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(MINISTRY OF DEFENCE).

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(ARMY FINANCE OFFICE).

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Register Number	From whom, number, and date	Officer or Soldier
7/146	<i>PAYEE</i> Mr Joseph Dooley Pougherown Newbridge Co. Kildare	<i>IN RESPECT OF</i> John Dooley Pte N.A.
F.P. P.B. 28		Army No. _____ Date of Death <i>3-12-22</i>
		Address _____ Discharge _____

Referred to	Date	Referred to	Date	Referred to	Date	Referred to	Date	Referred to	Date	Referred to	Date

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SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN.

(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 are 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)..... Dooley Joseph

Number of Award Certificate..... 2/2 259

Rate of Gratuity or Pension and Allowances..... £100 per week annum.

Award granted in respect of..... Sons death
(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 whilst serving as..... Volunteer in Volunteers Citizen Army, 1916, in..... December 19..... 22
(insert rank) (insert month) (year)

(2). Insert in full occupations of adults, and ages and occupations of children.

Particulars of Adults (other than claimant) included in Pension/Gratuity or Allowances and

Particulars of Children included in Pension/Gratuity or Allowances and

(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..... day of..... 19..... this

Signature (in full)..... Joseph X Dooley

Full Postal Address..... Thougbroon Newbridge Co Kildare

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..... Patrick Hackett Date..... 23rd June 1924

Rank or Profession..... Serget 1/c Garda Síochána Str.

Full Postal Address..... Newbridge Co Kildare

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.”

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

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ARMY PENSIONS ACT, 1923.

CLAIM FOR DEPENDANTS' ALLOWANCE OR GRATUITY.

Applicant's Name.....Joseph...Dooley.....

Address.....Loughcrown, Newbridge, Co. Kildare.....

Name of Deceased.....John Dooley.....

Rank of Deceased.....Private.....

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

Date of Death of Deceased.....3-12-1922.....

Relationship of Applicant to Deceased.....Father.....

PARTICULARS OF DECEASED'S CHILDREN IN RESPECT OF WHOM ALLOWANCE IS CLAIMED.

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.

Nil.

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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.

Civic Guard Report states that the John Dooley son of Joseph Dooley, Knockbrown was killed at Wellington Bridge, Co. Wexford, whilst on active service with the National Army in the month of March 1923. He had served 18 months in National Army and had joined up at the age of 19 years. Previous to his joining the National Army he was in I.E.A. and was employed in the Gravel pit at Knockbrown receiving a weekly wage of £2.10-0 from the G.S. & W.Rly. His father Joseph Dooley resides in a railway cottage at Knockbrown, and is employed by G.S. & W.Rly in the Gravel pit. He is 56 years of age and does not expect to hold this employment much longer, as he is not as robust in health as heretofore. When he is not able to work in the pit he will have to vacate the cottage to make room for the new hand. His other son is married and has a large family to look after and unless a decent pension is granted the old man, he will have no alternative but go to the County Home at some date in the near future. In my opinion the Applicant would be wholly dependent on his son John, had the latter lived.

Further Report:-

Claimant's wife is dead 16 years. Claimant is the tenant of the Rly. Cottage in which he resides with his remaining son and the latter's wife and two children, and tries to contribute to the upkeep of the household. There are no other members of the family except those mentioned. This son is in receipt of £2.9.0 wages weekly from Rly. Co.

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

permanent way labourers. Claimant is thirty-two years in the service of Railway Co. as pitman. He would be entitled to a gratuity of £25 after forty years service if certified unfit for further labour by a medical Officer.

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

Nil.

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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).

Nil.

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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,~~

.....3rd.....Schedule, para...8.....of the Act, there shall be

granted to.....Mr..Joseph.Dooley.....

a Gratuity of £100 (one hundred pounds).

.....per.....in respect of his son the late Pte..Jn..Dooley.

do.per..... do.

do.per..... do.

do.per..... do.

do.per..... do.

do.per..... do.

The Allowance to be paid as from

4 June, 1924.

J. J. Hogan
Runaidhe.

The Minister of Defence.

Submitted and recommended.

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6 June, 1924.

Chimue Gorman
Army Finance Officer.

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.

J. T. Mac Cosgair

Minister of Defence.

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 £100 to Mr. Joseph Dooley, Loughcrown,
Newbridge, Co.Kildare.

John A. ...

18th June, 1924.



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