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Fó-Roinn.

NÁ CUIRTEAR ÉANTUAIRISC AR AN GCLÚDACH SO.

Tá annso, leis,

An Uimhir.

An Gnó.

34 SP/

11574

Booney, John,
New Anton St.,
Castlebar,
Co. Mayo.

An Uimhir ag Roinn Eile.

Do cuireadh chun

Dáta.

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McBainey
PA

12/9/35
18 SEP 1935

F.B.A.
7/3¹/₂ via Rep

7/4/40
27/1/41

PA

b.l.g.

28/2/41

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New Antrim Street
Castlebar

13th Nov

To
Minister Defence
Parliament St.
Dublin

Sir

I Wish to Apply for a Military Pension.

Service Form.

DEPT. OF DEFENCE
RECEIVED
15. NOV. 1934
ARMY PENSIONS BRANCH.

I, Was Attached to the 4th Western

Division. Under Mr. M. Kilroy, T. D.

Yours. Faithfully.

John. Cooney
Military Service
Pensions Collection

	Ref.	Date	Signature
(1) Previous papers under—			
(a) Army Pensions Act, 1923	NIL	7/2/40	J.W. Logan
(b) " " " 1927			
(c) " " " 1932			
(d) Military Service Pensions Act, 1924	Nil	9/9/35	Phendon
(e) Military Tribunal	}	7/17/40	J. Wood
(2) M.S.P./34/1 issued to applicant		26/11/36	R. de Lapro
(3) " returned by "			
(4) " " to " for further particulars or completion			
(5) M.S.P./34/1 returned by applicant			
<i>Revised</i>		5.3.35	J. Wood
(6) M.S.P./34/1 and M.S.P./34/2 to Referee		18 SEP 1935	W. Rancey
(7) M.S.P./34/2 returned by Referee		7.12.40	J.B.

Military Service Pensions Collection

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(a) Army Pensions Act, 1923			
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(d) Military Service Pensions Act, 1924	SP/.....		
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(2) M.S.P./34/1 issued to applicant			
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(4) " " to " for further particulars or completion	1/M/63/		
(5) M.S.P./34/1 returned by applicant			
(a) Memorandum issued <i>re</i> 1924 Act			
(6) R.C.8/SP/34 issued			
(7) M.S.P./34/1 and M.S.P./34/2 to Referee			
(8) M.S.P./34/2 returned by Referee	MSP34 Ref./.....		
(9) M.S.P./34/5 to General Prisons Board	List. 512	19/2/38	unrate
(10) M.S.P./34/5 returned by " "	" 729	7/12/40	unrate
(11) File to Minister <i>re</i> Service Certificate	" 729	20.12.40	unrate
(12) Service Certificate issued to applicant		31 DEC 1940	unrate
(13) M.S.P./34/7 to D. Finance		31 DEC 1940	unrate
(14) M.S.P./34/7 returned by Finance		20/1/41	unrate
(15) M.S.P./34/11 issued		31/1/41	unrate
(16) M.S.P. A/es. 19 " 			

MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONS ACT, 1934.

Booney, John

Department of Justice record of imprisonment is as follows:—

See file 34/SP/Misc./10.

List *5/2*

RECORD OF SENTENCE.

Nil

Initials *mmat*

Date *2/3/38*

MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONS ACT, 1934.

Booney, John

Department of Justice record of imprisonment is as follows:—

See file 34/SP/Misc./10.

List *729*.....

RECORD OF SENTENCE.

Nil

Initials *JB*.....

Date *20 DEC 1940*.....

34 SP/11574

M.S.P. 34/3.

Military Service Pensions Act, 1934.

SERVICE CERTIFICATE.

