

[illegible]

SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN.

PENSIONS.AIREACHT CHOSANTA
(MINISTRY OF DEFENCE).OIFIG AIRM AIRGID
(ARMY FINANCE OFFICE).

Register Number	From whom, number, and date	Officer or Soldier
P.B. <u>B 69.</u>	<u>Lynch. Thomas</u> <u>Ballyvary</u> <u>Detective Foxford</u> <u>Dmd. Sept. 1924</u> <u>60 Mayo.</u> <u>Dublin.</u>	Name..... Rank..... <u>Captain</u> Unit..... <u>Lyngton St.</u> Army No..... Date of Death..... <u>Dominick St.</u> Address..... <u>Detective Unit</u> <u>Dominick St.</u> <u>Galway</u> Date of Discharge..... <u>7th March 1924</u>

Referred to	Date	Referred to	Date	Referred to	Date	Referred to	Date	Referred to	Date	Referred to	Date
<u>B.F.</u>	<u>10/20</u>										
<u>B.F.</u>	<u>18/25</u>										
<u>B.F.</u>	<u>12/25</u>										
<u>B.F.</u>	<u>10/25</u>										
<u>B.F.</u>	<u>14/26</u>										
<u>B.F.</u>	<u>28/26</u>										

Military Service
Pensions Collection

- (1) MSP. 2+14 received 18⁵/₂₅ MBE
- (2) MSP. 2.14 & MSP. a/cos. 1. to AFO. 21⁵/₂₅ MBE
- (3) MSP. a/cos 4. to Dept. Allee Branch 21⁵/₂₅ MBE
- (4) Notification of change of add. recd. 29⁵/₂₅ MBE
- (5) MSP. 2+14 with sanction from Finance 4⁵/₂₅ MBE
- (6) " a/cos. 7 from R.A. Section 8.6.25. D.O.
- (7) " " 4, 5, & 8, to claimant 12.6.25. D.O.
- (8) " a/cos 5+8 recd. completed 15⁵/₂₅ MBE
- (9) " " 9 to L.V. assessors 15⁵/₂₅ MBE
- (10) " Letter from pensioner - d/20⁵/₂₅. D.O.
- (11) Reply to 10, dated 15⁸/₂₅. D.O.
- (12) Letter to F.H. 15⁸/₂₅. D.O.

Military Service
Pensions Collection

B69.

Thomas LynchIncome Tax nilsee I.T. Genl file no 26

Gross pension £64:19:1 P.A. ✓

Nett Pension P.A.

~~£64:19:1~~ from $\frac{10}{24}$ to $\frac{19}{25}$ £64:19:1 from $\frac{10}{24}$ to $\frac{19}{25}$ ✓£61:3:2 " $\frac{20}{25}$ to $\frac{18}{25}$ ✓£54:14:3 " $\frac{16}{25}$ to :- ✓£16:19:9 $\frac{1}{4}$ from $\frac{10}{24}$ to $\frac{31}{24}$ ✓14:14:5 $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{55}{90}$ " $\frac{1}{25}$ to $\frac{19}{25}$ ✓2:0:9 $\frac{18}{90}$ $\frac{24}{90}$ " $\frac{20}{25}$ to $\frac{31}{25}$ ✓15:5:9 $\frac{1}{2}$ " $\frac{21}{25}$ to $\frac{30}{25}$ ✓2:9:10 $\frac{26}{92}$ " $\frac{17}{25}$ to $\frac{15}{25}$ ✓11:9:10 $\frac{56}{96}$ " $\frac{16}{25}$ to $\frac{30}{25}$ ✓~~£62:18:8~~ $\frac{18}{2}$ 47:18:11 Amt Paid $31\frac{8}{25}$ £15:0:9 Due on $30\frac{9}{25}$ Repts added to be
"written off" see file.

MSB.

Due to $30\frac{9}{25}$ £62:18:12 ✓" from $12\frac{1}{25}$ to $31\frac{1}{25}$ 13:11:9 $\frac{3}{4}$ ✓

Advance for Jan.

4:11:11 ✓

£80:9:11 $\frac{3}{4}$ ✓

Paid.

61:9:11 ✓

£19

✓

Net Pension.

£ 54 : 7 : 3 15 19 ³/₁₆ ✓

£ 47 : 11 : ~~10~~ ⁴/₁₆ from 20 ³/₁₆ ✓

Pension from 1¹/₁₆ to 19 ³/₁₆ £ 11 : 15 : 6 ⁷/₁₆ ✓

.. 30 ³/₁₆ to 31 ³/₁₆ 1 : 11 : 8 ~~10~~ ✓

Due for quarter £ 13 : 7 : 32 ✓

Advanced

8

£ 5 : 7 : 32 ✓

Pension for quarter ended 30³/₁₆ £ 11 : 14 : 10 ✓

Advanced

£ 6 : - : - ✓

£ 5 : 17 : 10 ✓

Military Service
Pensions Collection

B.69

Thomas Lynch.

Gross Pension £67:19:1. per annum

Net Pension.

£67:19:1 from 1st to 19th/85£61:3:2 .. 20th/85 to 15th/86£54:7:3 .. 16th/85 to

half year
Due for quarter ended 30th/26. £27:3:7¹/₂.

Paid

£25:5:0

Bal. due.

1:18:7

RB 29/8/26.

Due for 1/4 ended 30th/86. £13:11:9³/₄ + ¹/₂. ✓

Advance £8:0:0 ✓

Due £5:11:10 (1/4) ✓

Add. U.P. £1:18:7

£7:10:5 paid 16th/86. ✓

Due for 1/4 ended 31st/17. £13:11:9³/₄.

Advanced

8:0:0

Balance due.

£5:11:9.

RB

21/3/17.

Due for 1/4 ended 31st/17. £13-11-9³/₄ + ³/₄

less advances £6-0-0

£7-11-10.

RB 11/3/17.

Due for 1/4 ended 30th/17. £13-11-9³/₄ + ¹/₂

less advances £6-0-0

£7-11-10 m.

RB 13/9/17

Net Pension for Quarter 31st/17

£13-11-9³/₄

Advance first month £3-0-0

second month £4-0-0

Balance third month £6-5-9

m.

RB 4/2

Nett Pension for Quarter : 30/3/28 £ 13. 11. 9³/₄ + ³/₄

Advance first month £ 4. 0. 0

„ second month £ 4. 0. 0

Balance third month £ 5. 11. 10

7/2/28
31/2/28

Military Service
Pensions Collection

MINUTE SHEET.

M.S.B.
(Argumist).

Reference *S.P. 158.*

*Thomas Lynch,
Ballyvary,
Foxford,
Co. Mayo.*



A. Y. O.

*In connection with m. s. p. 2 and
14 in respect of the above mentioned which
were forwarded to you on the 15th instant,
please note that the address should now
read :-*

*selective branch, S.M.P. Depot,
Kevin street, Dublin.*

S. O'Donoghue

as son Ruanardhe.

26/5/25.

Military Service
Pensions Collection

SP. 158

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 Thomas Lynch Ballyvary, Trooper, G. 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 ...	Oglagh na h-Eireann	—	—
(d) " " " 1st April, 1919, to 31st March, 1920 ...	"	—	—
(e) " " " 1st April, 1920, to 31st March, 1921 ...	"	Entire Period	2 years
(f) " " " 1st April, 1921, to 11th July, 1921 ...	"	"	1 "
(g) " " " 12th July, 1921, to 30th June, 1922 ...	Oglagh na h-Eireann	"	1 "
(h) " " " 1st July, 1922, to 31st March, 1923 ...	Oglagh na h-Eireann (Defence 246) Force (Temporary Pensions) Act, 1923	246 of Entire Period	1 $\frac{109}{137}$ "
(i) " " " 1st April, 1923, to 30th September, 1923 ...	"	Entire Period	1 "

Rank of the applicant as defined by Sec. 4 (3) of the Act... CaptainTotal service for pension purposes, as defined by Sec. 4 (2) of the Act... 6 $\frac{109}{137}$ yearsDated this... 22nd day of... April 1925

(Signed)

James J. Murphy
James J. Murphy
James J. Murphy

Member of
the Board
of
Assessors.

M.S.P. 14 (revised)

SECRETARIAT,

Ref. No. SP. 158

15th May 1925

Army Finance Officer.

MILITARY SERVICE PENSION.

Mr. *Thomas Lynch*... of *Ballynary, Oxford, Co. Mayo.*
Demobilised on the 4th March 1924.

A certificate of military service in accordance with the attached report on form M.S.P.2 has been issued to the above named person and the Minister proposes subject to the sanction of the Minister for Finance that a pension should be granted. Will you please take the necessary further action in the case.



[Signature]
Secretary,
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE.

Military Service
Pensions Collection

*Ein-shreagra ar an litir seo, is mar seo ba
choir é stiúradh:—*

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

*An Rúnaidhe,
(The Secretary),*

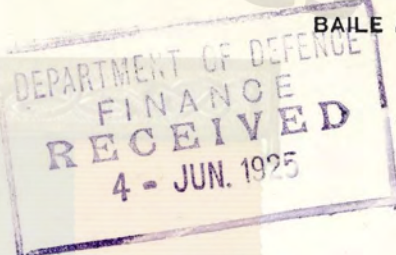
*fa'n uimhir seo:—
(and the following number quoted:—)*

S.97/181/25.

