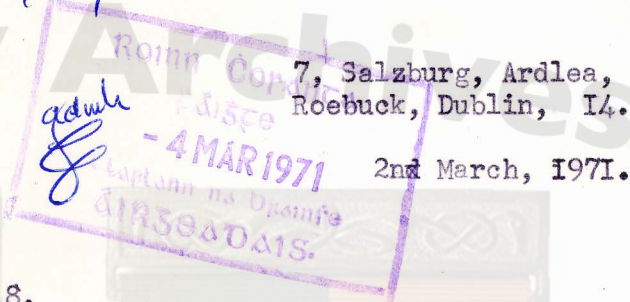
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24. SP.12087
C. 139

Phone: 986984.

An Roinn Cosanta,
Brainse Airgeadais,
Colaiste Caoimhin,
Baile Atha Cliath, 8.



7, Salzburg, Ardlea,
Roebuck, Dublin, 14.

2nd March, 1971.

Achara, -- This is to advise you that the Military Service Pension, due on the 28th February last, has not been received by me up to the date of this letter. This Pension is paid in arrears and is subject to an Income tax of £73- 17 - 0 sterling.

As over the years this Pension has been paid with promptitude, this note is not to be regarded as written in any angry spirit. I take it, that it is an office oversight. As, however, I am now over 84 years of age, I would be obliged if the matter had your immediate attention.

Yours faithfully,

W. Brennan-Whitmore
Comdt.

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Roinn Cosanta

Brainse Airgeadais

Coláiste Caoimhín

Glasnaoidhean

Baile Átha Cliath 9

Ref. No.

32/139.

4 Márta 1971

A Chara

I am directed by An tAire Cosanta to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of 2nd inst and to state that a draft in respect of your Military Service Pension for the month/~~quarter~~ ended 28 Feabhra '71 was forwarded to you on 1/3/71 to the address 1, Ruezburg, Breda, Roebuck Ln 14. If it has not been delivered to you, you should enquire at that address or at the Post Office as to its fate, and communicate the result of your enquiries to this Department.

Mise le meas

of G. Ryan
RÚNAÍ

Comdt. W. J. Brennan Whitmore

Military Service
Pensions Collection

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24C.139

Phone: 986984.

7, Salzburg, Ardilea,
Roebuck, Dublin, 14.

Achara, -- In re attached. The day after I wrote you my monthly Pensions pay order arrived through the post quiet safely. I suppose it was the month ending on an awkward week-end which was the cause of the slight delay. Over the years I've had no cause for complaint on this matter; and I very much appreciate the promptitude with which you attended to my letter.

Mise le meas,

W. J. Brennan - Whitmore



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Pensions Collection

32/139. W. J. Brennan Whitmore

Assessment £ 84-55

Collected

93-55

To be Refunded

£ 6-00

pf

Military Service
Pensions Collection

32/139

VOTA

Pensioner

Eisigh, le do thoil, Ordú Íocaíochta mar leanas:—

An tSuim i bhfocail

Six pounds

Ainm an Íocaí

(Condt) W. J. Brennan-Whitmore

An tSuim i bhfigiúirí :

£ 6 - 00 :

Le cur i gcúntas: Fó-mhírcheann

3/4-10

Fó-mhírcheann

Fó-mhírcheann

£ 6 - 00 :

