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50/APB/1935

O'Anlon John

An Uimhir ag Roinn
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IRB/2616

60 Ferguson Road

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93 Killeen Road
Rathmines
9 Jan. 1933

Mr. J. J. Drury
Minister's office
Dept. of Defence

A Case -

Will you please arrange
to have a form of application
under the new Army Pensions
Act issued to

Mr. John O'Hanlon
60 Ferguson Road
Drumcondra

who wishes to make a claim

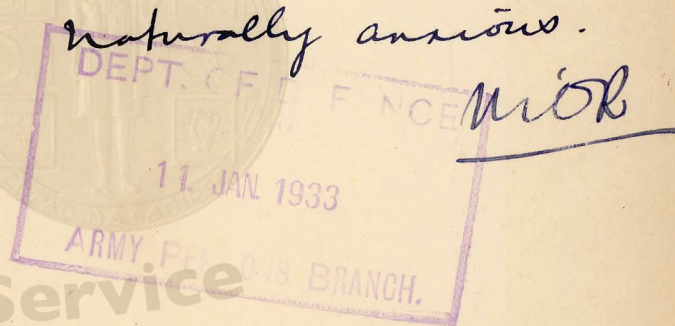
I hope you are keeping
well.

Yours truly

Do care

Martin Ryan

M. I'll be glad to know
when you can send out the
form as my friend is
naturally anxious.



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For attention please
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10th January, 1933.

Martin Ryan Esq.,
23 Killeen Road,
Rathmines,
Dublin.

A Cara,

I have your note of the 9th instant
re John O'Hanlon, 60 Ferguson Road, Drumcondra, and
am arranging for the Pensions Branch to communicate
with him.

Best wishes for the New Year.

Mise do cara,

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60 Ferguson Road,
Draughton,
Dublin.

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The Secretary,
Department of Defence (Pensions Branch),
Parkgate,
Dublin.

27 JAN 1933

DEPT. OF DEFENCE
PENSIONS BRANCH.

Sir,

I beg to apply for a form of application in connection with the Army Pensions Act, 1932.

I was interned in Ballykinlar during 1921 and while a prisoner there was assaulted by a party of British Officers who broke into our hut at night and was hit in the groin with the result that I was ruptured. I have since been wearing a truss, supplied by the British Authorities.

I served in Bolands in 1916, with B Company, 3rd Battn. and served with that unit until the Split following the Treaty. I was arrested in November 1920 and interned until the general release of December 1921. My service can be attested by ex-Maj. Gen. Sean MacMahon, Comdt. Alec Thompson, ex-Capt. Sean O'Keeffe, and others.

In the hut when I was injured were Michael Hayes, Conor McGinley, Martin Ryan, Mark Wilson, Micheal O Loingsigh, Leo Henderson, and Peter Burns (Belfast).

Yours faithfully,

John O'Hanlon

No record of any
application under
A. P. Acts 1923 & 1927.

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ARMY PENSIONS ACT, 1932.

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Application for a Wound or Disease Pension or a Gratuity under Section 10 of the Army Pensions Act, 1932.

DEPT. OF DEFENCE
RECEIVED
21 JUN 1933
ARMY PENSIONS BRANCH.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE OF THIS FORM.

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

FORM PC8 ISSUED
23 JUNE 33

No name written
ap. 1933 & 1927.
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Name of Applicant (To be written in Block Capitals).....
O'HANLON (Surname)
JOHN (Christian Names)

Age last Birthday..... 58

Present Address..... 60 FERGUSON ROAD, DRUMCONDRA, DUBLIN

Nearest Garda Síochána Station..... MOUNTJOY STATION, N. CR.

Distance of Nearest Railway Station from Residence..... ✓

Distance of Nearest Bus Route from Residence..... ✓

Whether Railway or Bus is the more economical..... ✓

Method of Transport between residence and Dublin..... ✓

NOTE.—Before answering the questions below, the person making the declaration at the foot of this form is to note that:—

- (a) The statement made by him will be checked.

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

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

(Section 12 (1) of Army Pensions Act, 1923, as applied by Army Pensions Act, 1932.)

- (b) In answering question 3D (1) any special circumstances involved in applicant's service which, it is considered caused any unfitness from which he may be suffering should be clearly stated.

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

1. Give particulars of applicant's service in any of the undermentioned Organisations:

ORGANISATION	Period of Service*		In what capacity he served	In what areas he served	Name of his Commanding Officer
	From	To			
(a) Oglagh na h-Eireann (Irish Republican Army)	Nov. 1913	1922	VOLUNTEER	DUBLIN BATT. III B COMPANY AREA	(a) Seán MacMahon
(b) Irish Volunteers					(b) Seán Quinn (deceased)
(c) Irish Citizen Army					(c) Seán O'Keeffe
(d) Fianna Eireann					(d) Chris. Ryan
(e) Hibernian Rifles					[Batt. C.O.
(f) Cumann na mBan					(a) E. de Valera (b) Jos. O'Connor]

* If the Service was not continuous throughout particulars of the period or periods of actual military service should be stated.

2. What is the nature of any wound or disease for which applicant now claims a pension?

Wound brought on by assault by British officers

- 3 (a) When, where, and in what circumstances was any such wound received or such disease contracted?

During raid on Hut 35 at night in Ballykinlar (No. 2) Camp during 1921 while applicant was interned

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

Camp Commandant: LEO HENDERSON

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

LEO HENDERSON, MARK WILSON, MARTIN RYAN, MICHAEL O'LOUGHSIGH.

3D. Replies to questions 3D. (i) to (v) to be filled in **only** by applicants in respect of Disease.

- (i) In what way is it claimed that applicant's disease is connected with his Military Service, and what are the grounds for the claim?
(A detailed statement of the facts with dates should be given.)

Applicant was arrested following Nov. 21, 1920 and interned in Ballykinlar. During or because of trouble between the prisoners & the British, the garrison officers carried out a raid on the huts & knocked the prisoners about, in the course of which applicant was injured.

- (ii) Were there any particular conditions affecting applicant's service which it is claimed caused the disability or disabilities? Did the applicant suffer from any illness during the period of his service? If so, give particulars, including any treatment received.

Applicant reported injury through his own prisoner medical officers. ~~British~~ (ex Capt Michael O'Connor, A.M.S. of listowel). British applied a truss, recommended an operation which Camp Council instructed applicant to refuse.

- (iii) Give particulars of the applicant's health for the 3 years prior to joining the particular Force in which it is claimed he incurred the disability (or disabilities). If possible, certificates should be furnished:—

- (a) from his doctor, and
(b) from his approved Society for the 3 years prior to joining the particular Force, or if he was not an insured person, certificates should be furnished by the Medical Practitioner who ordinarily attended him during these 3 years. A statement will also be required from his Employer or Employers in respect of the 3 years prior to his joining the particular Force.