ROINN AIRGID,
(Department of Finance),

SRAÍD MHUIRBHTEANN UACHT.,
(Upper Merrion Street),

BAILE ÁTHA CLIATH.
(Dublin).



Army Finance Officer,

With reference to your minute of the 26th ultimo (No.S.P. 158), I am directed by the Minister for Finance to state that he sanctions the grant, under Section 4 of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924, of a pension of Sixty-seven Pounds, Nineteen Shillings and Onepenny per annum calculated on a certified service of $6\frac{109}{137}$ years to Thomas Lynch, Ballyvary, Foxford, County Mayo, from the 1st October, 1924.

The report of the Board of Assessors is returned herewith.

Donnell

3 June, 1925.

Military Service
Pensions Collection

ARMY PENSIONS DEPARTMENT

GRIFFITH BARRACKS,

DUBLIN.

J.P. 58.

21st May 1925.

The Officer i/o,
Dependants' Allowances,

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 Thomas Lynch

Address Ballyvary Loxford. Co Mayo.

Rank in National Army Captain



M. Curry

Reply.

Army Pensions Dept.,
Griffith Barracks.

16/10/997

*N.A. was issued by this Dept. to the Father of above
Nimed and account is OVERPAID £21-9-0.*



T. T. Shahan
~~Officer i/o. Dependants' Allowances.~~

8/5.

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 by one of the persons mentioned in the margin; and (3) the completed form has been received in the Army Pensions Department.

(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) Lynch Thomas
Number of Award Certificate H.P. 158
Rate of Pension £ 67 : 19 : 1 (Sixty seven pounds nineteen shillings + one penny)
Date of Discharge from National Army 7th March '24
Rank on Discharge Captain

(2).

By "public monies" is meant "any monies 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 in receipt of any Remuneration, Pension or Allowance payable out of Public Monies? (If you are state the amount and from whom received) and the date
from which such sums became payable to you
Am in receipt of £ 2 : 15 : 0 (Two Pounds fifteen shillings) per week. As a member of the Special
Detective Branch of the Garda from the 20th March '25

(3).

To be signed (in the presence of the person who signs the Certificate hereunder) by the person making the Declaration. 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 Board of Assessors 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) Thomas Lynch Date 13th June '25
Full Postal Address Kevin St. D. M. P. Depot
Dublin

CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have seen the person who signed the above Declaration, alive on the date stated against my name; that he was in possession of the Award Certificate bearing the number entered in (1) above; that he signed the above Declaration in my presence; and that he appears to be the person to whom the sums mentioned above are payable.

I further certify that the particulars entered by the Pensioner in (1) and (2) above, are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true and correct.

Signature A. Wolfe Date 13 June '25
Rank or Profession Sen. Sergt. Sandra Sutchana
Full Postal Address Kevin St. Depot
Dublin

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."

(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."

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

Extract from Military Service Pensions Act, 1924, Section 7 (2).

M.S.P. A/cs. 8.

Reference No.

B69.

ROINN CHOSANTA,
(Department of Defence),
OIFIG AIRM AIRGID
(Army Finance Office)
RIONNBOG NA BPINSEAN
(Pensions Section)
GRIFFITH BARRACKS,
SOUTH CIRCULAR ROAD,

DUBLIN.

12th June 1925

Military Service Pensions Act, 1924.

A Chara,

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

Mise le meas,

J. Horgan

for Army Finance Officer.

To/

Mr Thomas Lynch

Detective Branch, D.M.P. Depot

Kevin St.

Military Service Pensions Act, 1924.

Rank in No.

Captain

Address

Kevin St.

D.M.P. Depot

Witnessed
Attested

H. Wolke, S. Sgt.

Sandra Swift-Chambers

Lewis St.

Sublms

B69

Lynch Thomas.

$$\begin{array}{r} 78 \\ \hline 365 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 78 \\ \hline 90 \end{array}$$

Gross Pension £67:19:1 per Annum ✓

net .. 64:19:1 p.a. to $\frac{19}{25}$ ✓.. 54:7:3 p.a. to $\frac{18}{25}$ 16:19:9 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 31 $\frac{12}{24}$ ~~4:7:2 $\frac{12}{24}$~~ 14:14:5 to 19 $\frac{3}{25}$ 1:16:2 $\frac{36}{45}$ to 31 $\frac{3}{25}$

4:0:0 for Apr 25

4:0:0 for May 25

~~£40:10:5 to 31 $\frac{5}{25}$~~ ~~29~~ £21:9:0 O.P.D.A. ?

Mr. Horgan.

0/Payment of £ allcs amounting to £21:9: =
in this case.

First payment amounts to £40 approx.
may we take it from recent rulings that £10 is to be deducted
from 1st payment + £1 per month after?

$$\begin{array}{r} 152 \\ \hline 23.6.25. \end{array}$$

D.A. 7.0.

May we make the deductions as suggested?

Mr Horgan

$$\frac{207}{24/6}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 25 \\ 24 \\ \hline 13/6 \end{array}$$

B69 Gross pension 67. 19. 1 ✓

Nett .. 67. 19. 1 to 19 $\frac{3}{25}$ ✓

Nett. .. 61. 3. 2 from 20 $\frac{3}{25}$ ✓

Pension from 1 $\frac{10}{24}$ to 31 $\frac{3}{25}$ £ 33. 13. 2

.. 1 $\frac{4}{25}$.. 30 $\frac{6}{25}$ £ 15. 5. 9

£ 48 .. 18 .. 11

Less £10 1st instal. S. A

10 .. = .. =

£ 38 .. 18 .. 11

Military Service
Pensions Collection

7/7

Detective Unit,

No. S.P. 158

Dominick St.,

L

Galway

1st Aug. '25

Mr. Horgan

Officer in Charge

Finance Dept.

Sir,

Would you kindly send
all communications with
re. to Military Service Pension
to above address in future

I have the honor to be, Sir

Your obdt. Servant

Thos. Lynch

Card
Horgan
ack. recd.



S.P. 158.

Detective Unit.

Domic St.,

Galway

To
The Minister of Defence

Portobello Bks.



Sir,

I beg leave to state that on the 8th inst I received the sum of £38-18-11 addressed to Kevin St. S. M. P. Depot, as payment for my Military Service pension from the 1st. of Oct. 1924 to the 1st. of July '25 my pension for the year being £67-19-11. Therefore I should have received £48-18-11. I went to the Finance Dept. Griffith Bks. to Mr. Horgan & he informed me that £10 had been stopped & that they were going to stop £1 per month for the next eleven months. For £21-9 my father has received for Dependants Allowance & to which he said he was not entitled. I cannot agree to this, and as far as I can understand the Military Service Pension act it does not give you authority to stop it. Therefore I would ask you to send on £10 (ten Pounds) by return to above

address

Hoping that you will give this your
earliest attention + kind consideration

I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your Obedt. Servant
Thos. Lynch



Military Service

A.F.O

For attention please. M. S.P. 2414 was
in this case sent to you on the 15/5/25

S. O'Connor

A. S. Runaudhe ²³/₄

Military Archives

15th August.

5.

Mr. Thomas Lynch,
Detective Unit,
Dominick St.,
Galway.

A Chara,

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 20th ulto., addressed to the Minister for Defence, relating to the deduction of an overpayment of £21.9.0d. Dependant's Allowance from your Military Service Pension, and to inform you that the matter is receiving attention.

Mise le meas,

MC/NM.

(Ed) J. J. Horgan
for Army Finance Officer.

Military Service
Pensions Collection

Military Archives

15th August,

5.

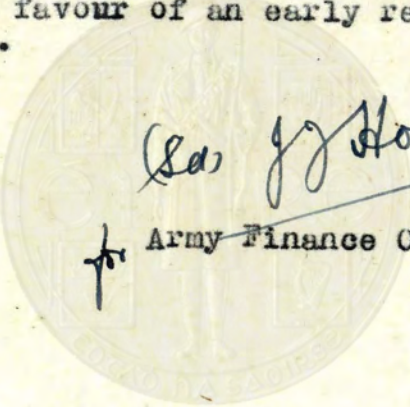
F.4.

In reference to your communication of the 21st May, stating that an overpayment of Dependant's Allowance amounting to £21.9.0. had been made to Thomas Lynch of Ballyvary, Foxford, Co. Mayo, an ex-Captain of the National Army, I am to inform you that Mr. Lynch has made a written protest against the recovery of this money from the Military Service Pension granted to him.

In these circumstances I am to request you to furnish full particulars of the overpayment in question, so that it may be determined whether the money can be legally recovered from this man's Military Service Pension.

The favour of an early reply will be appreciated.

MC/MM.



(Sd) J. J. Horgan.

Jr Army Finance Officer.

Military Service
Pensions Collection

Guthan 4738.

