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8. Georges Quay

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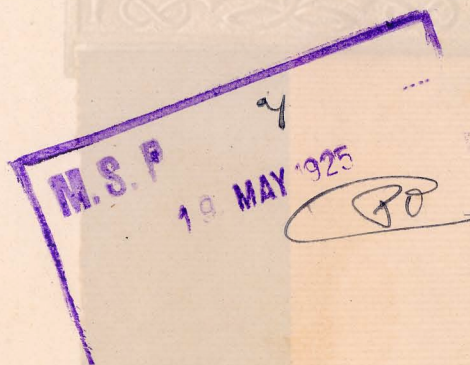
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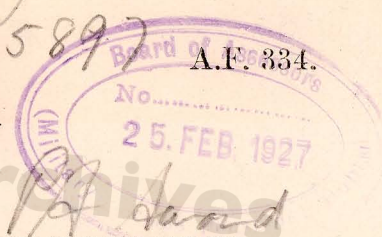
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OFFICE OF ADJUTANT GENERAL

## RESIGNATION ACCEPTED.

SDR/.....1761.....

Rank and Name.....Lieut. James Mallon,

Unit, Ordnance Sub-Department,

Resignation tendered.....31st January, 1927.....

accepted as from 23rd February, '27.

Publication in IRIS OI FIGIUI. 22nd February '27

*For information of:—*

O. i/c Pay and Accounts.

Director Medical Service.

D. A. A. G.

Sec., Board of Assessors.

Editor, An t-Óglách.

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OFFICE OF ADJUTANT GENERAL,  
STAFF DUTIES BRANCH.

## RESIGNATION TENDERED.

SDR/ 1761 .....

Rank and Name Lieut. James Mallon, .....

Unit Ordnance Sub-Dept. .....

Station Island Bridge, .....

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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 James Mallon, 8 George's Quay, 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 ...	...	Oglaiigh na hEireann.	Entire Period.	5 Years.
(2) Continuous service from 1st April, 1916, to 31st March, 1917 ...	...	Oglaiigh na hEireann.		
(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 ...	...	"		
(e) " " 1st April, 1920, to 31st March, 1921 ...	...	Oglaiigh na hEireann.	1/2 OF Entire Period.	1 Year
(f) " " 1st April, 1921, to 11th July, 1921 ...	...	"	Entire Period.	1 "
(g) " " 12th July, 1921, to 30th June, 1922 ...	...	"	"	1 "
(h) " " 1st July, 1922, to 31st March, 1923 ...	...	Oglaiigh na hEireann (Excluded Forces (Temporary Provisions) Act, 1923)	"	2 "
(i) " " 1st April, 1923, to 30th September, 1923 ...	...	"	"	1 "

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

Total service for pension purposes, as defined by Sec. 4 (2) of the Act... 11 1/2 years

Dated this... 14<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1927

(Signed) [Signature] Member of the Board of Assessors.







SP. 5894

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

Total service for pension purposes, as defined by Sec. 4 (2) of the Act.....

Dated this.....day of.....

(Signed) ..... Member of the Board of Assessors.



S.P. 5897

Lieut James Mallon & Georges Quay Dublin

Service in 1916 correct.

Remained on release.

Master Barber.

Parades.

Drills

24th November.

Continuous Service

Serving.

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# Military Service Pensions Act, 1924.

Form of certificate to be attached by the G.S.O. i/c Staff Duties in the cases of Officers, and by the Officer i/c Personnel in the cases of N.C.Os. and Men, when the forms M.S.P. 1 are being transmitted to the Secretary, Military Service Pensions Board. (Paragraph 4 of Defence Order No. 59).

To :

The Secretary,  
Military Service Pensions Board.

SDR/1761.



I hereby certify that.... Lieut. James Mallon.  
has rendered service in the National Forces or Defence Forces of Saorstát Éireann in the rank and during the periods set out hereunder:

Periods of Service prescribed in the Act.	Duration of Service during each Period.	
	Date of commencement and date of ending.	Total number of days.
(1) Continuous service from 1st July, 1922, to 31st March, 1923 ...	1st July, 1922- 31st March, 1923.	274. ✓
(2) Continuous service from 1st April, 1923, to 30th September, 1923	1st April, 1923- 30th Sept., 1923.	183. ✓

\*Rank..... Lieut. ✓

Dated..... 30/1/25.

