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ná cuirtear éantúairisc ar an sclúdaic so.

Ta annro, leir

An Uimhir

An Snó

34 SP/

37674

An Uimhir as Roinn
Eile.

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Gallagher, Anthony

Aughagowla,

Westport,

County Mayo.

DP 20927
N. 2938

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f3a

8/11/36

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11/4/51

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25.7.52

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27 NOV 1936

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10/8/56

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12/1/40

PA an

12/19/51

F3A

31.7.57

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11/8/40

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18/12/52

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2.8.57

f3(a)

31.1/41

PA f3a

20/12/51

asce

17/1/50

PA

5/2/40

BT

1/2/52

Mr. G. Macdonald

24/2/61

f3A

17/5/41

F3A

7/11/52

Mr. G. Macdonald

2/3/61

PA

19/5/41

PA f3a

13.1.52

L.O.A.

2.3.61

PA

27/5/41

F3CM

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A3C(m)

8/3/61

F3A

23/6/41

PA

16/2/52

A3a

15.3.61

PA

11/7/45

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19/2/52

A3C(b)

26/4/61

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26/4/61

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F3a

13/1/41

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13/5/53

A3A

22/10/79

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	Ref.	Date	Signature
(1) Previous papers under—			
(a) Army Pensions Act, 1923			
(b) " " " 1927			
(c) " " " 1932			
(d) Military Service Pensions Act, 1924	<i>Feb</i>	<i>4.11.36</i>	<i>Inewad</i>
(e) Military Tribunal		<i>6 -</i>	<i>W. H. ...</i>
(2) M.S.P./34/1 issued to applicant		<i>26/4/35</i>	<i>W. H. ...</i>
(3) " returned by "		<i>1.1.36</i>	<i>Inewad</i>
(4) " " to " for further particulars or completion			
(5) M.S.P./34/1 returned by applicant			
(6) R.C.8/SP/34 issued		<i>31.1.36</i>	<i>Inewad</i>
(7) M.S.P./34/1 and M.S.P./34/2 to Referee		<i>27 NOV 1936</i>	<i>W. H. ...</i>
(8) M.S.P./34/2 returned by Referee		<i>12/7/40</i>	<i>W. H. ...</i>
(9) M.S.P./34/5 to General Prisons Board			
(10) M.S.P./34/5 returned by " "			
(11) File to Minister <i>re</i> Service Certificate			
(12) Service Certificate issued to applicant			
(13) M.S.P./34/7 to D. Finance			
(14) M.S.P./34/7 returned by Finance			
<i>P.F. issued.</i>		<i>10/4/51</i>	<i>W. Power.</i>
<i>.. Back</i>		<i>8/6/51</i>	<i>W. H. ...</i>
<i>.. to Referee</i>		<i>12/9/51</i>	<i>W. H. ...</i>
<i>N.P.F.</i>			

Ref. No.

DP/20927
34/sp/37674

CLAIM FOR SERVICE (1917-1921) MEDAL

Name and Address

Anthony Gallagher

Date of Birth

1.7.1899

Membership

(Company)

(Battalion)

(Brigade)

Claimed of

BROCKAGH

2nd

WEST MARY

Result of

enquiries made:

NAME	Rank (and pension no. if any)	V. Form Issued	Remr. Issued	REPORT
✓ Patrick J. Doherty ^{USA}	o/c 34/C525	21 DEC 1960		Verified
✓ J. J. Connolly	o/c 34/C8	21 DEC 1960		Verified
Michael Gallagher	Adj. 34/D163		Deceased	—
✓ Patrick Kelly ^{USA}	Adj. 34/D1927	21 DEC 1960		Verified
Michael Kirby	Brigade o/c 34/A3			VERIFIED
E. Moane	Brigade o/c 34/B1			VERIFIED
Coy				
W. Rice	o/c	no address USA.		
J. Kelly	1st Lt.	no address - England	(Deceased)	
M. O'Malley	2nd Lt.	no address - USA.		
✓ William Kelly	Adj. P. Lt. 34/WK	25 FEB 1961		Verified
On Coy. All				

n.s.p. file attached re. see certificates and sworn evidence of afflt. D.

Duly awarded Certificate signed

8/3/61 OA

Date Medal issued

27.4.1948



(Initials and date)

Noted on Coy under 14/3/61

Lm

29/3/61

Ref. No.

DP/30927
345P/37674

An Roinn Cosanta,

Brainse Airgeadais A, 3c.(b).

Colaiste Caomhain,

Glasnaoidhean,

Baile Atha Cliath.

23 FEB 1961

A CHARA,

An application for a Special Allowance
Service (1917-1921) Medal has been received from:—

Date of Birth.

Present
Occupation.