In the matter of the application of John booney, New Antrim St., Castlebar, Co. Mayo.
for a Service Certificate in accordance with the terms of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934, and the Regulations made thereunder,

WHEREAS the Minister for Defence has taken into consideration the report of the Referee appointed under the Act on the application.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the said John booney
has rendered Service in the Forces and during the periods as set out as follows:—

Service period prescribed in the Act.	Forces in which Active Service was rendered.	Duration of Active Service during each of the prescribed periods as established to the satisfaction of the Referee.
1. The week commencing on the 23rd day of April, 1916	IRISH VOLUNTEERS	
2. The period comprising:— (a) the period commencing on the 1st day of April, 1916, and ending on the 22nd day of April, 1916, and (b) the period commencing on the 30th day of April, 1916, and ending on the 31st day of March, 1917	IRISH VOLUNTEERS	
3. The period commencing on the 1st day of April, 1917, and ending on the 31st day of March, 1918	IRISH VOLUNTEERS	
4. The period commencing on the 1st day of April, 1918, and ending on the 31st day of March, 1919	IRISH VOLUNTEERS	
5. The period commencing on the 1st day of April, 1919, and ending on the 31st day of March, 1920	Oglaigh na h-Eireann.	$\frac{1}{2}$ of ENTIRE PERIOD
6. The period commencing on the 1st day of April, 1920, and ending on the 31st day of March, 1921	Oglaigh na h-Eireann.	$\frac{1}{2}$ of ENTIRE PERIOD
7. The period commencing on the 1st day of April, 1921, and ending on the 11th day of July, 1921	Oglaigh na h-Eireann.	ENTIRE PERIOD
8. The period commencing on the 12th day of July, 1921, and ending on the 30th day of June, 1922	Oglaigh na h-Eireann.	ENTIRE PERIOD
9. The period commencing on the 1st day of July, 1922, and ending on the 31st day of March, 1923	Oglaigh na h-Eireann.	ENTIRE PERIOD
10. The period commencing on the 1st day of April, 1923, and ending on the 30th day of September, 1923	Oglaigh na h-Eireann.	ENTIRE PERIOD

AND THAT for the purpose of the Act the grade of rank of the said applicant is Grade D

Dated this 30th day of December 1940.

Sgd. Peadar MacMaicáin

Rúnaí, Roinn Cosanta.

34SP/11574

30 DEC 1940

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RUNAÍDHE,
ROINN AIRGID.

MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONS ACT, 1934.

I am directed by the Minister for Defence to state that a service certificate under Section 10 (2) of the Act has been granted to—

John Booney, New Antrim St., Castlebar, Co. Mayo

based on the findings of the Referee, as contained in his report which is attached.

The Minister now proposes, with the sanction of the Minister for Finance, and in accordance with the terms of Section 11 of the Act, to grant

John Booney
a pension, the details of which are as follows:—

Total service for pension purposes as defined by the Second Schedule of the Act, and certified by the Referee *5 1/4* years.

Grade of rank for pension purposes as defined by Section 4 (1) and the First Schedule of the Act, and certified by the Referee Grade *D*

Rate of pension per year of service as defined by Section 11 (4) and the Second Schedule of the Act £10

Total pension payable per annum as from the 1st October, 1934 £52:10:0

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Handwritten initials and a date stamp: 51 Dec 1940.

Sgt. Peadar MacMathúna

Rúnaidhe.

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34SP/11574.

31 DEC 1940

A CHARA,

I am directed by the Minister for Defence to refer to your application under the provisions of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934, for a service certificate and to forward herewith the certificate granted as a result of that application.

You are requested to acknowledge its receipt on the enclosed form and to return the form as soon as possible. An addressed envelope, which need not be stamped, is enclosed for the purpose.

This certificate should be very carefully preserved, and in this connection your attention is directed to the terms of Section 14 of the Act printed overleaf.

A communication will be sent to you at an early date regarding the granting of a Military Service Pension.

Mise, le meas,

Issued
Initials

MR.

John Cooney

a/p. Rinaidhe.

New Antrim St.

Castlebar Co. Mayo

SECTION 14 OF THE MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONS ACT, 1934.

(1) Where—

- (a) a certificate of military service or a service certificate has been issued to any person, and
- (b) the Minister is required by the immediately preceding Section to revoke or amend such certificate,

the Minister shall send by registered post, addressed to such person at his last known residence, a notice requiring such person to send such certificate to the Minister within such time after the service of such notice as may be specified in such notice.

(2) If any person upon whom a notice under this Section has been served fails to comply with such notice, such person shall be guilty of an offence under this Section, and shall be liable on summary conviction thereof to a fine not exceeding ten pounds and a further fine not exceeding one pound for every day during which such offence is continued.

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Ref. No. 34SP/.....¹¹⁵⁷⁴

M.S.P. 34/6A.

Rúnaí,
Roinn Cosanta,
Baile Atha Cliath.