M. O'Riordan Major.

.....G.S.O(1).....Staff Duties.

\* "Every military service pension shall be based upon the rank of the applicant at the time of his discharge from the National Forces or from the Defence Forces of Saorstát Éireann or the rank held by him on the 1st day of February, 1924, whichever of those ranks shall be higher . . . ." (Sec. 4 (3) of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924).



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Regd. No. S.P.

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ASSESSORS

(MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONS),

DUBLIN.

To

*Comdt Liam Murphy*

In the application of

*Lieut J. Mallon*

*8 Georges Quay Dublin*

for a certificate of military service in accordance with the above-mentioned Act, your  
name appears as a reference who can verify this applicant's service in the periods

*A, 2, B, C, D, E, F, G* — set out hereunder.

You are therefore requested to reply in Column 2 to the queries in Column 1 for each  
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five pounds) or to imprisonment for a period not exceeding six months or at the discretion  
of the Court to both such fine and imprisonment." (See 7 (1) of the Military Service Pensions  
Act, 1924).

(b) "If any person so convicted as aforesaid is in receipt of a pension obtained by reason of such false  
declaration, application, or other written statement he shall forfeit such pension as from the  
date of such conviction." (Sec. 7 (2) of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924).



## (a) (1) Active Service in the week commencing 23rd April, 1916.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) Did the applicant render active service?	<i>Yes</i>
(ii.) At what posts?	<i>Bolands Mills + The Railway line.</i>
(iii.) What rank did he hold?	<i>Volunteer</i>
(iv.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	<i>Section Commander "B" III Dublin Brigade.</i>

## (a) (2) Continuous Service from 1st April, 1916, to 31st March, 1917.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What do you know of his connection with the Volunteers during this period?	<i>His attendance at all parades was good.</i>
(ii.) To what Unit or Units was he attached?	<i>"B" III D.B.</i>
(iii.) What rank did he hold?	<i>Volunteer</i>
(iv.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period, and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	<i>Barber. He had a business of his own, which was <del>was</del> neglected owing to his being arrested and interned after Easter Week.</i>
(v.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	<i>As Coy Adjt. "B" III D.B.</i>



## (b) Continuous Service from 1st April, 1917, to 31st March, 1918.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What do you know of his connection with the Volunteers during this period?	<i>He attended all parades as often as his business would allow him.</i>
(ii.) To what Unit or Units was he attached?	<i>"B" III L.B.</i>
(iii.) What rank did he hold?	<i>Volunteer</i>
(iv.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period, and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	<i>Barber.</i>
(v.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	<i>As adgt. "B" III L.B.</i>

## (c) Continuous Service from 1st April, 1918, to 31st March, 1919.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What do you know of his connection with the Volunteers during this period?	<i>His attendance at parades was good</i>
(ii.) To what Unit or Units was he attached?	<i>"B" III L.B.</i>
(iii.) What rank did he hold?	<i>Volunteer</i>
(iv.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	<i>Barber</i>
(v.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	<i>As liut "B" III L.B.</i>



## (d) Continuous Service from 1st April, 1919, to 31st March, 1920.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What do you know of his connection with the Volunteers during this period?	His attendance at parades was good.
(ii.) To what Unit or Units was he attached?	"B" III D.B.
(iii.) What rank did he hold?	Volunteer.
(iv.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	Barber
(v.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	As Lieut. "B" III D.B.

## (e) Continuous Service from 1st April, 1920, to 31st March, 1921.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What military services did applicant render? Insert particulars of attacks on enemy forces or positions; destruction of enemy property; manufacture, purchase or disposal of munitions; collection of information to enable these acts to be done; or organising or training to the same ends.	He was on several armed patrols. He was arrested about November 1920 + interned at Ballykinlar.
(ii.) To what extent was he a full-time Volunteer during this period and to what Unit or Units was he attached?	
(iii.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period, and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	Barber. His business was somewhat neglected by his being interned.
(iv.) What rank did he hold?	Volunteer
(v.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	As Lieut. "B" III D.B.



