



MINUTE SHEET.

M.S.B.  
(Argu...)

Reference 2582/S.P/H538

1. M.S.P.2. received 21st February, 1927.
2. " A/cs. 13 and 15 issued <sup>11<sup>th</sup></sup> March, 1927.
3. " " 13 and 15 received 20/4/27 and 22/3/1927.
4. M.S.P.A/cs. 14 issued .....<sup>29</sup>/4/1927.
5. " " 13 received 20/4/27.
6. " " 14 " 5/5/27
7. " " 15 " 22/3/27.
8. Submitted to the min. for reference 26/5/27.
9. Issue of Certificate approved 27/5/27.
10. To Secty to issue Certificate 28/5/27
11. Certificate issued 1/6/27
12. M.S.P.A/cs. 1 and M.S.P.2 to Finance...<sup>29<sup>th</sup></sup> June, 1927
13. " 4, 5 + 8 issued 3-9-27
- " " 7. To F, 3, 5, 6 \_\_\_\_\_ 4/10/27.
- " " 9. To Income Tax \_\_\_\_\_ 4/10/27.

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B. 962.

Edward Moran.

Gross.

Nett.

£33:8:6 p.a. from 1<sup>10</sup>/<sub>24</sub>.

From 1<sup>10</sup>/<sub>24</sub> to :- £33:8:6.

Income Tax Nil

Letter no. 229

Due from 1<sup>10</sup>/<sub>24</sub> to 30<sup>11</sup>/<sub>27</sub> £ ~~101 5 6~~  
£100:5:6

PB 12/10/27  
M. 17/12 raised 1/12/21

Due for D ended 31<sup>11</sup>/<sub>27</sub> £ 8 - 7 = 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>

M. [Signature]

Due for qtr. ended 31<sup>22</sup>/<sub>28</sub> :- £8: 7: 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> + <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>.

£8: 7: 2. b. q. 1<sup>22</sup>/<sub>28</sub>.

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M.S.P. A/98. 15.

ARMY FINANCE OFFICE (F.F.),  
GRIFFITH BARRACKS.

D U B L I N.

11<sup>th</sup> March, 1927.

VERY CONFIDENTIAL.

Director of Intelligence.

Military Service Pensions Acts 1924 & 1925.

S.P.No 2582/S.P./4538 Name Edward Moran,  
Address Drumindon, Westport, Co. Mayo. Rank Lieutenant.

The above mentioned is an applicant for a Military Service Pension, and I am to enquire for the information of the Minister whether there are any circumstances within your knowledge which might influence him in refusing the Certificate in this case, as, for example, internment, complicity with Organisations inimical to the State, etc.

I am to request the favour of an early reply.

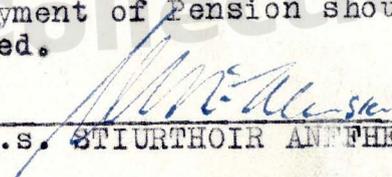
  
ARMY FINANCE OFFICER.

BUREAU AN FHEASA,  
Geata na Pairce,  
BAILE ATHA CLIATH.

15th March, 1927.

EH.  
TO: ARMY FINANCE OFFICER.

I am directed to inform you, for the information of the Minister, that in the above mentioned case we are aware of no reason why payment of Pension should be withheld or Certificate refused.

  
A.S. STIURTHOIR ANFPHEASA. CEANNPHORT.

MC.

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

ARMY FINANCE OFFICE (F.7),

Griffith Barracks,

D U B L I N.

<sup>11</sup> March, 1927.

VERY URGENT.

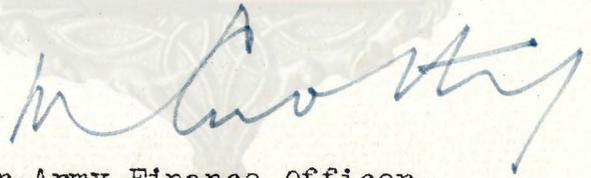
G.S.O. i/c STAFF DUTIES  
~~OFFICER i/c PERSONNEL~~

MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONS ACTS, 1924 and 1925.

Please complete from your records the form overleaf in the case of the person named thereon. It is understood that he served in the National Army as Officer.