I hereby acknowledge the receipt of the service certificate granted in my case by the Minister for Defence under the provisions of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934.

Signature

John Cooney

Address

*New entrance St
Castlebar Co. Mayo*

SP 4106 6000 6-37 RC 2/50103

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Pensions Collection

Date

2/1/41

Military Service Pensions Act, 1934.

Ref. No. 34 SP/11574
 To: THE REFEREE.
 P. S. M. 1934
 DŪN ŪI GWIONETHA

Ref. No. M.S.P./34/Refer-10709
 To: THE MINISTER FOR DEFENCE.

I am directed by the Minister for Defence to transmit for report in accordance with Section 8 and the Regulations made under the Act the accompanying application of

I submit hereunder my report in this case.

Cooney, John
New Antrim St. Castlebar, Co Mayo.
 for a Service Certificate.

Ronn Coranea
 Faisce
 7-NOV. 1940
 Clárúann na Driainne
 Ainseadair

The report should take the form of replies to the questions set out herewith.

J. J. Morgan

Tomás W. Smith
 Referee.

Date 18 SEP 1935

Date 5.12.40

1. Is the Applicant a person to whom the Act applies? yes

2. If so, total actual service in the different service periods, as established nil

- 2 nil 3 nil 4 nil
- 5 1/2 of ENTIRE PERIOD 6 1/2 of ENTIRE PERIOD 7 ENTIRE PERIOD
- 8 ENTIRE PERIOD 9 ENTIRE PERIOD 10 ENTIRE PERIOD

3. Total service for pension purposes as defined by Second Schedule of the Act. 5 1/4 years.

4. Grade or rank, quoting relevant paragraph of First Schedule under which allowed:—

(a) On first critical date Grade E. Para. 1(5)

(b) On second critical date Grade D. Para. 1(4)(d)

(c) Was applicant a member of the Irish Volunteer Executive at any time prior to the 11th July, 1921. no

(d) Does applicant's case fall under either of the following sub-paragraphs, and, if so, which, viz., sub-paragraph (j) of paragraph 3 of Rule I. of First Schedule no

or under sub-paragraph (m) of paragraph 4 of Rule I. of First Schedule, as a Medical Officer. no

5. Does the applicant state in his application whether he is at present in receipt of 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 ?.....

No

6. Does the applicant state in his application whether he applied for or is in receipt of unemployment assistance under the Unemployment Assistance Act, 1933 ? If so, quote the number of his qualification certificate if given by him.....

No

7. THE WEEK COMMENCING ON THE 23RD DAY OF APRIL, 1916.

(1) Duration of active service during the period as established to your satisfaction

nil

(2) Equivalent of active service for pension purposes as defined in the Second Schedule of the Act.....

nil

(3) State—

(a) The particular military body of the Forces..... *Irish Volunteers*

(b) Unit or Units and the position held by applicant.....

Castlebar Coy.

8. THE PERIOD COMPRISING :—

(a) THE PERIOD COMMENCING ON THE 1ST DAY OF APRIL, 1916, AND ENDING ON THE 22ND DAY OF APRIL, 1916, and

(b) THE PERIOD COMMENCING ON THE 30TH DAY OF APRIL, 1916, AND ENDING ON THE 31ST DAY OF MARCH, 1917.

(1) Duration of active service during the period as established to your satisfaction

nil

(2) Equivalent of active service for pension purposes as defined in the Second Schedule of the Act.....

nil

(3) State—

(a) The particular military body of the Forces..... *Irish Volunteers*

(b) Unit or Units and the position held by applicant.....

Castlebar Coy.

9. THE PERIOD COMMENCING ON THE 1ST DAY OF APRIL, 1917, AND ENDING ON THE 31ST DAY OF MARCH, 1918.

(1) Duration of active service during the period as established to your satisfaction

nil

(2) Equivalent of active service for pension purposes as defined in the Second Schedule of the Act..... *nil*

(3) State—

(a) The particular military body of the Forces..... *Irish Volunteers*

(b) Unit or Units and the position held by applicant.....

Castlebar Coy.

10. THE PERIOD COMMENCING ON THE 1ST DAY OF APRIL, 1918, AND ENDING ON THE 31ST DAY OF MARCH, 1919.

(1) Duration of active service during the period as established to your satisfaction

nil

(2) Equivalent of active service for pension purposes as defined in the Second Schedule of the Act..... *nil*

(3) State—

(a) The particular military body of the Forces..... *Irish Volunteers*

(b) Unit or Units and the position held by applicant.....

