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NÁ CUIRTEAR ÉANTUAIRISC AR AN GCLÚDACH SO.

Tá annso, leis,

An Uimhir.

An Gnó.

3660

34/5P

An Uimhir ag Roinn Eile.

AS 313

Gallagher Agnes (Miss)

Bridge St
Westport

East Mayo

Do cuireadh chun

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Bounty

8/4/8

z.e. Recd.

25 APR 1935

F3A

12/12/40

PA

17 DEC 1940

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22/4/40

F3B (via Recd.)

18/5/40

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24/4/42

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30.8.42

	Ref.	Date	Signature
(1) Previous papers under—	DP 313		
(a) Army Pensions Act, 1923			
(b) " " " 1927	No award	22/1/42	J. Logan
(c) " " " 1932			
(d) Military Service Pensions Act, 1924	fil.	15.4.35	Imuwa
(e) Military Tribunal	NIL	22.1.42	J. L.
(2) M.S.P./34/1 issued to applicant			
(3) " returned by "			
(4) " " to " for further particulars or completion			
(5) M.S.P./34/1 returned by applicant			
(6) R.C.8/SP/34 issued			
(7) M.S.P./34/1 and M.S.P./34/2 to Referee		5/4	Ree Report
(8) M.S.P./34/2 returned by Referee 626		21/1/42	roa
(9) M.S.P./34/5 to General Prisons Board	L. No. 728	4.12.40	MB.
(10) M.S.P./34/5 returned by " "	" " "	12.12.40	MB.
(11) File to Minister re Service Certificate		30 JAN 1942	MB.
(12) Service Certificate issued to applicant		6 FEB 1942	MB.
(13) M.S.P./34/7 to D. Finance		14 FEB 1942	MB.
(14) M.S.P./34/7 returned by Finance		12 FEB 1942	roa
		24 APR 1942	MB.

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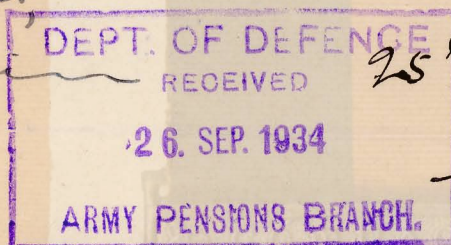
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Minister of Defence
Parliament St
Dublin

Bridge St.
Westport
Mayo.
25th Sept. 34



A. Cope

Could you kindly send me
an application form for a Military
Service Pension. Thanking you

Yr M^{re}

(Miss) Agnes Gallagher.

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P. J. DAVEY,
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANT.
(IRELAND & ENGLAND)

"CONNEMARA",
BLACKROCK,
Co. DUBLIN.

31st March, 1936.



A Chara,

Re Miss Agnes Gallagher, Bridge Street,
Westport.
(Military Service Pensions Act, 1934).

On the 14th instant I addressed a communication to you on behalf of the above-named applicant, but as I have not yet received an acknowledgment, I am naturally wondering whether my letter has reached its destination.

May I trouble you to be so good as to let me know?

Is mise,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "P. J. Davey", with a large, stylized initial "D" and a flourish at the end.

The Secretary,
Department of Defence,
Parkgate,
Dublin.

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34 SP/3660.

27 April, 1936.

A Chara,

I am directed by the Minister for Defence to refer to your letter of the 31st ultimo in connection with the application of Miss Agnes Gallagher, Bridge Street, Westport, for a Service Certificate under the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934, and to inform you that there is no record in this Department of the receipt of the letter stated to have been forwarded by you on the 14th ultimo. If, however, you will forward a copy of this letter to the Department, the matter will be dealt with immediately.

Mise, le meas,

gja
a.s. Rúnaí.

P.J. Davey, Esq.,
"Connemara",
Blackrock,
Co. Dublin.

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C O P Y

P. J. DAVEY,
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANT.
(IRELAND & ENGLAND)

"CONNEMARA,"
BLACKROCK,
Co. DUBLIN.

14th March, 1936.

A Chara,

Military Service Pensions Act, 1934.

In January or February, 1935, Miss Agnes Gallagher, Bridge Street, Westport, Co. Mayo, made an application for a pension under the above-named Act.

It may not have been brought to your notice that the applicant in question had previously made a claim for a Disability Pension under the Army Pensions Act, 1932, but no award was made in respect thereof, and this decision was communicated to her on 11th January, 1935.