Applicant suffered illness at no time prior to the injury claimed for, except for 3 weeks during 1918 influenza epidemic.

- (iv) Give the names and addresses of the applicant's Employers:

- (a) During the 3 years prior to joining the particular Military Force in which it is claimed he contracted any disability referred to in the reply to Question 2 above.

Dublin Corporation
as Park Ranger

- (b) During the period of his Military Service referred to at 1.

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

(v) Was the applicant at any time prior to his service referred to at 1, a candidate for any appointment which necessitated a medical examination? If so, state the nature of the appointment and the result of the medical examination.

~~No~~. Passed the doctor
on entry into the Corporation
Service as a permanent
officer, about 1905 or 1906

4. Give the names of the hospitals where the applicant has been treated for any Wound or Disease stated in reply to Question 2 above, and the approximate dates of admissions and Discharges.

None
✓

5. Did the applicant suffer from any Wound or Disease mentioned in above answer to Question 2, or anything like it, prior to his service as stated in reply to question 1? If so, give details and dates.

No

6. Give the names of any hospitals in which the applicant received treatment as an in-patient or an out-patient, prior to the period of his service, and the nature of the ailment for which treatment was provided.

none

7. What was the nature of the applicant's employment?

(a) Before his Military Service referred to at 1. (State name and address of last employer).

(b) During the period of his Military Service referred to at 1.

(c) After the cessation of his Military Service referred to at 1.

Mark Ranger in service
of Dublin Corporation

8. Give particulars of any period, or periods, of unemployment since the cessation of the applicant's Military Service, and the cause of it (e.g., trade depression, ill-health, etc.).

None

9. Has the applicant received compensation from his Employer, or from any person or body in respect of any accident, injury, or disease. If so, give full particulars and state the amount of such compensation.

No.

10. Give the names and addresses of

any doctors who attended the applicant since the cessation of his Military Service, and particulars of the ailments for which they attended him.

None

11. If the applicant has been treated at a hospital (either as an in-patient or an out-patient) since the cessation of his Military Service, give the name of the hospital or hospitals, dates of admission, or commencement of treatment, and the nature of the ailment for which treated.

None

12. Give particulars of the applicant's health since the cessation of his Military Service. These should be supported by:—

- (a) medical certificates from any civilian doctors who have attended him and reports from non-military hospitals he has attended;
- (b) certificates from his employers as to health and time lost.

While applicant at times suffered from the injury claimed for, owing to the nature of his particular employment he was able to carry on without break or loss of time.

13. Has the applicant received, in respect of any wound or disease mentioned in answer to Question 2 above, any payment;

- (a) on a decree under the Criminal Injuries (Ireland) Acts, 1919 and 1920;
- (b) on an award made by the Personal Injuries Committee;
- (c) From or on behalf of the person alleged to be responsible for the act which caused such wound;
- (d) from any other source.

No.

If so, give full particulars.

14. Give the name of the applicant's National Health Approved Society and (if possible) his Membership Number.

None

15. Has the applicant at any time since the cessation of his Military Service been registered at a Labour Exchange? If so, give particulars as to the name of the Exchange and the period.

No.

16. Is there any other information

which you can give, which is material to the Applicant's claim?

(Note.—Section 10 (5) of the Army Pensions Act, 1932).

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

No.

18. Did the applicant make a claim for a pension or gratuity in respect of any wound or disease referred to at Question 2 above under the Army Pensions Acts, 1923, and 1927? If so, what was the result of his claim?

No.

19. Give particulars of any pension or gratuity awarded to the applicant under the Army Pensions Act, 1923, or under the Army Pensions Act, 1927, in respect of a wound or injury received or disease contracted in the course of duty with the Irish Volunteers, Irish Citizen Army, 1916, or National Army.

None

20. Has the applicant served at any period with any of the following Military or Police Forces: (a) British; (b) Australian; (c) New Zealand; (d) South African; (e) Canadian; (f) American (U.S.A.); (g) Royal Irish Constabulary; (h) Dublin Metropolitan Police; (i) Gárda Síochána; (j) National Army; (k) Defence Forces. If so, give particulars of service.

No.

21. (a) Give full particulars of any pension allowance or gratuity which the applicant holds, or at any time held in respect of any wound or injury received in or disease contracted in the services mentioned in your reply to above question.

None

- (b) State clearly the source from which payment of such pension allowance or gratuity is made or has been made.

Additional particulars to be given if by reason of applicant being a married man a further pension in accordance with the terms of the Act is claimed.

22. If applicant's wife is alive:—

- (a) State the date of his marriage.

- (b) State the name of his wife.

Mary

(c) Is his wife dependent on him? *yes*

(d) Does she ordinarily reside with him? (Certificate of marriage to be attached.) *yes*

23. (a) If the applicant's wife is dead, or the marriage has been annulled or dissolved, state the names and ages of any:

Sons under 18 years of age.

Unmarried Daughters under 21 years of age.

(Certificates of birth of living children to be attached.)

(b) State whether the children mentioned above are dependent on the applicant, and where they are living.

(c) State whether any of the above children are married.

I declare that—

(a) I am the applicant mentioned in the foregoing particulars.

(b) the said particulars have been read over by **or** to me before signing this declaration,

(c) the said particulars are true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Signature of Applicant *John O Hanlon*

Address of Applicant *60 Ferguson Road*

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

I declare that—

(a) this application is made by me on behalf of the above mentioned applicant,

(b) that the foregoing particulars have been read over by **or** to me before signing this declaration,

(c) that the said particulars are true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Signature of Declarant

Address

Description

Signature of Witness *James J. Hanlon*

Address *29 Yontemoy St. Dublin*

(See Note overleaf)

Qualification *Catholic Priest*

Date *9th June 1933*

NOTE.—To be signed by one of the following:—

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

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Department of Defence,
Military Service Registration Board,
Collins Barracks, Dublin.

Ref. No. 1/RB/2616.

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ARMY PENSIONS ACT, 1932.

A Chara,

An application having been made under the above Act by John O'Hanlon of 60 Ferguson Road Drumcondra for a Pension or Gratuity in respect of Military Service, and it having been stated therein that in the period 1921 Ballykinlar to Rupture. said applicant was under treatment in your Hospital, it is requested that you will be good enough to give the particulars asked for hereunder to enable the Board to deal with the application.

Mise, le meas,

T.J. MARKHAM,

To: Dr. M. O'Connor

DD Runai.

Lisdown Hospital.

Dr. Henry.

applicant claims his Rupture which he attributes to assault by British soldiers at 35 No 2 camp Ballykinlar during trouble between the Garrison and the Prisoners in 1921.

