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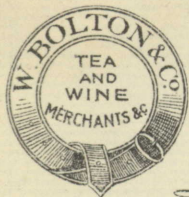
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Wm. Bolton Ho

REPORTED ON BY COMMITTEE.

25 AUG. 1916

Ince Policy & rect Nibn 6173  
& documents re Sun, Yorkshire  
etc. recd. 20.9.16.



35 & 36, Westmoreland Street,  
Branches  
Up. Baggot St. & Rathmines.

Dublin, 14th September 1916.

The Secretary,  
Property Losses Committee.  
51, St. Stephens Green.

Dear Sir,

With reference to our claim arising out  
of the recent disturbances in the city, we  
received an order on the Bank of Ireland for the  
sum of £120/13/0. which we presume is in settle-  
ment. The amount however of our claim, which  
represented the actual loss we sustained, was  
£135/9/11. and as we cannot understand why  
£14/16/11. should be deducted from this amount, we  
shall be glad if you will be good enough to  
furnish us with some explanation of the matter.

Yours faithfully,

W. Bolton & Co,

Per J. H.

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over cl.

700

1574

Herewith

sent under  
700

1879/16

acted on

1879/16

Assessors Report. 2nd August 1916.

Claim No. 1 2 9 8 Name of Claimant William Bolton (Grower & Provision Mcht).

Situation of Property 35/36 Westmoreland Street, Dublin.

Description	Claim	Insurance (if any)	Commissioners Valuation of Buildings	Assessors Valuation of full Damage	Loss Payable on basis of Insurance	Excess of Loss over and above amount payable under the Policies
Stock-in-Trade	I04:II: 6	4000	.....	9I: 8:6	9I: 8: 6	.....
C a s h	I:I3:II	....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Building (Plate Glass Windows)	26: I: 0	5040	.....	26: I:0	26:.I:.0	.....
Goods looted from Messrs Tedcastle's Stores	3: 3: 6	.....	.....	.3:.3:6	.....	.....
TOTALS, £	135: 9:II	9040	.....	120:13:0	117: 9:6	.....

The Building was in occupation of the Military for eight days. The claim is for Goods missing.

~~Interests in the buildings.~~ The Plate Glass Windows were broken by Rifle Fire. They have been replaced by the Claimant. There is a Plate Glass Insurance but the Policy excludes damage by Civil Commotion &c

Walter James & Co

Award of Committee: Contents £120.13.0 WJ  
do. Buildings

Assessor to ascertain  
 whether any part of the claim  
 has been admitted & paid for  
 by the military authorities.

W.H.

24/7/16

No part of claim  
 admitted or paid  
 for by military  
 W.H. & Co.



35 & 36, Westmoreland Street,  
Branches  
Up. Baggot St & Rathmines.  
Dublin, 18th May 1916.

The General in Command,  
Headquarters,  
Irish Command,  
Parkgate.

Dear Sir,

We beg to inform you that the Military forced our premises at the rear on Wednesday the 26th of April for the purpose of feeding the troops and continued to take away supplies up to the following Wednesday, but left us no account whatever of the goods taken away. Unfortunately no proper arrangements were made to control the place in the absence of any of our Staff, and we understand a number of outsiders got goods for which no Vouchers or money were left. In our Provision Dept. alone when we took stock on Thursday the 4th of May we found a deficiency of £54. odd, and our Grocery and Fancy Departments suffered considerably.



The loss here we have ascertained on the very lowest calculation to be £58:1:10. Even 33/11 was taken from our Cash Desk. Having regard to the fact that our premises were left unprotected during their occupation or use by the troops when civilians were allowed to enter without molestation, we consider it advisable to send in our claim together with one we have for broken Glass Windows, to the Fire & Losses Association for compensation by the Government. We may mention that we hold signatures for some of the goods taken away by the troops which were procured by one of the assistants in the College Hotel. Always at your service,

Yours faithfully,

W. Bolton & Co,

Per 

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# Property Losses (Ireland) Committee, 1916.