## (f) Continuous Service from 1st April, 1921, to 11th July, 1921.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What military services did applicant render? Insert particulars of attacks on enemy forces or positions; destruction of enemy property; manufacture, purchase or disposal of munitions; collection of information to enable these acts to be done; or organising or training to the same ends.	<i>He was interned at Ballykinlar</i>
(ii.) To what extent was he a full-time Volunteer during this period and to what Unit or Units was he attached?	
(iii.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period, and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	
(iv.) What rank did he hold?	
(v.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	

## (g) Continuous Service from 12th July, 1921, to 30th June, 1922.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What military duties were discharged by applicant under authority during this period?	<i>He was released from Ballykinlar in December 1921 and immediately reported to his unit for duty. In Feb. or March 1922 he joined the Regular Army at Beggar's Bush.</i>
(ii.) To what Unit or Units was he attached?	<i>"B" III L.B. + Ofc. Barber's Shop (C.M.G.'s Staff.)</i>
(iii.) To what extent was he a full-time Volunteer?	<i>Full time in Regular Army.</i>
(iv.) What rank did he hold?	<i>Lieutenant in Regular Army</i>
(v.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period, and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	<i>Barber.</i>
(vi.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify to his service?	<i>As Ofc. "B" III L.B. + Staff Capt. on C.M.G.'s Staff. Beggar's Bush.</i>



You may at your discretion write hereunder a statement of any additional information which you consider may be of assistance to the Board in determining the application.

Signature of reference

*Liam Murphy Contract & Disposal Phello.*

\*Witness to Signature

Address of Witness

Qualification

Date

*31/7/25*

\* Witness must be a Commissioned Officer at present serving in the Army ; or a Member of the Oireachtas or an Officer of the Garda Siochana or Dublin Metropolitan Police ; or a permanent Civil Servant (active or retired) whose salary is or was not less than £200, on a scale rising to not less than £300 ; or a Justice of a District Court ; or a Clergyman ; or a Registered Physician or Surgeon ; or a Barrister-at-law ; or a Solicitor.

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Regd. No. S.P. 5897

BOARD OF ASSESSORS

(MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONS),

DUBLIN.

To

Captain A. Thompson

In the application of

Lieut J. Mallon

& Georges Quay Dublin

for a certificate of military service in accordance with the above-mentioned Act, your  
name appears as a reference who can verify this applicant's service in the periods

— A1. B. C. D. E. F. G. — set out hereunder.

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## (a) (1) Active Service in the week commencing 23rd April, 1916.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) Did the applicant render active service?	<i>Rendered active service during Easter week 1916</i>
(ii.) At what posts?	<i>Bolands Mill &amp; D.S.E Railway Line</i>
(iii.) What rank did he hold?	<i>VOLUNTEER.</i>
(iv.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	<i>Serving in same company B Coy. III Batt. Dublin Brigade</i>

## (a) (2) Continuous Service from 1st April, 1916, to 31st March, 1917.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What do you know of his connection with the Volunteers during this period?	
(ii.) To what Unit or Units was he attached?	
(iii.) What rank did he hold?	
(iv.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period, and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	
(v.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	



## (b) Continuous Service from 1st April, 1917, to 31st March, 1918.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What do you know of his connection with the Volunteers during this period?	<i>Serving Volunteers</i>
(ii.) To what Unit or Units was he attached?	<i>B Coy III Batt.</i>
(iii.) What rank did he hold?	<i>Vol</i>
(iv.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period, and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	<i>Barber</i>
(v.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	<i>Coy Adjutant</i>

## (c) Continuous Service from 1st April, 1918, to 31st March, 1919.

QUERY.	REPLY.
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(ii.) To what Unit or Units was he attached?	<i>B Coy III Batt</i>
(iii.) What rank did he hold?	<i>Vol</i>
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## (d) Continuous Service from 1st April, 1919, to 31st March, 1920.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What do you know of his connection with the Volunteers during this period?	<i>as at par 'c'</i>
(ii.) To what Unit or Units was he attached?	<i>B Coy III Batt</i>
(iii.) What rank did he hold?	<i>Rec Com.</i>
(iv.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	<i>Barber.</i>
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(ii.) To what extent was he a full-time Volunteer during this period and to what Unit or Units was he attached?	<i>/</i>
(iii.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period, and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	<i>/</i>
(iv.) What rank did he hold?	<i>/</i>
(v.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	<i>Coy Adj.</i>