As a Service Certificate was a condition precedent to her examination by the Army Pensions Board, it occurred to me that the fact of her service having already been substantiated leaves the way clear for the granting of her Service Pension under the 1934 Act.

The reference to her file under the 1932 Act is 50/APB/677 which I feel sure will facilitate your investigation.

An appeal should have been lodged against the decision under the 1932 Act, as from my personal knowledge of the case

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"CONNEMARA",
BLACKROCK,
CO. DUBLIN.

14th March, 1936.

P. J. DAVEY,
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANT,
(IRELAND & ENGLAND)

I know that she is suffering from disabilities attributable to her Military Service as a member of Cumann na mBan. However, this phase of her case may be considered at a later date.

In January or February, 1935, Miss Agnes Gallagher, She is in a very bad state of health and I earnestly plead with you to expedite a decision as her circumstances leave much to be desired.

I am interested in the case only as a social worker and as a personal friend.

Awaiting the favour of your kind reply.

Is mise,

(Sd.) P. J. Davey.

As a Service Pensioner under the 1934 Act, her examination by the Army Pensions Board, it occurred to me that the fact of her service having already been substantiated leaves the way clear for the granting of her Service Pension under the 1934 Act.

The reference to her file under the 1932 Act is 50/ABP/677 which I feel sure will help your investigation. The Secretary,
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P. J. DAVEY,
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANT.
(IRELAND & ENGLAND)

"CONNEMARA,"
BLACKROCK,
Co. DUBLIN.

1 Enclosure

30th April, 1936.



A Chara,

Re Miss Agnes Gallagher, Bridge Street, Westport,
Co. Mayo.

Military Service Pensions Act, 1934.

With reference to your communication of the 27th instant, (Ref. 34 SP/3660), I am sorry that you are unable to trace my letter of the 14th March to which your attention was directed in my letter of the 31st March last. In consequence I enclose a copy thereof as requested.

As this case has been "hanging fire" for quite an appreciable time, may I plead with you to expedite it as much as possible, particularly in view of the circumstances adumbrated in my letter of the 14th ultimo.

Awaiting the favour of your kind reply.

Is mise,

The Secretary,
Department of Defence,
Parkgate,
Dublin.

34SP/3660

// May, 1936.

A Chara,

I am directed by the Minister for Defence to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 30th ultimo, and enclosure in connection with the application of Miss Agnes Gallagher of Bridge Street, Westport under the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934 and to state that her claim has been referred for investigation and report to the Referee appointed under the Act.

The report of the Referee on an application for a Service Certificate differs in every essential with the report of the Military Service Registration Board on an application under the Army Pensions Act, 1932, and accordingly this latter report is of no practical value to the Referee in assessing an applicant's service for the purposes of the 1934 Act.

Owing to the large number of applications received and the nature and extent of the investigations necessary to satisfy the requirements of the Act, it is impossible to state when an individual case will receive attention.

Mise, le meas,

as Rúnaí.

P.J.Davey, Esq.,
"Connemara",
Blackrock,
DUBLIN.

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34/SP/.....

MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONS ACT, 1934.

Gallagher, Agnes

Department of Justice record of imprisonment is as follows:—

See file 34/SP/Misc./10.

List *728*

RECORD OF SENTENCE.

Nil

Initials *AB*

Date *12.12.40.*

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Military Service Pensions Act, 1934.

M.S.P. 34/3.

SERVICE CERTIFICATE.

In the matter of the application of *Agnes Gallagher, Bridge Street, Westport Co Mayo* for a Service Certificate in accordance with the terms of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934, and the Regulations made thereunder,

WHEREAS the Minister for Defence has taken into consideration the report of the Referee appointed under the Act on the application,

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the said *Agnes Gallagher* has rendered Service in the Forces and during the periods as set out as follows:—