51 ST. STEPHEN'S GREEN, EAST, DUBLIN.

## Claim for Damages caused during the Disturbances on the 24th April, 1916, and following days.

ack  
17/11/16.  
I William Bolton, Trading as Wm. Bolton & Co. now residing

at Fitzwilliam, Blackrock, in the City of Dublin.  
County

do hereby solemnly and sincerely declare that on or about the 26th day of April

1916, damage was done to the undermentioned Property, namely:—\* Glass broken

\* State  
situation of  
property  
damaged.

and goods etc. removed, at 35 & 36 Westmoreland Street

and such damage was occasioned to the best of my belief by\*\* Bullets piercing

\*\* Here state  
cause of  
damage.

the shutters, Military forced re-re of premises & were in occupation 8 days

And I further declare that the Property and Articles specified on the other side were  
so destroyed or damaged; that the Cost Price of same was as shown in each case;  
that at the time of the destruction or damage they were respectively of the Values  
specified under the head "Value of Property at time of Destruction or Damage";  
and that, in consequence of such destruction or damage, claim is hereby made for the  
sums specified under the head "Amount Claimed"; that the Claim is made by me

as† owner; and that no person is interested in

† Insert  
"Owner,"  
"Lessee,"  
or  
"Mortgagee,"  
as the case  
may be.

the said property except‡ myself

‡ Insert  
"myself" or  
"ourselves,"  
and the names  
of Mortgagees,  
Mortgagees,  
Lessors,  
Lessees, or  
joint owners  
(if any).

and that it is ~~not~~ insured by ~~me~~ us or any other person, & except as follows, namely:—

§ Strike out  
the words  
following if  
the property is  
not insured.

Sun Insurance	Company, Policy No.	11608461	Amount	£9107.16.8
Commercial Union Assce.		10844403		£1543.15.0
Yorkshire Insce.	"	1465508	"	£1080.11.9
Liverpool & London & Globe.	"	11691033	"	£1543.14.0
Employers Liability Assce. Corpn.	"	26610	"	£2161.3.7

And I make this solemn Declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by  
virtue of the provisions of the Statutory Declarations Act, 1835.

Made and subscribed the 26th day of

July 1916, at 35 Westmoreland St  
Dublin in the said City,  
County

before me, a Justice of the Peace for the said

City  
County

Henry J. P.

Signature  
of Claimant

William Bolton

NOTE—This Claim should be accompanied by the Policies of Fire Insurance and the last receipt, in each case,  
or certified copies of same. When completed it is to be forwarded to the Secretary of the Committee, 51 St.  
Stephen's Green, East, Dublin.

## PARTICULARS OF THE CLAIM.

(TO BE GIVEN IN DETAIL.)

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY DESTROYED OR DAMAGED.	Cost Price.			Value of Property at time of Destruction or Damage.			Value of Salvage.			Amount Claimed		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Cash taken from Till										1	13	11
60 lbs. Tea @ 2/2 lb.	6	10	0							6	10	0
100 lbs Sugar @ 4 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> d. lb.	1	19	7							1	19	7
12 Pots Jam		12	3								12	3
12 Pots Marmalade @ 1/2		14	0								14	0
6 Glass Tongues @ 4/-	1	4	0							1	4	0
10 Boars Head @ 1/4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> d.		13	9								13	9
1 doz. 4oz. Bovril	1	0	4							1	0	4
1 doz. 4oz. Oxo		18	0								18	0
3 x 6/- boxes Crystal. Fruits.		15	0								15	0
1 box Mxd. Sweets, 7lb. @ 1/-		7	0								7	0
2 doz. 8d. Pkts Chocolate @ 6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> d.		13	0								13	0
6 lb. Chocolates @ 1/8 lb.		10	0								10	0
7 lb. Peppermint Creams @ 9d.		5	3								5	3
14 Boxes Nougat @ 9d.		10	6								10	6
5 Tins Mackintosh Toffee, 20lb @ 1/6.	1	10	0							1	10	0
3x 6/- Boxes Chocolates @ 5/-		15	0								15	0
1 Bottle Mxd. Sweets 5lb @ 8d.		3	4								3	4
3 boxes Cryst. Figs @ 1/3		3	9								3	9
4 Tins Edinburgh Rock @ 1/-		4	0								4	0
4 boxes Turkish Delight @ 10d.		3	4								3	4
2 lb. Mxd. Gums @ 1/2		2	4								2	4
4 lb. Banana Creams @ 9d.		3	0								3	0
1 box Cream Chocolate		6	6								6	6
10 tins Toffee @ 9d.		7	6								7	6
8 Pkts. Butterscotch @ 6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> d.		4	4								4	4
4lb. Box Pastilles		5	0								5	0
2 boxes Plain Chocolate @ 4/9		9	6								9	6
Carried forward.	21	10	3							23	4	2

