

ROINN.....

F.C. 1.

NÁ CUIRTEAR AON TUAIRISC AR AN gCLÚDACH SO

Fó Roinn

An Uimhir

An Gnó

Tá annso, leis

24/C/241

Padraic O Colgain

91-2954

Mrs Annie

An Uimhir ag Roinn
Eile

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37/SP/683

Do Cuireadh Chun

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MINUTE SHEET.

M.
(Argument).

Reference.. S.P.1991/6022.

1. M.S.P.2 received 27/11/26.
2. " A/cs. 13 and 15 issued,...../12/26.
3. " " 15 received 16/12/26.
4. " " 13 " 20/12/26.
5. Submitted to Minister for Defence,...../12/26.
6. Issue of Certificate approved 17/1/27.
7. To Sec.Dept.of Def. to issue Certificate...24/1/27.
8. *Cert issued. 11/2/27*

Lot S 18/18

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M.S.P.A/cs 15.

ARMY FINANCE OFFICE (F.7),

GRIFFITH BARRACKS,

DUBLIN.

14 December, 1926.

VERY CONFIDENTIAL.

Director of Intelligence.

Military Service Pensions Acts, 1924 and 1925.

S.P.No 1991/SP/6022. Name Padraic O'Colgain,

Address Portobello Barracks, Dublin. Rank Commandant.

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.

ARMY FINANCE OFFICER.

TO:
ARMY FINANCE OFFICER.

An Phuirtinn Gheneralta,
BUREAU AN BHEASA,
Ceann Ceathrúna Gheneralta.
15adh, Mí na Nodlaig, 1926.

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. H. H. H. H. COMMDT.
FOR: DIRECTOR 2nd BUREAU.

M.S.P. A/cs. 13.

ARMY FINANCE OFFICE (F. 7)

Griffith Barracks,

DUBLIN.

14th
..... December, 1926.

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 therein. It is understood that he served in the National Army as Officer
~~N.C.O. or Private.~~

The matter is very urgent.

M. Curran
For: Army Finance Officer.

Army Finance Officer,
(F. 7).

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

M. O'Hanrahan

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

~~O. i/c Personnel.~~

17/12/26



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NO.	Name and Address (Surname first), Age and height and Army No.	Particulars of any sent- ence of imprisonment passed since 6th Dec. 1921.	Cause of terminat- ion of Army service; state whether resign- ed, deserted, dismissed or services dispensed with and whether there were any abnormal circumstances leading to or connected with the termination of services. .A.	Date of termin- ation of Army Ser- vice.	Character and Conduct.	Station at which serving/ immediate- ly prior to termin- ation of Army/Ser- vices.	Unit to which applic- ant was attached immed- iately before demobil- isation.	Rank on date of dis- charge or demob- ilisation.	Rank on 1st. Feb. 1924.
	SDR/2419								
1991/SP/ 6022.	O'Colgain, Padraic. Portobello Barracks. Dublin.	35 Yrs 5'9"	Nil	Serving as at date in the rank of Comdt. I.O., Curragh Training Camp.	Clear	-	-	-	Comdt

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

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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.

M. Ua Dubháil

as . RUNAIDHE.

See 110.

Name	Rank on 1st Feb. '24	Present Address.	Present Rank.
<i>Sl. 6022</i> <i>P. O' Colgain</i> <i>Portobello B.S.</i>	<i>Comdt</i>	<i>H.Q.</i> <i>Staff Barracks</i> <i>Training Camp, Comdt</i> <i>✓</i>	<i>✓</i>

Secretary.

Attended to

Correct
10/2/27
N. Leonard Lieut pr

G.S.O. (I) STAFF DUTIES.

26/4/26

MINUTE SHEET.

M.S.B.
(Argun st).

Reference. 1991/SP/6022.

PADRAIC O'COLGAIN, PORTOBELLO BARRACKS, DUBLIN.

The Board of Assessors have certified that the above has had Fourteen.. years Pensionable Service with the rank of ..Commandant.. He is, therefore, eligible for a Military Service Pension of £ 240 : 0 : 0 per annum.

The following reports have been received :-

<u>Staff Duties</u>	-	Serving as at date in the rank of Commandant.
<u>Personnel.</u>		Character and Conduct - Clear.
		<i>Rank 1/2/24 - Commandant</i>
<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 Padraic O'Colgain,
Portobello Barracks, Dublin.
in accordance with the report of the Board of Assessors and Section 2 (1) of the Military Service Pensions Act.

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guy
ARMY FINANCE OFFICER.

4th Jan 1927
..... ~~December, 1926.~~

Issue of Certificate *Approved*.....

for
Smee MacCall
MINISTER FOR DEFENCE.

17th Jan. 1927
..... ~~December, 1926.~~

MC/MOM.

The Secretary,
Department of Defence.

Will you please issue the Certificate
and return this file.

M. L. Worthy
ARMY FINANCE OFFICER.
34th January, 1927.

The
A. F. O.

certificate (in S. 3. Form)
has been issued to address
shown on Form SA 2. attached.