Service Period prescribed in the Act.	Forces in which Active Service was rendered.	Duration of Active Service during each of the prescribed periods as established to the satisfaction of the Referee.
1. The week commencing on the 23rd day of April, 1916	CUMANN NA MBAN	
2. The period comprising:— (a) the period commencing on the 1st day of April, 1916, and ending on the 22nd day of April, 1916, and (b) the period commencing on the 30th day of April, 1916, and ending on the 31st day of March, 1917	CUMANN NA MBAN	
3. The period commencing on the 1st day of April, 1917, and ending on the 31st day of March, 1918	CUMANN NA MBAN	
4. The period commencing on the 1st day of April, 1918, and ending on the 31st day of March, 1919	CUMANN NA MBAN	
5. The period commencing on the 1st day of April, 1919, and ending on the 31st day of March, 1920	CUMANN NA MBAN	$\frac{1}{2}$ of ENTIRE PERIOD
6. The period commencing on the 1st day of April, 1920, and ending on the 31st day of March, 1921	CUMANN NA MBAN	$\frac{1}{2}$ of ENTIRE PERIOD
7. The period commencing on the 1st day of April, 1921, and ending on the 11th day of July, 1921	CUMANN NA MBAN	ENTIRE PERIOD
8. The period commencing on the 12th day of July, 1921, and ending on the 30th day of June, 1922	CUMANN NA MBAN	$\frac{1}{2}$ of ENTIRE PERIOD
9. The period commencing on the 1st day of July, 1922, and ending on the 31st day of March, 1923	CUMANN NA MBAN	$\frac{1}{2}$ of ENTIRE PERIOD
10. The period commencing on the 1st day of April, 1923, and ending on the 30th day of September, 1923	CUMANN NA MBAN	ENTIRE PERIOD

AND THAT for the purpose of the Act the grade of rank of the said applicant is Grade *E* Dated this *6th* day of *February 1942*

Sgd. DEODAN MACMARTHA
Rinaidhe, Roinn Cosanta.

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6 FEB 1942

A CHARA,

I am directed by the Minister for Defence to refer to your application under the provisions of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934, for a service certificate and to forward herewith the certificate granted as a result of that application.

You are requested to acknowledge its receipt on the enclosed form and to return the form as soon as possible. An addressed envelope, which need not be stamped, is enclosed for the purpose.

This certificate should be very carefully preserved, and in this connection your attention is directed to the terms of Section 14 of the Act printed overleaf.

A communication will be sent to you at an early date regarding the granting of a Military Service Pension.

Mise, le meas,

Miss Agnes Gallagher.

Bridge St.

Westport

Co Mayo.

W. Rinaidhe.

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SECTION 14 OF THE MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONS ACT, 1934.

(1) Where—

(a) a certificate of military service or a service certificate has been issued to any person, and

(b) the Minister is required by the immediately preceding Section to revoke or amend such certificate,

the Minister shall send by registered post, addressed to such person at his last known residence, a notice requiring such person to send such certificate to the Minister within such time after the service of such notice as may be specified in such notice.

(2) If any person upon whom a notice under this Section has been served fails to comply with such notice, such person shall be guilty of an offence under this Section, and shall be liable on summary conviction thereof to a fine not exceeding ten pounds and a further fine not exceeding one pound for every day during which such offence is continued.

Military Service Pensions Collection

34SP/ 3660

4 FEB 1942

RUNAIDHE,
ROINN AIRGEADAIS.

MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONS ACT, 1934.

I am directed by the Minister for Defence to state that a service certificate under Section 10 (2) of the Act has been granted to—

Agnes Gallagher, Bridge St. Westport, Co. Mayo

based on the findings of the Referee, as contained in his report which is attached.

The Minister now proposes, with the sanction of the Minister for Finance, and in accordance with the terms of Section 11 of the Act, to grant

Agnes Gallagher
a pension, the details of which are as follows:—

Total service for pension purposes as defined by the Second Schedule of the Act, and certified by the Referee $3\frac{1}{2}$ years.

Grade of rank for pension purposes as defined by Section 4(1) and the First Schedule of the Act, and certified by the Referee Grade *E*

Rate of pension per year of service as defined by Section 11 (4) and the Second Schedule of the Act £ *5* : — : —

Total pension payable per annum as from the 1st Oct., 1934 £ *17* : *10* : *0*

Éin-shreagra ar an títir seo, ba chóir é stiúradh chun an :-

(Any reply to this communication should be addressed to the :-)

Rúnaidhe

(Secretary)

fé'n uimhir seo :-

(and the following number quoted :-)



Éire

ROINN AIRGEADAIS;

(Department of Finance),

SRÁID MHUIRBHTEANN UACHT.,

(Upper Merrion Street),

BAILE ÁTHA CLIATH,

(Dublin).