# PARTICULARS OF THE CLAIM. (continued).

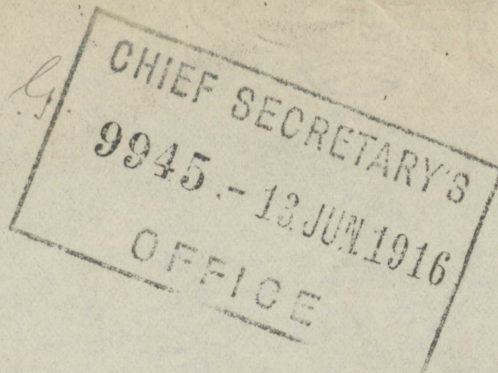
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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>Brought forward.</i>	21	10	3							23	4	2
24 Tins Toffee @ 6/6		13	0								13	0
10 boxes Crackers @ 1/3		12	6								12	6
7½ galls Whiskey in bottles @ 22/- per gallon.	8	15	0							8	15	0
Bottles under same.		13	10								13	10
4 Tins Chicken in Jelly @ 1/10.		7	4								7	4
1 Dry Canteen		3	7								3	7
Cakes, 2 @ 6/-		12	0								12	0
Do. 6 @ 1/-		6	0								6	0
Do. 6 @ 5/3	1	11	6							1	11	6
Do. 2 @ 1/3		2	6								2	6
Do. 12 @ 9d.		9	0								9	0
Do. 6 @ 1/2		7	0								7	0
14 Lge. Tins Biscuits @ 8/2	5	14	4							5	14	4
14 Tins under Biscuits.		14	0								14	0
12 Small Tins Biscuits		16	0								16	0
4 Bottles Fruits @ 1/6		6	0								6	0
16 doz Apples @ 1/3	1	0	0							1	0	0
30 doz. Oranges @ 10d.	1	5	0							1	5	0
1 doz. Tins Coffee & Milk		12	0								12	0
1 doz. Tins Sardines		12	0								12	0
1 doz. Tins Milk		7	6								7	6
1 doz. Canned Fruits		12	0								12	0
3 doz. Oxo Cubes @ 5/-		15	0								15	0
2 doz. 7½d. Potted Meats @ 6/-		12	0								12	0
6 Bottles Peas @ 11/6		5	9								5	9
	49	15	1							51	9	0
				Carried Forward.								

# PARTICULARS OF THE CLAIM. (continued).

(TO BE GIVEN IN DETAIL.)

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY DESTROYED OR DAMAGED,	Cost Price.			Value of Property at time of Destruction or Damage.	Value of Salvage.			Amount Claimed		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Brought forward,										
Dr. <u>Provision Department Balance Sheet.</u> 1916. Cr.										
April 1st To Stock	298	2	0	1916. April 22 By Sales	281	3	9			
22nd Purchases	252	19	5	Stock	272	0	1			
Cash Petty Expenses	2	4	3	Balance	41	16	5			
Salaries	25	0	0							
Wages	11	0	0							
Trade Expenses	4	10	0							
Returns	1	4	7							
	595	0	3				595	0	3	
To Balance	41	16	5	By Net Loss			54	16	5	
Add 4½% Net Profit on Turnover of £280 up to 22/4/16.	13	0	0							
	54	16	5				54	16	5	
Glass perforated by bullets, replaced by Brooks, Thomas & Co. Ltd.										
Two polished Plates & one Silver Plate, Net cost, allowing for Salvage.										
							26	1	0	
Goods looted at Tedcastles Stores per Spratts Ltd. (Dog Biscuits and Bird Seed)										
							3	3	6	
Total.										
				Carried Forward	51	9	0			
				Loss Provision Dept.	54	16	5			
				Replacing Glass	26	1	0			
				Goods Looted	3	3	6			
					135	9	11			



24/12  
Headquarters, 1298  
Irish Command,  
Parliamentary.  
Dublin, June 11th, 1916.

Sir,

In continuation of this office memo No 64153(Q) dated May 4th, 1916.,  
I have the honour to forward herewith the following claim.

Messrs, W. Bolton & Co. 35 & 36 Westmoreland St. Dublin.

This claimant has been informed that the Military do not admit any  
responsibility in the matter, but I am referring his claim to you as the  
Civil Authority, and propose to adopt a similar course with regard to  
any other claims that may come in, in view of the possibility of a  
Board of Assessment being assembled hereafter under your office.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

*J. H. Taylor*

Col.

for Major General i/c Administration,  
Irish Command.

