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(A STAMP IS NOT REQUIRED.)

THE PAY OFFICER,

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE,

ARMY PENSIONS DEPARTMENT,

34 MOLESWORTH STREET,

DUBLIN.



A.P. A/cs 4.

NOT TO BE PLACED IN AN ENVELOPE.

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ARMY PENSIONS DEPARTMENT.

LIFE CERTIFICATE.

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

No further payment of Pension or Gratuity and Allowances will be made until the following Declaration has been filled in, and signed, by the person to whom the Pension or Gratuity and Allowances ^{is} to be paid; until the Certificate at foot of this form has been signed by one of the persons mentioned in the margin; and until 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/her behalf.

Name (in full, Surname first)..... *Kelly, Mary Ellen*.....
 Number of Award Certificate..... *372540*.....
 Rate of Gratuity or Pension and Allowances..... per week annum.
 Award granted in respect of.....
(If you are the Pensioner give particulars of wounds, or if you are receiving allowance as a relative of a deceased soldier state deceased's name and relationship).
 Received Killed whilst serving as Lieut in Volunteers British Army, 1916, in January 1923
(insert rank) (insert month) (year)
National Forces

(2).

Insert in full occupations of adults, and ages and occupations of children.

Particulars of Adults (other than claimant) included in Pension/Gratuity ^{or} and Allowances.....
 Particulars of Children included in Pension/Gratuity ^{or} and Allowances.....

(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 or~~ Gratuity and 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.....11.....day of Oct.....1924.....
 Signature (in full)..... *Mary Ellen Kelly*.....
 Full Postal Address..... *11, Suffolk, Pembroke St*.....

CERTIFICATE.

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 Barrister-at-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..... *Jacob Egan*..... Date..... *Oct 11/24*.....
 Rank or Profession..... *Rt. Col.*.....
 Full Postal Address..... *89, O'Connell St, Dublin*.....

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.”

F-399.

ARMY PENSIONS ACT, 1923.

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CLAIM FOR DEPENDANTS' ALLOWANCE OR GRATUITY.

Applicant's Name..... Mrs. Mary Ellen Kelly,

Address..... 11, Upper Pembroke Street,

DUBLIN.

Name of Deceased..... John Kelly,

Rank of Deceased..... Lieutenant.

*Force to which Deceased belonged..... National Army.

Date of Death of Deceased..... 17th January 1923.

Relationship of Applicant to Deceased..... Mother.

PARTICULARS OF DECEASED'S CHILDREN IN RESPECT OF WHOM ALLOWANCE IS CLAIMED. Not married.

Name..... Date of Birth.....

do. do.

do. do.

do. do.

do. do.

do. do.

Particulars of Payments made from Army Funds to Applicant since death of Deceased.

Dependants' Allowance paid from 22/2/'22 to 3/5/'24 at 28/- per week.

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* Irish Volunteers, Irish Citizen Army 1916, National Army.

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

The D.M.P. Report states that the applicant is a widow living in a flat at 11 Upr. Pembroke Street, for which she is paying a weekly rent of £1.10.0 with her four daughters who are employed and contribute to her as follows:-

Emily is employed as an assistant at Mitchell's Furniture Stores Parliament Street at 23/- per week and contributes 15/-. Agnes a typist at Yeates, 74 Dame Street, earns 39/- per week and contributes £1.0.0., Mary is employed in same place at 31/- per week and contributes £1.0.0. Rita an apprentice at Gleeson's Drapers, South Gt. George's Street, earns 15/- per week and contributes 10/-. A son Captain William Kelly, G.H.Q., National Army contributes £5.0.0. per week.

The applicant has no regular employment or private income of her own.

Prior to joining the Army, deceased was a plater employed in the Dublin Dockyard, applicant did not know his weekly wage but he contributed £2.0.0 per week to her.

Applicant appears to have been partially dependent on the deceased prior to his joining the Army.

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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NIL.

RECOMMENDATION OF ARMY PENSIONS BOARD.

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Army Finance Officer.

I am to request that you will place before the Minister for Defence the recommendation of The Army Pensions Board that in accordance with Section 7, ~~Section 8,~~

.....2.....Schedule, para.....9.....of the Act, there shall be

granted to.....Mrs. M. Kelly,.....

a Gratuity of £75. (Seventy-five pounds).

an allowance of.....per.....in respect of.....her late son John,

do.per.....do.

do.per.....do.

do.per.....do.

do.per.....do.

do.per.....do.

The Allowance to be paid as from -

12th Sept. 1924.

[Signature] Runaidhe.

The Minister for Defence.

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Submitted and recommended,
[Signature] Army Finance Officer.

12th Sept. 1924.

To/

The Secretary,

Ministry of Finance.

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Subject to the consent of the Minister of Finance I propose to grant

pension
a allowance in accordance with the foregoing recommendations of the Army
gratuity

Pensions Board.

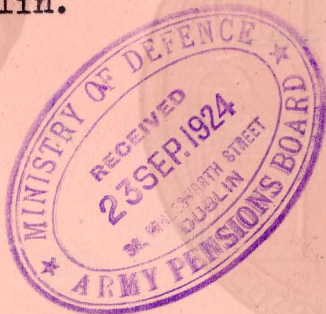
L. C. McCosker
Minister for Defence.

S. 82/1272/24.

To/

Army Finance Officer.

The Minister for Finance consents to the grant by the Minister for Defence, under Section 7 of the Army Pensions Act, 1923, of a Gratuity of £75, to Mrs. Mary Ellen Kelly, 11 Upper Pembroke Street, Dublin.



John H. ...
22nd September, 1924.

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