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Rúnaidhe,

Roinn Cosanta.



I am directed by the Minister for Finance to refer to your minute of the 4th instant (No. 34SP/ 3660) intimating that a certificate of Military Service has been granted, pursuant to Section 10 (2) of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934, to

~~Mr.~~ Agnes Gallagher

of Bridge St., Westport, Co., Mayo,

and I am to state that the Minister sanctions the grant under Section 11 of the Act of a pension at the rate of Seventeen Pounds and £17.10.0. Ten Shillings.

a year to ~~Mr.~~ Agnes Gallagher with effect as from the 1st October, 1934, inclusive.

The Report of the Referee is returned herewith.

Lm. H. J. F. J. J.
Feabhra, 1942

S C H E D U L E -

Military Service Pensions Act, 1934.

Reference No. 3344

Applicant's Name Gallagher, Agnes

Address Bridge St, Westport, Co. Mayo

34/SP/3660

M.S.P. 34/2A.

21 JAN 1942

CLÁNNAN NA DRÁCHOIR
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PERIOD	Particular military body or bodies in which active service was rendered.	Duration of active service established to the satisfaction of the Referee.	Equivalent for pension purposes as defined in the Second Schedule of the Act.
(1) 23/4/16 - 29/4/16		<u>nil</u> period	<u>nil</u> year(s)
(2) (a) 1/4/16 - 22/4/16 (b) 30/4/16 - 31/3/17	"	<u>nil</u> period	<u>nil</u> year
(3) 1/4/17 - 31/3/18	"	<u>nil</u> period	<u>nil</u> year
(4) 1/4/18 - 31/3/19	"	<u>nil</u> period	<u>nil</u> year
(5) 1/4/19 - 31/3/20	"	<u>12 of</u> period	<u>12</u> year
(6) 1/4/20 - 31/3/21	"	<u>6 of</u> period	<u>3</u> year(s)
(7) 1/4/21 - 11/7/21	"	<u>Full</u> period	<u>1</u> year
(8) 12/7/21 - 30/6/22	"	<u>12 of</u> period	<u>12</u> year
(9) 1/7/22 - 31/3/23	"	<u>2 of</u> period	<u>1</u> year(s)
(10) 1/4/23 - 30/9/23	"	<u>Full</u> period	<u>1</u> year
TOTAL ...			<u>3 1/2</u> year(s)

To—THE MINISTER FOR DEFENCE,

I submit hereon my report in this case.

Date 19.1.42

James Upson Referee.

Is the applicant a person to whom the Act applies? ... yes

Rank or Grade allowed. ... E

Relevant Paragraph of First Schedule. ... 1/7/16

1st critical date. ... E

2nd critical date. ... 1/7/16

Was applicant a member of the Irish Volunteer Executive at any time prior to 11th July, 1921? ... no

Does applicant's case fall under—

(a) sub-para. (j) of para. 3 of Rule I of the First Schedule? ... no

(b) sub-para. (m) of para. 4 of Rule I of the First Schedule? ... no

Does the applicant state in his application whether he is at present in receipt of any remuneration, pension or allowance payable out of public moneys whether provided by the Oireachtas or out of the Central Fund or by means of the Poor Rate or any other rate imposed by a Local Authority ... Applies for Disability Pension, '32 Act

Does the applicant state in his application whether he applied for or is in receipt of unemployment assistance under the Unemployment Assistance Act, 1933? If so, quote the number of his qualification certificate if given by him ... No

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Ref. No. 34SP/.....*3660*.....

M.S.P. 34/6A.

Rúnaí,
Roinn Cosanta,
Baile Atha Cliath.

I hereby acknowledge the receipt of the service certificate
granted in my case by the Minister for Defence under the provisions of
the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934.

Signature.....

Agnes Gallagher

Address.....

Bridge St.

Wexford

Date.....

10th Feb. '42

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AWARD CERTIFICATE.

Any further Communications on this subject should be addressed to—
and the above number quoted.

ROINN COSANTA,
(Department of Defence),

GEATA NA PAIRCE,
(Parkgate),

BAILE ATHA CLIATH.
(Dublin.)

.....18 February,.....19..42.