('Phone

Uimbi Thagarta B/69
'Ref' (a No.)

ROINN NA BPINSEAN AIRM

(Army Pensions Department),

AIREACHT CHOSANTA

(Ministry of Defence),

34 MOLESWORTH STREET,

BAILE ÁTHA CLIATH

(Dublin).

15th August, 1925.



F.4,

In reference to your communication of the 21st May, stating that an overpayment of Dependant's Allowance amounting to £21.9.0, had been made to Thomas Lynch of Ballyvary, Foxford, Co. Mayo, an ex-Captain of the National Army, I am to inform you that Mr. Lynch has made a written protest against the recovery of this money from the Military Service Pension granted to him.

In these circumstances I am to request you to furnish full particulars of the overpayment in question, so that it may be determined whether the money can be legally recovered from this man's Military Service Pension.

The favour of an early reply will be appreciated.

m.s.

J. Horgan

77

[Signature]

MC/NM.

87. This officer was in receipt of a flat rate of pay + was not therefore entitled to dependants allowance. Presumably the overpay was made by the officer i.e. D.A in ignorance of the rate of pay issued to the officer. J.T. Sherken 19/8/25.

MINUTE SHEET.

M.S.B.
(Argumist).

Reference.....

B69

Mr Morgan,

In view of the reply
of the 19th inst from F4 and
be correct in deducting the
overpayment of dependants
allowance from Mr Lynch?

You will observe that the
protests against the recovery of
the overpayment from his pension

M.S.
19/8.

Mr Croft

I spoke to the A.F.O. on the
General principle, & he agrees
in this particular case that the
man cannot be held
responsible for the overpayment
of dependants allowance made
by the military to his father.
He authorises payment of the
pension in full

J.G.H.
19/8

[OVER]

Military Archives

FOLD ALONG THIS LINE.

SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN.

(A STAMP IS NOT REQUIRED.)

ARMY PENSIONS BRANCH,

ARMY FINANCE OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE,

GRIFFITH BARRACKS,

DUBLIN.

A.P. A/cs 5.

NOT TO BE PLACED IN AN ENVELOPE.

FOLD ALONG THIS LINE.

Military Service Pensions Collection

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).....*Lynch Thomas*Residing at.....*15 Dominick St. Galway City*Year of Birth.....*18.9.6*Number of Award Certificate.....*SP 158*Rate of Pension.....*£ 67-19-1*Date of Discharge from National Army.....*7th March '24*Rank on Discharge.....*Captain*

(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).....*Receiving £3 (three pounds) per week*

.....*Since the 16th of July As a member of the*

.....*Det. Force of the Garda Síochána*

(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).....*Thomas Lynch* Date.....*16th Sept. '25*Full Postal Address.....*Detection Unit 15 Dominick St. Galway***CERTIFICATE.**

I hereby certify that I have seen the person who signed the above Declaration, alive on the date stated against my name ; that he was in possession of the Award Certificate bearing the number entered in (1) above ; that he signed the above Declaration in my presence ; and that he appears to be the person to whom the sums mentioned above are payable.

I further certify that the particulars entered by the Pensioner in (1) and (2) above, are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true and correct.

Signature.....*Michael Ryan* Date.....*17-9-25*Rank or Profession.....*Sergeant 1/6 Garda Síochána*Full Postal Address.....*Dominick Street Galway*

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

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.**

(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).

Military Archives

FOLD ALONG THIS LINE.

SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN.

(A STAMP IS NOT REQUIRED.)

ARMY PENSIONS BRANCH,

ARMY FINANCE OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE,

GRIFFITH BARRACKS,

DUBLIN.



A.P. A/cs 5.

NOT TO BE PLACED IN AN ENVELOPE.

FOLD ALONG THIS LINE.

Military Service Pensions Collection

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)..... *Lynch Thomas*.....
Residing at..... *15 Dominick St. Galway City*.....
Year of Birth..... *1895*.....
Number of Award Certificate..... *S.P. 158*.....
Rate of Pension..... *£67 : 19 : 1 per year*.....
Date of Discharge from National Army..... *7th March 1924*.....
Rank on Discharge..... *Captain*.....

(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)..... *Received £3 (three Pounds) per week*.....
..... *Since the 16th July as a member of the*.....
..... *Garda Síochána*.....

(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)..... *Thomas Lynch*..... Date..... *28th Sept '25*.....
Full Postal Address..... *15 Dominick St. Galway City*.....

CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have seen the person who signed the above Declaration, alive on the date stated against my name ; that he was in possession of the Award Certificate bearing the number entered in (1) above ; that he signed the above Declaration in my presence ; and that he appears to be the person to whom the sums mentioned above are payable.

I further certify that the particulars entered by the Pensioner in (1) and (2) above, are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true and correct.

Signature..... *Michael Ryan*..... Date..... *28th Sept 1925*.....
Rank or Profession..... *Sergeant S/C Garda Síochána*.....
Full Postal Address..... *15 Dominick Street*.....
..... *Galway*.....

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

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.**

(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).

Military Archives

31st October

5

The Commissioner,
Garda Síochána,
DUBLIN.

A Chara,

I shall be obliged if you will kindly furnish particulars of the rates of pay and allowances issued to Mr. Thomas Lynch of the Detective Unit, Dominick St., Galway, since the 1st. of October, 1924, or since the date on which he joined the Gardai.

Mr. Lynch has been granted a Military Service Pension and the information is required for the purpose of determining the nett pension payable to him, per annum.

If Mr. Lynch was not a member of the Gardai on the 1st. of October, 1924, perhaps you will kindly state the date on which he joined.

mise le meas.

Issued.....

Initials.....

DS/CJ.

(Signature)
for ARMY FINANCE OFFICE

Military Service
Pensions Collection



Detective Unit
Dominick St. Bks.
Galway City
18. 11. 25

To
Mr. Hogan.
Army Finance Office.
Sir

I beg permission to state that
I have not received my military
Service Pension for the month of
October '25. Trusting you will give this
matter your earliest attention

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your obedt. servant,
Thos. Lynch.

Military Service
Pensions Collection

Military Archives

25th November.

5.

Mr. Thomas Lynch,
Detective Unit,
Dominick Street,
GAJWAY.

A Chara,

In reply to your letter of the 18th ultimo relative to the payment of the Military Service Pension granted to you, I am to state that it has been found necessary to refer to the Commissioner, An Garda, regarding the amount of your receipts from Public Monies.

Every effort is being made to expedite the matter, and on receipt of the required particulars the question of payment of your pension shall receive immediate attention.

Mise, le meas,

(Sd) Mr. Brophy.

for. Army Finance Officer.

DO'S/RH.

Issued 25. 11. 25.
Initials DO'S

Military Service
Pension Collection

Military Archives

25th November.

5.

The Commissioner,
Garda Síochána,
DUBLIN.

A Chara,

With reference to this Department's letter of the 31st ultimo, regarding the rates of pay and allowances issued to Mr. Thomas Lynch, of the Detective Unit, Dominick Street, Galway, I am to enquire if you are now in a position to furnish the particulars required.

Mise, le meas,

for Mr. Bratty.

for Army Finance Officer.

sol
DO'S/EH.

Issued... 25.11.25.
Initials... *sol*

Military Service
Pension Collection

AN GARDA SIOCHANA.

Any reply to this communication
should be addressed to
The Commissioner,
Garda Siochana,
Dublin.

and the following number quoted :—
6442 F.M.

Different matters should be made
to form the subject of separate communi-
cations.

OIFIG AN CHOIMISINEARA,
BAILE ATHA CLIATH.

1st December, 1925.



The Army Finance Officer,
Army Pensions Department,
Ministry of Defence,
Griffith Barracks, Dublin.

A Chara,

With reference to your letter of 25th ultimo, No. B.69, I am directed by the Commissioner to inform you that a reply to your letter of 31st October was sent to you on the 13th ultimo.

Garda Thomas Lynch, 6672, joined An Garda Siochana on the 20th March, 1925, and was transferred to the Galway Detective Unit on the 16th July last.

A copy of the statement sent to you on 13th ultimo showing the rates of pay and allowances of Garda Lynch is enclosed herewith.

Is mise le meas agat,

Sam O'Murphy
LEAS COMISINEIR.

Military Service
Pensions Collection

COPY

Military Archives

Particulars of pay and allowances to Garda 6672
Thomas Lynch since date of joining An Garda, i.e. 20/3/25.

PAY:	20/3/25 to 15/7/25.....	50/- weekly.
	16/7/25 to 19/3/26	60/- "
Thence:		
	By 2/-	68/- "
	" 1/-	69/- "
	" 2/-	77/- "
	" 1/-	78/- "
Reckoning from 2/6d (after 17 years service)	80/6d "	
20/3/25 2/6d (after 22 " ")	83/- "	

On and from 20/3/26 this Garda is entitled to two special increments in pay while he continues on as a Garda in the "3" Branch.

ALLOWANCES:

Boot from 20/3/25	1/6d weekly.
Cycling " 1/10/25	£5. per annum.

(Subject to use of private cycle on duty).