Queries:

(1) Was applicant under treatment in the period stated above or in any other period? yes

If so -

(2) From what disease or disability was applicant suffering?

Stomach trouble (dyspepsia)

(3) On what date and in what condition was applicant finally discharged?

probably at General Release in December 1921

I declare above statements to be true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

SIGNATURE:

h. O'Connor

Superiress)

Matron)

Superintendent)

Date)

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NOTE: No part of this form is to be detached; it is to be returned complete to the Military Service Registration Board in the enclosed addressed envelope which need not be stamped.

TWE SQUARE,
LISTSWELL,
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I certify that I attended
John O'Hanlon following a night
raid on the huts by British
officers before the Truce about July
1921. he received an injury
to his groin which was followed
by a hernia.

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MO. No. 2 Camp.

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ARMY PENSIONS ACT, 1932.

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

Registered No. of Applicant I/RB/2616.
Name of Applicant..... O'Hanlon, John
Address of Applicant..... 60, Ferguson Road,
..... Drumcondra.

WHEREAS an application for the grant of a pension or gratuity to the said applicant has been referred to us by the Minister for Defence under Section 8 of the Army Pensions Act, 1932;
NOW, We, the Military Service Registration Board, in pursuance of the said Section 8, hereby certify as follows:—
1. ~~The applicant was not at any time a member of any organisation to which Part II of the said Act applies.~~

or

The applicant was a member of..... Oglaigh na h-Eireann (I.R.A.)
(State organisation or organisations of which applicant was a member).

2. ~~The applicant was not engaged in military service within the meaning of Part II of the said Act.~~

or

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

Organisation or organisations of which applicant was a member	Particulars of military service		
	(*) Period of service		Nature and extent of military service
	From	To	
Oglaigh na h-Eireann (Irish Republican Army)	1916	1923	Volunteer, Dublin Brigade.
Irish Volunteers	-	-	-
Irish Citizen Army	-	-	-
Fianna Eireann	-	-	-
Hibernian Rifles	-	-	-
Cumann na mBan	-	-	-

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

3. ~~The applicant did not receive a wound or injury while engaged in military service.~~

or

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

- (a) Nature of wound or injury Injury to Groin.
(b) Date on which wound or injury was received July, 1921.

(c) Circumstances in which wound or injury was received

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

NIL.

4. The applicant did not contract any disease during his military service.

or

~~The applicant contracted a disease during his military service and the following are the particulars of such disease:—~~

(a) Nature of disease

(b) Actual conditions under which applicant performed his military service

(c) Particulars of any illness from which the applicant suffered during his military service

(d) Detailed report on the applicant's statements in reply to questions 3 D (i) and (ii) in the application of the applicant

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

5. *

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

Signed.....

Chairman

Member

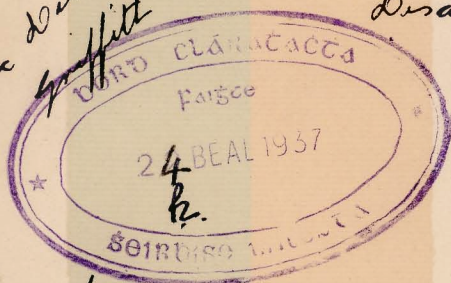
Member

of
Military
Service
Registration
Board

Dated this..... day of..... 1936

60 Ferguson Road
Drumcondra

So. Sec Disability Pension Board
Griffiths
Bannocks



Disability Pension claim
Reference No 1/R.B./2616

Scps

I Sean O Hanlon of above address was called before your Board on January 1937. and as I could not get off from my work to go into St. Brigid's Hospital at that time your Board told me that if I would satisfy them as to when I was getting my Holidays that they would have me called during that week I am now in the position to let your Board know that I can have my Holidays any week in the month of June I would therefore be very grateful if your Board would let me know what week in June would suite them.

In thanking you for Early & Favourable Reply

yours cc. mcs

Sean O Hanlon

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Secretary

A.P.B.

The attached letter,
not acknowledged, would
appear to be for you.

By
J. S. Ruman

M.S.R.6

26.5.37

Reference No. 50/APB/1935

Expiry of
current Award.

(Wound or Disease).

MEDICAL REPORT ON AN EX-MEMBER OF OGLAIGH NA h-EIREANN (I.R.A.).

Name John O'Hanlon

Army No.

Rank

Unit and Corps

Age last Birthday 62

Date of entry into Service 1916

Date of discharge from Service 1923

Former trade or occupation

Home Address 60, Ferguson Road,
Drumcondra, DUBLIN.

NOTE:—The foregoing particulars are to be filled in by the Medical Board before the man presents himself for examination by the Board.

Statement of Case by the Medical Board.

1. State concisely the essential facts of the history of each disability recorded in the man's Medical History, and other relevant official documents, giving (a) date and place of origin of the disability, and other relevant particulars of the history; to these should be added (b) any supplementary details given by the man himself; when such details are from the man's own statements only, this will be clearly indicated.

Applicant claims for injury to groin sustained while a prisoner in Ballykinlar Camp in July, 1921.

Treated for injury by Dr. M.O'Connor, a fellow prisoner, now of Listowel, Co.Kerry.

2. Was an operation performed?
If so, when, and what was its nature?

No.

3. If an operation was advised and declined, was the refusal unreasonable?

N.A.

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Opinion of the Medical Board.

NOTES:—

1. Clear and definite answers are to be filled in by the Board, as in the event of a man suffering from a disability it is essential that the Army Pensions Board should be in possession of full and accurate information to enable them to report upon the man's claim to pension.

Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," etc., are to be avoided.

2. A report is to be made on any disability claimed. If it is found not to exist, this should be made clear. If it exists but it is not considered to be attributable to any form of military service, it should be reported on as fully as if it were attributable to service. The words "no disability" should never be used as equivalent to "no disability attributable to Service."

4. State precisely the nature of the wound or injury, or disease.

Right Inguinal Hernia.

5. (1) Give the diagnosis and particulars of any disability claimed or discovered (1), (2), (3), etc.

(2)

(3)

6. The present condition thereof, giving—

(i.) Symptoms and physical signs.

(ii.) Effect of disability on function.

Applicant states that a right Inguinal Hernia, which is controlled by a Truss, limits his activity.

Small right Inguinal Hernia present. Reducible.

7. Disability or disabilities in respect of which the claim for compensation should be considered (1), (2), (3), as per para. 5. (If no disability exists, enter Nil).

8. State whether each disability (as per para. 5) is attributable to

Wound,
Injury, or
Disease, attributable to
service in the Forces.

Injury attributable to Military
Service in Oglaigh na h-Eireann.
(I.R.A.).