I am directed to inform you that in accordance with the terms of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934, the Minister for Defence has granted you a pension of £ 17.10.0d. (Seventeen Pounds and Ten shillings) per annum, which is payable as from the 1st October, 1934, and which will be subject to deductions under Section 20 (1) of the Act in respect of receipts by you from Public Moneys.

I have also to state that it is your duty to inform the Minister at once of any receipts by you of any Public Moneys as defined by Section 20 (1) of the Act.

/

g/s Rúnaidhe.

*To Miss Agnes Gallagher,
Bridge Street,
Westport, Co. Mayo.

ISSUED 18 FEB 1942
Initials... *evs*

Section 20 (1) of the Mil. Ser. Pensions Act, 1934, defines Public Moneys as—"Any remuneration pension, or allowance payable out of public moneys, whether provided by the Oireachtas or out of the Central Fund or by means of the poor rate or any other rate imposed by a local authority."

Extract from Mil. Ser. Pensions Act, 1934, Section 19 (1) & (2) — "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 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.

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."

N.B.—This Certificate is no security whatever for debt. It should be carefully preserved, as it will be of the greatest assistance to you when completing the Pension Warrants, which will be sent to you.

* In the event of the death of the person to whom this Form is addressed, the person who notifies the death to the local Registrar of Deaths should deliver this Form and any other Pension papers held by deceased, to him, and will receive from him the sum of one shilling for so doing.

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(A STAMP IS NOT REQUIRED).

THE SECRETARY,

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE,

PENSIONS BRANCH,

COLAISTE CAOIMHIN,

GLASNAOIDHEAN,

DUBLIN.

M.S.P. A/cs 5.

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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 Department of Defence, Dublin.

(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) *Gallagher Agnes*
Residing at *Bridge St. Westport*
Year of Birth *1863*
Number of Award Certificate *MSP 34/3*
Rate of Pension *£12-10-0 per annum*
Date of Resignation from National Army
Retirement from Defence Forces
Rank on Discharge *1 OCT 1934*

(2). By "public moneys" is meant any moneys provided by the Oireachtas, or out of the Central Fund, or by mean of the Poor Rate, or any other rate imposed by a local authority."—(Sec. 8 (1) M.S. Pen. Act, 1924) (Sec. 20 (1) M.S. Pen. Act, 1934.)

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. Where there are no receipts from "Public Moneys," the space below should not be left blank, but the word "none" should be inserted).

None

(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 that such Pension has been granted to me by the Minister for Defence. I further declare that all the statements I have made above are true and correct.

Signature (in full) *Agnes Gallagher* Date *23/2/42*
Full Postal Address *Bridge St. Westport Mayo*

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 *W. J. Greal* Date *23/2/42*
Rank or Profession *L.M.R.C. 8-1*
Full Postal Address *Don Maelle, Westport Mayo*

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 of 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), and Military Service Pensions Act, 1934, Section 19 (1).

Extract from Military Service Pensions Act, 1924, Section 7 (2), and Military Service Pensions Act, 1934, Section 19 (2).

(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 Éire (Ireland.)

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 Commonwealth of Nations.

Magistrates.

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 are 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 other Countries.

Irish 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).

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AN ROINN COSANTA,
(Dept. of Defence)

GEATA NA PAIRCE,
(Parkgate)

BAILE ÁTHA CLIATH.
(Dublin.)

Ref. No. 34SP/3660.

February, 1942.

MILITARY SERVICE PENSIONS ACTS.

A CHARA,

In connection with the payment of the pension awarded to you under the above Acts, I am directed by the Minister for Defence to request that you will please furnish me hereunder with a specimen of your signature duly witnessed by one of the persons set out on the back hereof.

Mise, le meas,

Rúnaí

Rúnaídh.

Miss Agnes Gallagher,.....

Bridge Street,.....

Westport, Co. Mayo.

[Not to be detached.]

Usual Signature of Pensioner.....

Address.....

Bridge St
Westport, Co Mayo

Name of Witness.....

Mr J W Gual

Qualification.....

R. H. R. C. P. & S. I.

Address.....

Don Meene

Mr Gurt

Co Mayo

Date 23/2/42

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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 Eire (Ireland).

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 Offices. (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.

MAGISTRATES.

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 and REGULATORS such under the law of the country and regular 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.

DIPLOMATIC or CONSULAR OFFICERS of EIRE or BRITAIN 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).