~~N.O.O. or Private.~~

The matter is very urgent.

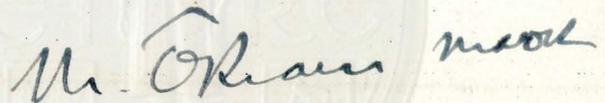


for Army Finance Officer.

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Army Finance Officer,  
(F. 7).

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



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

~~G. i/c Personnel.~~

/AMCN.

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No.	Name and Address (Surname first).	Age and height and Army No.	Particulars of any sentence of imprison- ment passed since 6th Dec., 1921.	Cause of termina- tion of Army service; state whether resigned, deserted, dismiss- ed or services dispensed with and whether there were any abnormal circumstances leading to or connected with the termination of services. .X.	Date of termina- tion of Army Service.	Character and Conduct.	Station at which serving immediate- ly prior to ter- mination of Army Services.	Unit to which applic- ant was attach- ed immed- iately before demobil- isation.	Rank on date of dis- charge or demob- ilisa- tion.	Rank on 1st Feb., 1924.
2582/S.P./ 4538.	Moran, Edward. Drummondon, Westport, Co.Mayo.	32 Yrs 5' 9"	Nil.	Resignation	14.5.'23	Clear	Westport	Mayo Brigade.	Lieut.	

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Army Finance Office (F.7)

Griffith Barracks,

DUBLIN.

29<sup>th</sup> April, 1927.

The Secretary,  
General Prisons Board,  
Dublin Castle.

Section 2(3) of the Military Service Pensions Acts 1924 and 1925 reads as follows:-

The Minister may in his absolute discretion refuse to issue a certificate of military service to any applicant who shall have, prior to the making of the report by the Board of Assessors, been sentenced by a court of competent jurisdiction in Saorstát Éireann to suffer imprisonment with or without hard labour for any term exceeding three months or any term of penal servitude.

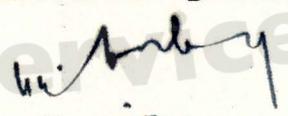
The Board of Assessors have reported in favour of the grant of certificates to the persons mentioned overleaf. With a view to the application of the section quoted above to their cases I am to request that you will be so good as to furnish overleaf particulars of any sentences to imprisonment with or without hard labour in excess of three months or to penal servitude for any term passed by any court since the 6th December, 1921.

  
for ARMY FINANCE OFFICER.

GENERAL PRISONS BOARD,  
DUBLIN CASTLE.

Army Finance Officer, (F.7)

Particulars requested are given overleaf.

  
for Secretary.

April, 1927.

4/5/27

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE  
FINANCE  
RECEIVED  
5 - MAY 1927



S.P.No.	Name and Address (surname first)	Age and height.	Particulars of sentence passed since 6th Decr.1921.
2582/SP/4538.	MORAN, EDWARD, Druminden, Westport, CO. MAYO.	32 years. 5' 9"	<u>no record</u>

/MD

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M.S.B.  
(Argumist).

Edward Moran

Reference...2582/SP/4538...

The Board of Assessors have certified that the above has had 3.342 years Pensionable Service with the rank of Lieutenant. He is, therefore, eligible for a Military Service Pension of £ : : 33.8.5 per annum.

The following reports have been received:-

Staff Duties - Resignation 14/6/23  
Personnel. - Character & conduct clean.

Intelligence - We are aware of no reason why Pension should be withheld or refused.

Prisons Board - No record.

Minister for Defence.

Submitted and recommended that a Certificate of Military Service be issued to Mr Edward Moran Drummond Westport Co Mayo in accordance with the report of the Board of Assessors and Section 2 (1) of the Military Service Pensions Act.

8.7.27

J. Fahy  
ARMY FINANCE OFFICER.  
26th May 1927.

Issue of Certificate... 29 .....

P. Woods  
MINISTER FOR DEFENCE.  
27 May 1927.

/EK.

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MINUTE SHEET.

M.S.B.  
(Argumist).

*Edward Moran*

Reference.....*2587/SP/H538*

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The Secretary.

Will you please issue the Certificate and return this file.

*F. J. M.*  
for  
ARMY FINANCE OFFICER  
*78 1/2* May, 1927.