Castlebar Coy.

11. THE PERIOD COMMENCING ON THE 1ST DAY OF APRIL, 1919, AND ENDING ON THE 31ST DAY OF MARCH, 1920.

(1) Duration of active service during the period as established to your satisfaction

.....
1/12 of ENTIRE PERIOD
.....

(2) Equivalent of active service for pension purposes as defined in the Second Schedule of the Act.....

.....
1/12 of 1 year
.....

(3) State—

(a) The particular military body of the Forces..... Oglaigh na h-Eireann,

(b) Unit or Units and the position held by applicant.....

.....
"A" Coy, Btn. 1, West Mayo Bde.
.....

12. THE PERIOD COMMENCING ON THE 1ST DAY OF APRIL, 1920, AND ENDING ON THE 31ST DAY OF MARCH, 1921.

(1) Duration of active service during the period as established to your satisfaction

.....
1/12 of ENTIRE PERIOD
.....

(2) Equivalent of active service for pension purposes as defined in the Second Schedule of the Act.....

.....
1/6 of 1 year
.....

(3) State—

(a) The particular military body of the Forces..... Oglaigh na h-Eireann,

(b) Unit or Units and the position held by applicant.....

.....
"A" Coy, Btn. 1, West Mayo Bde.
.....

13. THE PERIOD COMMENCING ON THE 1ST DAY OF APRIL, 1921, AND ENDING ON THE 11TH DAY OF JULY, 1921.

(1) Duration of active service during the period as established to your satisfaction

.....
ENTIRE PERIOD
.....

(2) Equivalent of active service for pension purposes as defined in the Second Schedule of the Act.....

.....
1 year
.....

(3) State—

Oglaigh na h-Eireann,

(a) The particular military body of the Forces.....

(b) Unit or Units and the position held by applicant.....

"A" Coy, B Co. I, West Mayo Bde.

14. THE PERIOD COMMENCING ON THE 12TH DAY OF JULY, 1921, AND ENDING ON THE 30TH DAY OF JUNE, 1922.

(1) Duration of active service during the period as established to your satisfaction

ENTIRE PERIOD

(2) Equivalent of active service for pension purposes as defined in the Second Schedule of the Act.....

1 year

(3) State—

Oglaigh na h-Eireann,

(a) The particular military body of the Forces.....

(b) Unit or Units and the position held by applicant.....

"A" Coy, B Co. I, West Mayo Bde.

15. THE PERIOD COMMENCING ON THE 1ST DAY OF JULY, 1922, AND ENDING ON THE 31ST DAY OF MARCH, 1923.

(1) Duration of active service during the period as established to your satisfaction

ENTIRE PERIOD

(2) Equivalent of active service for pension purposes as defined in the Second Schedule of the Act.....

2 years

3) State—

Oglaigh na h-Eireann,

(a) The particular military body of the Forces.....

(b) Unit or Units and the position held by applicant.....

"A" Coy, B Co. I, West Mayo Bde,
and Internment

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16. THE PERIOD COMMENCING ON THE 1ST DAY OF APRIL, 1923, AND ENDING ON THE 30TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1923.

(1) Duration of active service during the period as established to your satisfaction

.....
ENTIRE PERIOD
.....

(2) Equivalent of active service for pension purposes as defined in the Second Schedule of the Act.....

.....
1 year
.....

(3) State—

(a) The particular military body of the Forces..... Oglaigh na h-Eireann,

(b) Unit or Units and the position held by applicant.....

.....
Interned
.....
.....

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*Éin-shreagra ar an litir seo, ba chóir é
siúfadh chun an :-*

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

Rúnaidhe
(Secretary)

*É'n uimhir seo :-
(and the following number quoted :-)*



Éire

ROINN AIRGEADAIS
(Department of Finance),

SRAID MHIRBHTHEANN UAGHT.,
(Upper Merrion Street),

BAILE ÁTHA OLIATH,
(Dublin).

Fáisce
21 Eanáir 1941
Clárú na Dúinnre

Roinn Cosanta
21 Eanáir 1941
Óifis an Aire

P. 20/ 1 /41.

Rúnaidhe,

Roinn Cosanta.