Anthony Gallagher
Ardagowla, Clogher, WESTPORT, Mayo.
1.7.1899

who states that his/her address and occupation on 11th July, 1921, were:—

as above

and that particulars of his/her unit on 11th July, 1921, were:—

Company	Battalion	Brigade
<u>BROOKAGH</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>West Mayo</u>
<u>Wm. Rice</u>	<u>Patrick J. Doherty</u>	<u>Mr. KILROY</u>

The Minister must be satisfied that the applicant, in order to be eligible for the award of the Medal, was a member continuously during the period of three months which ended on the 11th July, 1921. In order to assist the Minister in deciding the application, it would be appreciated if you would furnish replies to the questions set out opposite and return this form, duly signed, at your earliest convenience. An addressed envelope on which postage need not be prepaid is enclosed for your reply.

Mise, le meas,

Aodh Mac Ríadaigh
Rúnaí.

Mr. William Kelly
Castlebar St.
WESTPORT.

QUESTION.

ANSWER.

1. Was the applicant named opposite a member of Óglaigh na hÉireann (I.R.A.)/Cumann na mBan or Fianna Éireann continuously for the period of three months ended the 11th July, 1921?
2. (a) Did the applicant during the whole of that period take part in the normal activities of his/her Company or Unit?

(b) If the applicant did not take part in such activities during the whole or part of the period, please state the cause.

..... He was an active member.

..... YES

3. (a) Have you personal knowledge of the facts of the case as set out by you above,

or
(b) Are your replies based on records or on information otherwise received?

..... Yes. As 2nd Lieutenant of the Company it was in my charge to see and know the active members.

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

Signature..... William KellyAddress..... Castlebar Street,Westport Co. Mayo.Rank on the 11th July, 1921..... 2nd LieutenantDate..... 4th March 1961.

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Pensions Collection

Military Archives

Hence.

Log. Roll shows that while J. Kelly was on
A.S.U. duties, William Kelly, Castlebar Street,
Westport, was acting Lt. William Kelly
joined Lt. rank in his MSP (35677).

25²/₆

M. Ryan,

Please send v/form to William Kelly
(34/116) who is a medal holder (3457/379364)
and add his name to the Log. records.

N.T. Carroll
25²/₆

v/form issued as above
25/2/61

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An Roinn Cesanta,
Brainse Airgeadais A, 3c.(b).
Colaiste Caoimhin,
Glasnaoidhean,
Baile Átha Cliath.

21 DEC 1960

A CHARA,

An application for a Special Allowance
Service (1917-1921) Medal has been received from:—

Anthony Gallagher

Date of Birth.

Present
Occupation.

1.7.1899

Infantry, Clogher, WESTPORT, Co. Mayo.

who states that his/~~her~~ address and occupation on 11th July, 1921, were:—

as above

and that particulars of his/~~her~~ unit on 11th July, 1921, were:—

Company	Battalion	Brigade
<i>BROCKAGH</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>West Mayo</i>
<i>Wm. Brie</i>	<i>Patrick J. Doherty</i>	<i>W. Kilroy</i>

The Minister must be satisfied that the applicant, in order to be eligible for the award of the Medal, was a member continuously during the period of three months which ended on the 11th July, 1921. In order to assist the Minister in deciding the application, it would be appreciated if you would furnish replies to the questions set out opposite and return this form, duly signed, at your earliest convenience. An addressed envelope on which postage need not be prepaid is enclosed for your reply.

Mise, le meas,

Aodh Mac Buidéigh

Rúnaí.

Mr. Patrick J. Doherty
USA.

QUESTION.

ANSWER.

22 FEB 1961

1. Was the applicant named opposite a member of Óglaigh na hÉireann (I.R.A.)/Cumann na mBan or Fianna Éireann continuously for the period of three months ended the 11th July, 1921?

yes

2. (a) Did the applicant during the whole of that period take part in the normal activities of his/her Company or Unit?

yes

(b) If the applicant did not take part in such activities during the whole or part of the period, please state the cause.

yes

3. (a) Have you personal knowledge of the facts of the case as set out by you above,

yes

or

(b) Are your replies based on records or on information otherwise received?

No

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

Signature.....

Patrick J. Doherty

Address.....

604 East 141st. N.Y.C.
U.S.A.

Rank on the 11th July, 1921.....

Btm. Comdt.

Date.....

Feb 15. 1961

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Ref. No. *DP 2027*
34 SP 37674

An Roinn Cosanta,
Brainse Airgeadais A, 3c.(b).
Colaiste Caoimhin,
Glasnaoidhean,
Baile Átha Cliath.