*Also*  
*certificate (M.S.P 3 form)*  
*has been issued today*

*F. J. M.*  
*Mullat*

*Ranaidhe*  
*1<sup>st</sup> June 1927*

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ROINN AIRGID,  
(Department of Finance),

Ref.No.  
P.20/342/27.



SRAID MHUIRBHTEANN UACHT,  
(Upper Merrion Street),

BAILE ATHA CLIATH.  
(Dublin).

Army Finance Officer,  
Griffith Barracks.



I am directed by the Minister for Finance to refer to your minute of the 29th June last (No. 2582/SP/4538) intimating that a certificate of Military Service has been granted, pursuant to Section 2 of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924, to Mr. Edward Moran, Drumindoo, Westport, County Mayo, and I am to say that the Minister sanctions the grant under Section 4 of the Act of a pension at the rate of Thirty three pounds, eight shillings and sixpence a year to Mr. Moran, with effect as from the 1st October, 1924, inclusive.

£33.8.6

The Report of the Board of Assessors is returned herewith.

*W. Doole*

15 August, 1927.

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S.P. 4538

# Military Service Pensions Act, 1924

M.S.P. 2.

## REPORT BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

TO THE MINISTER FOR DEFENCE.

We, the undersigned members of the Board of Assessors constituted under Section 3 of the above-mentioned Act, report as hereunder on the application of Edward Moran, Drummindee, Westport, County Mayo for a Certificate of Military Service in accordance with the terms of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924, and the Regulations made thereunder.



(1) Periods of Military Service prescribed in the Act.	(2) Forces in which active service was rendered	(3) Duration of active service during each of the prescribed periods as established to the satisfaction of the Board	(4) Equivalent of active service for pension purposes as defined by Section 4 (2) of the Act
(a) (1) Active service in the week commencing 23rd April, 1916 ...			
(2) Continuous service from 1st April, 1916, to 31st March, 1917 ...			
(b) Continuous service from 1st April, 1917, to 31st March, 1918 ...			
(c) " " " 1st April, 1918, to 31st March, 1919 ...			
(d) " " " 1st April, 1919, to 31st March, 1920 ...	Oglaigh na hEireann.		
(e) " " " 1st April, 1920, to 31st March, 1921 ...	" " "		
(f) " " " 1st April, 1921, to 11th July, 1921 ...	" " "	Entire Period.	1 Year
(g) " " " 12th July, 1921, to 30th June, 1922 ...	" " "	" " "	1 "
(h) " " " 1st July, 1922, to 31st March, 1923 ...	Oglaigh na hEireann [Defence Forces (Temporary Provisions) Act, 1923]	151 27/4 of Entire Period.	14 137 "
(i) " " " 1st April, 1923, to 30th September, 1923 ...	" " "	44 183 of " "	44 183 "

Rank of the applicant as defined by Sec. 4 (3) of the Act Lieutenant

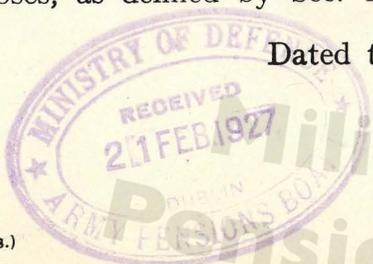
Total service for pension purposes, as defined by Sec. 4 (2) of the Act. 3.342 years

Dated this 31<sup>st</sup> day of January, 1927

(Signed)

*[Handwritten signature]*

Member of the Board of Assessors.



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## Military Service Pensions Collection



(S. P. 4538)



Drummond,  
Westport  
Co. Mayo.

Dear Sir,

With reference to my military service pension certificate, which I received on June the 1<sup>st</sup>. As I have not yet received any further communication in regards payment of pension. I am directed by the Board of Assessors to obtain full particulars from you in regards ~~of~~ same. A reply by return will oblige.  
Edward Moran

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Letter answered 3/17

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Ref. No. B96

ROINN CHOSANTA,  
(Department of Defence),

OIFIG AIRGID AN AIRM  
(Army Finance Office),

ROINNÉOG NA BFINSEAN  
(Pensions Section),

GRIFFITH BARRACKS,  
SOUTH CIRCULAR ROAD,

DUBLIN 3<sup>rd</sup> Sept 1927

A Chara,

Military Service Pensions Act, 1924.