## (f) Continuous Service from 1st April, 1921, to 11th July, 1921.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What military services did applicant render? Insert particulars of attacks on enemy forces or positions; destruction of enemy property; manufacture, purchase or disposal of munitions; collection of information to enable these acts to be done; or organising or training to the same ends.	<i>Interned in Ballykinlar until Truce</i>
(ii.) To what extent was he a full-time Volunteer during this period and to what Unit or Units was he attached?	<i>—</i>
(iii.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period, and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	<i>—</i>
(iv.) What rank did he hold?	<i>—</i>
(v.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	<i>Coy Adj.</i>

## (g) Continuous Service from 12th July, 1921, to 30th June, 1922.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What military duties were discharged by applicant under authority during this period?	<i>Sending Vol. joined N.A. &amp; was w/c. Barker Shop</i>
(ii.) To what Unit or Units was he attached?	<i>—</i>
(iii.) To what extent was he a full-time Volunteer?	<i>—</i>
(iv.) What rank did he hold?	<i>—</i>
(v.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period, and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	<i>—</i>
(vi.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify to his service?	<i>Coy Adj. &amp; Q.M.C. Staff Beggar Bush</i>



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Signature of reference

*Alasdair Mac Comaig*

\*Witness to Signature

*Lt. J. L. Cannon*

Address of Witness

*PAY AND ACCOUNTS SUB DEPT G H Q*

Qualification

*OFFICER OF DEFENCE FORCES*

Date

*23rd June 1925*

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## (a) (2) Continuous Service from 1st April, 1916, to 31st March, 1917.

QUERY.	REPLY.
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(iii.) What rank did he hold?	
(iv.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period, and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	
(v.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	



## (b) Continuous Service from 1st April, 1917, to 31st March, 1918.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What do you know of his connection with the Volunteers during this period?	He was available for all parades
(ii.) To what Unit or Units was he attached?	B. Coy III Battalion Dublin Brigade
(iii.) What rank did he hold?	Section Leader
(iv.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period, and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	Barber none
(v.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	A member of the same B Coy.

## (c) Continuous Service from 1st April, 1918, to 31st March, 1919.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What do you know of his connection with the Volunteers during this period?	He was available for all parades
(ii.) To what Unit or Units was he attached?	B Coy III Battalion Dublin Brigade
(iii.) What rank did he hold?	Section Leader
(iv.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	Barber none
(v.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	A member of the same Coy (B).



## (d) Continuous Service from 1st April, 1919, to 31st March, 1920.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What do you know of his connection with the Volunteers during this period?	He was available for all parades.
(ii.) To what Unit or Units was he attached?	B. Coy III Battalion
(iii.) What rank did he hold?	Section Leader
(iv.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	Barber
(v.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	LD member of the same Coy (B)

## (e) Continuous Service from 1st April, 1920, to 31st March, 1921.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What military services did applicant render? Insert particulars of attacks on enemy forces or positions; destruction of enemy property; manufacture, purchase or disposal of munitions; collection of information to enable these acts to be done; or organising or training to the same ends.	The applicant was arrested towards the end 1920, and interned.
(ii.) To what extent was he a full-time Volunteer during this period and to what Unit or Units was he attached?	not a full time volunteer B Coy III Battalion
(iii.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period, and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	Barber
(iv.) What rank did he hold?	Section Leader
(v.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	LD member of the same Coy (B)



## (f) Continuous Service from 1st April, 1921, to 11th July, 1921.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What military services did applicant render? Insert particulars of attacks on enemy forces or positions; destruction of enemy property; manufacture, purchase or disposal of munitions; collection of information to enable these acts to be done; or organising or training to the same ends.	
(ii.) To what extent was he a full-time Volunteer during this period and to what Unit or Units was he attached?	
(iii.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period, and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	
(iv.) What rank did he hold?	
(v.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	

## (g) Continuous Service from 12th July, 1921, to 30th June, 1922.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What military duties were discharged by applicant under authority during this period?	
(ii.) To what Unit or Units was he attached?	
(iii.) To what extent was he a full-time Volunteer?	
(iv.) What rank did he hold?	
(v.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period, and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	
(vi.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify to his service?	



You may at your discretion write hereunder a statement of any additional information which you consider may be of assistance to the Board in determining the application.

