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AIREACTH CHOSANTA
(MINISTRY OF DEFENCE).

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(ARMY FINANCE OFFICE).

Register Number	From whom, number, and date	Officer or Soldier
P.B. 4/P/125.		Name CONSIDINE, MICHAEL Rank <i>Private</i> Unit <i>30th Battr.</i> Army No. <i>28656</i> Date of Death..... Address <i>Colohaninchy, Quilty, P.O.</i> <i>Co. Clare</i> Date of Discharge <i>12/1/1924</i>
<i>(Deceased) Dec 14/1/12</i>		

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AIREACTH CHOSANTA

(MINISTRY OF DEFENCE).

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(ARMY PENSIONS DEPARTMENT).

Register Number	From whom, number, and date	Officer or Soldier
4/12/25 <u>Deceased (see H/D/12.)</u>	<i>Considine Michael</i> <i>Blohamuslee</i> <i>Kilmurry</i> <i>Co. Clare</i>	Name <u>CONSIDINE, Michael</u> Rank <u>97c</u> Unit <u>30th Bn</u> Army No. <u>28656</u> Date of Death _____ Address <u>Blohamuslee</u> Discharge <u>12.1.24</u> <u>Kilmurry Co. Clare</u>

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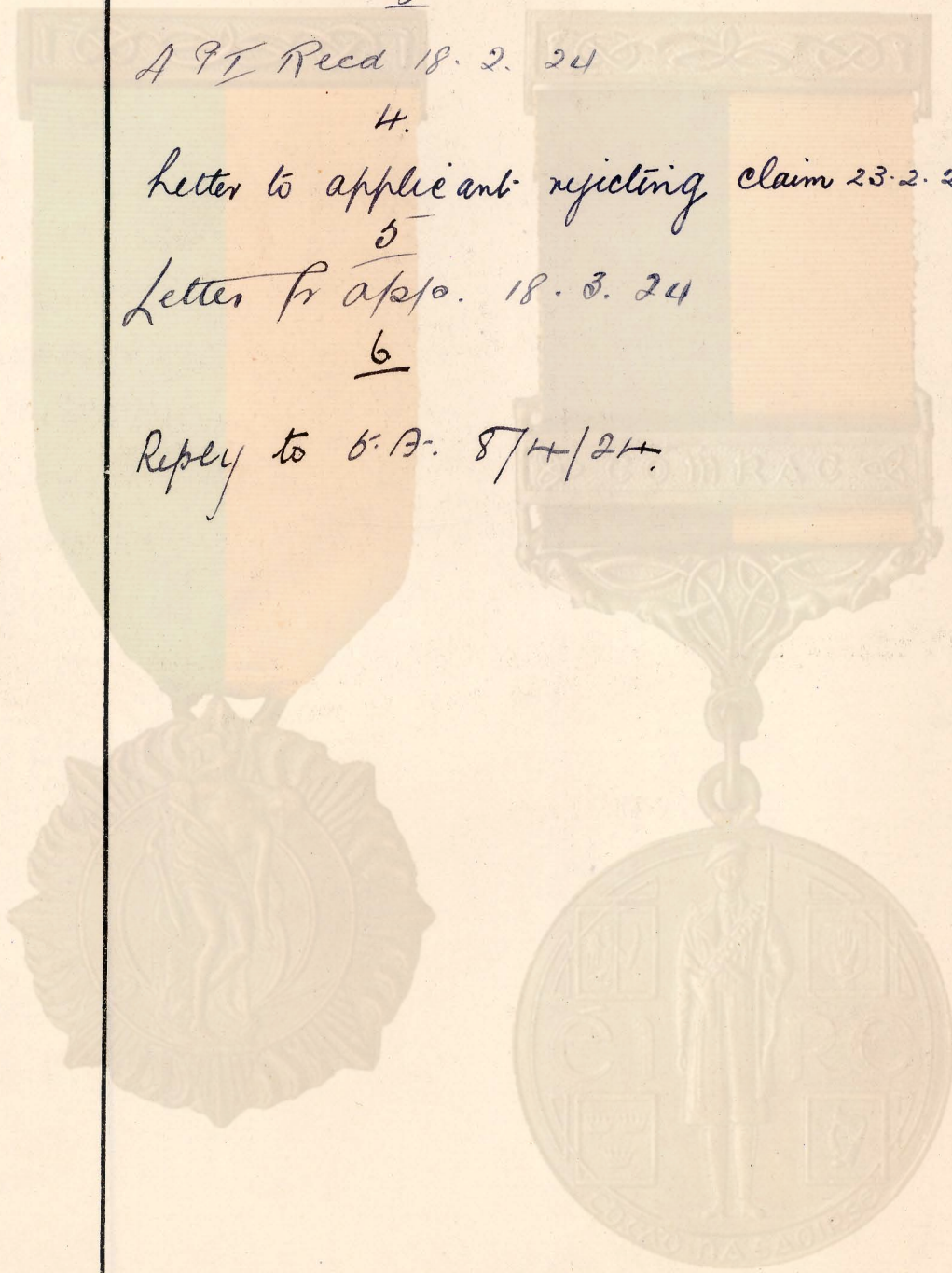
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34, Molesworth Street,