In connection with your claim under the above Act, will you please furnish me hereunder with a specimen of your signature, duly witnessed by one of the persons set out in the margin of the Life Certificate form enclosed.

Mise, le meas,

*J. J. Horgan*

for ARMY FINANCE OFFICER.



TO/

*Mr Edward Moran*

*Drumcondoo*

*Westport, Co Mayo.*

Military Service Pensions Act, 1924.

Usual Signature

Rank in National Forces

Address

Witnessed

*Lieutenant*

*Drumcondoo*

*Westport Co Mayo*

*Thomas Jones Serjt.*

*James Rocheana, Westport*

*Co Mayo*

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SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN.

(A STAMP IS NOT REQUIRED)

ARMY PENSIONS BRANCH,

ARMY FINANCE OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE,

GRIFFITH BARRACKS,

DUBLIN.

A.P. A/cs 5.

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(2)

Reference No. ....

SAORSTAT ÉIREANN.

M.S.P. A/cs. 5.

# 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 Army Finance Office.

(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)..... *Moran Edward*

Residing at..... *Drumminado Westport Co Mayo*

Year of Birth..... *1892*

Number of Award Certificate..... *SP 4538/B962*

Rate of Pension..... *£33.8-6 per year*

Date of Discharge from National Army..... *14 May 1923*

Rank on Discharge..... *Lieutenant*

(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).

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)..... *Did not receive any public money since I was discharged from the army*

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

Signature (in full)..... *Edward Moran* Date..... *6<sup>th</sup> Sept '24*

Full Postal Address..... *Drumminado Westport Co Mayo*

### CERTIFICATE.

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..... *Thomas Conner* Date..... *6<sup>th</sup> Sept '24*

Rank or Profession..... *Sergeant Garda Síochána*

Full Postal Address..... *Westport Co Mayo*

Extract from Military Service Pensions Act, 1924, Section 7 (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).

(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.**

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(1) In 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.

District Justices and Peace Commissioners.

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

(2) In the British Empire.  
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 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 Foreign 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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M.S.P. A/cs. 7.

ARMY FINANCE OFFICE (F.7),

GRIFFITH BARRACKS,

DUBLIN.

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7<sup>th</sup> Oct. 1927.

The Officer i/c.F.6.

The undermentioned is a claimant under the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924, and before payment of any pension is made to him, will you please notify me whether there are any monies due or owing to the Minister which might be recovered under Section 5 (3) of the Act.

Name Moran Edward.

Address Drumindoo, Westport.

No. and Rank in National Army Lt.

Unit, Station, and date of Discharge Mayo Brigade.

Westport. 14-5-23.

REPLY.

Officer i/c. F.7.

*No record*

*Ed.*

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*add.*

OFFICER I/C. F.6

/M.Ni M.

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M.S.P. A/cs. 7.

ARMY FINANCE OFFICE (F.7),  
GRIFFITH BARRACKS,  
DUBLIN.

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7<sup>th</sup> Oct. 1927.

The Officer i/c.F.5.

The undermentioned is a claimant under the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924, and before payment of any pension is made to him, will you please notify me whether there are any monies due or owing to the Minister which might be recovered under Section 5 (3) of the Act.

Name Moran Edward.  
Address Drumindoe, Westport.  
No. and Rank in National Army Lt.  
Unit, Station, and date of Discharge Mayo Brigade.  
Westport. 14-5-23.

REPLY. *M.*

Officer i/c. F.7.

As far as is known there are no monies due to the Minister for Defence

by the above-mentioned.

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*S.S.*  
OFFICER I/C. F.5.

8/10/27.

*[Signature]*  
/M.N.M.

B.962.

M.S.P. A/cs. 7.

ARMY FINANCE OFFICE (F.7),

GRIFFITH BARRACKS,

DUBLIN.

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7<sup>th</sup> Oct. 1927.

The Officer i/c.F.3.

The undermentioned is a claimant under the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924, and before payment of any pension is made to him, will you please notify me whether there are any monies due or owing to the Minister which might be recovered under Section.5 (3) of the Act. *Please state the last date in respect of which Army pay was issued.*

Name Moran Edward.