Signature of reference

*Sean McBrath Lieutenant*

\*Witness to Signature

*John McDonald Capt.*

Address of Witness

*Island Bridge B.K.s*

Qualification

*Commissioned Officer*

Date

*5/6/25*

\* Witness must be a Commissioned Officer at present serving in the Army ; or a Member of the Oireachtas or an Officer of the Garda Siochana or Dublin Metropolitan Police ; or a permanent Civil Servant (active or retired) whose salary is or was not less than £200, on a scale rising to not less than £300 ; or a Justice of a District Court ; or a Clergyman ; or a Registered Physician or Surgeon ; or a Barrister-at-law ; or a Solicitor.

**Military Service  
Pensions Collection**



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## FOGRA.

Is moille-de a breithneofar cás an iarratasóra  
moill do bheith ar an bhfreagra a tabharfar  
ar so.

Any delay in replying to this communication  
will defer consideration of the applicant's case.

M.P.W.—Wt. 5977.—B.9.—Gp. 23.—10,000.—4/25. (A.S.)

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if any, of an Applicant for  
vice.

Regd. No. S.P. 5893

BOARD OF ASSESSORS

(MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONS);

DUBLIN.

To Major General Sean M<sup>h</sup> Mahon



In the application of

Lieut Jas Mallon

8 Georges Quay Dublin

for a certificate of military service in accordance with the above-mentioned Act, your  
name appears as a reference who can verify this applicant's service in the periods  
A1. 2. set out hereunder.

You are therefore requested to reply in Column 2 to the queries in Column 1 for each  
of the periods above referred to. It will **not** be sufficient to make one general reply. Each  
period must be dealt with separately, and it is essential that your reply for each period  
should clearly set out the actual position you formerly held which entitles or enables you  
to testify as to the service, if any, of the applicant during such period.

The utmost accuracy should be observed in the replies made to the queries on this  
form. Persons making false statements render themselves liable to severe penalties. See  
notes (a) and (b) at foot of this page.

GEARÓID O SUILLEAVÁIN,

Runáí.

NOTE.—(a) "If any person with a view to obtaining either for himself or any other person a grant or payment  
of a pension under this Act makes, signs, or uses any declaration, application or other written  
statement knowing the same to be false, such person shall be guilty of an offence under this  
section and shall be liable on summary conviction thereof to a fine not exceeding £25 (twenty-  
five pounds) or to imprisonment for a period not exceeding six months or at the discretion  
of the Court to both such fine and imprisonment." (See 7 (1) of the Military Service Pensions  
Act, 1924).

(b) "If any person so convicted as aforesaid is in receipt of a pension obtained by reason of such false  
declaration, application, or other written statement he shall forfeit such pension as from the  
date of such conviction." (Sec. 7 (2) of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924).



(a) (1) Active Service in the week commencing 23rd April, 1916.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) Did the applicant render active service?	<i>Yes.</i>
(ii.) At what posts?	<i>Bolton's Mills</i>
(iii.) What rank did he hold?	<i>Private</i>
(iv.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	<i>As op. of his Coy. (B Coy III Batt.)</i>

(a) (2) Continuous Service from 1st April, 1916, to 31st March, 1917.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What do you know of his connection with the Volunteers during this period?	<i>He served as a Volunteer.</i>
(ii.) To what Unit or Units was he attached?	<i>B Coy III Batt. Dublin Brigade</i>
(iii.) What rank did he hold?	<i>Private</i>
(iv.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period, and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	<i>Harbinger Interned for some months.</i>
(v.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	<i>As op. of his Coy.</i>



## (b) Continuous Service from 1st April, 1917, to 31st March, 1918.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What do you know of his connection with the Volunteers during this period?	
(ii.) To what Unit or Units was he attached?	
(iii.) What rank did he hold?	
(iv.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period, and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	
(v.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	

## (c) Continuous Service from 1st April, 1918, to 31st March, 1919.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What do you know of his connection with the Volunteers during this period?	
(ii.) To what Unit or Units was he attached?	
(iii.) What rank did he hold?	
(iv.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	
(v.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	



## (d) Continuous Service from 1st April, 1919, to 31st March, 1920.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What do you know of his connection with the Volunteers during this period?	
(ii.) To what Unit or Units was he attached?	
(iii.) What rank did he hold?	
(iv.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	
(v.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	