Detective allowance from 16/7/25	7/- weekly.
Plain clothes allowance from 20/3/25	5/- "

Military Service Pensions Collection

Military Archives

FOLD ALONG THIS LINE.

SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN.

(A STAMP IS NOT REQUIRED.)

ARMY PENSIONS BRANCH,

ARMY FINANCE OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE,

GRIFFITH BARRACKS,

DUBLIN.

A.P. A/cs 5.

NOT TO BE PLACED IN AN ENVELOPE.

FOLD ALONG THIS LINE.

Military Service Pensions Collection

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) *Lynch Thomas*Residing at *15 Dominick St. Galway*Year of Birth *1895*Number of Award Certificate *S.P. 158*Rate of Pension *£67 : 19 : 1 per year*Date of Discharge from National Army *7th March 1924*Rank on Discharge *Captain*

(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) *Receiving £3 : 0 : 0 Three pounds) per*

week since the 16th July '25 as a member

of the Detective Unit of Garda Síochána

(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) *Thomas Lynch* Date *4th Jan. '26*Full Postal Address *Detective Unit 15 Dominick St. Galway***CERTIFICATE.**

I hereby certify that I have seen the person who signed the above Declaration, alive on the date stated against my name ; that he was in possession of the Award Certificate bearing the number entered in (1) above ; that he signed the above Declaration in my presence ; and that he appears to be the person to whom the sums mentioned above are payable.

I further certify that the particulars entered by the Pensioner in (1) and (2) above, are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true and correct.

Signature *Michael Ryan* Date *4th Jan. 26*Rank or Profession *Sergeant Garda Síochána*Full Postal Address *15 Dominick Street Galway*

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

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.**

(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).

AN GARDA SIOCHANA.

Any reply to this communication
should be addressed to
The Commissioner,
Garda Siochana,
Dublin.
and the following number quoted:—

6442 F.M.

Different matters should be made
to form the subject of separate communi-
cations.



OIFIG AN CHOIMISINEARA,

BAILE ATHA CLIATH.

13th. November, 1925.

Army Finance Officer,
Army Pensions Branch,
Army Finance Office,
Department of Defence,
Griffith Barracks, Dublin.

A Chara,

With reference to your letter of the 31st. ulto., No. B.69,
I am directed by the Commissioner to inform you that Garda Thomas
Lynch, 6672, joined An Garda on the 20th. March, 1925, and was
transferred to Galway Detective Unit on the 16th. July last.
Enclosed for your information is a statement showing the pay and
allowances applicable in his case.

Is mise, le meas,

Com

Tham O'Connell
LEAS COMISINEIR.

Military Service
Pensions Collection

Particulars of pay and Allowances to Garda Thomas Lynch,
6672, since date of joining An Garda, i.e. 20/3/25.

Military Archives

PAY:

20/3/25 to 15/7/25		50/- weekly
16/7/25 to 19/3/26		60/- "

Thence:

by 2/-		68/- "
" 1/-		69/- "
" 2/-		77/- "
" 1/-		78/- "
" 2/6 after 17 years service from 20/3/25		80/6 "
" 2/6 " 22 " " " "		83/- "

On and from 20/3/26 this Garda is entitled to two special increments in pay while he continues on as a Garda in the "S" Branch.

ALLOWANCES :

Boot from 20/3/25	1/6 weekly
Cycling from 1/10/25 (Subject to use of private cycle on duty)	£5 per annum.
Detective Allowance from 16/7/25	7/- weekly
Plain Clothes Allowance from 20/3/25	5/- "

Military Service Pensions Collection

MINUTE SHEET.

M.S.B.
(Argumist).

Military Service Pensions

Reference.....

Sa F. O.

Certain of the Civil Guards appear to be in receipt of allowances as follows: -

1. Boot allowance 1/6 weekly
2. Cycling " (subject to use of private cycle on duty) £5 per annum
3. Detective allowance 7/- weekly
4. Plain Clothes " 5/- "

I think it is very doubtful whether ^{any of} these allowances should be regarded as receipts from public money for purposes of a suspension of pension, as they are apparently intended to cover out of pocket expenses incidental to duty of a special kind.

Will you please favour me with your instructions in the matter.

Mr Croft

but is ^{assumed} that it is ^{assumed} that

say it is assumed that

no ^{assumed} that

see 8 cover the above

Costs ^{with} this

Mr Croft

23. 11. 25.

V. J. 23/11/25

B/69
Military Archives

26th November,

5.

Secretary,
Department of Finance.

In connection with the payment of Military Service Pensions to Members of the Civic Guard, it has come to light that certain of these Officers are in receipt of one or more of the following allowances :-

Boot Allowance	s.d. 1/6	per week
Cycle " (subject to use of private cycle on duty). . .	£5.	per annum.
Detective Allowance	7/-	" week.
Plain Clothes "	5/-	" "

An Allowance is also granted for the making of uniform not supplied and fitted by a Contractor.

It is assumed that the term 'Allowance', as used in Section 8. of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924, covers these cash payments, and that they must, therefore, be regarded as receipts from Public Funds for purposes of pension. I shall be glad, however, if you will kindly state whether you concur in this view.

Military Service
Pensions Collection

Thomas
ARMY FINANCE OFFICER.

Fhreagra ar an litir seo, is mar seo ba
é stiúradh:—
Any reply to this communication should be
addressed to:—)

An Rúnaidhe,
(The Secretary).

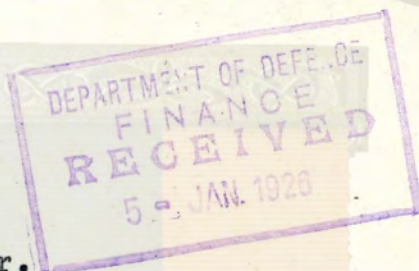
fé'n uimhir seo:—
(and the following number quoted:—)

S.4/233/25.

ROINN AIRGID,
(Department of Finance),

SRÁID MHUIRBHTHEANN UACHT.,
(Upper Merrion Street),

BAILE ÁTHA CLIATH.
(Dublin).



Army Finance Officer.

With reference to your minute of the 26th
November (MSP/B.69) relative to the suspension of
Military Service Pensions in respect of certain
allowances made to members of the Garda Síochána, I
am directed by the Minister for Finance to state that
he concurs in the view that these cash allowances must
be taken into account when you are dealing with the
Pensions under Section 8 of the Military Service Pensions
Act, 1924.



Enrol

4 January, 1926.

Military Service
Pensions Collection

Detective Unit

Dominick St.

Galway

23.11.26



To

C/O Pensions Branch

Sir,

I beg to state that I have received no Pension for the last three months. You informed me that you were ^{waiting} for a reply from the Comm. Gard Siothcha and with re. pay. Would you kindly give this matter your earliest attention & kind consideration.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedt. Servant
Thos Lynch

Military Archives

FOLD ALONG THIS LINE.

SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN.

(A STAMP IS NOT REQUIRED.)

ARMY PENSIONS BRANCH,

ARMY FINANCE OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE,

GRIFFITH BARRACKS,

DUBLIN.

A.P. A/cs 5.

NOT TO BE PLACED IN AN ENVELOPE.

FOLD ALONG THIS

Military Service Pensions Collection

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)..... *Lynch Thomas*Residing at..... *15 Dominick St. Galway City*Year of Birth..... *1895*Number of Award Certificate..... *S.P. 158*Rate of Pension..... *£67.19.1 per year*Date of Discharge from National Army..... *7th March 1924*Rank on Discharge..... *Captain*

(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)..... *Receiving £3. per week increased**to £3. 6. 0 per week on and from the**20.3.26 as a member of St. Branch**Garda Síochána*

(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)..... *Thomas Lynch* Date..... *22nd March 1926*Full Postal Address..... *15 Dominick St. Galway***CERTIFICATE.**

I hereby certify that I have seen the person who signed the above Declaration, alive on the date stated against my name ; that he was in possession of the Award Certificate bearing the number entered in (1) above ; that he signed the above Declaration in my presence ; and that he appears to be the person to whom the sums mentioned above are payable.

I further certify that the particulars entered by the Pensioner in (1) and (2) above, are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true and correct.

Signature..... *Michael Ryan* Date..... *22nd March 1926*Rank or Profession..... *Sergeant Garda Síochána*Full Postal Address..... *15 Dominick Street Galway*

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

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.**

(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).

Military Archives

FOLD ALONG THIS LINE.

SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN.

(A STAMP IS NOT REQUIRED.)

ARMY PENSIONS BRANCH,

ARMY FINANCE OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE,

GRIFFITH BARRACKS,

DUBLIN.

A.P. A/cs 5.

NOT TO BE PLACED IN AN ENVELOPE.

FOLD ALONG THIS LINE.

Military Service Pensions Collection

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)..... *Lynch Thomas*.....
Residing at..... *Dominick St. Galway*.....
Year of Birth..... *1895*.....
Number of Award Certificate..... *S.P. 158*.....
Rate of Pension..... *£ 67 : 19 : 1*.....
Date of Discharge from National Army..... *7th March 1924*.....
Rank on Discharge..... *Captain*.....