Address Dromindoo, Westport.

No. and Rank in National Army Lt.

Unit, Station, and date of Discharge Mayo Brigade.  
Westport. 14-5-23.

*M.*

REPLY.

Officer i/c. F.7.

*no record.*



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*J. J. Jones*  
for OFFICER I/C. F 3  
11/10/27

/M.Ni M.

B.962.

M.S.P. A/cs. 7.

ARMY FINANCE OFFICE (F.7),  
GRIFFITH BARRACKS,  
DUBLIN.

Military Archives

7<sup>th</sup> Oct. 1927.

The Officer i/c.F.1.

The undermentioned is a claimant under the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924, and before payment of any pension is made to him, will you please notify me whether there are any monies due or owing to the Minister which might be recovered under Section 5 (3) of the Act.

Name Moran Edward.  
Address Dromindoe, Westport.  
No. and Rank in National Army Lt.  
Unit, Station, and date of Discharge Mayo Brigade.  
Westport. 14-5-'23.

REPLY.

Officer i/c. F.7.

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MINISTRY OF DEFENCE  
10 OCT 1927  
PENSIONS UNIT

Military Service Pensions Collection

a. j. Hyland.

OFFICER I/C. F.7.  
10. OCT 1927.

/M.Ni M.

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ARMY PENSIONS BRANCH,

ARMY FINANCE OFFICE,

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M.S.P. A/cs. 5.

# Military Service Pensions.

## LIFE CERTIFICATE.

**NOTICE.**—This Certificate is Government Property. It is no security whatever for debt.

This form should be retained by you until the 31<sup>st</sup> day of December and it should then be completed & returned to this office.

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 Army Finance Office.

(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)..... Moran Edward  
Residing at..... Drumindoo Westport  
Year of Birth..... 1892  
Number of Award Certificate..... S.P. 4538. B962  
Rate of Pension..... £ 33. 8. 6 per Annum  
Date of Discharge from National Army..... May 1923  
Rank on Discharge..... 1<sup>st</sup> Lieutenant

(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).

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)..... 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 by the Army Finance Officer that such Pension has been granted to me. I further declare that all the statements I have made above are true and correct.

Signature (in full)..... Edward Moran..... Date..... 20 December 1927  
Full Postal Address..... Drumindoo Westport Co Mayo

### CERTIFICATE.

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..... Mark Thomas Moran..... Date..... Dec. 20<sup>th</sup> 1927  
Rank or Profession..... Medical Practitioner  
Full Postal Address..... Westport Co Mayo

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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).

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



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AN ROINN COSANTA,  
(DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE),

GEATA NA PAIRCE,  
(PARKGATE),

BAILE ATHA CLIATH.  
(DUBLIN).

Ref. No. *B962*

31st December, 1931.

## MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONS ACT, 1924.

A CHARA,

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

Failure to furnish a fresh specimen signature is likely to result in delay in future issues of pension.

An addressed envelope which need not be stamped is enclosed for the return of this form.

Mise, le meas,

*Teódoas Macneil*

RUNAI.

To each Military Service Pensioner.

[Not to be detached.]

Usual Signature of Pensioner.....

Address.....

*Drummindee*

*Westport*

*Co Mayo*

Name of Witness.....

*John O'Donnell*

Qualification.....

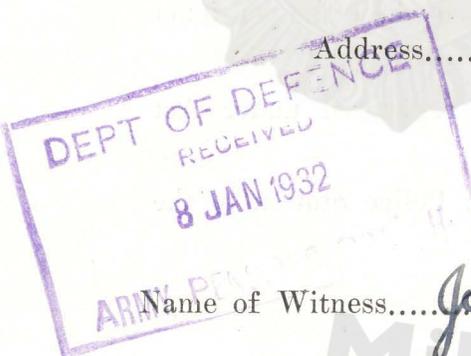
*Sergeant Garda Síochána*

Address.....

*Westport Co Mayo*

Date.....

*5/1/32*



Military Service Pensions Collection

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.