£

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An cineál seirbhíse

Refund of Income Tax overdeducted
for year 1971

Seoladh a gcuirfear an

tOrdú Íocaíochta chuige

4 Salsburg, Ardilea
Roebuck Rd, Dublin 14

Údarás

Síniú an Oifigigh Údaráis

W. J. Brennan

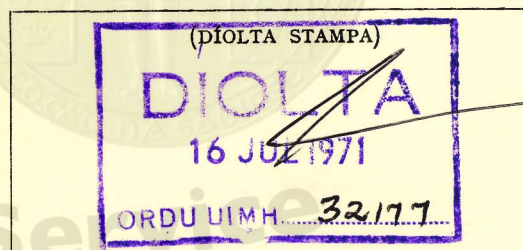
Dáta

13/7/71

Rannóg

A3B

1. Ba chóir an t-údarás seo a cheangail do chomhad na príomhchlárlainne len a mbaineann sé sar a gcuirtear go dtí A 1 é agus ní ceart é a bhaint de ar chúinse ar bith.
2. Ní ceart cóipeanna den údarás seo a dhéanamh.
3. Tábhachtach—Mar threoir d'úsáid na foirme seo feic an taobh eile de seo.

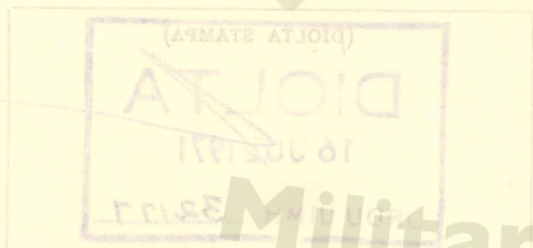


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Noted HK 6/8/71

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1. Clóítear cóip mhór agus cóip bheag den fhoirm seo; ba chóir an ceann mór (R.C. 10 mór) a úsáid nuair a bhíonn níos mó ná ordú amháin ag teastáil.
2. Ní dhéanfar orduithe focaíochta a eisiúint acht nuair a gheofar an fhoirm seo líonta i gceart mar aon leis na cruthúnachtaí a ghabhann léi agus clúdaigh leitreach den mhéid oiriúnach agus an seoladh ceart orthu, in éineacht leis na doiciméad atá le cur amach leis on ordú focaíochta.
3. Ní cead céim níos ísle ná Ardoifigeach Feidhmiúcháin a bheith ag an oifigeach údaráis (ach amháin nuair a tugtar údarás speisialta chuige).
4. Ní mór don Oifigeach Údaráis an fomhírcheann agus an tsuim atá inchurtha chuige a scríobh san áit atá leagtha síos; má tá an tsuim inchurtha i gcúntas faoi níos mó ná aon fhomhírchinn amháin ba chóir sonraí na suimeanna agus na bhfó-mhírcheann a bhreacadh síos.
5. Ba chóir sonraí na seirbhíse a bhaineann leis an focaíocht atá beartaithe a chur síos sa spás atá ann dóibh. Ba chóir uimhir an ordaithe nó an t-sonra a chur sa spás sin má tá an uimhir sin ar an Ordú focaíochta.



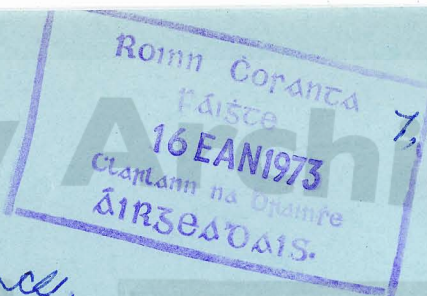
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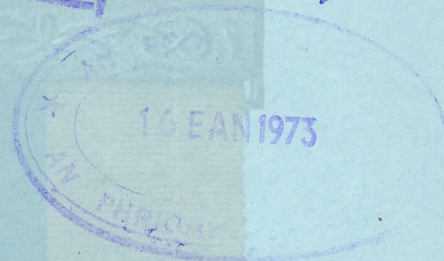
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Ministry of Defence,
Milit. Ser. Pensions Dept.,
Colaiste Baomhain,
Glasnevin,
Dublin, 9



7, Salzburg, Ardlea,
Roebuck, Dublin 14
12th Jan. 1973



Income Tax Reference
SMC/AH.

1/126/9619061. dated 18 Nollaig 1972

Sir, - My Pension Pay Order for Nov. 1972, read
as follows: - Gross, £72.90, In. Tax £17.24. Net £55.66

As this did not seem correct with the original
assessment furnished me by Income Tax Inspector,
I queried it.