21 DEC 1960

A CHARA,

An application for a Special Allowance
Service (1917-1921) Medal has been received from:—

Anthony Gallagher Date of Birth. *1.7.1899* Present Occupation.
Duffragowla, Clougher, WESTPORT, Co. Mayo

who states that his/~~her~~ address and occupation on 11th July, 1921, were:—

as above

and that particulars of his/~~her~~ unit on 11th July, 1921, were:—

Company	Battalion	Brigade
<i>DRUCKAGH</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>West Mayo</i>
<i>Wm. Rice</i>	<i>Patrick J. Doherty</i>	<i>Mr. KILROY</i>

The Minister must be satisfied that the applicant, in order to be eligible for the award of the Medal, was a member continuously during the period of three months which ended on the 11th July, 1921. In order to assist the Minister in deciding the application, it would be appreciated if you would furnish replies to the questions set out opposite and return this form, duly signed, at your earliest convenience. An addressed envelope ~~on which postage need not be prepaid~~ is enclosed for your reply.

Mise, le meas,

Arth Mac Bristaigh
Rúnaí.

Mr. Patrick Kelly
USA.

QUESTION.

ANSWER. *30 JAN 1961*

1. Was the applicant named opposite a member of Óglaigh na hÉireann (I.R.A.)/Cumann na mBan or Fianna Éireann continuously for the period of three months ended the 11th July, 1921?

Yes

2. (a) Did the applicant during the whole of that period take part in the normal activities of his/her Company or Unit?

Yes

(b) If the applicant did not take part in such activities during the whole or part of the period, please state the cause.

active all along

3. (a) Have you personal knowledge of the facts of the case as set out by you above,

Yes

or

(b) Are your replies based on records or on information otherwise received?

Records

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

Signature *Patrick Kelly*

Address *2819 N. Halsted St.*

Chicago 14 Ill

Rank on the 11th July, 1921 *1st Lieut*

Date.....

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An Roinn Cosanta,
Brainse Airgeadais A, 3c.(b).
Colaiste Caoimhin,
Glasnaoidhean,
Baile Átha Cliath.

A CHARA,

An application for a Special Allowance
Service (1917-1921) Medal has been received from:—

Anthony Gallagher Date of Birth. 1-7-1899 Present Occupation.
1 Augagawla, Clogher, WESTPORT. Co Mayo.

who states that his/her address and occupation on 11th July, 1921, were:—

as above
and that particulars of his/her unit on 11th July, 1921, were:—

Company	Battalion	Brigade
<u>PROCKAGH</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>WEST MAYO</u>
<u>Wm. Rice</u>	<u>Patrick J. Doherty</u>	<u>Mr. KILROY</u>

The Minister must be satisfied that the applicant, in order to be eligible for the award of the Medal, was a member continuously during the period of three months which ended on the 11th July, 1921. In order to assist the Minister in deciding the application, it would be appreciated if you would furnish replies to the questions set out opposite and return this form, duly signed, at your earliest convenience. An addressed envelope on which postage need not be prepaid is enclosed for your reply.

Mise, le meas,

Aodh Mac Binnáin
Rúnaí.

Mr. J. J. Connolly

QUESTION.

1. Was the applicant named opposite a member of Óglaigh na hÉireann (I.R.A.)/Cumann na mBan or Fianna Éireann continuously for the period of three months ended the 11th July, 1921?
2. (a) Did the applicant during the whole of that period take part in the normal activities of his/her Company or Unit?

(b) If the applicant did not take part in such activities during the whole or part of the period, please state the cause.

3. (a) Have you personal knowledge of the facts of the case as set out by you above,

or

- (b) Are your replies based on records or on information otherwise received?

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

Signature

Address

Rank on the 11th July, 1921.

Date

ANSWER.

The applicant was member
of I.R.A. during
that period

Yes

Yes

Personal Knowledge

John Connolly

Albany ST

Ballymore Co Mayo

1st Lt

2nd Lt

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CATHAN 75641.
(Telephone)

UIMHIR THAGARTHA
(Reference No.)

34/SP/37674



An Roinn Cosanta,
Brainse Airgeadais,
Colaiste Caoimhin,
Glasnaoidhean,
Baile Átha Cliath.

9 MAY 1953

A CHARA,

I am directed by the Minister for Defence to refer to the Petition submitted by you under the Military Service Pensions (Amendment) Act, 1949, and to state that the Referee, having considered the facts alleged in the Petition and the evidence previously submitted in connection with your application under the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934, has reported that there is not a *prima facie* case that you are a person to whom the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934, applies. In the circumstances, the Minister regrets that he is unable to grant you a Service Certificate which would render you eligible for the award of pension.

Mise, le meas,

Sgd. P. J. KILCULLEN.

4/s. Rúnaí.

Mr Anthony Gallagher,
Roughgewla, Baggin
Westport, Co Mayo.

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Initials...

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OIFIG AN RÉITEÓRA,
COLAISTE CAOIMHÍN,
GLASNAOIDHEAN,
BAILE ATHA CLIATH.