Milled
H.

R. B. Benson
Rumsdahl.
11th February 27.

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Board's Ref. No. 24/SP/6022

M.S.P.A/cs.1.

MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONS ACT, 1924.

Rúnaidhe,
Roinn Airgeadais.

Subject to the consent of the Minister for Finance the Minister for Defence, in accordance with Section 4(1) of the Act, hereby grants a pension, the details of which are shown below, to Mr. Major Padraic O'Boyle of 12, Villiers Road, Rathgar, Dublin, to whom a Certificate of Military Service has been issued.

Total service for pension purposes as defined by Section 4(2) First Schedule of the Act, and certified by Board of Assessors... .. 14 years

Rank for pension purposes as defined by Section 4(3) of the Act... .. major

Rate of pension per year of service as defined by Section 4(2), First and Second Schedules of the Act £ 15

Total pension payable per annum £ 210

The pension to be payable as from 1st October, 1946,

Date: 25 meán Fómhair, 1946.

25 SEP 1946

ISSUED
RÚNAIDHE
Initials

Roinn Cosanta.

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Aon fhreagra ar an litir seo ba chóir é sheoladh chuinn :-

(Any reply to this communication should be addressed to :-)

An Rúnaí,
(The Secretary)

faoin uimhir seo :-
(and the following number
quoted :-)

P. 20/118/46.



An Roinn Airgeadais
(Department of Finance),

Sráid Mhuirbhthean Uacht.,
(Upper Merrion Street),

Baile Átha Cliath.
(Dublin).



Rúnaí,
Roinn Cosanta.

I am directed by the Minister for Finance to refer to Mr. O'Connell's minute (24/SP/6022) of the 25th ultimo intimating that a Certificate of Military Service has been granted, pursuant to section 2 of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924, to Major Padraic O Colgain of 12 Villiers Road, Rathgar, Dublin, and I am to say that the Minister sanctions the grant under section 4 of the Act of a pension at the rate of Two Hundred and Ten Pounds a year to Major O Colgain with effect as from the 1st October, 1946, inclusive.

The Report of the Board of Assessors is returned herewith.

C. J. Howard

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Deireadh Fómhair, 1946.

8.9.6022

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

M.S.P. 2.

TO THE MINISTER FOR DEFENCE.

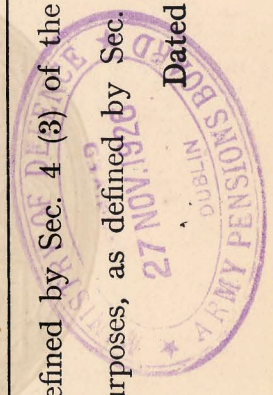
We, the undersigned members of the Board of Assessors constituted under Section 3 of the above-mentioned Act, report as hereunder on the application of *Adraic Dolgan, Peribello Barrack, Dublin* for a Certificate of Military Service in accordance with the terms of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924, 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 ...	Oglaigh na hEireann	Entire Period	5 Years
(2) Continuous service from 1st April, 1916, to 31st March, 1917 ...			
(b) Continuous service from 1st April, 1917, to 31st March, 1918 ...	Oglaigh na hEireann	Entire Period	1 1/2 Year
(c) " " " 1st April, 1918, to 31st March, 1919 ...	" " " "	"	1/2 "
(d) " " " 1st April, 1919, to 31st March, 1920 ...	" " " "	"	1 "
(e) " " " 1st April, 1920, to 31st March, 1921 ...	" " " "	"	2 Years
(f) " " " 1st April, 1921, to 11th July, 1921 ...	" " " "	"	1 Year
(g) " " " 12th July, 1921, to 30th June, 1922 ...	" " " "	"	1 "
(h) " " " 1st July, 1922, to 31st March, 1923 ...	Oglaigh na hEireann [Detached Forces (Temporary Provisions) Act, 1923]	"	2 Years
(i) " " " 1st April, 1923, to 30th September, 1923 ...	" " " "	"	1 Year

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. *14 Years*

Dated this *15th* day of *November*, 1926.



(Signed) *W. J. Murphy* Member of the Board of Assessors.
W. J. Murphy



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Number 24SP/6022.....

M.S.P. 24/4.

AWARD CERTIFICATE.

Any further Communications
on this subject should be
addressed to—
and the above number quoted.

AN ROINN COSANTA,
(Department of Defence)

BRAINNSE AIRGEADAIS,
(Finance Branch)

COLAISTE CAOIMHÍN,
(St. Kevin's College)

GLASNAOIDHEAN,
(Glasnevin)

BAILE ÁTHA CLIATH.
(Dublin)

24 Deireadh Fómhair, 1946.

I am directed to inform you that in accordance with the terms of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924, the Minister for Defence has granted you a pension of £210. (Two Hundred and Ten Pounds), per annum, which is payable as from the 1st October, 1946, and which will be subject to deductions under Section 8 (1) of the Act in respect of receipts by you from Public Moneys.