## (e) Continuous Service from 1st April, 1920, to 31st March, 1921.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What military services did applicant render? Insert particulars of attacks on enemy forces or positions; destruction of enemy property; manufacture, purchase or disposal of munitions; collection of information to enable these acts to be done; or organising or training to the same ends.	
(ii.) To what extent was he a full-time Volunteer during this period and to what Unit or Units was he attached?	
(iii.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period, and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	
(iv.) What rank did he hold?	
(v.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	



## (f) Continuous Service from 1st April, 1921, to 11th July, 1921.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What military services did applicant render? Insert particulars of attacks on enemy forces or positions; destruction of enemy property; manufacture, purchase or disposal of munitions; collection of information to enable these acts to be done; or organising or training to the same ends.	
(ii.) To what extent was he a full-time Volunteer during this period and to what Unit or Units was he attached?	
(iii.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period, and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	
(iv.) What rank did he hold?	
(v.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify as to his service?	

## (g) Continuous Service from 12th July, 1921, to 30th June, 1922.

QUERY.	REPLY.
(i.) What military duties were discharged by applicant under authority during this period?	
(ii.) To what Unit or Units was he attached?	
(iii.) To what extent was he a full-time Volunteer?	
(iv.) What rank did he hold?	
(v.) What was his occupation prior to and subsequent to this period, and to what extent was his ordinary living interfered with by his work as a Volunteer?	
(vi.) What were the circumstances which enable you to testify to his service?	



You may at your discretion write hereunder a statement of any additional information which you consider may be of assistance to the Board in determining the application.

# Military Archives

Signature of reference.....

*Leslie MacGillivray*

\*Witness to Signature.....

*Francis O'Brien*

Address of Witness.....

*G.A.S.*

Qualification.....

*Serving Officer*

Date.....

*22-5-75.*

\* Witness must be a Commissioned Officer at present serving in the Army ; or a Member of the Oireachtas or an Officer of the Garda Siochana or Dublin Metropolitan Police ; or a permanent Civil Servant (active or retired) whose salary is or was not less than £200, on a scale rising to not less than £300 ; or a Justice of a District Court ; or a Clergyman ; or a Registered Physician or Surgeon ; or a Barrister-at-law ; or a Solicitor.

# Military Service Pensions Collection





M.S.P. 1.

SP. 5897. ✓

## Military Service Pensions Act, 1924.

APPLICATION TO THE MINISTER FOR DEFENCE  
OF MILITARY SERVICE.



This form must be filled in by every person who seeks a certificate of military service, and must be signed by him, and signature witnessed, on or before the 1st March, 1925. In the event of an applicant being unable to write he should affix his mark, such act being witnessed.

NAME (to be written in block capitals). M A L L O N . J A M E S ✓  
SURNAME. CHRISTIAN NAMES.

PRESENT ADDRESS. 8 GEORGE'S QUAY DUBLIN. ✓  
(to be written in block capitals).

NOTE.—Before answering the questions below, the applicant is requested to note that

- (a) All statements made in this application will be carefully investigated and satisfactory evidence must be forthcoming on request to substantiate each and every statement made.
- (b) “If any person with a view to obtaining either for himself or any other person a grant or payment of a pension under this Act makes, signs, or uses any declaration, application or other written statement knowing the same to be false, such person shall be guilty of an offence under this section and shall be liable on summary conviction thereof to a fine not exceeding £25 (twenty-five pounds) or to imprisonment for a period not exceeding six months or at the discretion of the Court to both such fine and imprisonment.” (Sec. 7 (1) of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924).
- (c) “If any person so convicted as aforesaid is in receipt of a pension obtained by reason of such false declaration, application, or other written statement he shall forfeit such pension as from the date of such conviction.” (Sec. 7 (2) of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924).

If the applicant is unable to read, the above note should be read to him by the witness.



SERVICE IN OGLAIGH NA h-EIREANN OR IN THE IRISH  
VOLUNTEERS OR IN THE IRISH CITIZEN ARMY OR IN  
FIANNA EIREANN OR IN THE HIBERNIAN RIFLES.

For each of the under-mentioned periods in which you claim to have rendered active service, state the name of the unit or units, name and address of the O/C., the names and addresses of three officers at present serving in the Army who can verify your service.