Gallagher Anthony
Anghaíonla Clógher,
Woolport, 65 Mayo.

Achta na bPinsean Seirbhíse Míleata 1934-1949.

Aire Cosanta,

Iar bhreithniú achainí an iarratasóra thuas-luaite do réir forála Ailt 11(1) de Achta na bPinsean Seirbhíse Míleata (Leasú), 1949, ní h-é mo thuairim go bhfuil cás prima facie ann gur duine é a mbaineann Achta 1934 leis.

Dá bhrí sin, diúltuim an t-iarratas d'athscrúdú.

An 18^ú lá de Míi Ieabara 1953.

Lady Mac L. Meara

RÉITEÓIR.

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34/37674
H.T.D.P.

Angbagouda,
bhoghee,

Westpoet,

Co. Mayo.

19th May 1951.

Dear Sirs,

Would you kindly forward
me an application form to fill
for obtaining a Military Service
Pension.

A oblige,

I remain,

Yours faithfully,
Anthony Gallagher.

Military Service
Pensions Collection

APPLICATION FOR THE ISSUE OF MEDALS.

Ref. 34/S.P./ 37674.

Mr. Taylor.

The attached application from: Anthony Gallagher.
Aughagowla
Cloghes
Westport
Co Mayo.

is transmitted herewith for authority to issue:-

1916 Medal

Service Medal with Bar

Service Medal

Membership for the period of three months up to and including the 11th July, 1921

Certified by (1) Michael Kilroy

(2) E. Moane

* Rank (1) Bde Sec. - 34/A3

(2) " V. Sec. - 34/B1

* Rank as shown on R/O. 326.

Recommended J. Bonner

Approved. P.

Date: 21.4.48.

F.5.

1916 Medal issued

Service Medal with Bar issued

Service Medal issued

OFFICER i/c F.5.

Date 27 APR 1948

C.R. File.

Ref. 34/SP/376/4

Roinn Cosanta,
Brainnse Airgeadais,
(Section F.5),
Colaiste Caoimhin,
Glasnaoidhean,
Baile Átha Cliath.

Ref No. 34/SP/376/4

Applicant's Name Gallagher Anthony

Address Aughagowla

Blogher Westport Co. Mayo.

63B.

17 OCT 1947

A Chara,

I am directed by the Minister for Defence to refer to an application received for the issue of a Service Medal from Gallagher Anthony, Aughagowla, Blogher

Westport Co. Mayo., who states he served in

Brockagh Company, Newport

Battalion, West Mayo Brigade,

Wm Rice Division Company Officer

Park J. Coherly (in USA) Battalion Officer.

Michael Kilroy Brigade Officer.

Address of Applicant on 11th July, 1921, As above.

I shall be obliged for replies to the questions set out opposite and the return of this form duly signed to the above address at your earliest convenience.

An addressed envelope on which postage need not be prepaid is enclosed for your reply.

Mise, le meas,

Michael Kilroy

RÚNAÍ.

Mr Michael Kilroy

1. Was the applicant a Member continuously for the period of three months ended on the 11th July, 1921?

yes

2. If the applicant was absent from service during the whole or part of the period mentioned above the exact cause of his/her absence should be stated

no absence from duty

none

Signed: Michael Kilroy Rank Brigade

Emoane Rank O.C.

Rank

* Ranks shown should be the ranks held on the 11th July, 1921.

Military Service
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Ref.No. 28492.

APPLICATION FOR MEDAL (Pre Truce).

Do you claim to have rendered service at any date subsequent to the 23rd April, 1916, and prior to and including, the 11th July, 1921? yes.

If so, please furnish the following information:-

- (a) Organisation in which you served: I.R. army. ✓
- (b) Duration (giving dates) of your service from 1917 to 1923.
- (c) Were you an effective member on the 11th July, 1921? yes. ✓
- (d) State Unit or Units in which you served:-
(1) Company Brockagh Battalion Newport Brigade West Mayo
4th Western Division
- (e) State Names and Addresses of Commanding Officers:
(1) Brigade Michael Kilroy ✓
(2) Battalion Patrick J. Doherty ✓
(3) Company Wm. Rice ✓
- (f) Have you applied for a Service Pension? yes. ^{34 SP} ₃₇₆₇₄
- (g) Have you applied for a Disability Pension? no.
- (h) If so, give the reference numbers of any communications received from this Department in connection with your application for a pension
- (i) State address from which you made application for a Pension: Aughagowla, boghr. Westport.
- (j) Have you previously applied for a Service Medal? no

Full Christian and Surname: ANTHONY GALLAGHER.
(In Block Capitals)

Present Address

Aughagowla, boghr.
Westport.
Co Mayo.