I have also to state that it is your duty to inform the Minister at once of any receipts by you of any Public Moneys as defined by Section 8 (1) of the Act.

*To Major Padraic O. Colgain,

Rúnaí.

12, Villiers Road,

Rathgar, Dublin,

Section 8 (1) of the Mil. Ser. Pensions Act, 1924, defines Public Moneys as—"Any remuneration, pension, or allowance payable out of public moneys, 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.

Extract from Mil. Ser. Pensions Act, 1924, Section 7 (1) & (2)—"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 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.

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."

N.B.—This Certificate is no security whatever for debt. It should be carefully preserved, as it will be of the greatest assistance to you when completing Pension Warrants, which will be sent to you.

*In the event of the death of the person to whom this Form is addressed, the person who notifies the death to the local Registrar of Deaths should deliver this Form and any other Pension papers held by deceased, to him, and will receive from him the sum of one shilling for so doing.

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FOLD ALONG THIS LINE.

ÉIRE.

(A STAMP IS NOT REQUIRED).

THE SECRETARY,
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE,
PENSIONS BRANCH,
COLAISTE CAOIMHIN,
GLASNAOIDHEAN,
DUBLIN.



M.S.P. A/cs 5.

NOT TO BE PLACED IN AN ENVELOPE.

FOLD ALONG THIS LINE.

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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 Department of Defence, Dublin.

(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) Colgan Patrick ✓
Residing at 12 Villian Road, Rathgar Dubli
Year of Birth 1890
Number of Award Certificate M.S.3. ✓
Rate of Pension £210
Date of ~~Resignation~~ Retirement from National Army 1. 7. 46
Defence Forces
Rank on Discharge Major

(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) (Sec. 20 (1) M.S. Pen. Act, 1934).

"Public Moneys" includes any remuneration, pension or allowance paid by any Government Dept. or Public Body in respect of employment or service rendered.

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. Where there are no receipts from "Public Moneys," the space below should not be left blank, but the word "none" should be inserted).

None ✓

(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 that such Pension has been granted to me by the Minister for Defence. I further declare that all the statements I have made above are true and correct.

Signature (in full) Patrick Colgan ✓ Date 28/10/46
Full Postal Address 12 Villian Road Rathgar Dubli

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 Nancy O'Brien sp. ✓ Date 28/11/46

Rank or Profession Postmistress

Full Postal Address Muckross P.O. Killarney.
Co. Kerry.

This Certificate must be attested by one of the persons mentioned on the back of this form.

Extract from Military Service Pensions Act, 1924, Section 7 (1), and Military Service Pensions Act, 1934, Section 19 (1).

Extract from Military Service Pensions Act, 1924, Section 7 (2), and Military Service Pensions Act, 1934, Section 19 (2).

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 of 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."

(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."

[P.T.O.]

THE PERSONS BEFORE WHOM THE DECLARATION OF PENSIONERS MAY BE SUBSCRIBED ARE AS BELOW. THE QUALIFICATION WHICH ENTITLES THEM TO ATTEST SHOULD BE STATED FULLY ON THE FORM OF ATTESTATION.

(1) In Eire (Ireland.)

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. (The Registered Number of the Society is to be stated on the form of attestation.)

District Justices and Peace Commissioners.

Any of the persons mentioned in paragraph (2) below.

(2) In the British Commonwealth of Nations.

Magistrates.

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).

Physicians or Surgeons registered as such under the law of the country and regularly practising within 10 miles of the place where the pensioner resides for the time being.

Managers, Secretaries, Chief Cashiers, and Accountants of Banks registered under the law of the country, and other officials of such Banks who are authorised by their Banks to sign documents on their behalf, and officials of such Banks for the time being in charge of Branch Banks. (The qualification of the official and the name of the Bank or Branch Bank are to be given on the form of attestation).

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 other Countries.

Diplomatic or Consular Officers of Eire or Britain empowered by law to administer oaths.

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

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AN ROINN COSANTA,
(Department of Defence),
GEATA NA PÁIRCE,
(Parkgate),
BAILE ATHA CLIATH.
(Dublin).

Ref. No. 24SP/6022.24 Deireadh Fómhair, '46.

MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONS ACTS.
~~DEFENCE FORCES (PENSIONS) SCHEME.~~

A CHARA,

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

Mise, le meas,

Padraic O. Colgain
Rúnat.

Major Padraic O. Colgain,
12, Villiers Rd.,
Rathgar, Dublin.

[Not to be detached.]

Usual Signature of Pensioner..

Address..... *12 Villiers Road Rathgar*
Dublin

Name of Witness..... *Keney O'Brien*Qualification..... *ex Postmistress*Address..... *Knockmore Post Office*Date..... *28/4/46*

Kilkenny
Knockmore

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

1—In Éire.

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 Offices. (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 Commonwealth of Nations.

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.)

PHYSICIANS OR SURGEONS registered as such under the law of the country and regularly practising within 10 miles of the place where the pensioner resides for the time being.