In a detailed reply (re above ref.) the Inspector
wrote me as follows: -

"I attach details of your revised liability.
The total tax now due is £105.30. Of this
£30.00 + £17.24 has been deducted. The balance
of £58.46 will be collected over the next four
months at the rate of £14.61 per month."

Yet the deduction from my Pension for month
of Dec. 1972, was still £17.14, instead of £14.61.

I hope you will make the necessary adjustments
for Jan. Feb and March 1973.

I regret having to trouble you, but times are tough

Sincerely

W. Brennan - Whitmore
Comdt.

reg. 12-PA on 24.12.12807
C. 139.
RH

Meamram.

TAGAIRT

24.12.139.

An Roinn Cosanta,

Rannóg Pinsin,

Coláiste Caoimhin,

Baile Átha Cliath 9.

Dáta ²³ January 19 13.

Do ~~Colonel~~ ^{Colonel} ~~Wm.~~ ^{Wm.} ~~Brennan~~ ^{Brennan} ~~Whitmore~~

~~7~~ ⁷ ~~Salzburg~~ ^{Salzburg} ~~Andlea~~ ^{Andlea}

~~Reichsbank~~ ^{Reichsbank} ~~Dublin~~ ^{Dublin} 14

A Ghara,

With reference to your recent letter I am
to state that according to the Inspector of Taxes your
revised assessment for 1912/13 is £105.10. The sum
of £61.48 has been recovered up to the end
of December 12. The balance outstanding i.e. £41.22
will be deducted in three instalments of £13.74
each from January 13.

Mise G. Meas

as ^{CR}
of ^{Runa}

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Comdt. W.J. Brennan Whitmore

7 Salsburg

Andileg

Dublin 14.

Deceased 27-12-77 per phone call.

next of kin

Mrs. Attracta Maher.

Same address.



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Ref 32-139

Condt William Brennan Whitmore

- ✓ 1. Requisition File
- ✓ 2. Notate Kardex
- ✓ 3. Notify E.D.P. section PP 014136
- ✓ 4. Enter death or cessation in Note Book
- ✓ 5. Calculate balance (below) and issue appropriate pro forma
- ✓ 6. ~~Notify death of special allowance holder to A3A~~
- ✓ 7. Notify death of Military Service Pensioner and/or ~~special allowance holder to A3V.~~
- ✓ 8. Notify Inspector of Taxes P45 ✓
- ✓ 9. P45 Supplement ✓
10. Date of Death 27-12-77.
11. Rate per month £142.19 ✓ £1,706.28 p.A.
12. Paid to 30.11.77.
13. Due 1-27/12/77 - £123.84 ✓
14. Tax Free Allowance (A/B) 3.25.
15. Taxable Income 120.59
16. Tax Due £24.11
17. Net Amount Payable. £99.73 ✓

Funeral Grant.

£50.00

£149.73

MC
6/11/78



DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE

A.P. A/cs 32

This Warrant is exempt from Stamp Duty

I, THE UNDERNAMED, TO WHOM AN AWARD HAS BEEN MADE UNDER THE **MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONS ACTS**

AFFIX MY SIGNATURE IN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF THE RECEIPT FROM THE MINISTER FOR DEFENCE OF THE NET SUM SHOWN BELOW FOR THE

PERIOD ENDED **31 DECEMBER 1977**

32 139 0 1 12 77

GROSS	DEDUCTIONS	
	INCOME TAX	SEE OVERLEAF
£ 142.19	£ 27.78	£ 8.78

COMDT. W J BRENNAN WHITMORE
7 SALSBURG
ARDILEA
DUBLIN 14

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NET SUM

£

£114.41

NET SUM	£**114.41 POUNDS	& Co.
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32 139 0 1 12 77

SIGNATURE
OF PAYEE.....

