

Military Archives  
**Military Service (1916-1923) Pensions Project**

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Roinn \_\_\_\_\_

fó-Roinn \_\_\_\_\_

nÁ cuirtear éantúairisc ar an sclúdaic so.

Tá annro, leir

An Uimh

An Snó

9/997

34/BR 20953

Mrs Annie Boyce  
Boyce James Joseph  
187 Boneragh Road, Drumragh  
33 ~~Cungies St~~ Dublin 12

An Uimh as Roinn Eile.

Dublin

20661.

Do cuirtear cun	Dáta	Do cuirtear cun	Dáta	Do cuirtear cun	Dáta
73 <sup>a</sup>	30/3/36				
73(a) <del>Red</del>	10/9/36				
73(b)	9/10/36				
P.A. sec	2/10/36				
75	28/11/37				
PA 77	12/12/44				
73B	15/6/50				
PA 77	7/7/50				
A3W	28/9/51				
PA 77	3/2/52				
Reg	13/9/64				
A3A	14/9/84				
MA PA	17-9-84				

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## Registry

Please note death and pass file to A3V

*Walter Roy. 4/9/84*

A3V

Please note death and ~~pass~~ file to ~~A3A~~

A3A

~~Please note death and return file to this section.~~

*M Bradfield*  
A3B

*Death noted  
P.M. A3A  
17-9-84.*

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File No. \_\_\_\_\_

A/C No. 91-997

Name Mrs Annie Boyce

Address 187 Comeragh Rd.

Drimnagh

Dublin 12

Date of Death 7-6-84

E.D.P.

Please note and arrange to cancel payment

Date May Murphy  
22/6/84

A.3

Noted and arrangements made accordingly.

A5/E.D.P.

Date 13/7/84

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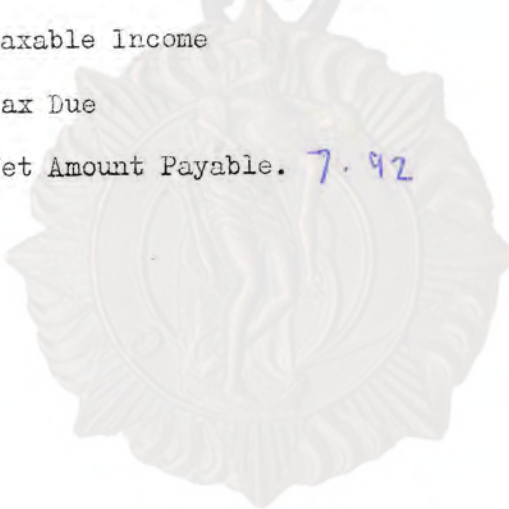
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60-6/84 (20131)  
60-7/84

1. Requisition File
2. Notate Kardex
3. Notify E.D.P. section
4. Enter death or cessation in Note Book
5. Calculate balance (below) and issue appropriate pro forma
6. Notify death of special allowance holder to A3A
7. Notify death of Military Service Pensioner and/or special allowance holder to A3V
8. Notify Inspector of Taxes P45
9. P45 Supplement
10. Date of Death 7/6/84
11. Rate per month 33.93
12. Paid to
13. Due
14. Tax Free Allowance (A/B)
15. Taxable Income
16. Tax Due
17. Net Amount Payable. 7.92



## Military Service Pensions Collection



# DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE

THIS WARRANT IS EXEMPT FROM STAMP DUTY 99-99-02

Received from the Minister of Defence the net sum shown, being Pension/Allowance granted to  
**MRS ANNIE BOYCE**

for the period ended  
30/06/84

91 997 0 I 6/84

NOTICE TO BANKERS—This amount may be claimed through any bank, but the Warrant must be presented by a Dublin banker for payment at the Department of Defence, Dublin, Ireland. The Minister for Defence accepts no responsibility for any advance of money made against the Warrant in anticipation of its acceptance in the Department of Defence.

£10,000	£1,000	£100	£10	£1	NET SUM
-ZERO-	-ZERO-	-ZERO-	-THREE-	-THREE-	IR€***33.93

MRS ANNIE BOYCE  
187 CONERAGH RD  
DRIMNAGH  
DUBLIN 12

*PW*  
*2013*

*R*  
THIS WARRANT IS VALID AS A RECEIPT ONLY IF SIGNED.