9. If the claim is in respect of a wound or injury attributable to service in the Forces, is the present condition solely due to that wound or injury?

10. Does the man claim in respect of any other disability from which he suffered during service with the Forces or in respect of a disability (naming it) medically identifiable with it?

11. If the man makes a claim as per paragraph 9, or 10:

(a) Had the man recovered from the disability before his discharge?

(b) If not, is it established that the present disability is continuous with that claimed for per paragraph 9 or 10, and that it is not a fresh attack unconnected with his service?

(i.) Is there direct evidence consisting entirely of medical reports and certificates covering the period since his discharge?

(ii.) Is there a continuous history of overt symptoms of ill-health since discharge, established by evidence partly or wholly of a non-medical character?

- (c) Where a part of the period since discharge is not covered by evidence, is it considered that the disability must have persisted throughout, and, if so, for what reasons?

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12. If the man claims in respect of a disability attributable to service, but that such disability arose subsequent to discharge, what evidence is there in support of the claim that the disability claimed for is attributable to service?

- (a) Has this been established by a continuous history of overt symptoms of ill-health since discharge, consisting of evidence partly or wholly of a non-medical character?

- (b) Where a part of the period since discharge is not covered by evidence, is it considered that the disability must have persisted throughout, and, if so, for what reasons?

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13. If evidence is furnished of a continuous medical history state whether—

- (a) The disability from which the person is now suffering is attributable to his service with the Forces;

- (b) State briefly the reasons for the opinion given in answer to (a), and if the answer is in the affirmative, the nature of the conditions (as stated by claimant) which caused the disability.

14. If no evidence of a continuous medical history is furnished, but the disability is one which for certain reasons the Board hold to be attributable to the conditions of the person's service in the Forces, state fully the medical grounds for the opinion and the evidence on which it is based (where the Board consider that the medical evidence for and against the claimant is not sufficiently definite, or otherwise feel doubt as to the expression of a confident opinion one way or the other on the question of entitlement, they may leave the question unanswered and instead set out in their report the pros and cons of the medical evidence).

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15. If there is evidence that any disability was due to serious negligence or misconduct on the part of the man, such evidence will be recorded here.

No.

16. Is the disability in a final condition?

No.

If not—

How long is the present degree of disablement likely to last?

2 years.

17. At what period will the Board require a further Examination?

2 years.

18. Does the man require further treatment? Is further treatment likely to benefit his condition, and if so, to what extent?

No. Operative treatment considered inadvisable owing to applicant's age.

19. In the case of an amputated limb the following particulars will be entered—

(1) Limb affected.

(2) Site of amputation.

(3) Measurement of stump as defined in the fourth schedule of the Act.

(4) How long is stump soundly healed?

N.A.

(5) Is patient fitted with an artificial limb?

20. Report of any X-Ray examination. Diagram or radiograph where available to be attached.

N.A.

21. Report (if any) of oculist, dentist, pathologist, or other specialist to be attached.

See Pathologist's report.

22. Does the claimant's disability require any Surgical or Medical appliance? If so, state what appliance is needed.

No. Applicant is wearing a truss.

23 In the case of a nerve injury, the following particulars will be required:—

- (1) Nerve involved.
- (2) Muscles affected.
- (3) Area of loss of sensation—
 - (i) to pinprick.
 - (ii) to cotton wool.
- (4) Reaction to faradism.
- (5) Reaction to galvanism.
- (6) Is R.D. present?

Indicate on charts (and attach) where possible the site and extent of the injury.

N.A.

ASSESSMENT.

24 What is the degree of disablement at which, in the Board's opinion, claimant should be assessed, having regard to his present condition?

20% (twenty) for 2 years.

25. What is the degree of disablement attributable to service (where there is more than one disablement separate assessments should be shown)?

20% (twenty) for 2 years.

Assessment to be stated in words as well as in figures.

Signatures:—

Wiceat thee Muddooz CHAIRMAN.

Camdun T. H. gain

Kulue In arden

} Members

Date..... 16th JUNE, 1937.

PATHOLOGICAL REPORT

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50/APB/1935 - SEAN O'HANLON.

URINE : Acid 1012, albumin and
 sugar negative.

Date. 8.6.37.

SIGNED. M.H.O'CONNOR. COMMDT.AMS.

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STATEMENT OF JOHN O'HANLON.

I am 60 years of age. I was interned in Ballykinlar in 1920-21. There was a prisoners' strike on and one Saturday night going on to midnight British Officers broke into the huts. I was struck or kicked on the right groin and knocked unconscious. I noticed a lump on the groin the following morning and a British Doctor and Prisoner Doctor (Dr. O'Connor) were called in. I was taken to Hospital that day and was there for a week or fortnight. I was supplied with a truss and the British Authorities wanted me to undergo operation but the Camp Council would not allow me. I was released a month before the General Release.

SIGNED:

John O'Hanlon

WITNESS:

J. S. McNeill

ST. BRICIN'S HOSPITAL,
DUBLIN.

16th JUNE, 1937.

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ARMY PENSIONS ACT, 1932.

**REPORT BY ARMY PENSIONS BOARD ON AN APPLICATION FOR
A WOUND OR DISEASE PENSION, OR A GRATUITY UNDER
SECTION 10 OF THE ABOVE-MENTIONED ACT.**

Ref. No.

Ref. No. 50/APB/1935.

To the Army Pensions Board.

To the Minister for Defence.

I am directed by the Minister for Defence
to transmit the accompanying application

of John O'Shanlon
60 Ferguson Road, Drumcondra,
Dublin.

for report and investigation in accordance
with the Army Pensions Board (Investiga-
tion of Applications under Part II of the
Army Pensions Act, 1932) Regulations
1933. The relevant service certificate is
also sent herewith. The report should
take the form of replies to the questions
set out herewith.

The following members of the Army
Pensions Board attended:—

Mr. Michael Murney.

Dr. E. O Hogain.

Capt. H. Macken.

The report of the Board is as follows:—

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

Date 23 Dec 36

Signed

Michael Mac Mahon
Chairman of the Board.

Date 16th June, 1937.

1. What is the nature of the disablement
(or disablements) from which the applicant
suffers?

Right Inguinal Hernia.

2. What is the cause of the disablement
or disablements?

Disablement due to injury
attributable to Military Service
in Oglagh na h-Eireann (I.R.A).

3. (In case it appears from the service
certificate that the applicant received a
wound or injury while engaged in military
service) is the disablement due to the
wound or injury stated in the service cer-
tificate issued in respect of the applicant
to have been received by the applicant
while engaged in military service.

YES.

4. (In case it appears from the service
certificate that the applicant contracted a
disease during his military service) is the
disablement caused by the disease stated
in the service certificate issued in respect
of the applicant to have been contracted
by the applicant during his military
service?

