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THE PAY OFFICER,

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## ARMY PENSIONS DEPARTMENT.

## LIFE CERTIFICATE.

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(3).  To be signed, in the presence of the person who signs the Certificate hereunder, by the person making the Declaration. If he/she is unable to write he/she must affix his/her mark thus "X."	I hereby declare that I am the person named in (1) above, and that I am entitled to the Pension of Allowances specified, I having been notified by the Secretary, Army Pensions Department, that such Pension or Gratuity and Allowances has/have been granted to me. I further declare that those persons mentioned in (2) above are alive on this the day of Signature (in full) Signature (in f
This Certificate MUST be signed by one of the following:—A District Justice or Divisional Magistrate, a Peace Commissioner, an Official of the Civic Guard or D.M.P. not below the Rank of Inspector or Station Sergeant, a Postmaster or Postmistress in actual charge of a Post Office, a Barristerat-Law, a Solicitor, or a Commissioner for Oaths.	I hereby certify that I have seen the person who signed the above Declaration, alive on the date stated against my name; that he/she was in possession of the Award Certificate bearing the number entered in (1) above; that he/she signed the above Declaration in my presence; and that he/she appears to be the person to whom the sums mentioned above are payable.  I further certify that I know those persons mentioned in (2) above to be alive on the date stated against my name.  Signature.  Date. 37. 4.44  Full Postal Address. 72. Planse St. Sublim
	N.B.—"If any person with a view to obtaining a grant or payment of a pension,

Extract from Army Pensions Act, 1923, Section 12 (1).

N.B.—"If any person with a view to obtaining a grant or payment of a pension, allowance, or gratuity 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 and shall be liable, on conviction under the Summary Jurisdiction Acts, to a fine not exceeding five pounds."

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### ARMY PENSIONS ACT 1923.

CLAIM FOR DEPENDANTS ALLOWANCE OR GRATUITY.
Applicant's Name Mrs. Catherine Burke,
Address 10 Lr. Erne St., Westland Row.
Name of Deceased Charles Burke.
Rank of Deceased Lieutenant.
Force to which Deceased belonged National Army.
Date of Death of Deceased 27th. January 1923.
Relationship of Applicant to Deceased Mother.
Particulars of Deceased's children in respect of whom
allowance is claimed. Not married.
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Particulars of Payments made from Army Funds to Applicant since death of Deceased.

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Report as to dependency of Applicant or of the motherless children upon Deceased at the time of his death.

"The Applicant Mrs. Catherine Burke, 48 years of age, resides at 10 Lower Erne St. and is mother of the late Lieutenant Charles Burke. She lives with her husband Thomas Burke in a three roomed cottage for which they pay £1 per week. They have seven in family living with them, viz., Florrie, 22 years, earning nil, Eva, 19 years earning nil, Thomas 18 years, earning £1 per week, Patrick 16 years, earning nil, Eileen 12 years, Gladys 9 years - schoolgirls, and James 4 years. The husband works with his own horse and cart and earns on an average about £3 per week exclusive of the keep of his horse.

The Applicant states that prior to her son, Charles, joining the Army, he was employed as a Comercial Traveller, and gave her £3 per week. She keeps the house and has no private means, and has not now or had not at any time; any regular employment. Applicant was partially

dependent on Deceased.

Particulars of Claim made in respect of educational expenditure within the past 12 months.

Nil.

Particulars of any Payment received in compensation from person responsible for the act which caused death of deceased.

(Section 13 (a) of the Army Pensions Act 1923).

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Army Finance Officer.	MEGALAV	700
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I propose to grant a allowance in accordance with the foregoing gratuity

recommendations of the Army Pensions Board.

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Minister of Defence.

To/
Army Finance Officer.

The Minister of Finance consents to the grant by the Minister of Defence under Section 7 of the Army Pensions Act, 1923, of a gratuity of £50 to Mrs. Catherine Burke, 10 Lr. Erne Street, Westland Row, Dublin.



Ahr Anddin 16-April, 1924.

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