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10th Mar. 42

I Chora,

I received from you a communication on the 3rd March which included two papers one a receipt to be signed for £126-12-6 as received of the Minister of Defence. The second paper was a leaflet of instructions, there was no money enclosed in case of any mis understanding I thought it better to let you know.

Another matter is that I have not received any notice of any appeal. but it would appear from the papers you have already sent me to sign, that I have been turned down. I consider it a very queer thing that the statement (submitted to you as extra evidence by Miss K. Kennedy) signed by Michael Kilroy Dr. Madden Captain J. Malone Joe Baker and the others should be set aside and ignored. I consider

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that none other than these men
are fit to verify the truth of my
statement because these are the
men who with whom I came in
contact as stated in their statement.

Yours

Agnes Gallagher.

Dep. J. Deane
at etc.

William

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E.5871.

25 March, 1942.

A Bhean Uasal,

With reference to your letter of the 10th instant relative to your Military Service Pension, I am directed by the Minister for Defence to inform you that the Warrant for £126.17.6. issued to you on the 2nd instant is the only form on which payment of pension will be made and you must make your own arrangements for cashing same.

The Warrant should be lodged in one of the local Banks for transmission to the Head Office in Dublin of that Bank. The local Bank may not tender cash for the document on presentation but will not refuse to act as your agent in the matter of transmitting it to this Department.

I am to add that as your appeal against the finding of the Referee was carefully and sympathetically considered by him before his report was forwarded to the Minister a further appeal cannot be accepted ~~by him~~ *in the case.*

Mise, le meas.

as RUNAIDHE.

Miss Agnes Gallagher,
Bridge Street,
Westport, Co. Mayo.

Issued... 25 MAR 1942
Initials.....

Sec.

Department of Pensions,
Parkgate,
Dublin

27/3/42
Bridge St.
Droghda
22nd Dec, 1942



at Chara

Regarding my application for a
Military Service Pension I received from the
Referee, decision dated 29th Dec. against
which I appealed. Giving as additional
evidence a statement signed by Michael Kelly,
Joseph Baker, Dr. Madden, Capt. Malone
and others.

Since that time I have received
a Service Certificate and cheque. (which
has not been cashed) both based on
the decision of the 29th Dec.

I wish to know if my appeal has been
dealt with in the usual manner and
why I have not been notified.

Yours faithfully,
C. J. Gallagher

F. 5871

The Director for Pensions
Parkgate
Dublin

Bridge St.
Droghda
22nd March 42

Letter of 25th inst
comes 27/3/42

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A Chara

Referring to my application for a
Ordinary Pension I wish to state that
I received the Referee's decision dated
29th Dec. 41 against which I sent in
an appeal giving as additional
evidence a statement signed by Michael Kilroy,
Joseph Baker, Dr. Madden, Capt. J. Malone, and
others. Since that time I have only
received an Award Certificate and cheque
(which has not been cashed) both based on
on the decision of the 29th against which I
had already appealed.
I wish to know if my appeal has
been dealt with in the usual

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15 Sept 51
Dear Sir
I have not
been notified

15 May 50

Agnes Gallagher

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Wales
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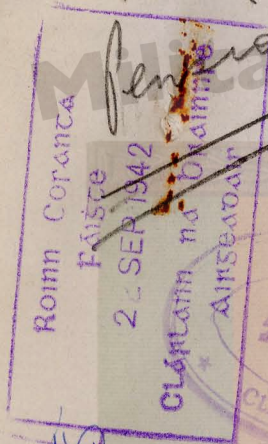
Dear Sir

I have received from you
a cheque for payment for pension
one month ended July '42 I can't quite
understand this as the last
cheque received by me was
one quarters cheque paid last
April

Would you kindly explain
to me

Thank you

Yours faithfully
Agnes Gallagher

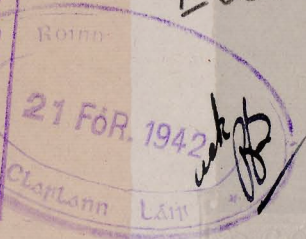


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W. C. O'Connell

I wish to state I have
now received ~~at~~ the ~~widened~~
cheques up to July. ~~and~~ would
feel very much obliged if
in the future I could have
a cheque quarterly instead of

Monthly

Noted by
Ledger
P. *Thank you*

W. C. O'Connell
(Miss) Agnes Gallagher