N.A.

5. What is the present degree of disablement of the applicant—assessing separately, where necessary, the disablement in each case.

(twenty)

20 per cent. 2 years months.

6. Was the disablement attributable to the applicant's own serious negligence or misconduct?

No.

7. Is the disablement permanent or temporary? If permanent, is it in its final condition?

Temporary.

8. Would medical or surgical treatment prove beneficial, and, if so, to what extent?

) No. Operative treatment
) considered inadvisable owing
) to his age.

9. State the nature and the duration of the treatment recommended, and how it may be best carried out?

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)
)

10. Is the provision of any medical or surgical appliance considered necessary?

No.

11. Were there any special circumstances connected with this case which the Board consider should be taken into consideration by the Minister? (Note section 10 (5) of the Army Pensions Act, 1932.)

N.A.

12. Was applicant medically examined by the Board?

The applicant was examined by the Medical Members of the Board, who assessed his disability at 20% (twenty).

The Board, having considered the case, recommend that a pension of 20% (twenty) be awarded for 2 years.

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D.P. 6257

8 September, 1937

A Chara,

I am directed by the Minister for Defence to refer to your claim under the Army Pensions Act, 1932, and to request you to state the date of your marriage. A copy of your marriage certificate should be furnished if you were married prior to July, 1921.

Mise, le meas,

J. J. Horgan

as Rúnaí.

Mr. John O'Hanlon,
60, Ferguson Road,
Drumcondra,
DUBLIN.

8/9/37
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Initials.....

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The Secretary

Minister of Defence

Parkgate Street

Dublin

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60. Leurguen Road

Drumcondra

Ref. No.

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13 SEP 1937

Sir

Re yours of the 8th September
1937. in which you ask for my
marriage certificate. I am enclosing
same in this envelope

Trusting same will be satisfactory

Yours etc. etc.

John C Hanlon

To. Secretary

Minister of Defence

Perkgate Street

50/1935

Mr Hanlon

10/9/37

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CHURCH OF ST. ANDREW,

WESTLAND-ROW,

DUBLIN,

20th day of April 1933

I Certify that John O'Hanlon

and Mary Doran

were lawfully Married, according to the Rite of the Catholic Church, on the

7th day of January A.D. 1907 in the

presence of Thomas Rockford

and Kallteer O'Hanlon as appears,

from the Marriage Register of the United Parishes of St. Andrew, St. Mark

St. Peter, and St. Anne, kept in the Church of St. Andrew, Westland Row Dublin.

Seamus Tinsley

Curate of said Parishes.

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Army Pensions Acts, 1923-'32.

I. Name of Applicant

John O'Hanlon

2. Amount of Pension
~~Allowance~~
Gratuity

£30 p^a 0 2/3 p^a wh from 1/4/32 & 55/6/39.

55
1819.

A.P.19)
3. ~~A.P.20~~)
~~A.P.21~~)

Checked

11/1/37

4. Relative documents to D/Finance

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Reference No...50/APB/1935.....

Expiry of
current Award.

(Wound or Disease).

MEDICAL REPORT ON AN EX-MEMBER OF OGLAIGH NA HEIREANN (I.R.A.).Name **John O'Hanlon.**

Army No.

Rank

Unit and Corps

Age last Birthday **64.**Date of entry into Service **1916.**Date of discharge from Service **1923.**

Former trade or occupation

Home Address **60, Ferguson Road,
Drumcondra, Dublin.**

NOTE:—The foregoing particulars are to be filled in by the Medical Board before the man presents himself for examination by the Board.

Statement of Case by the Medical Board.

1. State concisely the essential facts of the history of each disability recorded in the man's Medical History, and other relevant official documents, giving (a) date and place of origin of the disability, and other relevant particulars of the history; to these should be added (b) any supplementary details given by the man himself; when such details are from the man's own statements only, this will be clearly indicated.

For history of case see previous

Board's report dated 16th June, 1937.

2. Was an operation performed?
If so, when, and what was its nature?

No.

3. If an operation was advised and declined, was the refusal unreasonable?

N.A.

Opinion of the Medical Board.

NOTES:—

1. Clear and definite answers are to be filled in by the Board, as in the event of a man suffering from a disability it is essential that the Army Pensions Board should be in possession of full and accurate information to enable them to report upon the man's claim to pension.

Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," etc., are to be avoided.

2. A report is to be made on any disability claimed. If it is found not to exist, this should be made clear. If it exists but it is not considered to be attributable to any form of military service, it should be reported on as fully as if it were attributable to service. The words "no disability" should never be used as equivalent to "no disability attributable to Service."

4. State precisely the nature of the wound or injury, or disease.

Right Inguinal Hernia..

5. (1) Give the diagnosis and particulars of any disability claimed or discovered (1), (2), (3), etc.

(2)

(3)

6. The present condition thereof, giving—
 - (i.) Symptoms and physical signs.
 - (ii.) Effect of disability on function.

Applicant's condition shows no change since his previous examination by the Board.

7. Disability or disabilities in respect of which the claim for compensation should be considered (1), (2), (3), as per para. 5. (If no disability exists, enter Nil).

8. State whether each disability (as per para. 5) is attributable to

Wound,
Injury, or
Disease, attributable to
service in the Forces.

Injury attributable to Military service
in Oglagh na hEireann (I.R.A.)

9. If the claim is in respect of a wound or injury attributable to service in the Forces, is the present condition solely due to that wound or injury?

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10. Does the man claim in respect of any other disability from which he suffered during service with the Forces or in respect of a disability (naming it) medically identifiable with it?

11. If the man makes a claim as per paragraph 9, or 10:

(a) Had the man recovered from the disability before his discharge?

(b) If not, is it established that the present disability is continuous with that claimed for per paragraph 9 or 10, and that it is not a fresh attack unconnected with his service?

(i.) Is there direct evidence consisting entirely of medical reports and certificates covering the period since his discharge?

(ii.) Is there a continuous history of overt symptoms of ill-health since discharge, established by evidence partly or wholly of a non-medical character?

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- (c) Where a part of the period since discharge is not covered by evidence, is it considered that the disability must have persisted throughout, and, if so, for what reasons?

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12. If the man claims in respect of a disability attributable to service, but that such disability arose subsequent to discharge, what evidence is there in support of the claim that the disability claimed for is attributable to service?

- (a) Has this been established by a continuous history of overt symptoms of ill-health since discharge, consisting of evidence partly or wholly of a non-medical character?

- (b) Where a part of the period since discharge is not covered by evidence, is it considered that the disability must have persisted throughout, and, if so, for what reasons?