Address at which you resided on 11th July, 1921:

Aughagowla,
boghr. Westport
Co Mayo.

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ack
12/4/47.

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Dughagowla
Glagher

Wellport

to C. D. P. A.

24-12-46

I beg to make application for a
servis medal & trust this
application will reach your
office before closing date.

Yours Sincerely

Anthony Gallagher

Dughagowla
Glagher

Wellport



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C.W.
17.1.47 A 4.147.

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Griffiths

Barrecks

Dublin

P. S. M.

01915 an. 1800014

FAIGHTE

for F5 Medal

Date

10/6/37

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Military Service Pensions Act, 1934.

Ref. No. 34SP/37674

To:

THE REFEREE.

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

Gallagher Anthony
Aughagoola Westport
 for a Service Certificate. So. Mayo

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

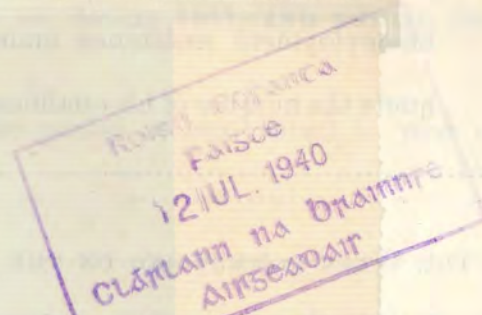
J. J. Morgan

Date 27 NOV 1936Ref. No. MSP/34/Ref: - 36052

To:

THE MINISTER FOR DEFENCE.

I submit hereunder my report in this case.



Tommy McSweeney
 Referee.

Date 5. 7. 40

1. Is the Applicant a person to whom the Act applies? No (R 19)
2. If so, total actual service in the different service periods, as established.....
3. Total service for pension purposes as defined by Second Schedule of the Act.....
4. Grade or rank, quoting relevant paragraph of First Schedule under which allowed: —
 - (a) On first critical date.....
 - (b) On second critical date.....
 - (c) Was applicant a member of the Irish Volunteer Executive at any time prior to the 11th July, 1921.....
 - (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.....
 - or under sub-paragraph (m) of paragraph 4 of Rule I. of First Schedule, as a Medical Officer.....

Deinim an tuarascabáil seo do dhaingniú
 dáta; 3. 1. 47
Seán M. L. L. L.
 RÉITEÓIR.

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 ?.....

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.....

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

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

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

(3) State—

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

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

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

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

(3) State—

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

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

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

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

(3) State—

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

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

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

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

(3) State—

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

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

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

.....

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

.....

(3) State—

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

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

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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

.....

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

.....

(3) State—

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

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

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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

.....

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

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(3) State—

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

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

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

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

(3) State—

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

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

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

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

(3) State—

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

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

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

.....

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

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(3) State—

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

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

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Roinn Cosanta,
Brainnse Airgeadais,
Coláiste Caoimhín,
Glasnaoidhean,
Baile Átha Cliath.

10 January 1947

A Chara,

With reference to your appeal against the findings of the Referee on your application under the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934, I am directed by the Minister for Defence to inform you that the Referee has reviewed his report in the light of the additional evidence submitted by you, and has confirmed his findings as set out on this Department's communication of the

25th July 1946

The Minister regrets, therefore, that there is no further action which he can take in the matter.

Mise, le meas,

of RUNAIDHE.

Mr Anthony Gallagher

Aughran

Gallagher - Westford
Co Mayo

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OIFIG AN RÉITEÓRA,

MSP/34/Ref. 36052.

6 Jan 1947

Military Service Pensions Act, 1934.

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Roinn Cosanta, F.3 A.

ROINN COSANTA
FAISCE
8 JAN 1947
CLARLANN NA D'AMHAR
AN t-ÉIRINN

Further to your minute 34/S.P. 37674 of the 26.11.45.
I am directed by the Referee to state that he has accordingly
reviewed the Report on the application made under the above Act
by Anthony Gallagher. Augnagowla. Clogher. Westport.
and, on review, has confirmed the finding as set out in the said
Report.

please acknowledge.

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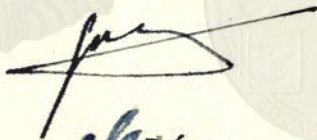
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26 Nov. 1945

Rúnaidhe do'n Réiteoir,

I am directed by the
Minister for Defence to state
that Mr. Anthony Gallagher

has appealed against the find-
ings of the Referee in his case.
The Minister directs that the
Referee will be good enough to
review his report in the light
of the additional evidence
furnished by the applicant.



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A.F.O. (Mr. Horgan).
Finance Officer.
Secretary. *20/11/45*
Minister

Mr. Anthony Gallagher, Angharwala
Westport Co. Mayo

made application for a Service Certificate under the terms of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934, as a result of which the Referee issued a report on 5 - 7 - 40 that the applicant was not a person to whom the Act applied. An appeal against the finding of the Referee was considered before he forwarded his report to the Minister.