91 997 0 I 6/84

Signature of Payee

99 990 21

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# DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE

## PENSIONS - PAYSIP ONLY

MRS ANNIE BOYCE

A/C NO.	DATE OF ISSUE	R.S.I. NO.	TAX CATEGORY	TFA-TABLE
91 997 0 I	30/06/84		EXEMPT FROM TAX AND PRSI	
GROSS PENSION	INCOME TAX	P.R.S.I.	ABATEMENT	RENT
33.93				
OVER PAYMENT	V.H.I.			NET PENSION
				33.93
TAXABLE PENSION	CUM. TAX. PENSION	TOTAL TAX DED.	TOTAL P.R.S.I. DED.	TOTAL V.H.I. DED.
PAY - OTHER EMPLOY	TAX - OTHER EMPLOY		TOTAL O/PAYMT	O/PAYMT RECOVERED

Wilkes-Cerdac Ltd.

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

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## Reference Numbers.

Regy. 34 - E - 1104

A/Cs. 91-997

1. A. 3(b)

Please note award in this case.

V.

A3(W)

Date 5-10-71

2. Registry.

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

mf

A3(b)

Date 8-10-71

3. A3(b)

Action taken in accordance with Paragraph 2 above.

mf

Registry.

Date 30.11.71

4. A3W

Action completed.

del

Date A3B 10/12

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m.s.c.

LEACÁN MIONTUAIRISCE.



TASAIRT 34/E 110 4



James Joseph Boyce.

M.S.P. Oct. 1934 — £16.16.1 per ann.  
died 4<sup>th</sup> May 1950

Ent:- 1<sup>st</sup> April 1950 to 4<sup>th</sup> May '50 = £1-11-4

$$\left( \frac{34}{91} \times \frac{16.16.1}{4} \right)$$

Nett entitlement to 4/5/50 = £1-11-4

*J.E.*

Revenue Commrs notified on 16/6/50

	Ref.	Date	Signature
(1) Previous papers under—			
(a) Army Pensions Act, 1923 .....			
(b) " " " 1927 .....			
(c) " " " 1932 .....			
(d) Military Service Pensions Act, 1924 .....	SP/		
(e) Military Tribunal .....			
(2) M.S.P./34/1 issued to applicant .....			
(3) " returned by " .....			
(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./	10/9/36	Reed
(9) M.S.P./34/5 to General Prisons Board .....	List 234	30 JUL 1936	W.M.
(10) M.S.P./34/5 returned by " " .....	"	5 AUG 1936	f
(11) File to Minister <i>re</i> Service Certificate .....		18/9/36	mita
(12) Service Certificate issued to applicant .....		2/9	f
(13) M.S.P./34/7 to D. Finance .....		18/9	f
(14) M.S.P./34/7 returned by Finance .....		28/9	f
(15) M.S.P./34/11 issued .....		1/10/36	W.M.
(16) M.S.P. A/es. 19 " .....			

	Ref.	Date	Signature
(1) Previous papers under—			
(a) Army Pensions Act, 1923	Nil	1/10/36	[Signature]
(b) " " " 1927			
(c) " " " 1932			
(d) Military Service Pensions Act, 1924	N.L.	27/3/36	[Signature]
(e) Military Tribunal			[Signature]
(2) M.S.P./34/1 issued to applicant		5.12.34	[Signature]
(3) " returned by "		30/4/36	[Signature]
(4) " " to " for further particulars or completion			
(5) M.S.P./34/1 returned by applicant			
RC 4			
(6) M.S.P./34/1 and M.S.P./34/2 to Referee		28/1/36	[Signature]
(7) M.S.P./34/2 returned by Referee		9 APR 1936	[Signature]

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Balance

never

claimed

MB

13/9/84

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A.P. 21B

Ref. No. 34/E/1104

ARMY PENSIONS ACT 1971

CLAIM FOR WIDOW'S ALLOWANCE BY THE WIDOW OF A MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONER.

1. Applicant's Name Mrs. Annie Boyce
2. Address 187 Bomeragh Rd.,  
Drimnagh  
Dublin, 12 ✓
3. Name of deceased pensioner Joseph  
James L. Boyce ✓
4. Rate of pension on 31.12.52 £16.80 ✓
5. " " " on 1.1.53 \_\_\_\_\_
6. Rate of pension payable with effect from 1.10.1971  
\_\_\_\_\_ + 162.69% \_\_\_\_\_
7. Widow's allowance -  $\frac{1}{2}$  of pension at 6. \_\_\_\_\_
8. Allowance rounded up to nearest new penny divisible by 12. \_\_\_\_\_
9. In accordance with section 1 of the Army Pensions Act, 1971 the applicant is eligible for an allowance of £52.20 ✓  
per annum with effect from 1-10-1971 during widowhood.

*4/10*

An tAire Cosanta grants the allowance at 9 above.