If you are unable to name officers at present serving you may state the names of Members of the Oireachtas, Officers and Men of the Garda Siochana, or of the Dublin Metropolitan Police, or of Peace Commissioners, or Permanent Civil Servants (Active or Retired) whose salary is or was not less than £200 on a scale rising to not less than £300, or Justices of District Courts.

The following circumstances shall not be deemed to constitute a breach in the continuity of service:—

- (a) Absence from duty following arrest, imprisonment, internment, or deportation under the Defence of the Realm Act, 1914, the Restoration of Order in Ireland Act, 1920, or any regulations made thereunder;
- (b) Absence from duty following arrest, imprisonment, or penal servitude in respect of sedition, treason or treason felony prior to 11th July, 1921;
- (c) Absence from duty by reason of duties necessitating such absence undertaken at the instance of or on behalf of the Cabinet of Dáil Eireann or on behalf of the Provisional Government from 21st January, 1919, to 1st July, 1922.

If you claim to have been absent from duty under these conditions, give particulars of the circumstances with respect to each such period of absence, and state its duration.

(1). FROM THE 1ST APRIL, 1916, to 31ST MARCH, 1917.

(a) Unit or Units..... "B" Coy. III. Batt. D.B.

(b) O/C. .... Maj. Gen. Sean M. Mahon

(c) References:—

NAME.

ADDRESS.

Maj. Gen. Sean M. Mahon

Comdt. Liam Murphy. Contracts. Portobello

Capt. Alec Thompson. Accounts. G. H. Q.

(d) Did you render active service in the week commencing 23rd April, 1916?

Yes

(e) Unit or Units..... "B" Coy. III. Batt. D.B.

(f) O/C. .... Maj. Gen. S. M. Mahon

(g) References:—

NAME.

ADDRESS.

Maj. Gen. Sean M. Mahon

Col. Sean Guilfoyle. A.D.C. Viceregal Lodge

Comdt. Liam Murphy. Contracts. Portobello

(h) Particulars of any Military operations or engagements or services rendered during this period:—

all operations in "Boland's" Area



(i) Absence from duty... *after Surrender on Sunday April 30<sup>th</sup> I was deported to "Wakefield Jail" after wards I was interned in "Frongoch" until General release Christmas 1916*

(2). CONTINUOUS SERVICE FROM 1ST APRIL, 1917, TO 31ST MARCH, 1918.

(a) Unit or Units... *"B" Coy III Batt D.B.*

(b) O/C... *The Late Col Sean Quinn*

(c) References :—

NAME.

ADDRESS.

*Comdt. Liam Murphy Portobello*

*Capt. Alec Thompson G.H.Q.*

*Lieut Sean Mc Grath Island Bridge Bks*

(d) Absence from duty...

*Nil*

(3). CONTINUOUS SERVICE FROM 1ST APRIL, 1918, TO 31ST MARCH, 1919.

(a) Unit or Units... *"B" Coy III Batt D.B.*

(b) O/C... *Col Sean Quinn (Deceased)*

(c) References :—

NAME.

ADDRESS.

*Comdt. Liam Murphy Portobello Bks.*

*Capt. Alec Thompson G.H.Q.*

*Lieut Sean Mc Grath Island Bridge Bks*

(d) Absence from duty...

*Nil*

(4). CONTINUOUS SERVICE FROM 1ST APRIL, 1919, TO 31ST MARCH, 1920.

(a) Unit or Units... *"B" Coy III Batt D.B.*

(b) O/C... *Col Sean Quinn (Deceased)*

(c) References :—

NAME.

ADDRESS.

*Comdt. Liam Murphy Portobello Bks.*

*Capt. Alec Thompson G.H.Q.*

*Lieut Sean Mc Grath Island Bridge Bks*



(d) Absence from duty.....

Nil

(5). CONTINUOUS SERVICE FROM 1ST APRIL, 1920, TO 31ST MARCH, 1921.

(a) Unit or Units..... "B" Coy. III Batt. D.B.

(b) O/C..... Col. Sean Quinn

(c) References :—

NAME.

ADDRESS.

Comdt. Liam Murphy. Portabello Bks.

Capt. Alec Thompson. G. H. Q.