Applicant now seeks to have his case re-opened. The evidence now produced (tab 'A') is declared by the Secretary, Office of the Referee, to be additional evidence as defined by the Attorney General.

The matter is submitted accordingly for a direction from the Minister as to whether the case should be referred back to the Referee for review.

S. A. W. Macdonald

F.3

16 Nov. 1945

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ACHT NA bPINSEAN SEIRBHÍSE MÍLEATA, 1934.

Rúnaidhe,
Roinn Cosanta.

with reference to your minute of the
and enclosure thereto (returned herewith) regarding the appeal
made to the Minister by Anthony Gallagher Anghragowla

the evidence now produced is/is not,
in my opinion, additional evidence as defined by the Attorney
General.

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10 July, 1945.

A Chara,

With reference to your recent representations, with enclosures, in connection with the applications of Messrs. Anthony Gallagher and John Kelly of Westport, Co. Mayo, under the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934, the Minister for Defence desires me to say that the question of the acceptance of an appeal in each case is under consideration.

The applicants will be notified immediately a decision is reached.

Mise, le meas,

Rúnaidhe Aire.

Michael Moran, Esq., T.D.,
Ellison Street,
Castlebar,
Co. Mayo.

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Glasnaoidhean,
Baile Átha Cliath.

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Anthony Gallagher
Aughazowla Boghen Westport.

MR. CREMEN. Egan.

The above-named has appealed against the findings of the Referee in respect of his/~~her~~ application under the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934, and in support of his/~~her~~ appeal has forwarded the enclosed documents purporting to contain additional evidence not previously available.

Will you please state for the Minister's information whether the evidence now produced is, in your opinion, additional evidence as defined by the Attorney General. Please return evidence with your reply.

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DAIL EIREANN



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TIGH LAIGHEAN

(Leinster House)

20 MTH. 1945

BAILE ATHA CLIATH

(Dublin)

CASTLEBAR. CO. MAYO.

18th June, 1945.

(2) 34 SR/37938 Nil.
(1) 34 SR/37674 Nil

- A Military Service Pensions Act.
(i) Anthony Gallagher, Aughagowla,
Clogher, Westport, and (2) John Kelly
of Gortnaclasser, Clogher, Westport.

A Chara,

I enclose herewith two applications herein. I would be obliged if you would give same your favourable consideration.

Mise, le meas,

Michael Uhera T.D.

Private Secretary,
Minister for Defence,
DUBLIN.

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3A/SP/37674 (N11)

26 May, 1941.

A Chara,

I am desired by the Minister for Defence to refer to your letter of the 30th ultimo, addressed to the Secretary, Office of the Referee, in connection with the application of Mr. Anthony Gallagher, Aughgowla, Westport, Co. Mayo, for a Service Certificate under the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934, and to state that a notification (Form R.19) was addressed by the Referee to Mr. Gallagher on the 14th May, 1940, communicating the finding on his claim, *i.e.*, that he was not a person to whom the Act of 1934 applied. An opportunity was afforded him of appealing against the Referee's decision within a period of 21 days from the date of the issue of the notification but as no appeal was received nor the notification returned as undeliverable, the Referee proceeded to make his report to the Minister, and this report is, in accordance with Section 9 of the Act, final, conclusive and binding on the applicant.

In the circumstances, it is regretted that no further action can be taken in the matter.

Mise, le meas,

Issued 27 MAY 1941

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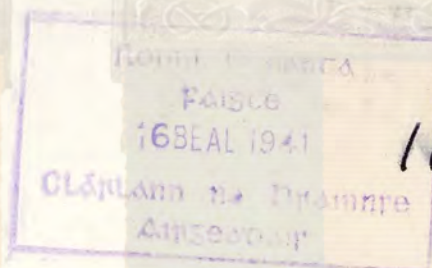
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9/s Runaidhe Aire.

Michael Moran, Esq., T.D.,
Dail Eireann,
Tigh Laighean,
Baile Atha Cliath.

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Read.....
Checked.....

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34/37674 NIL
16 May, 1941.

A Chara,

I am directed by the Referee to refer to your letter dated 30th ultimo and enclosures thereto and previous correspondence relative to application made under the above Act by Mr. Anthony Gallagher, Aughagowla, Westport, and I am to state that in the absence of any appeal by applicant, within the period specified for lodgment of appeal for revision of the finding of the Referee, as communicated to him on 14th May, 1940, the Referee has completed his Report to the Minister for Defence and now has no further functions in the matter.

I am to add that the correspondence has been transmitted to the Secretary, Department of Defence (Pensions), address as above - to whom any further representations in the matter should be addressed.