I am directed by the Minister for Finance to refer to your minute of the **30th ultimo** (No. **34SP/11574**) intimating that a certificate of Military Service has been granted, pursuant to Section 10 (2) of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934, to **Mr. John Cooney** of **New Antrim Street, Castlebar, Co. Mayo**, and I am to state that the Minister sanctions the grant under Section 11 of the Act of a pension at the rate of **Fifty-two Pounds and Ten Shillings** a year to **Mr. Cooney**, with effect as from the 1st October, 1934, inclusive.

£ 52.10.0.

The Report of the Referee is returned herewith.

S. Almond

20 Eanáir, 1941

AWARD CERTIFICATE.

Any further communications on this subject should be addressed to [redacted] and the above number quoted.

ROINN COSANTA,
(Department of Defence),

GEATA NA PAIRCE,
(Parkgate),

BAILE ÁTHA CLIATH
(Dublin).

25 January, 1941.

I am directed to inform you that in accordance with the terms of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934, the Minister for Defence has granted you a pension of ~~£52.10.0d. (Fifty two Pounds & Ten Shillings)~~ per annum, which is payable as from the 1st October, 1934, and which will be subject to deduction under Section 20 (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 20 (1) of the Act.

[Handwritten mark]

[Handwritten signature]
Rúnaí.

9/6
mm
* To Mr. John Cooney,
New Antrim Street,
Castlebar, Co. Mayo.

Issued 25 JAN 1941
Initials *[Handwritten initials]*

Section 20 (1) of the Mil. Ser. Pensions Act, 1934, 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, 1934, Section 19 (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 the 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.

EIRE.

(A STAMP IS NOT REQUIRED).

THE SECRETARY,

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE,

PARKGATE STREET,

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.

Name (in full, Surname first)..... Booney John
 Residing at..... Nevantrim street Castlebar, Co. Mayo
 Year of Birth..... September 1893
 Number of Award Certificate..... 34/SP/11574
 Rate of Pension..... £52-10-0 per year
 Date of Resignation from National Army
 Retirement from Defence Forces
 Rank on Discharge..... ~~Private~~ (Rank D) 1st Lieut.

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

(2). By "public moneys" is meant any moneys provided by the Oireachtas, or out of the Central Fund, or by mean 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.)

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)..... John Booney..... Date..... 27-1-1941
 Full Postal Address..... Nevantrim st. Castlebar, Co. Mayo

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.

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

Signature..... John Ryan..... Date..... 27 Jan 1941
 Rank or Profession..... Peace Commissioner
 Full Postal Address..... Castlebar Co Mayo

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."

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).

(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."

**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 Éire (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.

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.

Irish or British Diplomatic or Consular Officers 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).



A.P. A/cs. 20.

Military Service Pensions

ROINN CORANT
FÁISCEAN
28 Eanáir 1941
Clárúlán na hÉireann
Ainseoir

ROINN COSANTA,
(Dept. of Defence)
GEATA NA PAIRCE,
(Parkgate)
BAILE ÁTHA CLIATH.
(Dublin.)

Ref. No. 34/SP/11574

January, 1941.

MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONS ACTS.

A CHARA,

In connection with the payment of the pension awarded 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,

Richard Mulcahy

Rúnaíche.

Mr. John Cooney,

New Antrim Street,

Castlebar, Co. Mayo.

[Not to be detached.]

Usual Signature of Pensioner

Address *New Antrim street
Castlebar Co Mayo*

Name of Witness

Qualification

Address

*John Ryan
Peace Commissioner
Castlebar
Co Mayo*

Date *27 Jan 1941*

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

1—In 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 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 Empire.

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 under the law of the country and regularly practising where the pensioner resides for the time being.

ACTUARIES and SECRETARIES of Savings Banks registered under Act of Parliament.

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

3—In Foreign Countries.

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).

Ba cheart a uimhir
thíos do tuadh:—

Office of Assessor for Public Depts.

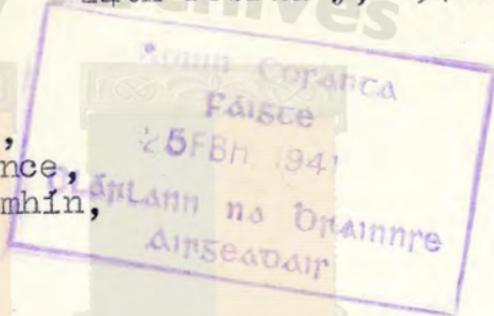


OIFIG na gCOIMISINÉIRÍ IONCUIM,
CAISLEAN BHAILE ATHA CLIATH.