*4 Deirgeadh  
Máire Fionnair 1971*

*M. L. O'Connell*

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*P.D. 4 a Am and cert. issued*

*MC sent  
issued on 7 8/10/71*

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## Increase in Military Service Pensions

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

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

Subsequent increases were as follows:-

6%	"	"	"	1.10.1959
5%	"	"	"	1.8.1960
20%	"	"	"	1.8.1962
5%	"	"	"	1.11.1963
5%	"	"	"	1.10.1964
9%	"	"	"	1.8.1965
12%	"	"	"	1.8.1967
5%	"	"	"	1.8.1968
10%	"	"	"	1.8.1969
14½%	"	"	"	1.8.1970
10½%	"	"	"	1.10.1971

The rate of pension payable on 1.1.1953 is, therefore, increased by a total of 162.69% as from 1.10.1952.

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

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Roimn Cosanta, (copy.)  
Brainse Airgeadais,  
Coláiste Caoimhín,  
Glasnaoidhean,  
Baile Átha Cliath.

- 7-50 195 .

A Chara,

~~With reference to previous  
correspondence~~, I am directed by the  
Minister for Defence to enclose a  
Payable Order in your favour for

One Pounds,

eleven shillings and

four pence, being the

balance of Military Service Pensions  
due to the estate of the late

James Joseph Boyce

to the date of his ~~her~~ death, the  
4<sup>th</sup> May 1950

The Receipted Bill and Death  
Certificate forwarded by you are  
returned herewith.

Mise, le meas,

**ROINN COSANTA**  
**baa DIOLTA**  
4<sup>th</sup> RUM.I. JUL 1950  
DIAIRIUMH.....574.....

Mrs Annie Boyce  
187 Bomeragh Road.  
Drinnagh  
Dublin

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F I(c).

Ref. No. 34/E1104

Please issue with attached letter a Payable Order for  
£1-11-4 (*One pound, eleven shillings & fourpence*)

in favour of Mrs Annie Boyle, 187 Bomeragh Road,  
Trinnagh, Dublin

being balance of pension due under the Military  
Service Pensions Act 1934 to the estate of the late James Joseph  
Boyle to the date of his death, the 4<sup>th</sup> May 1950

Charge Subhead J Army Pensions Vote.

**ROINN COSANTA**  
**DIOLTA**  
**1 1 JUL 1950**  
**ORDU UIMH.....574.....**

*noted in ledger 8/1/50*

Balinstone

F.3. (B)

Date 8/7/50

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34E 1104

A.P. 46/1/W

Roinn Cosanta  
Glasnacidhean  
Baile Átha Cliath 9

APPLICATION FOR ALLOWANCE BY WIDOW OF A MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONER.

Name of Deceased  
Military Service  
Pensioner

James Boyce,

Address at Time  
of Death

187, Comeragh Rd,  
Drinmogh,  
Dublin 12

Reference Number  
of Military  
Service Pension

34E1104

Name and Maiden  
Name of Applicant

(Mrs) Annie Boyce, Annie Rice,

Full Postal Address

187 Comeragh Rd,  
Drinmogh,  
Dublin, 12

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

18 - 10 - 26.

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

Signature of Applicant:

(Mrs) Annie Boyce.

Signature of Witness:

John Whelan Etc.

Address of Witness:

Presbytery, Monone Rd, D12.

Qualification:

Presst.

Date:

10th Sept. '41.

Witness may be one of the following:-

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

No. 87C.

Reference No. 34 E / 1104 EXT.

MEMORANDUM dated ..... 19 .....

OFFICE OF THE ASSESSOR OF INCOME  
TAX, PUBLIC DEPARTMENTS,  
DUBLIN CASTLE.

To Secretary  
Dept. of Defence.

It is requested that information may be furnished, at your earliest convenience, in answer to the following enquiries:—

Reference or Enquiry	Reply
<p><u>Jas. Joseph Boyce decd.</u> <u>E. 1104</u></p> <p><u>With reference to your memo dated 16<sup>th</sup> inst in this case, please note that there is no income tax liability for 1950/51.</u></p> <p><u>[Signature]</u></p> <p><u>Leop. Kearney</u> <u>(Assistant Assessor)</u></p> <p><u>Na Coimisinéir Ioncaim</u> <u>MEABHAIRE AR CHAIN IONDAIM</u> <u>OIFIGE PUBLI</u> <u>30 JUN 1950</u> <u>ASSESSOR OF TAXES</u> <u>PUBLIC DEPT.</u> <u>Caisleán Baile Átha Cliath</u></p>	





EIRE.