(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)..... *Receiving £ 3 : 6 : 0 (Three pounds six shillings) per week since 20th March '26*.....
..... *from as a member of S. Branch of Garda Síochána*.....

(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)..... *Thomas Lynch*..... Date..... *10th June '26*.....
Full Postal Address..... *Detective Unit Dominick St. Galway*.....

CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have seen the person who signed the above Declaration, alive on the date stated against my name ; that he was in possession of the Award Certificate bearing the number entered in (1) above ; that he signed the above Declaration in my presence ; and that he appears to be the person to whom the sums mentioned above are payable.

I further certify that the particulars entered by the Pensioner in (1) and (2) above, are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true and correct.

Signature..... *Michael Ryan*..... Date..... *10th June 1926*.....
Rank or Profession..... *Sergeant Garda Síochána*.....
Full Postal Address..... *15 Dominick Street Galway E.15*.....

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

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.**

(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).

B.69.

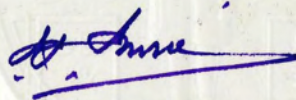
Military Archives

16 July, 6.

A Chara,

With reference to your letter of the 13th November last (Ref.No.6442 F.M.), furnishing particulars of the rates of Pay and Allowances issued to Garda Thomas Lynch of the Detective Unit, Dominick Street, Galway, I am directed by the Minister for Defence to enquire as to the amount of the two special increments in pay which you stated that this Garda would become entitled to on the 20th March, 1926, and whether Guard Lynch is now actually in receipt of the increments in question.

Mise, le meas,



for ARMY FINANCE OFFICER.

The Commissioner,
Garda Siochana,
PHOENIX PARK.

oil
DOS/NTMcK.

Military Service Pensions Collection

AN GARDA SIOCHANA.

Any reply to this communication
should be addressed to
The Commissioner,
Garda Siochana, Dublin.
and the following number quoted:—
A. 1/63/26.

Different matters should be made
to form the subject of separate communi-
cations.

OIFIG AN CHOIMISINEARA,
BAILE ATHA CLIATH.

28th July, 1926.

The Army Finance Officer,
Army Pensions Branch,
Department of Defence,
Griffith Barracks,
Dublin.

A Chara,

With reference to your letter of the 16th
instant (No.B.69), I am directed by the Commissioner
to inform you that the two special increments in pay
which Garda Lynch became entitled to on 20th March
last, amounted to 4/-per week. These increments have
actually been paid to the Garda on and from the date
mentioned.

Is mise le meas agat,



Sam O'Connell
LEAS COIMISINEIR.

Military Service
Pensions Collection

Ein-fhreagra ar an litir seo, is mar seo ba
chí a stiúradh:—
reply to this communication should be
addressed to:—

An Rúnaidhe,
(The Secretary),

fén uimhir seo:—
(and the following number quoted:—)

ROINN AIRGID,
(Department of Finance),

SRÁID Mhuirbhtheann Uacht.,
(Upper Merrion Street),

BAILE ÁTHA CLIATH.
(Dublin).

S.4/233/25.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE
FINANCE
RECEIVED
19 JUL 1926

Army Finance Officer.

Adverting to your memo of the 26th November last (M.S.P/B.69) and this Department's reply of the 4th January relative to the suspension of Military Service Pensions in respect of certain allowances payable to members of the Garda Síochána, I am directed by the Minister for Finance to state that this matter has been reconsidered in the light of advice since received, as to what payments should be regarded as allowances for the purpose of applying the provisions of Section 8 (1) of the Military Service Pensions Act.

The Minister, as a result of the reconsideration of the question, has directed me to convey to you that the following allowances should be regarded as forming part of the personal emoluments and should be taken into account in connection with the abatement of Military Service Pensions:—

	s.d.
Boot allowance	1/6 per week
	s.
Plain Clothes allowance	5/- per week.

As regards the Detective allowance 7/- per week, the allowance £5 per annum for use of private cycle on duty, and the allowance for making up of uniform, it is considered that a these amounts are wholly expended for official purposes, the Minister has now decided that they should be excluded from personal emoluments in connection with the application of Section 8 (1) of the Military Service Pension Act.

Wm. H. H. H.

16. July, 1926

Military Archives

FOLD ALONG THIS LINE.

SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN.

(A STAMP IS NOT REQUIRED.)

ARMY PENSIONS BRANCH,

ARMY FINANCE OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE,

GRIFFITH BARRACKS,

DUBLIN.

A.P. A/cs 5.

NOT TO BE PLACED IN AN ENVELOPE.

FOLD ALONG THIS LINE.

**Military Service
Pensions Collection**



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).....*Lynch Thomas*.....
Residing at.....*Eglinton St. Stn. Galway*.....
Year of Birth.....*1895*.....
Number of Award Certificate.....*S.P. 158*.....
Rate of Pension.....*£67. 19. 1 Per year*.....
Date of Discharge from National Army.....*7th March 1924*.....
Rank on Discharge.....*Captain*.....

(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).....*Receiving £3-8 (Three pounds eight shillings) per week since the 20th March 1927 as a member of the St. Branch of Garda Síochána*.....

(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).....*Thomas Lynch*.....Date.....*21st June '27*.....
Full Postal Address.....*Detection Unit, Civic Gd. Stn. Eglinton St. Galway*.....

CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have seen the person who signed the above Declaration, alive on the date stated against my name ; that he was in possession of the Award Certificate bearing the number entered in (1) above ; that he signed the above Declaration in my presence ; and that he appears to be the person to whom the sums mentioned above are payable.

I further certify that the particulars entered by the Pensioner in (1) and (2) above, are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true and correct.

Signature.....*Michael Ryan*.....Date.....*21st June 1927*.....
Rank or Profession.....*Sergeant Garda Síochána*.....
Full Postal Address.....*Eglinton Street Barracks Galway*.....

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

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.**

(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).

Military Archives

FOLD ALONG THIS LINE.

SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN.

(A STAMP IS NOT REQUIRED.)

ARMY PENSIONS BRANCH,

ARMY FINANCE OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE,

GRIFFITH BARRACKS,

DUBLIN.

A.P. A/cs 5.

NOT TO BE PLACED IN AN ENVELOPE.

FOLD ALONG THIS LINE.

**Military Service
Pensions Collection**



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)..... *Lynch Thomas*
Residing at..... *Detection Unit Civil Gd. Stn. Eglinton St. Galway*
Year of Birth..... *1895*
Number of Award Certificate..... *SP 158*
Rate of Pension..... *£67. 19. 1 a year*
Date of Discharge from National Army..... *7th March '24*
Rank on Discharge..... *Captain*

(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)..... *Receiving £3. 6 (Three Pounds six shillings) a week as a member of the Detection Unit of Garda Síochána*

(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)..... *Thomas Lynch* Date..... *21st March '27*
Full Postal Address..... *Detection Unit Civil Gd. St. Eglinton St. Galway*

CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have seen the person who signed the above Declaration, alive on the date stated against my name; that he was in possession of the Award Certificate bearing the number entered in (1) above; that he signed the above Declaration in my presence; and that he appears to be the person to whom the sums mentioned above are payable.

I further certify that the particulars entered by the Pensioner in (1) and (2) above, are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true and correct.

Signature..... *Michael Ryan* Date..... *21st March 1927*
Rank or Profession..... *Sergeant Garda Síochána*
Full Postal Address..... *Eglinton Street Barracks Galway*

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

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.**

(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 Secondry 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).

Military Archives

FOLD ALONG THIS LINE.

SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN.

(A NAME IS NOT REQUIRED.)

ARMY PENSIONS BRANCH,

ARMY FINANCE OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE,

GRIFFITH BARRACKS,

DUBLIN.

A.P. A/cs 5.

NOT TO BE PLACED IN AN ENVELOPE.

FOLD ALONG THIS LINE.

**Military Service
Pensions Collection**

Reference No.....69

SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN.

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 20th day of the month and it should then be completed & returned to this office. M.S.P. A/cs. 5.

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.



(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).

(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.

Name (in full, Surname first).....*Lynch Thomas*.....
Residing at.....*Detective Unit Civil Gd. Stn. Eglinton St. Galway*.....
Year of Birth.....*18.9.5*.....
Number of Award Certificate.....*S.P. 158*.....
Rate of Pension.....*£ 6.7 : 19 : 1*.....
Date of Discharge from National Army.....*7th March '24*.....
Rank on Discharge.....*Captain*.....
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).....*Receiving £ 3 : 8 : 0 per week from the Garda Síochána since 20 March 1927 as a member of the Detective Branch*.....
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).....*Thomas Lynch*.....Date.....*21.9.27*.....
Full Postal Address.....*Det. Unit Civil Gd. Stn. Eglinton St. Galway*.....

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.....*Michael Ryan*.....Date.....*21-9-27*.....
Rank or Profession.....*Sergeant Garda Síochána*.....
Full Postal Address.....*Eglinton Street Barracks Galway City*.....

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.**

(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 Secondry 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).

Military Archives

FOLD ALONG THIS LINE.

SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN.

(A STAMP IS NOT REQUIRED.)