ACTUARIES AND 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 Other Countries.

DIPLOMATIC OR CONSULAR OFFICERS OF EIRE OR BRITAIN 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.)

A.Fin. No. 25.

Form for use where a grant of a Service or Disability pension, or a widow's or Dependant's Allowance has been made for the first time.

Reference Numbers.

Regy. 24/6022

A/cs. C. 240

1. F.3(a).

Please note Department of Finance sanction in this case. Open a ledger account, insert ledger number in top right hand corner of this form and pass file to Registry.

Date: 1/10/46

2. Registry.

Please note on record card the grant in this case and also the Accounts number. Put accounts number also on front of file. Review your certificate on form A.Fin.No. 32 if necessary, otherwise mark your certificate 'no change in position' and date. Return file to F.3(B).

Please state any other refs.

*37. L.P. 683 m/1
37. O. 127 4/10*

3. F.3(B).

Date: 3/10

Action taken in accordance with Paragraph 2 above.

*used R. P. 320 f. a
1/10/46*

H F Kennedy

Registry.
Date: 4. 10. 1946

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AN ROINN COSANTA,
(DEPT. OF DEFENCE)

GEATA NA PÁIRCE,
(PARKGATE)

BAILE ÁTHA CLIATH.
(DUBLIN)

Ref. No. 24C.241

ARMY PENSIONS ACTS.

5th Feb. 1948

A CHARA,

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

Mise, le meas,

Seán MacBride

Rúnaí.

Major Padraic O'Boigain,
The Muckross Hotel,
Killarney

[Not to be detached.]

Usual Signature of Pensioner

Address

Muckross Park

Killarney

Name of Witness.....Edward Fitzgerald

Qualification.....Sub Postmaster

Address

Muckross

Killarney

Date...7th Feb. 1948

C. Henry

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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 Offices. (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.)

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DISTRICT JUSTICES AND PEACE COMMISSIONERS.

Any of the persons mentioned in paragraph 2 below.

2—In the British Commonwealth of Nations.

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.)

PHYSICIANS OR SURGEONS registered as such under the law of the country and regularly practising within 10 miles of the place where the pensioner resides for the time being.

Managers, Secretaries, Chief Cashiers, and Accountants of Banks registered under the law of the country, and other officials of such Banks who are authorised by their Banks to sign documents on behalf of such Banks for the time being in charge of Branches of such Banks for the verification of the official and the name of the Bank or Branch and the form of attestation.)

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 Other Countries.

DIPLOMATIC OR CONSULAR OFFICERS OF EIRE OR BRITAIN 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.)



13/29/4/50

LEACÁN MONUAIRISCE.

m.s.b.



24/C 24/
34/D 2378.

CASAIRÉ

F3cm

AMOUNT LODGED.	14/-
DATE	27 APR 1950
R.O. No.	147/15.
FILE No.	
RECEIPT ISSUED	29/4/50

Rease supply to Major P. Colgan
Muckross Hotel.
Lakes of Killarney
to Kerry

Miss Eileen Murphy. Rathgar (34 D 2378)

- 1 - 1916 Miniature Medal each
- 1 - M. Medal with Bar. "

receipts to be sent to Major Colgan.

(book) 14/- received
J. Nolan
F1(c) 26 4/50.

J. O'Connell
F3cm
26/4/50.

Medals issued by hand to Major Colgan + Entores

MINIATURE MEDALS.

1916.

Service Medal with Bar.

~~Service Medal (Pre-Truce).~~

Issued

26/4/50

Regd. No.

By Hand.

37/0/127
24C.241.

Aibreán, 1951.

A Chara,

With reference to your letter of the 7th instant I am directed by the Minister for Defence to inform you that your gross annual entitlements to pensions under the Defence Forces (Pensions) Scheme 1937 and Military Service Pensions Act 1924 are £416.0.0. and £210.0.0. respectively. The Income Tax assessed on you for 1950/51 was £144.4.5. and payments of your pensions were made as set out hereunder.

Defence Forces (Pensions) Scheme.

<u>Month.</u>	<u>Gross Amount.</u>	<u>Deduction in respect of Income Tax.</u>	<u>Nett. Payment.</u>
April 1950	£33. 0. 0.	-	£33. 0. 0.
May "	33. 0. 0.	-	33. 0. 0.
June "	38. 0. 0.	-	38. 0. 0.
July "	33. 0. 0.	-	33. 0. 0.
August "	33. 0. 0.	-	33. 0. 0.
September 1950	38. 0. 0.	-	38. 0. 0.
October 1950	33. 0. 0.	-	33. 0. 0.
November "	5. 0. 0.	-	5. 0. 0.
December "	66. 0. 0.	£58. 2. 2.	7.17.10.
January 1951	5. 0. 0.	-	5. 0. 0.
February "	5. 0. 0.	-	5. 0. 0.
March "	94. 0. 0.	86. 2. 3.	7.17. 9.
TOTALS	£416. 0. 0.	£144. 4. 5.	£271.15.7.