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Ref 31/962 *Mr Edward Mearns died on the*

1. Requisition File ✓
2. Notate Kardex ✓
3. Notify E.D.P. section ✓ PP-008556 -
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 ✓ 17/2/78
9. ~~P45 Supplement~~
10. Date of Death 5-6-1976 *per - Med. Cert.*
11. Rate per month £23.79. ✓
12. Paid to 31/5/76.
13. Due 1-5/6/76.
14. Tax Free Allowance (A/B) } *No certificate.*
15. Taxable Income
16. Tax Due
17. Net Amount Payable 3.96. ✓

*Funeral Grant £50.00*  
£53.96

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Pensions Collection





# DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE

A.P. A/cs 32

This Warrant is exempt from Stamp Duty

I, THE UNDERNAMED, TO WHOM AN AWARD HAS BEEN MADE UNDER THE **MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONS ACTS**  
AFFIX MY SIGNATURE IN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF THE RECEIPT FROM THE MINISTER FOR DEFENCE OF THE NET SUM SHOWN BELOW FOR THE  
PERIOD ENDED **30 JUNE 1976**

31 962 0 1 6 76

GROSS	DEDUCTIONS		
	INCOME TAX	Code	SEE OVERLEAF
£ 23.79	£		£

MR EDWARD MORAN  
DRUMINDOO  
WESTPORT CO MAYO

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NET SUM  
£

£23.79

NET SUM	£ ***23.79
	POUNDS

& Co

*Deceased*

31 962 0 1 6 76

SIGNATURE OF PAYEE.....

**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.

# Military Archives

A/C No

31 - 962 .

An Roinn Cosanta  
Bainse Airgeadais  
Coláiste Caoimhín  
Baile Átha Cliath 9

5 July

1976

A Chara

Re: Edward Moran - deceased.

With reference to your claim to the balance of pension/~~special allowance~~ due to the estate of the above-named, and a funeral grant, I am directed by the Minister for Defence to request you to please submit a Registrar's Certificate of Death to this Department for noting, in order that the question of releasing the amount due may receive attention.

Mise le meas

MC  
RUMAI  
mc

The Reps of the  
late Edward Moran

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File No 24 B 962

A/c No 31/962

Name Mr Edward Moran

Address Darmindee,  
Westport,  
Co Mayo

Date of Death \_\_\_\_\_

E.D.P.

Please note and arrange to cancel payment

Date 11/5/77

A.3.

Noted and arrangements made accordingly.

A 5/E.D.P.

Date Jan 6/7/76

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# Military Archives

A/C No 31-962

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Coláiste Caoimhín  
Baile Átha Cliath 9

17 February 1978.

A Chara

Re: Edward Moran deceased.

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Mise le neas

11C  
RUMAI

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The Agents of the late  
Edward Moran

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## Registry

Please note death and pass file to A3V

A3V

*noted Reg*   
*17/2/78*

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

~~A3A~~

*noted Mrs.*  
*20/2/78.*

Please note death and return file to this section.

*NE*  
A3B

Military Service  
on ~~return~~ *NA file*

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Mise le meas



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An Roinn Cosanta  
Brainse Airgeadais  
Colaiste Caoimhin  
Baile Atha Cliath 9

3 March  
February 1978

A Chara  
~~A Bhean Uasal~~  
~~A Chairde~~

With reference to ~~your letter of this Department's letter of~~ <sup>17<sup>th</sup> inst</sup> relative to the late Edward Moran, I am directed by the Minister for Defence to state that assuming the date of death to be <sup>was</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> June 1976 the balance of pension which is due under the Military Service Pensions Act to the estate of the deceased amounts to £ 3.96.

Consideration will be given to the payment of this balance (~~subject to any deductions which may be necessary in respect of income tax, etc.~~) to the legal personal representative of the deceased on production at this office of Probate of Will or Letters of Administration.

If it is not intended to extract Probate of Will or Letters of Administration, the enclosed form of Statutory Declaration should be completed and returned to this office, together with a Registrar's Certificate of Death, in order that the question of releasing the balance due may receive attention.

A funeral grant of £50 is also payable to the person responsible for the funeral expenses. Please forward the receipted funeral account (showing the name and address of the person who paid the funeral expenses) to this Department for noting. *The medical certificate has been noted and is returned herewith.*

Mise le meas  
*The repr. of the late*  
*Edward Moran*

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