NOTICE TO BANKERS. THIS AMOUNT MAY BE CLAIMED THROUGH ANY BANK, BUT THE WARRANT MUST BE PRESENTED BY A DUBLIN BANKER FOR PAYMENT AT THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE, DUBLIN, IRELAND. THE MINISTER FOR DEFENCE ACCEPTS NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR ANY ADVANCE OF MONEY MADE AGAINST THE WARRANT IN ANTICIPATION OF ITS ACCEPTANCE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE.

Deed 27/12/77

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DEDUCTION CODES

- 1 ALLOWANCE
- 2 RENT
- 3 POSTAGE
- 4 MISCELLANEOUS



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Ref No 32-135

An Roinn Cosanta
Brainse Airgeadais
Colaiste Caoimhin
Baile Átha Cliath 9

6 January 1978

A Chara
A Bhean Uasal
A Chairde

With reference to your letter of recent phone call
relative to the late W. T. Brennan Whitmore

I am directed by the Minister for Defence to state that, assuming the
date of death to be 27th December 1927 the balance of

Pension which is due under the
Military Service Pensions Act to the estate of the
deceased amounts to £ 99-73

Consideration will be given to the payment of this balance (~~subject to
any deductions which may be necessary in respect of income tax, etc.~~)
to the legal personal representative of the deceased on production at ~~this~~
office of Probate of Will or Letters of Administration.

If it is not intended to extract Probate of Will or Letters of
Administration, the enclosed form of Statutory Declaration should be
completed and returned to this office, together with a Registrar's
certificate of death, in order that the question of releasing the
balance due may receive attention.

A funeral grant of £50.00 is also payable to the person responsible for
the funeral expenses. Please forward the receipted funeral account
(showing the name and address of the person who paid the funeral expenses)
to this Department for noting.

Mise le meas

*On the basis of the tax free allowance
certificates furnished to this Department by Public
Depts. no further tax recoveries are due from*

ME
RÚNAÍ

Mrs. Mairéad Mchael

hi

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File No. 24SP 12807

A/C No. 32-139

- 9 JAN 1978

Name Mr. William J. Brennan Whitmore

Address 7 Salsburg

Archdeq.

Roebuck Rd., Dublin 14

Date of Death 27-12-77

E.D.P.

Please note and arrange to cancel payment

Date MC 6/1

A.3.

Noted and arrangements made accordingly.

File No.

A/C No.

AE/E.D.P.

Name

Date Val. 10/1/78

Address

Date of Death

E.D.P.

Please note and arrange to cancel payment

Military Service Pensions Collection

A.3.

Noted and arrangements made accordingly.

PAYMENT OF SUMS DUE AT DEATH

Form of declaration prescribed for the purposes of Section 8 of the Superannuation Act, 1887.

I ATTRAKTA MAHER
of 7, SALZBURG, ARDILEA, ROEBUCK RD, DN.14.
do solemnly and sincerely declare that
William J. BRENNAN-WHITMORE
of above address
died on the 27th day of December 1977 and
that (a) he did not make a will

Please
complete
is
full.

(a) Here state whether the deceased made a Will and, if so, whether it is or is not intended to prove same. If the deceased died intestate state so and whether it is intended to take out grant of administration.

(b) Insert name of deceased.

The whole amount due to the said (b) William J. Brennan - Whitmore from Public Funds does not exceed £500

The relations left by the said (b) William J. Brennan - Whitmore

(c) Here state names, addresses, ages and relationship of survivors.

are as follows:—(c) ATTRAKTA MAHER (MRS.) 44 yrs.
7, SALZBURG, ARDILEA, - DAUGHTER
MAURGEN BRENNAN (MRS.) 53 yrs.
RATHDRUM, Co. Wicklow - DAUGHTER
SISTER JO ANNA (BRENNAN-WHITMORE)
LORETO CONVENT, MOMBASA, KENYA - DAUGHTER

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Statutory Declarations Act, 1938.