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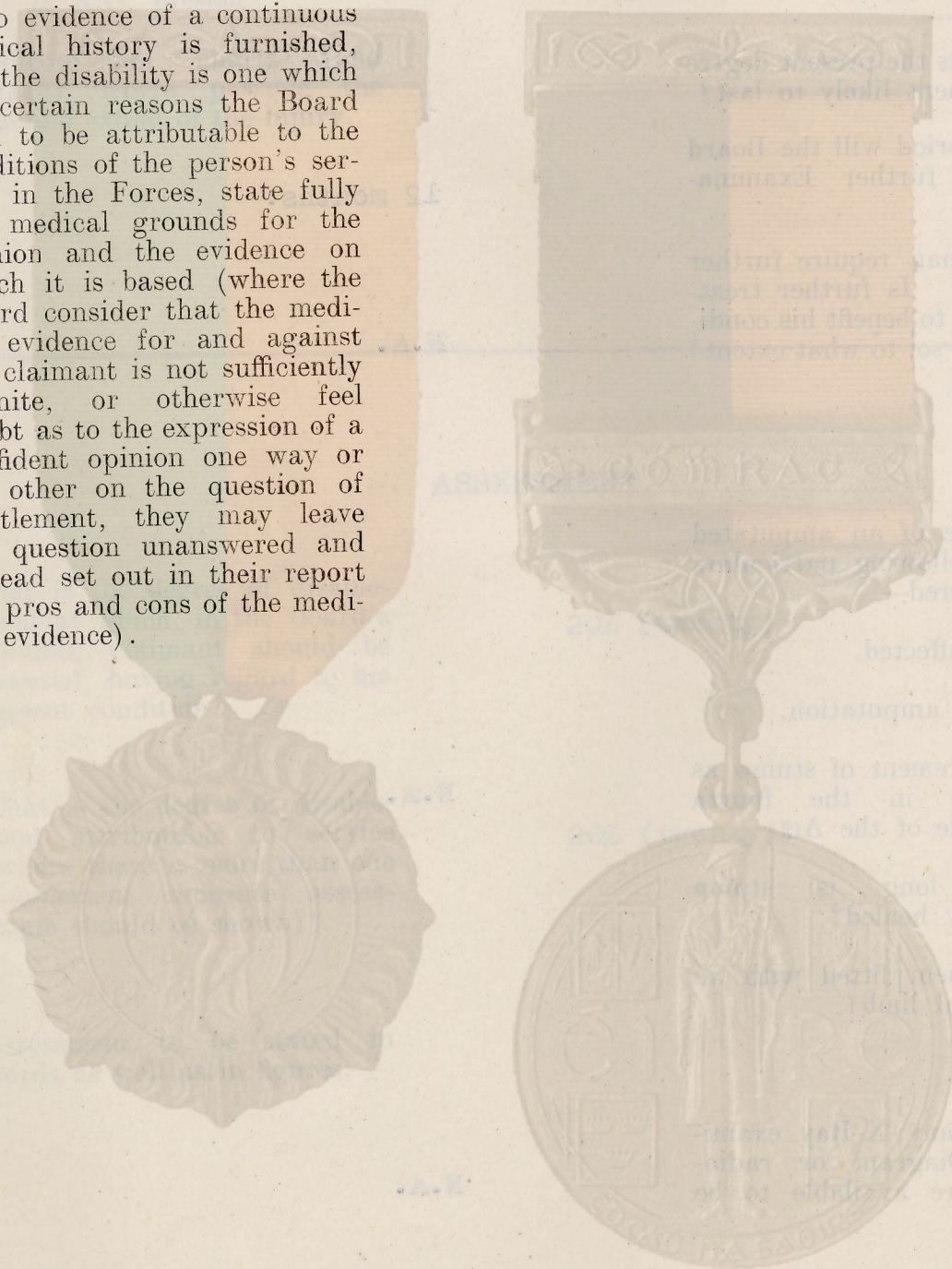
13. If evidence is furnished of a continuous medical history state whether—

- (a) The disability from which the person is now suffering is attributable to his service with the Forces;

- (b) State briefly the reasons for the opinion given in answer to (a), and if the answer is in the affirmative, the nature of the conditions (as stated by claimant) which caused the disability.

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14. If no evidence of a continuous medical history is furnished, but the disability is one which for certain reasons the Board hold to be attributable to the conditions of the person's service in the Forces, state fully the medical grounds for the opinion and the evidence on which it is based (where the Board consider that the medical evidence for and against the claimant is not sufficiently definite, or otherwise feel doubt as to the expression of a confident opinion one way or the other on the question of entitlement, they may leave the question unanswered and instead set out in their report the pros and cons of the medical evidence).



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15. If there is evidence that any disability was due to serious negligence or misconduct on the part of the man, such evidence will be recorded here.

N.A.

16. Is the disability in a final condition?

Not final.

If not—

How long is the present degree of disablement likely to last?

17. At what period will the Board require a further Examination?

12 months.

18. Does the man require further treatment? Is further treatment likely to benefit his condition, and if so, to what extent?

N.A.

19. In the case of an amputated limb the following particulars will be entered—

- (1) Limb affected.
- (2) Site of amputation.
- (3) Measurement of stump as defined in the fourth schedule of the Act.
- (4) How long is stump soundly healed?
- (5) Is patient fitted with an artificial limb?

N.A.

20. Report of any X-Ray examination. Diagram or radiograph where available to be attached.

N.A.

21. Report (if any) of oculist, dentist, pathologist, or other specialist to be attached.

N.A.

22. Does the claimant's disability require any Surgical or Medical appliance? If so, state what appliance is needed.

N.A.

23. In the case of a nerve injury, the following particulars will be required:—

- (1) Nerve involved.
- (2) Muscles affected.
- (3) Area of loss of sensation—
 - (i) to pinprick.
 - (ii) to cotton wool.
- (4) Reaction to faradism.
- (5) Reaction to galvanism.
- (6) Is R.D. present?

Indicate on charts (and attach) where possible the site and extent of the injury.

N.A.

ASSESSMENT.

24. What is the degree of disablement at which, in the Board's opinion, claimant should be assessed, having regard to his present condition?

20% (twenty)

25. What is the degree of disablement attributable to service (where there is more than one disablement separate assessments should be shown)?

20% (twenty).

Assessment to be stated in words as well as in figures.

Signatures:—

Micéal Mac Mhuirí
Samson Hogan
Hubert Madden

} Members

Date..... 9th June, 1939.

Present award expires 30/6/39.

A.P. 39A.

ARMY PENSIONS ACTS, 1932 AND 1937.

REPORT BY THE ARMY PENSIONS BOARD ON AN APPLICATION FOR
A WOUND OR DISEASE PENSION, OR A GRATUITY UNDER
SECTION 10 OF THE ARMY PENSIONS ACT, 1932.