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<u>Month.</u>	<u>Gross Amount.</u>	<u>Deductions Sec.8(1).</u>	<u>Nett. Payment.</u>
April	£12. 0. 0.	-	£12. 0. 0.
May	12. 0. 0.	-	12. 0. 0.
June	28.10. 0.	£13. 2. 6.	15. 7. 6.
July	12. 0. 0.	-	12. 0. 0.
August	12. 0. 0.	-	12. 0. 0.
September	28.10. 0.	13. 2. 6.	15. 7. 6.
October	12. 0. 0.	-	12. 0. 0.
November	12. 0. 0.	-	12. 0. 0.
December	28.10. 0.	13. 2. 6.	15. 7. 6.
January	12. 0. 0.	-	12. 0. 0.
February	12. 0. 0.	-	12. 0. 0.
March	28.10. 0.	13. 2. 6.	15. 7. 6.
TOTALS	£210. 0. 0.	£52.10. 0.	£157.10. 0.

Mise, le meas,

Major Patrick Colgan,
Muckcross Hotel,
Lakes of Killarney,
CO. KERRY.

RÚNAÍ.

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27 Aibreán, 1951.

A Chara,

I am directed by the Minister for Defence to refer to your further letter of the 18th instant regarding certain deductions from the pensions awarded you under the Defence Forces (Pensions) Scheme, 1937, and the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924. In reply I am to state as follows:-

Your Income Tax liability is determined by the Assessor of Income Tax, Public Departments, The Castle, Dublin, who notifies this Department of the amount for collection. The collection of tax due for any one year has to be recovered, where possible, within the financial year - hence the recovery of your Income Tax liability by way of deduction from your Scheme Pension between the months of November, 1950 and March, 1951. Your entitlement for each of the months mentioned was as follows:-

	Gross. £. s. d.	Income Tax Deduction.	Nett Payment. £. s. d.
Novr. 1950	(33. -- --)	28. -- --	5. -- --
Decr. 1950	(38. -- --)	30. 2. 2.	7. 17. 10.
Jan. 1951	(33. -- --)	28. -- --	5. -- --
Feb. 1951	(33. -- --)	28. -- --	5. -- --
Mar. 1951	(38. -- --)	30. 2. 3.	7. 17. 9.

Whilst the deductions in the months of November, 1950, January and February, 1951 are not shown on the warrants issued for those months, the total deductions are reflected on the quarterly warrants, i.e. £28. for November and £30. 2.2. for December are shown on December warrant as £58. 2.2. Again in January and February where the deduction is £28. in each month and £30. 2.3. in March, the warrant for the latter months shows the total deduction for the quarter as £86. 2. 3.

Regarding the deduction under Section 8(1) from your Military Service Pension, I am to state that such deductions are made monthly but only shown on the quarterly warrants,

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as stated above. Your Military Service Pension is payable as follows:-

Gross Pension	£210. per annum.
Monthly payment 8% for first two months of each quarter.	£16. per month
Third month.	£18.10.0.

The sum of £4. per month is deducted from payment of the pension in respect of the first two months of each quarter and £5. 2. 6. from the pension payable in respect of the third month, making in all a total deduction of £13. 2. 6. for the quarter. In other words your gross pension of £210. per annum is subject to a 25% deduction under Section 8(1) of the Act, leaving a nett entitlement of £157. 10. 0. per annum and this latter amount is payable on the basis of 8% or £12. for each of the first two months of the quarter and the balance of £15. 7. 6. payable on the third month.

Mise, le meas,

Nett Payment.	Income Tax Deduction.	Nett. 1950	Decr. 1950	Jan. 1951	Feb. 1951	Mar. 1951
£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
7. 17. 10.	30. 2. 2.	30. 2. 2.	30. 2. 2.	30. 2. 2.	30. 2. 2.	30. 2. 2.
2. 8. 6.	28. 11. 10.	28. 11. 10.	28. 11. 10.	28. 11. 10.	28. 11. 10.	28. 11. 10.
5. 8. 4.	1. 10. 12.	1. 10. 12.	1. 10. 12.	1. 10. 12.	1. 10. 12.	1. 10. 12.

Major Patrick Colgan,
Muckross Hotel,
Lakes of Killarney,
Co. Kerry.

Regarding the deduction under Section 8(1) from your Military Service Pension, I am to state that such deductions are made monthly but only shown on the quarterly warrants. Whilst the deductions in the months of November, 1950, January and February, 1951 are not shown on the warrants issued for those months, the total deductions are reflected on the quarterly warrants, i.e. £28. for November and £30. 2. 2. for December are shown on December warrant as £58. 2. 2. Again in January and February where the deduction is £28. in each month and £30. 2. 2. in March, the warrant for the latter month shows the total deduction for the quarter as £86. 2. 2.

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THE ADDRESS TO BE WRITTEN ON THIS SIDE.

13 AUG 1953

Clarlann na Dpaimpe

AIRGEADAIS.