ARMY PENSIONS BRANCH,

ARMY FINANCE OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE,

GRIFFITH BARRACKS,

DUBLIN.

A.P. A/cs 5.

NOT TO BE PLACED IN AN ENVELOPE.

FOLD ALONG THIS LINE.

Military Service Pensions Collection

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 20th day of the month and it should then be completed & returned to this office.

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

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)..... *Lynch Thomas*
Residing at..... *61a Gt. St. Eglinton St. Galway*
Year of Birth..... *1895*
Number of Award Certificate..... *S.P. 100*
Rate of Pension..... *£ 6.7 19 1 per year*
Date of Discharge from National Army..... *21st March 1924*
Rank on Discharge..... *Captain*

(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)..... *Receiving £3. 8. 0 per week as a member of the Garda Síochána since 20th March 1927*

(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)..... *Thomas Lynch*..... Date..... *21st Dec '27*
Full Postal Address..... *Det. Unit 61a Gt. St. Eglinton St. Galway*

CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have seen the person who signed the above Declaration, alive on the date stated against my name; that he was in possession of the Award Certificate bearing the number entered in (1) above; that he signed the above Declaration in my presence; and that he appears to be the person to whom the sums mentioned above are payable.

I further certify that the particulars entered by the Pensioner in (1) and (2) above, are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true and correct.

Signature..... *Michael Ryan*..... Date..... *21st December 1927*

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

Full Postal Address..... *Eglinton Street Barracks Galway*

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."

(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."

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

Extract from Military Service Pensions Act, 1924, Section 7 (2).

Wt. 2441—23—Gp. 23—10,000—9/'26—M.P.W.

Wt. 1945—22—Gp. 23—10,000—9/'27.

Wt. 1945—22—Gp. 23—5,000—9/'27.

[P.T.O.]

**THE PERSONS BEFORE WHOM THE DECLARATION OF PENSIONERS
MAY BE SUBSCRIBED ARE AS BELOW. THE QUALIFICATION
WHICH ENTITLES THEM TO ATTEST SHOULD BE STATED FULLY
ON THE FORM OF ATTESTATION.**

(1) In 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).

Memorandum.

Reference No.

B69.

Your Ref. 6442. E.M.

From

Department of Defence,
(Pensions Branch),

Dublin.

Date, April 1928

To Chief Commissioner
Garda Siothchana
Depot.

REFERENCE OR ENQUIRY

REPLY

I am directed by the Minister for Defence to request that you will be good enough to furnish particulars of the total amount of remuneration, Pension or Cash Allowance paid or due in respect of the Financial Year ending 31st March, 1928, to

6672 D.O. Thomas Lynch
Clington St. Bks. Galway

employed as

The total payments made to Mr.

6672 D.O. Thomas Lynch

during the Financial year ending the 31st March, 1928, are as follows:—

Remuneration ... £	174.14.11
including overtime	3.18.0
Pension ^{Boat.} Plain Clothes. £	13.0.0

*Cash Allowance ... £

TOTAL ... £ 194-15-11

This information is required for the purpose of adjustment of Military Service Pension, as required by Section 8 (1) of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924.

THOMAS GORMAN,

Army Finance Officer.

Signed:

J.M. McLaughlin
CLERK IN CHARGE OF ACCOUNTS
26 APR. 1928

*Where Cash allowances were paid please give details.

Where the employment was broken please state the periods of employment and the rates.

No change in Net Pension

7
Director Unit.

619
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
FINANCE
RECEIVED
24 OCT. 1928

Civic Bd. Str.,
John St.,
Kilkenny

22.10.28

Sir,

I beg leave to say that I have not received my Military Service Pension for the Month of September '28 I wrote and informed you that my address was changed from Civic Bd. Str. Clifden Co. Galway to above address

Reference to S.P. 158 Am receiving £67. 19. 1 (Sixty seven pounds nineteen shillings and one penny) per annum

Yours Obedt. Servant

Officer '1c.

Thomas Lynch

Army Finance Office

Military Service
Pension Collection
Noted

Military Archives

B.69

Carda Lithchana
John St.,
Kilkenny

11. 12. '28

F-1.

The Sect.

Dept. of Defence

Sir

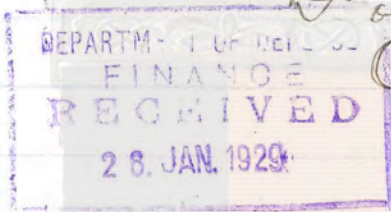
I beg leave to state that I have not received my Military Service Pension for the Month of September '28 I am in receipt of a Military Service Pension for £69.19.1 (Sixty nine Pounds, nineteen shillings and one penny) per year. No. S.P. 158. On being Transferred from Clifden Co. Galway to Kilkenny I wrote to the Military Service Pension Branch and notified them of same I have also sent two reminders since but I have got no answer. I have received my Pension for the Months of Oct. and Nov. '28 I would kindly ask you to have the matter investigated

Yours Obedt. Servant Thomas Lynch

Duplicate
sent
13/12/28

669
Military Archives

Res. No. S.P. 158



Ballyvaughan,
Foxford,
Co. Mayo

25. 1. '29

Sir,

I beg leave to say that I have
resigned from the Garda Síochána
since the 18. 1. '29 and that I have
changed my address from John
St. Bhs. Kilkenny to Ballyvaughan,
Foxford, Co. Mayo to which
address you will please send
my Pension in future am in receipt
of a Military Service Pension of
£67. 19. per year

I have the honour to be, Sir,
Yours Obedt Servant
Thomas Lynch

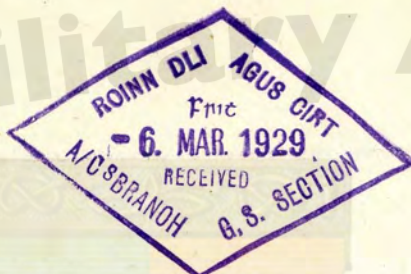
Military Service
Pensions Collection

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE
8 - MAR. 1929

M.S.P. A/cs. 18.

Ref. No. B69.....

ARMY PENSIONS BRANCH,
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE,
GRIFFITH BARRACKS,
DUBLIN.



5th March.....1929....

A CHARA,

Mr. Thomas Lynch of Garda Bks. ~~But~~ John St
Kilkenney (home address Ballyrany Foxford Co Mayo) to whom a Military
Service Pension has been granted, states that he has been employed by
resigned from An Garda since
since the 18th January 1929.

All Military Service Pensions are subject to suspension to an extent calculated
in accordance with the Pensioner's receipts from Public Monies, and I shall be
obliged, therefore, if you will furnish me with replies to the under-mentioned questions,
to enable me to assess the nett pension payable.

J. Morgan

as Army Finance Officer.

QUERY.	ANSWER.
(1) Date from which Pensioner has been employed as set out above.	(1) <u>On and from 20/3/25.</u>
(2) State how employed—whether by the day, week, or month, &c.	(2)
(3) His gross weekly or monthly wages or salary (including National Health and Unemployment Contributions) on that date.	(3) <u>20/3/25 to 15/7/25 @ £2.10.0 p week + 1/6 week book all up</u> <u>16/7/25 to 19/3/26 @ £3.0.0 " + 1/6 " book + 8/6 mtd</u> <u>See schedule</u>
(4) State whether there have been any variations in the amount of his wages or salary since that date.	(4)
(5) (a) Is he still in employment as set out above.	(4) (a) <u>No.</u>
(b) If not, please state the date on which he ceased to be so employed.	(b) <u>18th January 1929</u>

Signed.....H. M. Hall.....

Department.....of Justice.....

Date.....4th March 1929.....

Ex-Garda Thomas Lynch, 6672.

Joined 20/3/25. Efficient 16/7/25. Resigned 18/1/29.

Period	Pay per week £: s: d	Allowances				
		Boot per week	Cycle per month	Plain clothes per week	Detective <i>per week.</i>	Rent
20/3/25 to 15/7/25	2: 10: 0	1/6	-	5/-	-	-
16/7/25 to 19/3/26	3: 0: 0	1/6	8/4	5/-	7/-	
20/3/26 to 19/3/27	3: 6: 0	1/6	8/4	5/-	7/-	
20/3/27 to 19/3/28	3: 8: 0	1/6	8/4	5/-	7/-	
20/3/28 to 18/1/29	3: 9: 0	1/6	8/4	5/-	7/-	*

* Rent allowance at £13 per annum from 10/9/28 to 18/1/29 was granted subsequent to Garda's resignation and has not been paid pending his application for same.

Military Service
Pensions Collection

B. 69.

Thomas Lynch

Gross Pension

£ 67-19-1

Nett.

£ 54-7-3. ~~from~~ to 18¹/₂q.

£ 67-19-1 from 19¹/₂q.

Due from 1¹/₂q to 18¹/₂q.

" " 19¹/₂q " 31³/₄q.

Less ant. Paid
Bal. due.