Ref. No. SP. 6254.

Ref. No. 50/APB/1935.

To the Army Pensions Board.

To the Minister for Defence.

I am directed by the Minister for Defence to transmit the accompanying application

The following members of the Army Pensions Board attended :—

of John O'Hanlon
60 Ferguson Road.
Drumcondra.

Mr. M. Murney.

for report and investigation in accordance with the Army Pensions Board (Investigation of Applications under Part II of the Army Pensions Act, 1932) Regulations, 1933. The relevant service certificate is also sent herewith. The report should take the form of replies to the questions set out herewith.

Dr. E. O Hogain.

Comdt. H. Macken.

The report of the Board is as follows :—

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

Date 24 May 1939

Signed Michael MacKenna

Chairman of the Board.

Date 9th June, 1939.

1. What is the nature of the disablement (or disablements) from which the applicant suffers ?

Right inguinal Hernia.

2. What is the cause of the disablement or disablements ?

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

3. In case it appears from the service certificate that the applicant received a wound or injury while engaged in military service is the disablement due to such wound or injury ?

Yes.

4. In case it appears from the service certificate that there is evidence to show that the applicant contracted a disease during his military service, is the disablement due to such disease ?

N.A.

5. What is the present degree of disablement of the applicant—assessing separately, where necessary, the disablement in each case.

(twenty)

20

.....20.....per cent. for twelve months.

6. Was the disablement attributable to the applicant's own serious negligence or misconduct ?

No.

7. Is the disablement permanent or temporary? If permanent, is it in its final condition?

Not final.

8. Would medical or surgical treatment)
prove beneficial, and, if so, to what)
extent?)

9. State the nature and the duration of the treatment recommended, and how it may be best carried out.

10. Is the provision of any medical or surgical appliance considered necessary?

..N.A..

11. Were there any special circumstances connected with this case which the Board consider should be taken into consideration by the Minister? (Note section 10 (5) of the Army Pensions Act, 1932.)

12. Was applicant medically examined by the Board ?

The applicant was examined, on revision, by the Medical Members of the Board who assessed his disability at 20% (twenty).

The Board having considered the case recommend the award of a pension of 20% (twenty) for twelve months.

Name of Applicant:

John O'Hanlon

Pension
Amount of Allowance
~~Gratuity~~

£30 PA + 2/3 P. WK.

Period of Award: From

1/4/39

to

30/6/40

Section

10 APT 1939

Date referred to D/Finance:

3/7/39



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Reference No.50/APR/1935.....



(Wound or Disease).
Expiry of
current Award.

MEDICAL REPORT ON AN EX-MEMBER OF OGLAIGH NA hEIREANN (I.R.A.).

Name John O'Hanlon

Army No.

Rank

Unit and Corps

Age last Birthday 65

Date of entry into Service 1916

Date of discharge from Service 1923.

Former trade or occupation

Home Address 60, Ferguson Road,
Drumcondra, Dublin.

NOTE:—The foregoing particulars are to be filled in by the Medical Board before the man presents himself for examination by the Board.

Statement of Case by the Medical Board.

1. State concisely the essential facts of the history of each disability recorded in the man's Medical History, and other relevant official documents, giving (a) date and place of origin of the disability, and other relevant particulars of the history; to these should be added (b) any supplementary details given by the man himself; when such details are from the man's own statements only, this will be clearly indicated.

For history of case, see original
Board proceedings dated 10.6.37.

2. Was an operation performed?
If so, when, and what was its nature?

No.

3. If an operation was advised and declined, was the refusal unreasonable?

N.A.

Opinion of the Medical Board.

NOTES :—

1. Clear and definite answers are to be filled in by the Board, as in the event of a man suffering from a disability it is essential that the Army Pensions Board should be in possession of full and accurate information to enable them to report upon the man's claim to pension.

Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," etc., are to be avoided.

2. A report is to be made on any disability claimed. If it is found not to exist, this should be made clear. If it exists but it is not considered to be attributable to any form of military service, it should be reported on as fully as if it were attributable to service. The words "no disability" should never be used as equivalent to "no disability attributable to Service."

- 4 State precisely the nature of the wound or injury, or disease.

Right Inguinal Hernia.

5. (1) Give the diagnosis and particulars of any disability claimed or discovered (1), (2), (3), etc.

(2)

(3)

6. The present condition thereof, giving—

(i.) Symptoms and physical signs.

(ii.) Effect of disability on function.

Applicant complains of weakness in right lower abdomen, he wears a truss to prevent recurrence of hernia.

Examination. Right hernia has not appeared for some time. Right inguinal ring is patent. Slight impulse on coughing present.

Hernia is well controlled by truss.

7. Disability or disabilities in respect of which the claim for compensation should be considered (1), (2), (3), as per para. 5. (If no disability exists, enter Nil).

8. State whether each disability (as per para. 5) is attributable to

Wound,
Injury, or
Disease, attributable to
services in the Forces

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

9. If the claim is in respect of a wound or injury attributable to service in the Forces, is the present condition solely due to that wound or injury?

10. Does the man claim in respect of any other disability from which he suffered during service with the Forces or in respect of a disability (naming it) medically identifiable with it?

11. If the man makes a claim as per paragraph 9, or 10:

(a) Had the man recovered from the disability before his discharge?

(b) If not, is it established that the present disability is continuous with that claimed for per paragraph 9 or 10, and that it is not a fresh attack unconnected with his service?

(i.) Is there direct evidence consisting entirely of medical reports and certificates covering the period since his discharge?

(ii.) Is there a continuous history of overt symptoms of ill-health since discharge, established by evidence partly or wholly of a non-medical character?

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12. If the man claims in respect of a disability attributable to service, but that such disability arose subsequent to discharge, what evidence is there in support of the claim that the disability claimed for is attributable to service?