7.3/ (Pensions Rtd)

Colasda Coomigín,
Glasnevin,
Dublin.

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APPOINTED R.I.A.C. & A.A.



TELEPHONE:

MUCKCROSS 5 & 8

TELEGRAMS:

MUCKCROSS HOTEL, KILLARNEY

37/50/683

37/0/127

The Muckcross Hotel, Ltd.,

Lakes of Killarney. ✓

12. 8. 53

4. 3. (Pensions)

Will you please let me have
particulars of deductions made,
from my pensions in respect of
Income Tax 1953-1954

P. Bolgan ✓

F.A.F. 14/8/53 Recd 18/8 2/hrs 10/81 Wdget

Officer i/c. Registry.

File ~~(s)~~ No.

24 6341- P P 6022.

Major. Pats Balgan

is/~~are~~ required in this section, please.

F.3(B)

14/8/53

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~~1951/~~

1951/52 = £143-16-7.

1952/53 = £24-9-0

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24 Lunasa, 1953.

A Chara,

I am directed by the Minister for Defence to refer to your communication of the 12th instant regarding the pensions awarded to you under the terms of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924, and Defence Forces (Pensions) Scheme, 1937, and to state that this Department has not yet been notified of your liability, if any, to Income Tax in respect of the financial year 1953-1954 and, accordingly, no deductions have been made from your pensions.

I am to add for your information that during the financial years 1951/52 and 1952/53, the following deductions in respect of Income Tax were made from your Scheme Pension.

1951/52	-	£143. 16. 7d.
1952/53	-	£ 24. 9. -d.

Mise, le meas,

9 RÚNAÍ.

Major P. Colgan,
The Muckcross Hotel,
Lakes of Killarney,
Co. Kerry.

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A Chara,

With reference to your representations on behalf of Mrs. Colgan, widow of the late Major Patrick Colgan, Muckross Hotel, Killarney, I am desired by An tAire Cosanta to state that Mrs. Colgan is eligible for the grant of a widow's pension under the Defence Forces (Pensions) Scheme. The present rate of pension payable to the widow of a Major is £145 per annum. Arrangements are being made regarding the award of the pension to Mrs. Colgan.

Mise, le meas,

M. Mac CONCRADHA.

RÚNAÍ PRÍOBHAIDEACH.

An Seanadóir Seán Ó Donnabháin,
315 Clontarf Road,
Dublin.

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Deceased 15.9.60.

Rate per Annum. £303.14.0

" " Month £25.6.5

Entitlement:-

1-15/9

$\frac{15}{30} \times £25.6.5 = £12.13.3$

~~Wd J. Melan~~
~~4/10/60~~

P.A. verified
4/10/60

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Place again
5 file

Office of Assessor for Public Depts.,
Áras Brughá,
9-10, Sráid Ó Conaill, U.,
BAILE ATHA CLIATH.

Ref. No. 110/1474

Dec 13/10/60

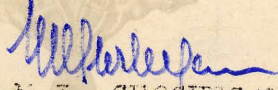
11. 10. '60.

The Secretary,
Department of Defence,
Pensions Section.

Re: Patrick Colgan

Account No. 24/C. 241.

With reference to your notification of the 4th inst.,
there is no Income Tax due.


M.J. GHEOGHAGAN,
Asst. Assessor.

RB

A.P.2.

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27 Feabhra, 1961.

Major Patrick Colgan. Deceased.

A Chara,

With reference to previous correspondence in the case of the above-named, I am directed by An tAire Cosanta to state that the Revenue Commissioners have now informed this Department that there is no income tax due. The balances of retired pay and Military Service Pension totalling £33. 13. 11d. due to the estate of the deceased, will be paid on the production at this office of the Grant of Probate.

Mise, le meas,

RÚNAÍ.

John M. O'Shea Esq.,
Solicitor,
College Street,
Killarney,
Co. Kerry.

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Márta, 1961.

A Chara,

Major Patrick Colgan, deceased.

With reference to your letter of 3rd instant enclosing Grant of Probate in the case of the above-named, I am directed by An tAire Cosanta to enclose herewith a Payable Order for £33. 13. 11d. in favour of Mrs. Annie M. Colgan, Executrix, being the balances of retired pay and military service pension due to the Estate of the late Major Colgan.

The Grant of Probate has been noted and is returned herewith.

Mise, le meas,

RÚNAÍ.

John M. O'Shea, Esq.,
Solicitor,
College Street,
Killarney,
Co. Kerry.

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*Paid by P.O. No. 2347
d. 22/3/61
J. H. O'Shea
28/3/61.*

TELEPHONE:
KILLARNEY 205 & 208
TELEGRAMS:
MUCKROSS HOTEL, KILLARNEY
AF INTL R.I.A.C. A.A.

*The Muckross Hotel Ltd.,
Lakes of Killarney.*

The Secretary,
Balaste-baobhin
Glasnevin
Dublin.



37. SP. 683

W. 135 -

A. Lara

It has been brought to my attention that I am entitled to receive my late husband's I R A 196 pension. Will you please send me the full details for which I shall be very grateful to you.

