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*beanta (Defence)  
(Pensions)*

Fó-Roinn.

NÁ CUIRTEAR ÉANTUAIRISC AR AN GCLÚDACH SO.

Tá annso, leis,

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An Uimhir.

An Gnó.

*32/L/180.*

**CLEGG.** *Ms. Johanna,  
Ballinvee gga,  
Ballywilliam,  
New Ross, Co. Wexford.*

An Uimhir ag Roinn Eile.

Do cuireadh chun

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10<sup>th</sup> September, 1934.

A Chara:

I am directed by the Minister for Defence to refer to your letter of the 6th ultimo relative to an application for compensation by Mrs. Johanna Clegg, Ballinvegga, Ballywilliam, New Ross, in respect of the death of her brother, and to enclose herewith a copy of a notice relative to the main provisions of Part II of the Army Pensions Act, 1932. In this connection I am to state that it is not clear whether Mrs. Clegg's brother was a member of one of the organisations to which the Act applies. I am also to point out that no award can be made to a sister of a deceased member unless she is under 21 years of age or permanently invalided and unmarried.

I am to add that the latest date for making application as laid down in the Act was the 9th December, 1933, and the Minister has no discretionary power to accept an application made after that date. In the circumstances it is regretted that no action can be taken in the matter.

*bm*

Mise, le meas,

*Sd D O'Sullivan*  
*g/s RÚNAÍ.*

Farrell J.K. Sweetman, Esq.,  
Rathgarogue,  
New Ross,  
CO. WEXFORD.

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DEPT. OF DEFENCE  
RECEIVED  
9 AUG. 1934  
ARMY PERSONS BRANCH.

Rathgarogue,  
Newross,  
Co. Wexford  
6<sup>th</sup> August 1934

Minister for Defence  
Government Buildings  
Dublin.

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Dear Sir,

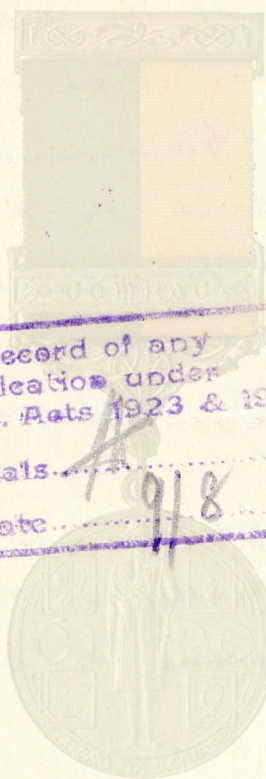
I am asked by Mrs Johanna  
Blegg, Ballinacoga, Ballyquilliam,  
Newross, Co. Wexford to write you  
and ascertain if its the intention  
of the Government to pay compensation  
to relatives of the men killed by  
explosion at St. Kearns, Saltmills,  
Co. Wexford on the 13<sup>th</sup> October 1920.  
Her brother, Robert Walsh, was one  
of the six men killed and I  
understand from her those men

were acting under orders from  
I.R.A. head-quarters in the  
manufacture of bombs at the  
time of the explosion which  
caused their death, and that  
your Government are making  
a grant in those cases.

In order that she may  
not be under any misunderstanding  
in the matter I shall be glad  
to have any information as to  
the Government's intention in  
the matter so that I may be able  
to explain the position to her.

Yours faithfully,  
James J. Sweetman

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No record of any  
application under  
E. P. Acts 1923 & 1927.

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