Attrakta Maher

{ Signature of person making declaration.

Declared before me by Attrakta Maher
who is personally known to me (or who is identified to me by Attrakta Maher

who is personally known to me) at 14th St, Dublin this 23rd day of January 1978

(d) The persons authorised are (1) a Notary Public, (2) a Commissioner for Oaths, (3) a Peace Commissioner, (4) a person authorised by law to take and receive statutory declarations.

Commissioner for Oaths

{ Signature and description of person authorised to take and receive statutory declarations. (d)

IOC SUIMEANNA ATA DLITE LE LINN DUINE D'EAG

An Fhoirm dearbhaithe atá ordaithe chun críocha Ailt 8 den
Superannuation Act, 1887.

Déanaimse.....

as.....

a dhearbhu go sollunta agus go macánta gur éag.....

as.....

(a) Innis anso cé acu an.....lá de.....19..... agus (a)
rinne an t-éagach Uacht
nó ná dearna, agus, má
rinne, cé acu atá nó ná
fuil sé beartaithe an
céanna do phromhadh.
Má éag an t-éagach gan
Uacht a dhéanamh, innis
san agus innis cé acu atá
nó ná fuil sé beartaithe
litreacha riaracháin a
bhaint amach.

(b) Cuir isteach ainm Ní mó ná £500 ar fad atá dlite don (b)
an éagaigh.

.....sin as Cistí Poiblí. Is iad na

gaolta d'fhág an (b).....

(c) Innis anso ainm-
neacha, seolta agus aois-
eanna agus gaol na ngaolta
mhaireas. sin ná na daoine seo leanas:—(c).....

Agus déanaim an dearbhú sollunta so agus mé á chreidúint go
coinsiasach go bhfuil sé fíor, agus de bhuidh an Achta i dtaobh
Dearbhaithe Reachtúla, 1938.

{ Síniú an duine atá ag
déanamh an dearbh-
aithe.

Arna dhearbhu im fhianaise ag.....

.....duine a bhfuil aithne phearsanta agam
air (nó duine do chuir.....

duine a bhfuil aithne phearsanta agam air, in aithne dhom) i

(d) Is iad na daoine atá údaraithe amhlaidh
ná (1) Nótaire Poiblí,
(2) Coimisinéir Mionn,
(3) Feidhmeannach
Síochána (4) duine dá
n-údaraíonn an dlí
dearbhaithe reachtúla
do thógaint agus a
ghlacadh. an.....lá so de.....19.....

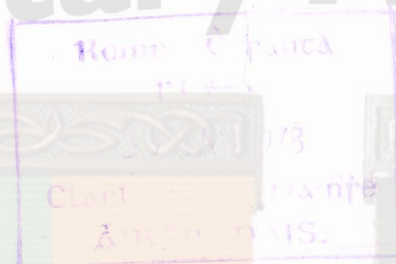
{ Síniú agus tuairisc an
duine dá n-údaraítear
dearbhaithe reachtúla
do thógaint agus a
ghlacadh (d).

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7 SALZBURG,
ARDILEA,

DUBLIN 14

27/1/78,



Dear Sir,

The late Comdt. William J. Brennan - Whitmore

With reference to our recent discussions I have pleasure in forwarding completed form of Declaration together with Death Certificate in respect of my late father-in-law.

I shall be obliged if you will forward the appropriate pension entitlement together with the burial grant to my wife (Mrs.) Augusta Maher at the above address. The late Comdt. lived with us all his life in Dublin and my wife, his daughter, was his next of kin.

She will appreciate receiving the payment at an early date & also the return of the Death Certificate.

Yours faithfully,

G. Maher

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MEMO

Dept. of Defence
Pensions Section A3(B)
Colaiste Caoimhin
DUBLIN 9

Date 1 February 1978.

Ref: 32-139

To: Mrs Annette Mahon
7 Salzburg, Ardara
Rockbrook Rd, Dublin 14

Re: William J. Brennan Whitmore - deceased.