Lieut. Sean Mc Grath. Island Bridge Bks.

(d) Absence from duty..... From the time of my arrest

early in December 1920. Afterwards I was

interned in B' Kilar. Before reaching

the later place I had been in K chae Bks.

Kilmainham Jail & Arbour Hill

(6). CONTINUOUS SERVICE FROM 1ST APRIL, 1921, TO 11TH JULY, 1921.

(a) Unit or Units..... "B" Coy. III Batt. D.B.

(b) O/C.....

(c) References :—

NAME.

ADDRESS.

(d) Absence from duty.....

Interned in Bally Kilar

Camp III. Hunt "19."

(7). CONTINUOUS SERVICE FROM 12TH JULY, 1921, TO 30TH JUNE, 1922.

(a) Unit or Units..... "B" Coy. III Batt. D.B.

(b) O/C.....

(c) References :—

NAME.

ADDRESS.



(d) Absence from duty..... *Up to the General release from B'Kilbar. Immediately <sup>release</sup> after I reported back to my Company. ("B" III. B. & D.B)*

SERVICE IN THE NATIONAL FORCES OR DEFENCE FORCES  
OF SAORSTÁT EIREANN.

- (8). Army No..... (9) Age..... *36*
- (10). Date of enlistment..... *at the taken over of Beggar Bush B.Ks*
- (11). Station at which you enlisted..... *Beggar Bush B.Ks*
- (12). Home address at date of joining..... *8 George's Quay Dublin*
- (13). Unit (Company, Battalion, Brigade, Division)..... *Q.M.G.'s Dept.*  
..... *Sec. "C" Supplies (at that time)*
- (14). Date of resignation or discharge or demobilisation..... *Still Serving*
- (15). Rank held at resignation, or discharge or demobilisation..... *Still Serving*
- (16). If serving on the 1st day of February, 1924, what was your rank on that date?  
*Yes. Lieut*
- (17). Were you a member of the Irish Volunteer Executive or of the Headquarter's Staff of Oglagh na h-Eireann at any time prior to the 11th July, 1921?  
If so, state the position you occupied, the department or branch and the dates of your service.....
- (18). If you are in receipt of any remuneration, pension, or allowance payable out of public monies, whether 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, state details.....



- (19). Give full particulars of any pension, allowance, grant or gratuity which you hold or at any time have held in respect of service in the National Forces or Defence Forces of Saorstát Eireann or in Oglagh na h-Eireann, or in the Irish Volunteers, or in the Irish Citizen Army, or in Fianna Eireann, or in the Hibernian Rifles.....

NOTE.—You will subsequently have to furnish any further particulars and to submit any evidence which the Minister for Defence, or the Board of Assessors constituted under the Military Service Pensions Act, or any person or persons duly authorised by them may require in connection with this application for a certificate of military service. In this connection attention is directed to the fact that Section 3 (5) of the Act prescribes that the onus of proof shall rest on the applicant.

Careful consideration will be given to any documentary evidence which you may wish to submit herewith. You may also at your discretion write hereunder a statement of any additional information which you consider may be of assistance in determining your application.

I joined the I.V. at its creation Nov. 1913.  
if necessary I can produce the Original Card signed  
by the Late Peadar Macken one of the Founders  
afterwards killed Easter Week '16 in "Bolands" Area  
I was with him on that fatal night, also the British  
Internment orders for "Frangoch & B'Kinlar".  
I joined the N.A. the day we took over Beggar  
Bush B.Ks. actually been on the first Transport  
Lorry that passed through its Gates about an  
hour and half ahead of the Troops under Maj. Gen  
P.O. Daly. if necessary I can supply further information if  
required

Signature (or Mark) of Applicant..... J. Mallon Lieut

\*Witness to signature or (where  
applicant is unable to write)  
to mark of applicant.

Address of Witness..... Island Bridge Bks  
Dublin

Qualification..... Commissioned Officer

Date..... 13<sup>th</sup> Jan. 1925

\* Witness must be a Commissioned Officer at present serving in the Army; or a Member of the Oireachtas; or an Officer of the Garda Síochána, or Dublin Metropolitan Police; or a Peace Commissioner; or a Permanent Civil Servant (Active or Retired) whose salary is or was not less than £200 on a scale rising to not less than £300; or a Justice of a District Court.