34/4279.
CMcD/MA.

24th February, 1941.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Defence,
Colaiste Caoimhín,
Glasnevin,
DUBLIN.



John Cooney.

Your Ref. - 34/D.1811.

With reference to your memo
of the 4th instant, please note that
there is no tax due in this case.

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Pensionary Collection



Military Service Pensions Acts, 1924 to 1960.

CAUTION.—Any person wilfully making a false declaration is liable to prosecution.

I, *John booney*do solemnly and sincerely declare that I was born in the year.....and that I am entitled to a Pension payable at the rate of £ : : per annum, under the above Acts.

Signed in my presence by the declarant (whom I believe to be the grantee named in the declaration) this.....day of.....19.....at.....

And I further declare that all the statements I have made above are true and that my place of residence is now

Signature of Attestor.....
Qualification
(See back of form).....
Official Address or
Place of Business

Signature of Pensioner:—

Est. No. 34 *D1811*

(NOT TO BE DETACHED)

Received of the Minister for Defence, this.....day of.....19.....

the sum of.....*nine*.....pounds ^{s.} *4* / ^{d.} *1*

being the nett amount, as below, due for the quarter ended the last day of *DEC 1963*.....less the payments already received.

Gross.....

Deductions:—

(1) Income Tax ...

(2).....

£	s.	d.
<i>9</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>1</i>

Net sum payable ...

This warrant is exempt from stamp duty.

Signature of Pensioner:—

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Slight manuscript alterations, in either the Declaration or Receipt, will be accepted if initialled—in the Declaration by the person attesting, in the Receipt by the Payee.

This amount may be claimed through any Bank in the country or abroad; but the form must be presented by a Dublin Banker for payment at the Office of the Minister for Defence.

The Minister for Defence accepts no responsibility for any advance of money made against this voucher in anticipation of its acceptance in the Department of Defence and payment at the Office of the Minister for Defence.

**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).

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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.

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(2) In the British Commonwealth of Nations.

MAGISTRATES.

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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 is to be given on the form of attestation).

ACTUARIES and SECRETARIES of Savings Banks registered under Act of Parliament.

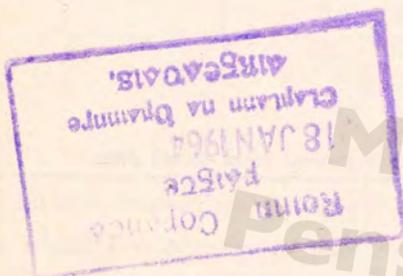
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Military Archives



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MR. JOHN COONEY,
NEW ANTRIM ST.,
CASTLEBAR, CO. MAYO.

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✠ **COLLIER** (Kilkenny) — Most Rev. Patrick Collier, D.D., Bishop of Ossory, at his residence, Slon House, Kilkenny, Jan. 10, 1964. Remains will be removed to St. Mary's Cathedral tomorrow (Sunday) at 3.30 o'clock. Solemn Requiem Mass in St. Mary's Cathedral on Wednesday, Jan. 15, at 12 noon.

COONEY (Newantrim St., Castlebar) — Jan. 10, 1964, at the County Hospital, Castlebar. John Cooney, late 1st Batt. and A.S.U., West Mayo Brigade, Old I.R.A.; deeply regretted by his relatives and old comrades. R.I.P. Remains will be removed to the Parish Church this (Saturday) evening at 7 o'clock. Mass tomorrow (Sunday). Funeral to Castlebar Cemetery at 1 o'clock, same day.

COPELAND (Enniscorthy) — Jan. 10, 1964, at her residence, Tomalna, Ballindaggin, Ann Copeland; deeply regretted by her loving sons, daughters, brother and a large circle of friends. Funeral leaving her home tomorrow (Sunday) at 2 o'clock, for Service in Church. Interment in

Name.....

Cooney John

Regd. No. M.S.P./34/Referee.....

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Address.....

New Antrim St Castlebar

Rank claimed 1st Critical Date.....

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5/12/40

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