A Bhean Uasail,

With reference to previous correspondence regarding payment of the balance of pension due to the estate of the above named deceased and a funeral grant, I am directed by the Minister for Defence to request you to please forward a receipted funeral account in order that the question of releasing the amount due may receive attention. The funeral bill should show the name and address of the person responsible for the funeral expenses. The death certificate has been noted and is returned herewith.

Mine le hleao.
Rungai

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7, Salzburg,
Ardilea,
Dublin 14
Ref. 32-139.
16/3/78.

Re: William J. Brennan-Whitmore-
deceased

Dear Sir,

With reference to your
letter of Feb 1st addressed to my
wife, Mrs Patricia Maher, and to
earlier correspondence, I now have
pleasure in enclosing receipted bill
from Kirwans for the funeral
expenses

I trust you will now find
it possible to release the balance
of the pension allowance amounting
to £99.73 in respect of my father-in-
law, the late Comdt. Brennan-Whitmore
together with the funeral grant of
£50 (or whatever the current grant may
be). Payment should be made

to my wife at the above address
and the early receipt of your cheque
would be most helpful.

Kindly return the funeral
account in due course.

Yours faithfully,
G. J. Archer

Secretary,
Dept of Defence,
Pensions Section A3(B)
Colaisle Casimhin.
Dublin 9.

I trust you will now find
possible to release the balance
of the pension allowance amounting
to £99.73 in respect of my father, in
the late Comdt. Bryan Whitton
who died at the age of 70 of
heart failure. The above sum
should be made

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Ref. No. 32-139

William J. Brennan Whitmore - deceased.

This is to certify that a funeral bill showing that a sum of

£ 481-04

was paid/~~due for~~ payment by Mr. J. Maher 7 Salzburg
Andilea, Roebuck Road, to Kirwans Funeral Directors Fairview

in respect of the funeral expenses of the above-named, deceased, was

submitted to this Office for inspection.

M. Sexton.

A3(b)

Date

22/3/78

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Brainse Airgeadais Colaiste Caoimhin, Baile Atha Cliath, 9.

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Teileafon: 379911

11 April 1978

With reference to previous correspondence, I am directed by the Minister for Defence to enclose a Payable Order in your favour for £.....149.73..... This sum represents the balance of special allowance ~~and/or~~ military service pension due to the estate of the late.....William J.....
.....(Bridget Whelan (née) Jones).....
The death certificate and funeral account forwarded by you is/~~are~~ returned herewith.

M.S. O. DRISCOLL
DIRECTOR

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A.1.

VOTA... *Pension Airm*

R.C. 10

Eisigh, le do thoil, Ordú Íocaíochta mar leanas:-

An tSuim i bhfocail... *One hundred and forty nine pounds 73*

Ainm an écaí... *Attracta Maher (-Mrs) M.V.*
E. Maher

An tSuim i bhfigiúirí: £ *149.73* ✓

Le cur i gcuntas: *314.10* F6-mhírcheann *314.10*..... F6-mhírcheann *303.4* F6-mhírcheann *313.1*
27/18 100 *4.1.1* *4.1.5*

£ *24-11* *25 1/2* £ *123.84* £ *50.00*

An cineál seirbhíse... *Balance of pension due to the estate of*

the late William J. Brennan Whitmore (and a funeral grant)

J. Salzburg, Ardilea, Roebuck Road,

Seoladh a gcuirfear an } *Dublin 14.*
tOrdú Íocaíochta chuige }

Údarás.....

Síniú an Oifigigh Údaráis... *Mr. W. J. O'Connell*

Dáta... *11/4/78*

Rannóg... *A 3(B)*

Kander noted



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Please note death and pass file to A3V.

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14/4/78

✓ A3V

Please note death and ~~pass file~~ to A3A.

A3A

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20/4/78

Please ~~note death and~~ return file to this section.

5/1/78
A3B

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