A.P. a/cs. 30.

Est No. E. 1104 MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONS ACTS, 1924 to 1934.

I, James Joseph Boyle

residing at.....

to whom an award of £ : : per annum has been granted under the above

Acts have hereto affixed my signature this..... day of..... 194.....

as evidence that I am living and in acknowledgment of the receipt from the Minister for Defence of

the sum of One pounds.....

being payment of my Pension for the month ended the last day of..... 194.....

£ 1.....

Signature.....

*Cancelled*  
& Co.

MAY 1950

2d. Receipt Stamp to be affixed here for sums of £4 and upwards.

The 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, Dublin. 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, Dublin.

July 1950 6/15/50

Est. No. E. 1104

ÉIRE.

A.P. a/cs. 30.

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APR 1950

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Signature

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Registry.

The M/M File is  
required in this  
Set, Pt.

345P/20953. E1104  
(James J. Boyce)

~~Swit~~  
73(b)

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11/4 12/12/49



DEPT. OF DEFENCE  
RECEIVED  
- 1 OCT 1936  
PENSIONS BRANCH

A.P. A/cs. 20.

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ROINN COSANTA,  
(DEPT. OF DEFENCE),

GEATA NA PAIRCE,  
(PARKGATE),

BAILE ÁTHA CLIATH.  
(DUBLIN).

Ref. No. 34SP/20953.....

30th September, 1936.

MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONS ACTS 1924 to 1934.

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 Guinness*

RUNAL.

Mr. James Joseph Boyce,

33, Aungier Street,

Dublin.

*M*

EC.

[Not to be detached.]

Usual Signature of Pensioner

Address.....

*33 Aungier St  
Dublin*

Name of Witness.....

*J. A. Haly*

Qualification.....

*Post Mistress*

Address.....

*Post Office*

*South King St*

Date.....

*1/10/36*

*Haly*

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THE PERSONS BEFORE WHOM THE DECLARATION OF PENSIONERS  
MAY BE SUBSCRIBED ARE AS BELOW.

(The qualifications which entitles them to attest should be stated fully  
on the form of attestation.)

(1) In Saorstat Eireann (the Irish Free State).

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.

Persons who are on the active or pension list of the permanent Civil Service of Saorstat Eireann who are or were at the date of retirement on a salary of not less than £200 a year and on a scale rising to not less than £350 a year.

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 where the pensioner resides

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.

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 FREE STATE 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.)

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FOLD ALONG THIS LINE.

**SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN.**

(A STAMP IS NOT REQUIRED).

**THE SECRETARY,**

**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE,**

**PARKGATE STREET,**

**DUBLIN.**

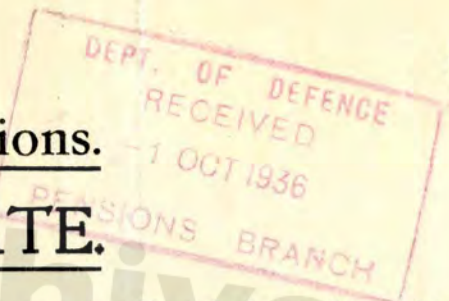
M.S.P. A/cs 5.

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.

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

Name (in full, Surname first) Boyle James Joseph
Residing at 33 O'Connell St Dublin
Year of Birth 1898
Number of Award Certificate 34 SP/20953
Rate of Pension £16-10-0 per year
Date of Resignation from National Army Retirement Defence Forces Nil
Rank on Discharge Nil

(2). By "public moneys" is meant "any moneys provided by the Oireachtas, or out of the Central Fund, or by means of the Poor Rate, or any other Rate imposed by a local authority." (Sec. 8 (1), M.S. Pen. Act, 1924) (Sec. 20 (1), M.S. Pen. Act, 1934)

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) James Joseph Boyle Date 30/9/36
Full Postal Address 33 O'Connell St Dublin

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

I hereby certify that I have seen the person who signed the above Declaration, alive on the date stated against my name; that he was in possession of the Award Certificate bearing the number entered in (1) above; that he signed the above Declaration in my presence; and that he appears to be the person to whom the sums mentioned above are payable.
I further certify that the particulars entered by the Pensioner in (1) and (2) above, are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true and correct.
Signature J. A. Haly Date 1/10/36
Rank or Profession Post-Mistress
Full Postal Address Post Office South King St Dublin

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

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

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."

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FORM OF ATTESTATION.**

(1) In Saorstát Éireann (the Irish Free State.)

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.

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(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 Free State 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).