8th April,

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Mr. Michael Considine,
Clohaninchy,
Quilty P.O.,
Co. Clare.

A Chara,

With reference to your letter received 18th ultimo in connection with your Claim for a Wound Pension or Gratuity, I am to inform you that it is regretted that nothing further can be added to this Office letter to you on the subject dated 23rd February 1924.

Mise, le meas,

Runaidhe.

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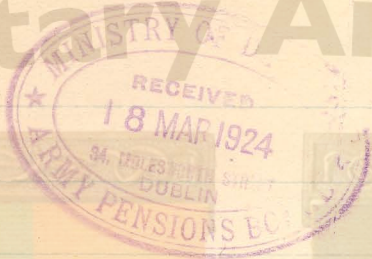
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Blohaninchy
Quilty PB
60 Clare



To
Sec. Army Pensions Dept.,
34 Moleswort Street,
Dublin

This proves that
I was in perfect health up to time
I joined army
Michael Consideine

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In your letter to W
dated 8/24.

This is to certify that
I know Michael Conside,
D Compy, 30th Inf. Batt.
Cork. Command. He was
in perfect health at
the time he joined Army
in the year 1922.

Walter Skelton
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25th. February

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Mr. Michael Considine,
Clohaminshee,
Kilmurry,
Co. Clare.

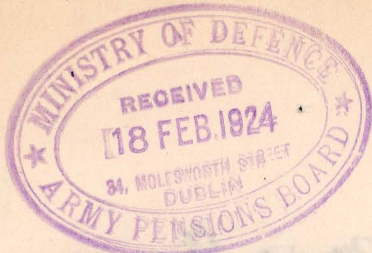
A Chara,

With reference to your Application of 18th. instant for a Wound Pension or Gratuity, I am to inform you that as there is no evidence of your having received any specific wound or injury during your service in the National Army, it is regretted that your Claim does not come within the scope of the Army Pensions Act 1923, and it is not possible for this Department to make any financial provision for you.

Mise, le meas,

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ARMY PENSIONS ACT, 1923.

WOUND PENSION OR GRATUITY.

STATEMENT BY AN EX-OFFICER OR EX-SOLDIER CONCERNING HIS OWN CASE.

NOTE.—This form is to be filled in by every ex-Officer or ex-Soldier who has been discharged from the forces as medically unfit, and who claims a pension or gratuity in respect of any wound or injury received in the course of his duty whilst on active service on or since 1st April, 1922.

The questions are to be answered in the ex-Officer's or ex-Soldier's own words, and the form is to be signed by him and the signature witnessed. In the event of the ex-Soldier being unable to write he should affix his mark, such act being witnessed.

Army No. 78656 Rank Pte.

Unit and Corps 1st Western Division, 7 30th Batt. Cork

Name and Rank of Commanding Officer Commandt. Trell

30th Batt. Cork Command,

NAME (TO BE WRITTEN IN BLOCK CAPITALS.) CONSIDINE MICHAEL.
(Surname) (Christian Names)

Present Address Clohanushee, Kilmurry Buckane
Willow Hallway
Co. Cork

Nearest Police or Civic Guard Station Quilty

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

(a) The statements made by him will be checked by official records.

Section 12 (1) of the Act imposes a summary penalty for a false declaration:—
“ If any person, with a view to obtaining a grant or payment of a pension, allowance or gratuity 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 and shall be liable, on conviction under the Summary Jurisdiction Acts, to a fine not exceeding five pounds.”

In answering question 2 (a) any special matters which, in his opinion, caused any unfitness from which he may be suffering or which aggravated it, should be clearly stated.

