



W.F. in R.  
Form of Preliminary Notice of Application  
for murder of a Judge, Magistrate, Police Constable,  
member of the naval, military or air forces, or Civil  
Service or other person.

To :-

W.F. Quinlan, Secretary of the County Council of the  
County of Kerry.

T.C. Fitzgerald, Clerk Rural District Council, Cahirciveen.  
The Head or other Constable, Police Station, Cahirciveen.  
The Commissioner of the Civic Guard, Lower Castle Yard,  
Dublin.

The Secretary, Ministry of Finance Department (Provisional  
Government) Dublin.

TAKE NOTICE that on Monday the 4th day of September 1922,  
JOHN DONOGHUE of Knockrower, Scartaglin in the County of Kerry,  
a Company-Sergeant in the Free State forces, was murdered between  
Waterville and Cahirciveen in the County district of Cahirciveen  
in the County of Kerry, by reason of his being a member of the  
Free State forces, and that said murder was a crime arising out  
of a combination of a seditious character or an unlawful  
association, and it is intended to apply to the County Court  
to be held on the 29th day of January 1923 next at KILLARNEY  
in and for the Division of Killarney and County of Kerry for  
the sum of FIVE THOUSAND POUNDS to be paid as compensation for  
said murder or for such other order as shall seem just and  
reasonable, and that the said compensation money may be ordered  
to be paid or distributed to or among such person or persons in  
such manner shares and proportions as the County Court Judge shall  
determine.

Dated this 29th day of November 1922.

James Donoghue

Father and next-of-  
kin of said John  
Donoghue.

Edmond P. Slattery

Solicitor for the applicant,  
Nelson Street,

Tralee.