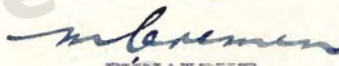
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RÚNAIDHE.

Mr. Michael Moran, T.D.,
An Dáil,
Leinster House,
Dublin.

Rúnaidhe,
Roinn Cosanta.

Transmitted.


RÚNAIDHE.

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DÁIL ÉIREANN

TIGH LAIGHEAN
(Leinster House)

BAILE ÁTHA CLIATH
(Dublin)

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Enclose herewith references
re the Case of Anthony Gallagher
of Anghagowla Westport Co Mayo
I would be obliged if his
case is reconsidered as he
appears to be within the Act
thus he has

Michael Moran T. D.

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The Referee

Military Pensions Board
Glasnevin.

I wish to outline a few Particulars of my services rendered during the trouble period.

I was one of the first who joined the I.R.A. Column in 1920. and during Black & Tan period assisted in blowing up gunnies, houses bridges and other. At Kilmuckin ambush I carried out outposts duty armed, under O'Connell's orders during that engagement I assisted in the removal of J. Swift who was badly wounded to a place of safety, during his removal we were under heavy fire from the Crown forces. On April 1921 I took part in an attempt on Dublin but the forces got away. J. Doherty was in charge of this engagement.

also during the same period the crown
Lords came to my home looking for myself
and brothers and not finding us at home
looked my father from the House for about
four hours during which time they beat
him unmercifully leaving under Dr Morris
care some years also leaving him in a
debile state of health for the remainder
of his life. During the free state trouble
you will see by my records the part I
played & you will also see how F.S. Koops
~~surrounded~~ the house and machine's guns
it also fired bomb into bed rooms
causing terrible destruction with the nearly
the loss of two of our children, also
the shooting dead of P. Mulcahy in
kitchen. I was also arrested during
this period

Anthony Gallagher

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Newport,
Co. Mayo.

17th February, 1941

The Referee,
Military Pensions Board,
Colaiste Caobhin,
GLASNEVIN.

Dear Sir,

I certify that Anthony Gallagher, Brockagh, Clogher, Westport, was an active member of the I.R.A.

As already stated by me the Brockagh Co. Area was very much used by the Officers and men of the I.R.A. as a place of retreat and for meetings. I had several meetings in Anthony Gallagher's house and stayed in his house on very many occasions. All the Gallagher family were enthusiastic supporters of ours all along.

It was in A. Gallagher's house that Patrick Mulchrone was shot on the floor by a member of the Freestate Army in 1921.

Anthony Gallagher did a lot of outpost duty and despatch work continuously during the periods - 7th, 8th 9th and 10th. He was a very good worker.

Signed:- *Michael Kilroy*

LATE O.C. WESTERN COMMAND.

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Westport

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This is to certify that Antony
Galloper was a member of the I.R.A.
since 1917 and was on continuous
active service from November 1920 up
to September 1923. During this period
he rendered very valuable service which
he is in a position to prove should
Your board give him an opportunity
of giving his evidence before them.
I would feel grateful if his case would
receive favourable consideration
from your board.

Signed

Edward Evans

Lt Col. West Mayo Brigade

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C. Hospital
Castlebar
Co Mayo
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This is to certify that Anthony Gallagher
of Aughagowla Cloyne Westport assisted
in my removal after I was wounded in the
Kilmeena Ambush on 19th May 1921.
He took every risk in removing me to a
place of safety

Signed James Swift

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Newfield Postwick
Westport Mayo
10th Feb 1941

To the Referee Military Service
Pensions Board

According to records made by
members of the West Mayo Brigade Pensions Committee
Anthony Gallagher Broekagh Westport Mayo.
B. Coy 2nd Batt. West Mayo Brigade, was
engaged at the cutting of a bridge at Gorteen
in West Mayo area on the night preceding the
ambush in Hillmeena on the 19th May 1921.

The records also show that Anthony Gallagher
was on outpost duty under arms at Hillmeena
on 19th May 1921.

I have good reason for stating that in Pretrance
and Civil War periods he gave of his best to
the activities of the B. Coy which was always
very active during those years.

P.S The records also state above taking part in Ambush
at Drimulna in April 1921.

Signed Lawrence McGovern
C/O 2nd Batt. W. Mayo Brigade
for Pension Purposes



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DÁIL ÉIREANN

TIGH LAIGHEAN
(Leinster House)

BAILE ÁTHA CLIATH
(Dublin)

March 25th 1941.

A Cara,

Re. Appeal of Anthony Gallagher of
Aughagowla, Westport.

With reference to the above man's appeal to your refusal
to grant him a pension I enclose herewith certificate
of Dr. J.A. Madden.

Mise le meas,

Michael Noonan T.D.