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

1. (a) For what period have you served?
(b) In what area?
2. (a) State the nature of any wound or injury, from which you are suffering, the date upon which, and the place and circumstances in which, it was received.
(b) Who was your Commanding Officer upon that date?
(c) Give the name of any witnesses who can corroborate your answer to (a) above.
(d) State the date upon which you were discharged from the Army as medically unfit.
3. Give the names of any hospitals where you have been treated for the above wound or injury, and the approximate dates of admissions and discharges if possible.
4. Did you suffer from the injury mentioned in above answer to question 2 (a) or anything like it *before* joining the Army? If so, give details and dates.
5. Give the names and addresses of any hospitals you were in, or doctors who attended you *before* you joined the Army.
6. What is the name and address of your last employer before joining the Army?
7. What was your occupation or trade before joining the Army?
8. Have you received in respect of the wound or injury mentioned in above answer to question 2 (a) any decree for compensation under the Criminal Injuries (Ireland) Acts, 1919 or 1920? If so, give full particulars.
9. Have you received in respect of the wound or injury mentioned in above answer to question 2 (a) any compensation from or on behalf of the person alleged to be responsible for the act which caused the wound or injury? If so, give full particulars.
10. Have you received in respect of the wound or injury mentioned in the answer to question 2 (a) any payment from any Relief Organisation such as National Aid or White Cross Association? If so, give full particulars.
11. Give the name of your National Health Approved Society, and (if possible) your membership number.

23 months
Clare, & Cork

Pleurisy caused
during time in Army.
Commandt. Fuel.

Discharged medically
unfit.

12th Jan 1924.

Bantry, Co Cork
July '23. for 6 weeks.

No.

None

James Kelly
Cobhanshee
Kilmurry Breckan
Labourer.

No.

No.

No.

Nil.

12. Have you served at any period with any of the following military or police forces? If so, give full particulars of service.

- (a) British.
 (b) Australian.
 (c) New Zealand.
 (d) South African.
 (e) Canadian.
 (f) American (U.S.A.)
 (g) Royal Irish Constabulary.

No

No

13. (a) Give full particulars of any pension, allowance, or gratuity which you hold or at any time have held in respect of any wound or injury received in, or disease contracted in, the service mentioned in your reply to above question 12.

None.

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

The above statement has been read over to me; I agree to it, and have nothing further to add.

Signed Michael Consideine
 (ex-Officer or ex-Soldier)

Address Chohanushee
Kilmurry
Mulltown Malbay

Signed* M. J. Stealy
 (Witness)

Address Mulltown
Malbay

Qualification R.C. A.C.S.P.

Date 16.2.24

*To be signed by one of the following:—

A Commissioned Officer serving in the Free State Army.

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, or a Divisional Magistrate.

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.

An Officer of the Civic Guard or Dublin Metropolitan Police not below the rank of Inspector or Station Sergeant.

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.

ARMY PENSIONS ACT, 1923.

Statement by an ex-Officer or ex-Soldier who claims as a married man a further pension in accordance with Section 2 of the Act.

14. If your wife is alive

- (a) State the date of your marriage.
 (b) Is your wife dependent on you?
 (c) Does she ordinarily reside with you?
 (Certificate of Marriage to be attached).

Unmarried

15. (a) If your wife is dead, or the marriage has been dissolved, state the names and ages of any

(to be filled in by ex-Officers)

Sons under 18 years.

Daughters under 21 years.

(to be filled in by ex-Soldiers)

Sons under 16 years.

Daughters under 18 years.

(Certificate of Birth of youngest living child to be attached).

(b) State whether the child or children mentioned above are dependent on you and where they are living.

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

16. If your wife is alive, but your marriage has been dissolved, and you claim a further pension in respect of the children mentioned in reply to question 15 (a) above, please furnish copy of the decree or order of the Court.

The above statement has been read over to me; I agree to it, and have nothing further to add.

Signed Address

(ex-Officer or ex-Soldier)

Signed* Address

(Witness)

Qualification Date

*To be signed by one of the following:—

- A Commissioned Officer serving in the Free State Army.
- 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.
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I hereby certify that Michael Conidine
(no 28656) is unfit to work
owing to pleurisy (probably T.B.)

J. J. Kelly

R. C. S. + P. S.

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Blohanenshee,
Kilmurry Buckham
Co. Clare.

Feb. 7th 1924

To

The Secretary
Army Pensions Dept.

34 Molesworth St.

Dublin.

I wish to apply for form to
make application for pension.

I was discharged medically
Unfit on 12th Jan 1924 from
work and was before a Board
of Doctors

Yrs Respectfully
Michael Consideine.

No 28656. Pte

D. Co. 30th Inf Batt.