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13. If evidence is furnished of a continuous medical history state whether—

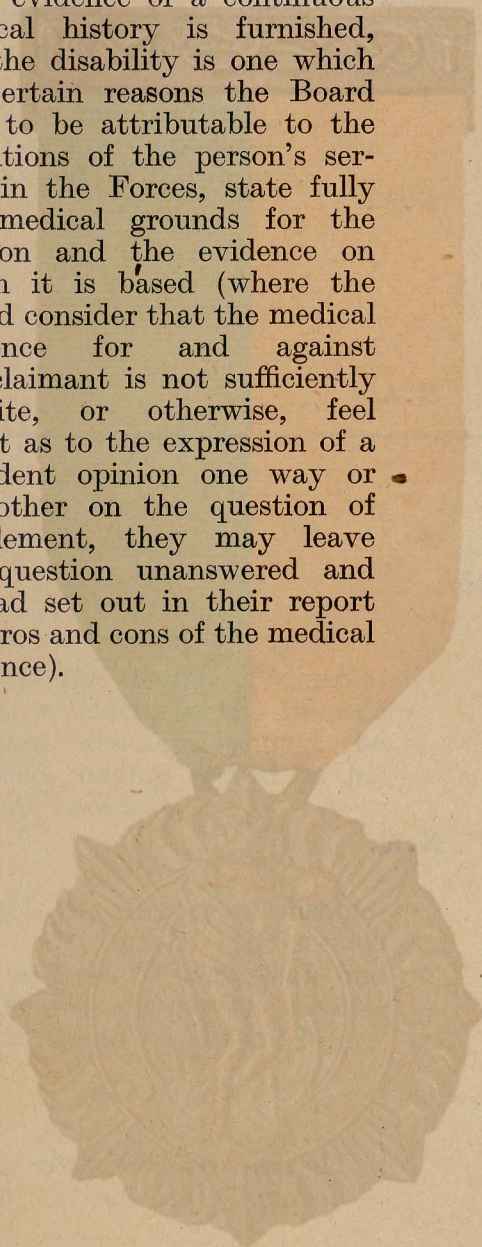
- (a) The disability from which the person is now suffering is attributable to his service with the Forces;

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(b) State briefly the reason for the opinion given in answer to (a), and if the answer is in the affirmative, the nature of the conditions (as stated by claimant) which caused the disability.

14. If no evidence of a continuous medical history is furnished, but the disability is one which for certain reasons the Board hold to be attributable to the conditions of the person's service in the Forces, state fully the medical grounds for the opinion and the evidence on which it is based (where the Board consider that the medical evidence for and against the claimant is not sufficiently definite, or otherwise, feel doubt as to the expression of a confident opinion one way or the other on the question of entitlement, they may leave the question unanswered and instead set out in their report the pros and cons of the medical evidence).

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15. If there is evidence that any disability was due to serious negligence or misconduct on the part of the man, such evidence will be recorded here.

N.A.

16. Is the disability in a final condition?

If not—

How long is the present degree of disablement likely to last?

Not final.

17. At what period will the Board require a further Examination?

N.A.

18. Does the man require further treatment? Is further treatment likely to benefit his condition, and if so, to what extent?

N.A.

19. In the case of an amputated limb the following particulars will be entered—

(1) Limb affected.

(2) Site of amputation.

(3) Measurement of stump as defined in the fourth schedule of the Act.

(4) How long is stump soundly healed?

(5) Is patient fitted with an artificial limb?

N.A.

20. Report of any X-Ray examination. Diagram or radiograph where available to be attached.

N.A.

21. Report (if any) of oculist, dentist, pathologist, or other specialist to be attached.

N.A.

22. Does the claimant's disability require any Surgical or Medical appliance? If so, state what appliance is needed.

N.A.

23. In the case of a nerve injury, the following particulars will be required :—

- (1) Nerve involved.
- (2) Muscles affected.
- (3) Area of loss of sensation—
 - (i) to pinprick.
 - (ii) to cotton wool.
- (4) Reaction to faradism.
- (5) Reaction to galvanism.
- (6) Is R.D. present ?

Indicate on charts (and attach) where possible the site and extent of the injury.

N.A.

ASSESSMENT.

24 What is the degree of disablement at which, in the Board's opinion, claimant should be assessed, having regard to his present condition ?

Less 20% (twenty) (full)

25. What is the degree of disablement attributable to service (where there is more than one disablement separate assessments should be shown) ?

Less 20% (twenty) (full)

Assessment to be stated in words as well as in figures.

Signatures :—

Nijicāl (Haj) Khatunaiq.
Samon J. J. J.
M. J. J. } Members.

Date.....12th July, 1940.

Reconsideration
**REPORT BY THE ARMY PENSIONS BOARD ON AN APPLICATION FOR
A WOUND OR DISEASE PENSION, OR A GRATUITY UNDER
SECTION 10 OF THE ARMY PENSIONS ACT, 1932.**

Ref. No. *SP. 6257.*

Ref. No. *50/APB/1935.*

To the Army Pensions Board.

To the Minister for Defence.

I am directed by the Minister for Defence
to transmit the accompanying application

of *John O'Hanlon*

*60 Ferguson Rd.
Drimcondra, Dublin.*
for report and investigation in accordance
with the Army Pensions Board (Investiga-
tion of Applications under Part II of the
Army Pensions Act, 1932) Regulations,
1937. The relevant service certificate is
also sent herewith. The report should
take the form of replies to the questions
set out herewith.

The following members of the Army
Pensions Board attended :—

Mr. M. Murney.

Dr. E. O. Hogan.

Comdt. H. Macken.

The report of the Board is as follows :—

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

Date *June '40*

*Roinn Coranta
Fáisce
18 IUL 1940
Clárú na Driam
Airgeadair*

Signed *Michael MacFarlane*
Chairman of the Board.

Date *12th July, 1940.*

1. What is the nature of the disablement
(or disablements) from which the applicant
suffers?

Right Inguinal Hernia.

2. What is the cause of the disablement
or disablements?

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

3. In case it appears from the service
certificate that the applicant received a
wound or injury while engaged in mili-
tary service is the disablement due to such
wound or injury?

Yes.

4. In case it appears from the service
certificate that there is evidence to show
that the applicant contracted a disease
during his military service, is the disable-
ment due to such disease?

N.A.

5. What is the present degree of disablement of the applicant—assessing separately, where necessary, the disablement in each case.

.....
Less than 20% (twenty) Full...

.....per cent.....months.

6. Was the disablement attributable to the applicant's own serious negligence or misconduct?

No.

7. Is the disablement permanent or temporary? If permanent, is it in its final condition?

Not final.

8. Would medical or surgical treatment prove beneficial, and, if so, to what extent?

9. State the nature and the duration of the treatment recommended, and how it may be best carried out.

10. Is the provision of any medical or surgical appliance considered necessary?

11. Were there any special circumstances connected with this case which the Board consider should be taken into consideration by the Minister? (Note section 10 (5) of the Army Pensions Act, 1932.)

12. Was applicant medically examined by the Board?

.....
Applicant was examined by the Medical Members of the Board who assessed his disability at less than 20% (twenty) Full.

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The Board having considered the case recommend the award of a gratuity of £75.0.0 (Seventy five pounds).

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Name of Applicant:

John O'Hanlon.

Pension
Amount of Allowance
Gratuity

£75. ~~P.A.~~

Period of Award: From

to

Section

10 A.P.A. 1932.

Date referred to D/Finance:

25 JUL 1940



noted
25/4/40

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