Secretary,
Military Service Pensions' Board,
Dublin.

Military Service
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DR. J. A. MADDEN,

(M.D., B.Sc., D.P.H.)

TELEPHONE 62508,
CONSULTING HOURS,
2 - 4, 5.30 - 7.
OR BY APPOINTMENT.

36052
20, LOWER BAGGOT STREET,
DUBLIN.

March 6th 1941

I hereby certify that in the course of the Kilmeena Ambush pre-Truce 1921, Mr. Anthony Gallagher of Aughagowla, Westport, assisted me under machine-gun fire in carrying two wounded men, namely,

J. Swift

? Hughes

behind the lines, and later to a place of safety where I was able to attend to their wounds. Mr. Gallagher then went off and got messages for me.

I consider that Mr. Gallagher behaved with conspicuous bravery on that day, and that his services should get recognition.

I am leaving the remainder of his services to those who are more intimately connected with them in that area.

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J. A. Madden, M.D.

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Roinn Cosanta,
Oifinnse Airgeadais,
Coláiste Caoimhín,
Glasnaoidhean,
Baile Atha Cliath.

4 February, 1940.

A Chara,

I am directed by the Minister for Defence to refer to your letter of the 19th ult. in connection with your application under the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934, and to state that as the Referee reported that you are not a person to whom the Act applies, it is regretted that no further action can be taken in the matter.

Mise, le meas,

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a/s Rúnaidhe.

Mr Anthony Gallagher,

Bughagowla,

Westport, Co Mayo

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Cingh ar amla
b'lagher
Westport
Co Mayo

Roinn Corann
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CLÁRLANN na Dáinnre 19.1.41

Dear Sir

I want a form
please as I am going to
make an apeli for the
Military Pension Act in
the black and tan & civil
war period. I was in
active service all through
the black and tan period
I was on the first seven

that joined the column
in our area under Percy
Dorling O.B. & Michael
Gallagher O.B. we were
sent to Shroome for training
I was sent home again
after a fortnight to
run a despatch station
I ran it all through that
period & all so through
the period of the civil
war. In the black and tan
period I was in the
ambush in Kilmuna &
was one of three men that

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carried Jim Sweft
two miles until Dr
Madden got a quite
pulse to dress him
he got wounded in
the foot. I also helped
in the Barry Kennedy
ambush I was on armed
patrol ^{with} ~~watching~~ three
other men watching the
movements of a man that
was doubted to be a
blackman tan spy
The Gans reached my
house that night.

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for me when I was
not in the boat my
Father that was an
old man the rode
the house several times
after for me I was
also engaged in blowing
up a number o bridges
I was also engaged in
the atempt ambush near
Newport. I was rested
at the begining of the
sixth war Dr Moran
got me out after a
short period as I had

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new moon a short time
before that & he was
my Doctor. The free
State soldiers raided
the house several times
for me after the
brought my young brother
with them at last.
he was in jail until
the house was seized
I was engaged in the
ambush at my house
& got away when the
captured three Republicans
Anthony & Michael

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Gibbons John & family
& shot. Put Mulchoone
dead in the house.

I was at the blown
up of seven bridges &
cutting roads in the
evening I worked all
through the night
were untill it was
over. I can get
lots of references &
proof from men that
was with me at the
time I don't see why
I should not be called

and giving a chance
as all my comrades
are called up just
now. I was not at
home when the letter
came to the house
that I was turned
down it was only
a few days ago
I got it. if I had
got it when it
came to the house
I would have it
appealed long before
this

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I am also giving
the L.S.F. since the
beginning & we are
doing our best
to get every thing
good. I will get
five or six reforms
in a few days
& send them to
you & twenty if
you need them.

Your sincerely
Anthony D. Hughes

GUTHRIE 76764.
(Telephone)

UIMHIR THAGARTA
(Reference No.)

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Roinn Cosanta,

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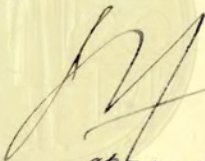
Baile Atha Cliath.

25 JUL 1940

A CHARA,

I am directed by the Minister for Defence to refer to your application for a service certificate under the terms of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934, and to inform you that the Referee, to whom your application was referred, in accordance with the terms of Section 8 (1) of the Act, has reported that you are not a person to whom the Act applies. In the circumstances, the Minister regrets that he is unable to grant you a certificate of military service which would render you eligible for the award of a pension.

Mise, le meas,



46 Rúnaidhe.

Don

Mr Anthony Gallagher

Rushagavula

Westport, Co Mayo

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Augheyawla
Westport

Co Mayo

11/4/34

Sir

I would feel obliged if you would
send me one an application form under the
Military Service Pensions Act 1934 for which I
have full gratitude & Oblige

Yours Sincerely

Anthony Gallagher

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