£ 2 = 14 = 4 ²/₂₀. ✓

£ 13 = 11 = 9 ¹⁶/₂₀. ✓

£ 16 = 6 = 2 ³/₂₀. ✓

£ 9 = 0 = 0 ✓

£ 7 = 6 = 2 m.
21/28

4¹/₂ 18 90
54. 7. 3
217. 9. 0
27. 3. "
244. 12. "
8) 244. 9. 3
2. 14. 4

4 12 72 5 90 15
67. 19. 1
13. 11. 9

Military Service
Pensions Collection

Ref. No. 1369

AN ROINN COSANTA,

(DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE),

GEATA NA PAIRCE,

(PARKGATE),

BAILE ATHA CLIATH.

(DUBLIN).

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,

RUAL.

To each Military Service Pensioner.

[Not to be detached.]

Usual Signature of Pensioner...

Address...

29 APR 1932

ARMY PENSIONS BRANCH.

Name of Witness...

Qualification...

Address...

Date...

15.4.32

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

1.—In 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 place of worship to be given.)

Physicians, Surgeons, and other persons such under the law of the country, and regularly practising their professions at the place where the pensioner resides for the time being.

Actuaries and Secretaries of Savings Banks registered under Act of Parliament.

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

3.—In Foreign Countries.

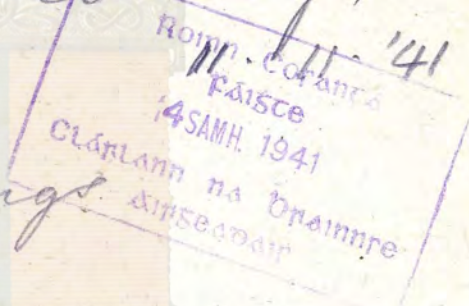
Irish Free State or British Diplomatic or Consular Officers empowered by law to administer oaths.

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

PENSIONS
B. 69
73



Ballyvary,
F. Oxford,
Co Mayo,



The Minister for Defence
Government Buildings
Dublin

Sir

I have not received my pension for
the month of Oct. '41 I was granted a pension
of £67. 19. 1 (sixty seven pounds nineteen
shillings & one penny) per annum under
the Military Service Pension Act 1924
Trusting that you will give this matter
your earliest attention & kind consideration
Thanking you in anticipation

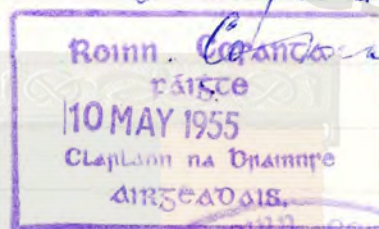
I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your Obedt. Servant
Thomas Lynch

Supervisor of
Pensions
11/11/41
J.

Not received
18/11/41
J.

73 Duff
nfly

Ballyvaughan
L. Oxford



8. 5. '55

Gen. Sean MacEoin
Minister of Defence
Dublin



Ed
11/5

24/ B69
WD B69 10/5

Dear Sir,

Would you kindly be able to inform me if I am entitled to an I.R.A. Disability Pension as I would have any business of applying for one. Dr. O'Boyle Medical Officer for my district sent me to Castlebar County Hospital for an X-Ray. They diagnosed my complaint as Arthritis of the Spine. So I am not able to do any more work. I have been suffering from this complaint for the last seven years. Should I be entitled to free Medical Treatment in the Hospital. I am in receipt of an I.R.A. Pension under the 1924 Act. I am married & I have six in family. Hoping that I am not troubling you too much.
Yours Faithfully Tom Lynch

MESSAGE FORM

A. P. 25 (Prov.)

Military Archives

Registry.

Please issue Form A. P. 46/1.

P. Jarde 73^a.

12 $\frac{5}{55}$.

Military Service Pensions Collection

A. P. 46/1 Ins. J.
12/50

NOTE: This Message will not be accepted unless a security classification (or "Unclassified") has been inserted in the appropriate space.

MESSAGE FORM

Military Archives 6728

Oye

Registry

24 B. 69

Please associate the attached
communication with the appropriate

Files

P. Zorbe 73^a

16 $\frac{5}{35}$

Military Service
Pensions Collection

Ref. No. B 69.

24. B/69.

DP 26728



Ballyvary, Pa
Castlebar,
Co. Mayo

A3.

1. 10. '63

The Minister of Defence
Government Buildings
Dublin



Dear Sir

I claim a refund of £2. 10 (two Pounds ten shillings) which is stopped from my Military Service Pension for the month of Sept. for Income Tax from the 1. 4. '63 to 31. 8. '63 at the rate of 10/- per month. I never payed income tax or never get any form to fill for same. I am suffering from an injured spine & unable to work for the last twelve years. I supplied a Medical Certificate about eight or nine years ago.

to this effect when I applied
for a disability Allowance to your
Dept: but I was turned down.

I had six in family but they
are all gone My wife & myself live
alone, & as I am unable to work
I have to pay a boy to look
after the place My Valuation on
land is the "big amount" of £7. 9. 0
(Seven Pound nine shillings)

I am 69 years old & My wife is 65
We have not enough to live on
never mind to pay Income tax

I am applying again for disability
allowance.

My military Service Pension
is £136. 2. 8 per year Re. No. B. 69

Yours Faithfully
Tom Lynch

P.S Perhaps it is a clerical
error J. L.



The Minister

Government

Dublin

Military Service
Pensions Collection

Military Archives



Military Service
Pensions Collection

Memorandum.

Tagart

2-B 69

An Roinn Cosanta,

(Rannog Pinsin),

Coláiste Caoimhin,

Baile Átha Cliath.

Date 3-10-1963

Do Mr. J. Lynch,

Ballyvary,

Oxford,

66 May.

Tagart No Fiosrúocht

Freagra

A bhara.

With reference to your letter of the 1st instant I am to inform you that an examination of your account revealed the fact that you were over-paid 10/- per month from 1st April 1963 to the 31st August 1963 inclusive, leaving a total overpayment of £2 10-0. This amount was deducted from your entitlement for the month ended 30th September 1963.

You will be paid at your correct rate of £11 6-11 per month as from 1st October 1963. Any inconvenience caused by the error is regretted.

Yours sincerely

W. J. Lynch
etc. Rannog

Re. No. PA 2311/64
31. 69

Recebo
11 LON 1972
Clampam na Oficina
AIRSO 0415

A3C

Bacigary
Castelbar

Co. Mayo 10. 8. '72

Sec. Pension Board
Dear Sir,

Adverting to your letter of
the 7th. June re. my inquiry about
increases in I.R.A. Military Service
Pensions could you kindly let me know if
you have the information now that I asked for,
that is increases in ~~an~~ Officers Pensions
As I am an ex I.R.A. Capt. + ex National
Army Capt. discharged on the 7th. March 1924
from the Army I also was in charge of the
L.D.F. during the emergency with
the rank of Capt. My Pension re No. is B. 69
Thanking you in Anticipation Yours
Faithfully Thomas Lynch

Military Archives

31. 69.

21 hünascu 42

Mr Thomas Lynch

Ballyvary

Knockree

At Shura,

With reference to your letter of the 10th August
I am directed by an E-Clare Roscuta to state that the
increase in Military Service pensions has not yet
been decided on by the Minister of Finance

Yours sincerely,
J. H.
P. R. R. R.

RE NO.
B.69

Ballyvaughan
Castlebar, Co. Mayo
31. 6. 72

The Sec.
An Roinn Casanta
Leasraí Baisimhim
Dublin



Dear Sir,

Could you kindly let me know if the Pension of an I.R.A. + National Army Captain will be increased to the level, viz Capt. retiring now from the National Army + If so what is the Amount per year. As far as I understand the Minister for Finance stated that it would be on par with the present Officers Pension retiring now

Discharged from the National Army on the 7th March 1924 with the Rank of Capt. I was granted an I.R.A. Pension under the 1924 Act in 1925, And am now receiving £22-33 Per Month. Thanking you in Anticipation
Yours Faithfully Thomas Lynch

Registry

Please

PA on 24 B 69.

W
A3(N)
7/6/72.

31.69.

1 Meitheamh 72.

Mr Thomas Lynch

Ballyvary

Castlebar Rosslare.

A bhara,

With reference to your letter of the 31st May re an increase in military service pensions, it is understood that the increase will be 28% from the 1st October 1942. It is not possible to give an exact figure at this stage but if you could contact this department at a later date the exact figure will be known then.

Mise le Meas

W
als huna

Military Service
Pensions Collection

Ref 31/69

Thomas Lynch

1. Requisition File ✓
2. Notate Kardex ✓
3. Notify E.D.P. section PP- 014 876. ✓
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 25/11/78 (per probate) ✓
11. Rate per month £65-95 ✓
12. Paid to 31-10-78
13. Due 1-25/11/78 = £54-96 ✓
14. Tax Free Allowance (A/B) 32-42 ✓
15. Taxable Income £22-54 ✓
16. Tax Due £5-63 ✓
17. Net Amount Payable. £49-33 ✓

Funeral grant 100-00 ✓
£149-33 ✓ 85 11/2 78 (W)

Military Service
Pensions Collection

MÍCEÁL ÓG MAC AODAGÁIN

ACURNAE

MICHAEL J. EGAN, LL.B.