My husband was the late Major Patrick Bolgan and before his death on 2nd September 1960 he was in receipt of

the 1916 I.R.A. pension. He
served with the Kildare
Division in Dublin in 1916
and later was interned
in Ballykinlar Camp.

I believe I am also entitled
to the free travel and a
reduction in the electricity

Thanking you for any
information on this subject

Yours be meas,
(Mrs) Annie Cogan

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bläcklann:

Please attach 24 A file.

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A3A 25/8/96 Skid.

T/S - 31/8/70

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Meán Fómhair 1970

A Chara

With reference to your recent letter regarding a pension, I am directed by An tAire Cosanta to state that a pension under the Military Service Pensions Acts is personal to the recipient and ceases on his death. There are no provisions in these Acts under which a pension or an allowance can be granted to you by reason of the fact that your late husband was in receipt of such pension. In the circumstances, it is regretted that no assistance to you can be given.

24/5/70

Mise le meas

RÚNAÍ

Mrs Annie Colgan
The Muckross Hotel Ltd
Lakes of Killarney
Co Kerry

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An Roinn Cosanta
Brainse Airgeadais
Coláiste Caoimhín
Baile Átha Cliath 9

6 Aibreán 1972

A Bhean Uasail

I am directed by An tAire Cosanta to refer to the Army Pensions Act, 1971, under which provision is made for the grant of an allowance to the widow of a person who had been awarded a pension under the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924 or 1934.

Your late husband was in receipt of such a pension and I am to enclose herewith a form to enable you to submit an application for the allowance referred to above.

An addressed envelope, which does not need a stamp, is enclosed for the return of the completed form to this Department.

Mise le meas

E. J. Anderson
a/s RÚNAÍ

Mrs. Annie Bolgan
The Muckross Hotel Ltd.
Lakes of Killarney
Ko. Kerry.

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Roinn Cosanta
Glasnaoidhean,
Baile Átha Cliath 9.

24 APR 1972

CLERK OF THE
AIRS & NAVY

APPLICATION FOR ALLOWANCE BY WIDOW OF A MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONER

Name of deceased
military service
pensioner

PATRICK JOSEPH COLGAN /

Address at time
of death

MUCKROSS HOTEL
KILLARNEY

Date of Death.

15th September 1960 /

Reference number
of Military
service pension

32/241/A 3W

Name and maiden
name of applicant

ANNIE COLGAN (Short)

Full postal address

MUCKROSS HOTEL
KILLARNEY

Date of marriage
to deceased
(marriage certificate
should be attached.)

30th April 1924 /

Certificate herewith.

I, widow of the above-named military service pensioner, hereby apply for an allowance.
I declare that I have not re-married since his death.

Signature of applicant :

Annie Colgan

Signature of witness:

John M. O'Shea

Address of witness:

College St. Killarney

Qualification :

Solicitor

Date :

April 12th 1972

Witness may be one of the following :-

Clergyman, Peace Commissioner, Doctor, Teacher, Home Assistance Officer, member of the Oireachtas, member of the Garda Síochána, an Officer of a Local Authority, a Barrister, a Solicitor, or a Bank Official.

(Mrs Colgan is also in receipt of a pension under the D.F. Sch. ref. 43-135)

Increase in Military Service Pensions

Under section 2 of the Military Service Pensions (Amendment) Act, 1953 the rate of military service pension payable on 31.12.1952 was increased with effect from 1.1.1953 by an "appropriate sum" as follows:-

Pension not exceeding £100 a year	- 50% of the pension
" exceeding £100 a year and not exceeding £125 a year	- £50 a year
" " £125 " " " " £150 " "	- 40% of the pension
" " £150 " " " " £200 " "	- £60 a year
X " " £200 " " " " £346.15 " "	- 30% of the pension X
" " £346.15 " "	- sufficient to bring the pension up to £450 a year.

Subsequent increases were as follows:-

6% with effect from 1.10.1959
5% " " " 1.8.1960
20% " " " 1.8.1962
5% " " " 1.11.1963
5% " " " 1.10.1964
9% " " " 1.8.1965
12% " " " 1.8.1967
5% " " " 1.8.1968
10% " " " 1.8.1969
14 $\frac{1}{2}$ % " " " 1.8.1970
10 $\frac{1}{2}$ % " " " 1.10.1971

The rate of pension payable on 1.1.1953 is, therefore, increased by a total of 162.69% as from 1.10.1971.

A pension payable at the rate of £26.50 a year on 31.12.1952 would be payable at the rate of £104.40 a year as from 1.10.1971. Therefore the minimum widow's allowance of £52.20 a year is appropriate in any case where the rate of pension on 31.12.1952 was £26.50 a year or less.