### AWARD CERTIFICATE.

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

ROINN COSANTA,  
(Department of Defence),

GEATA NA PAIRCE,  
(Parkgate),

BAILE ÁTHA CLIATH  
(Dublin).

.....30th September,.....19.36.

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 **£.16.16.1..(Sixteen pounds, sixteen.....per annum, which is payable as shillings and one penny).** 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.

.....  
*[Signature]*  
..... Rúnai.

\* To... **Mr. James Joseph Boyce,**.....  
..... **33, Aungier Street,**.....  
..... **Dublin.**.....

EC.

**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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Ein-fhreagra ar an litir seo ba chóir é stiúradh chuinn an:-

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

Rúnaí  
(Secretary)



ROINN AIRGID  
(Department of Finance),

SRÁID MHUIRBHTEANN UAGHT.,  
(Upper Merrion Street),

28 SEP 1936 BAILE ÁTHA CLIATH,  
(Dublin).

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16<sup>n</sup> uimhir seo:-  
(and the following number quoted:-)

SGORSTÁC ÉIREANN

P. 20/1150 / 36

Rúnaí,  
Roinn Cosanta.

I am directed by the Minister for Finance to refer to your minute of the 18th instant (No. 34SP / 20953 ) intimating that a certificate of Military Service has been granted, pursuant to Section 10 (2) of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934, to Mr. James Joseph Boyce of 33, Aungier Street, Dublin and I am to state that the Minister sanctions the grant under Section 11 of the Act of a pension at the rate of Sixteen Pounds, Sixteen Shillings and One Penny a year to Mr. Boyce with effect as from the 1st October, 1934, inclusive.

£16.16.1

The Report of the Referee is returned herewith.

*C. S. Almond*

26 Mean Fomhair, 1936.

# Military Archives

Ref. No. 34SP/20953



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

*James Joseph Boyle*

Address

*33 Aungier Street*

*Dublin*

SP 3475 2000 3-36 RC 2/39484

Date

*22/9/36*

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Pensions Collection

Ref. No. 3459/20953

21 Sept 1936

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 you at an early date regarding the granting of a Military Service Pension.

Mise, le meas,

*J. J. Morgan*

*ajs* RUNAL

*Mr. James Joseph Boyce,*  
*33, Anghier Street,*  
*Dublin.*

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## 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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(REFERENCE NO.)

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ROINN COSANTA,  
(DEPT. OF DEFENCE),GEATA NA PAIRCE,  
(PARKGATE),BAILE ÁTHA CLIATH.  
(DUBLIN).

18, September, 1936

RUNAI,  
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—

*James Joseph Boyce, 33, Anngier Street, Dublin.*

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

*James Joseph Boyce,*  
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 .....  $3\frac{13}{36}$  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 *E*.....

Rate of pension per year of service as defined by Section 11 (4) and the Second Schedule of the Act ..... £ 5 : = : =

Total pension payable per annum as from the 1st October, 1934 ..... £ 16 : 16 : 1

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M.S.P. 34/3.

## Military Service Pensions Act, 1934.

### SERVICE CERTIFICATE.

In the matter of the application of James Joseph Boyce, 33, Aungier Street, Dublin.  
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 James Joseph Boyce,  
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 ... ..		
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 ... ..		
3. The period commencing on the 1st day of April, 1917, and ending on the 31st day of March, 1918 ...	IRISH VOLUNTEERS	1/12 OF ENTIRE PERIOD
4. The period commencing on the 1st day of April, 1918, and ending on the 31st day of March, 1919 ...	IRISH VOLUNTEERS	1/12 OF ENTIRE PERIOD
5. The period commencing on the 1st day of April, 1919, and ending on the 31st day of March, 1920 ...	Oglaigh na h-Eireann.	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.	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.	2/3 OF 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.	2/9 OF 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.	1/6 OF ENTIRE PERIOD
10. The period commencing on the 1st day of April, 1923, and ending on the 30th day of September, 1923 ...		

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

Dated this 18<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1936

(Sd.) M. J. Beary.

a/s Rúnaí, Roinn Cosanta.

20953

MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONS ACT, 1934.

Boyce, Jas. J.

Department of Justice record of imprisonment is as follows:-

See file 34 SP/Misc./10.

List 234

*No* Record of Sentence.

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Dublin City

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24. NOV. 1934  
ARMY PENSIONS BRANCH.

Dear Sir

Having served in the Irish  
Volunteers and I. R. A. from 1917  
till 1923 in R. Co 3rd Batt  
Dublin Brigade, I wish to make  
application for a pension for  
Service, under 1934 act, would  
you kindly let me have the  
necessary forms and details

J. Boyle  
5/12/34

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