Dublin Office:
27 Upper Ormond Quay

SOLICITOR
Notary Public
Coroner

Telegrams:
Egan • Solicitor • Castlebar

PLEASE QUOTE REF. NO.

CASTLEBAR • Co. MAYO

Telephone (094) 21375

Branch Office: Newport Tuesday

My Ref:- VF08

EE/MC

1st November, 1978.

31-69

noted Reg
UK 4/12/78

Re/ Estate of Thomas Lynch Deceased.

Dear Sir,

I return herewith cheque for £57.56 payable to my client, and shall be obliged if you will amend date on same to 25th November, the date of death of my client, to enable me lodge this amount to the Administrators Account.

Yours faithfully,

Michael J. Egan

P.P. MICHAEL J. EGAN.

The Secretary,
Department of Defence,
Parkgate,
DUBLIN 8.

Encl.

Letter to Tying Seals on 11/12/78



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 **31 DECEMBER 1978**

31 69 0 1 12 78

GROSS	DEDUCTIONS		
	INCOME TAX	Code	SEE OVERLEAF
£ 65.95	£ 8.38	27/6/81	£

MR THOMAS LYNCH
BALLYVARY
CASTLEBAR CO MAYO

R

NET SUM
£

NET SUM
£ ***57.57
POUNDS

800

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.

PW 1625

9366.121493.300,000.1/78.WSMI. Tend.



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 NOVEMBER 1978**

31 69 0 1 11 78

GROSS	DEDUCTIONS		
	INCOME TAX	Code	SEE OVERLEAF
£ 65.95	£ 8.39	27/6/81	£

MR THOMAS LYNCH
BALLYVARY
CASTLEBAR CO MAYO

R

NET SUM
£

NET SUM
£ ***57.56
POUNDS

800

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.

PW 1619

B9366.121493.300,000.1/78.WSMI. Tend.

File No. _____

A/C No. 31-69

Name Mr. Thomas Lynch

Address Ballyvanny

Castlebar

Co. Mayo

Date of Death 25.11.78

E.D.P.

Please note and arrange to cancel payment

Date 11/12/78

A.3

Noted and arrangements made accordingly

A5/E.D.P.

Date 10/1/79

Military Service
Pensions Collection

Military Archives

31/69

Your Ref: VFO8.EE/MC

14th December, 1978.

Re: Thomas Lynch - deceased

A Chara

With reference to your letter of 1st ult relative to the above-named deceased, I am directed by the Minister for Defence to state that assuming the date of death to be 25th ult the balance of pension which is due under the Military Service Pensions Acts to the estate of the deceased amounts to £49.33.

Consideration will be given to the payment of this balance 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 £100 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.

Mise le meas

JS

40. RUNAI

Mr Michael J Egan,
Solicitor,
Castlebar,
Co. Mayo.

Military Service Pensions Collection

MICÉAL ÓG MAC AODÁDÁIN

ACURNÆ

MICHAEL J. EGAN, LL.B.

Dublin Office:
27 Upper Ormond Quay

SOLICITOR
Notary Public
Coroner

Telegrams:
Egan - Solicitor - Castlebar

CASTLEBAR · Co. MAYO

Telephone (094) 21375

Branch Office Newport Tuesday

PLEASE QUOTE REF. NO.

My Ref:= VF08.EE/MC.

2nd January, 1979.

Re/ Estate of Thomas Lynch Deceased.

Dear Sir,

I refer to your letter of the 14th inst.

At present steps are being taken to extract a Grant of Probate to the Deceased's Estate, and as soon as same comes to hand, I shall forward it to your Office for noting.

I am also endeavouring to obtain the Funeral Account and shall be in contact with you again.

Yours faithfully,

E. Egan

Runai,
Department of Defence,
Finance Branch,
Colaiste Caimhin,
DUBLIN 9.



MICEÁL ÓG MAC AODÁDÁIN

ACURNÆ

MICHAEL J. EGAN, LL.B.

DUBLIN OFFICE:
27 UPPER ORMOND QUAY

SOLICITOR
NOTARY PUBLIC
CORONER

TELEGRAMS:
EGAN · SOLICITOR · CASTLEBAR

CASTLEBAR · Co.MAYO

TELEPHONE CASTLEBAR (094) 21375
BRANCH OFFICE: NEWPORT, TUESDAY

PLEASE QUOTE REF. NO.

My Ref: VF08

MKE/MMcA

3rd December, 1979.

Your Ref: 31/69

Re: Thomas Lynch Deceased

Dear Sir,

I refer to previous correspondence herein and more particularly to your letter of the 14th of December 1978. I now send you copy Grant of Probate of Thomas Lynch deceased ob. 25th November 1978.

I note from your letter that a funeral grant of £100 is also payable to the person responsible for the funeral expenses. I send you herewith Bill head from Joseph Canning, together with photocopy cheque to the said Joseph Canning in the sum of £360.00 in respect of funeral expenses paid by Patrick Lynch, a son of the said Thomas Lynch deceased and one of the Executors.

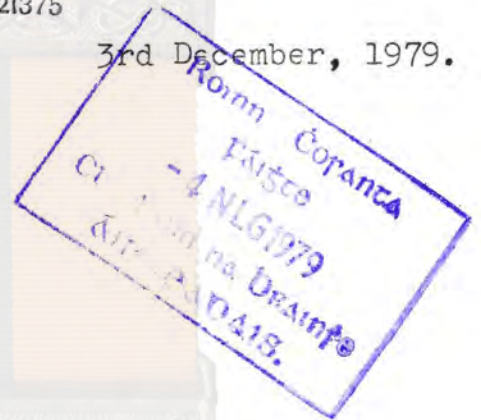
I look forward to receiving the balance of pension which is due under the Military Service Pensions Acts to the estate of the deceased and which amounts to £49.33p.

Yours faithfully,

May J. Egan
P.P. Michael J. Egan

The Secretary,
Department of Defence,
Finance Branch,
Colaiste Caoimhin,
DUBLIN 9.

Encls:



Military Service
Pensions Collection

A/C Ref. 31-69

Military Archives

Thomas Lynch

- Deceased

This is to certify that Probate of Will/Letters of Administration to the estate of the late Thomas Lynch, was submitted to this office for inspection.

Date of Death

25 - 11 1978

Executor/Administrator

Patrick Lynch

Ballynary

Castellon Co Mayo

Value of Estate

£ 16,488.15 (gross) £15,927.65 (nett)

Extracted

Michael J. Egan

Solicitor

Castellon Co Mayo

J. Deane

Date

5-12-79

mz

F.3.B.

PW3055 ✓

Military Service
Pensions Collection

Military Archives

Ref. No. 71-69

Thomas Lynch.

This is to certify that a funeral bill showing that a sum of

£ 360-50 was paid/due for payment by Patrick Lynch.

Ballyvaughy, Castlebar Mayo to Joseph Manning Ballyvaughy, Castlebar
in respect of the funeral expenses of the above-named, deceased, was
submitted to this Office for inspection.

G. Deane

A3(b)

Date

12/79

Military Service
Pensions Collection

for Soln's
letter.

Military Archives

31-69
Your Ref: VF08

31st
December 1979

A Chara,

With reference to previous correspondence, I am directed by an tAire Cosanta to enclose:

- (i) A Payable Order in favour of Patrick Lynch (executor) for £100.00 being the funeral grant due in respect of the late Thomas Lynch
- (ii) a warrant in favour of Patrick Lynch (executor) for £49.33 being the balance of pension due to the estate.

The funeral bill and copy of Probate forwarded by you are returned herewith.

Mise le meas

9/5 *R. Deane*
RUNAI

Mr. Michael J. Egan,
Solicitor,
Castlebar,
Co. Mayo

Military Service
Pensions Collection

P.W. 3055✓

31-69 VOTA. *Pension Airm*
A.1.

Eisigh, le do thoil, Ordú Íocaíochta mar leanas:

An tSuim i bhfocail..... *One Hundred pounds 000*

Ainm an Íocaí..... *Patrick Lynch*

JS An tSuim i bhfigiúirí: £ 100-00

Le cur i gcuntas: F6-mhírchéann. *23-1* F6-mhírchéann.....
F6-mhírchéann

£ 100-00

£

£

An cineál seirbhíse *funeral grant in respect of the*
late Thomas Lynch

Seolagh a gcuirfear an } *Michael J. Egan HB, Solicitor*
tOrdú Íocaíochta chuige } *Castellane 60 Mayo*

Údarás..... *R. Deane*
Síniú an Oifigigh Údaráis.....

Dáta..... *31-12-79* Rannóg..... *A3B*

(DÍOLTA, STAMPA)

DÍOLTA

-3 Eanáir 1980

ORDU UIMH. *55,333/07*

Letter noted
10-1-80

Military Service
Pensions Collection

Military Archives

Registry

Please note death and pass file to A3V

*Noted Reg
14/10/80*

✓ A3V

Add RA file PL

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

Noted RC 15/1/80

A3A

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

A3B

Military Service
Pensions Collection