$\begin{array}{r} \text{L } 210.00 \\ 63 \text{ } 00 \end{array} \quad (30\%)$

$\text{L } 273.00$

$\begin{array}{r} 1.6269 \\ .213 \end{array}$

$\begin{array}{r} 48807 \\ 113883 \\ 32538 \end{array}$

$\begin{array}{r} 4441434 \\ 273.00 \end{array}$

$\begin{array}{r} \text{L } 117.14 \\ 358.57 \end{array}$

$\text{L } 358.68$

A.P.21B

Ref. No. 24/C/241

ARMY PENSIONS ACT 1971
CLAIM FOR WIDOW'S ALLOWANCE BY THE WIDOW OF A MILITARY
SERVICE PENSIONER.

1. Applicant's name Mrs Annie Colgan
2. Address Muckross Hotel,
Killarney
Co. Kerry ✓
3. Name of deceased pensioner Patrick Joseph Colgan ✓
4. Rate of pension on 31.12.52 £210.00 ✓
5. " " " on 1.1.53 £273.00 ✓
6. Rate of pension payable with effect from 1.10.1971
£213.00 ✕ 162.69 % £717.14
7. Widow's allowance - $\frac{1}{2}$ of pension at 6. £358.57
8. Allowance rounded up to nearest new penny divisible by 12 £358.68
9. In accordance with section 1 of the Army Pensions Act, 1971 the applicant is eligible for an allowance of £358.68 per annum with effect from 1 deiread Iomair 1971 during widowhood.
An tAire Cearta grants the allowance at 9 above.

27 Aibreán 1972M. L. M. L. M.

10. Award certificate and P.D. form issued. Marriage certificate returned.

A3 (W)- 3 MAY 1972

Form for use where a Grant of a Service or Disability Pension or a Widow's or Dependent's Allowance has been made for the first time.

Reference Numbers.

Regy. 24/C/241A/Cs. 91-2954.

1. A. 3(b)

Please note award in this case.

E. Amher

A3(W)

Date 3 May 1972

2. Registry.

Please open a new card in this case and note the account number. Return file to A3(b) indicating hereunder any other references appertaining to the widow.

M. O. Neill

A3(b)

W. 135Date 3/5/72

3. A3(b)

Action taken in accordance with Paragraph 2 above.

of b h R.

Registry.

Date 4/6/72

4. A3W

Action completed.

Date 9/5/72

A3B

Mr. Ryan
J Higgins

Please note the grant in this case
of a nuclens special allowance under
reference 91 - 2954

Your Ref. W 135

So Seum

L.3. 8/5/72

Mr. H. C. Geum

Noted, thanks.

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L.3. 9/5/72

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Mr. Annis Colyer - deceased.
18/12/75.

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Ref

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Annal Tolgar

1. Requisition File ✓
2. Notate Kardex ✓
3. Notify E.D.P. Section ✓
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 ✓ 18/12/75

Deceased 18/12/75

Request Dec 75 Warrant to
be returned

Monthly Rate £64.72

paid to 30/11/75

Ent 1-18/12/75 £64.72 X 18
81

£37.58

20/1/76

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File No 246/241

A/c No 91/2954

Name Mrs. Annie Colgan

Address Muckross Hotel,

Killarney,

Co. Kerry

Date of Death 18/12/75

B.D.P.

Please note and arrange to cancel payment

Date 20-1-76

A.3.

Noted and arrangements made accordingly.

A 5/B.D.P.

Date 02-2-76

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91/2954

3 February
January, 1976

Re: Annie Colgan, late of Muckross Hotel, Killarney.

A Chara

With reference to your letter of 16 January, 1976 regarding the above-named deceased, I am directed by the Minister for Defence to state, that assuming the date of death to be 18 December, 1975, the balance of widow's allowance and pension which is due under the Army Pensions Acts and Defence Forces (Pensions) Schemes to the estate of the deceased amounts to £74.56. There is no death Grant or other death benefit payable. 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 the original Grant of Probate.

The warrants for December, 1975 issued in favour of Mrs. Colgan should be returned for cancellation.

Mise, le meas

M. S. Ó DRISCOLL

RÚNAÍ

Mr. John MÓ'Shea
Solicitor
College Street
Killarney
Co. Kerry

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OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR OF TAXES
FOR PUBLIC DEPARTMENTS,

Hawkins House,
Hawkins Street,
DUBLIN 2.

10.5.76

The Secretary,
Dept. of Defence,
Pension Section/

Re: Mrs. Annie Colgan

Account No. 91.2954

With reference to your notification of the 20.1.76

there is £47.06 Income Tax due.

I attach 41B for same.

The position is
still under review
in taxes 22/6/76.

A.F.2

Further 41B or Note
to follow

D.J.Keane,
Cigire P.D.

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HANNA P
Kannadg Uim

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24 November 1976

Re: Annie Colgan, late of Muckcross Hotel, Killarney.

A Chara

With reference to this Department's letter of 3rd February 1976 relative to the above named, I am directed by the Minister for Defence to enquire whether you are now in a position to forward the original Grant of Probate to this office for noting.

Mise le meas

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RUNAI

Mr John O'Shea
Solicitor
College Street
Killarney
CO KERRY

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