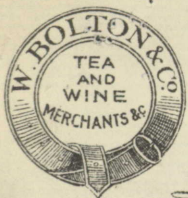
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*Answer to file  
C. W. J.*

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The Under Secretary,  
Dublin Castle.

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1298



35 & 36, Westmoreland Street,  
Branches,  
Up. Baggot St. & Rathmines.  
Dublin, 31st May 1916.

Major Frederick James, A.S.C.  
O/C Main Supply Depot,  
Dublin.

Sir/

In response to your advertisement in yesterday's Irish Times we beg to hand you account for goods commandeered from our premises here by the Military during the late disturbances. We also send you a copy of a letter we addressed to the General in Command at Headquarters on the 18th inst. In reply to this we were informed that the "Military authorities accepted no liability in the matter, but our letter would be forwarded to the Under Secretary". You will see by this letter that our premises were forced at the close on the 26th of April for the purpose of feeding the troops, and although they remained in occupation and they continued to draw supplies up to the following Thursday week no account whatever was kept of

of the goods taken away nor was there anyone left in control of the place in the absence of any member of our Staff. Outsiders were allowed to get goods for which no money nor vouchers were left.

On taking stock in our Provision Dept. we found a deficiency of £54/16/5 which you see set out in a copy of the account marked A. Our Grocery and Fancy Departments suffered in a like way, and the particulars in the account marked B. have been ascertained through going very carefully through our stock, and in our opinion inadequately represents the loss we have sustained. We are prepared to verify the figures submitted, and offer facilities to have our books inspected by anyone you may depute, and we shall also give every assistance, and answer any queries in connection with the matter in order that our claim may be substantiated.

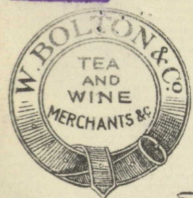
Net Total Loss £112.18.3.

We are, Sir,

Yours faithfully,

William Bolton & Co.

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35 & 36, Westmoreland Street,  
Branches,  
Up. Baggot St. & Rathmines.  
Dublin, 18th May 1916.

The General in Command,  
Headquarters,  
Irish Command,  
Parkgate.

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Yours faithfully,

W. Bolton & Co,

Per. *J. M. D. G.*

35 & 36 Westmoreland St.  
23, Upper Baggot St.  
and Rathmines.

*Dublin* 30th May 1916.

Losses in connection with the Military occupation of our  
premises from Wed. 26th April to Wed. 3rd May.

*To William Botton & Co. Dr*  
*Merchants.*

TELEPHONE No 591.

ACCOUNTS FURNISHED MONTHLY.

TELEGRAMS. "MATURED, DUBLIN"

Cash taken from Till	1	13	11
Tea, 60lbs. av. 2/6 lb.	7	10	0
Sugar, 100lbs. @ 5½d lb.	2	3	9
12 Pots Jam		15	0
12 " Marmalade		15	0
Glass Goods, 6 Tongues	1	7	0
10 Boars Head		16	8
Oxo 1 doz. 4oz.	1	1	0
Bovril 1 doz. 4oz.	1	1	0
Chocolates, Sweets (including Crystallised Fruits destroyed)	10	0	0
Crackers		15	0
7½ gallons Whiskey av. 26/- gall.	9	15	0
Chickens in Jelly		14	0
1 Dry Canteen		4	6
Cakes	3	10	0
14 Tins Biscuits & Tins 10/4.	7	4	8
12 small Tins Biscuits		19	0
4 Bots. Fruits		6	0
Apples & Oranges	2	10	0
12 Tins Coffee & Milk		12	0
1 doz. Tins Sardines		14	0
12 Tins Swiss Milk		8	6
Bottles		13	10
Canned Fruits		14	0
3 doz. Oxo Cubes		18	0
2 doz. Potted Meats		15	0
6 Bots. Peas		7	0
	58	1	10

*Liquid, William Botton & Co*

From

Account A.

William Bolton & Co.  
35 & 36 Westmoreland Street.  
Branches. { Up. Baggot St.  
                  & Rathmines.

Dublin  
To

18

1916.

April 1st	To Stock	£298. 2. 0	April 22nd	By Sales	£281. 3. 9
	" Purchases, (up to			" Stock	272. 0. 1
	April 22nd)	252.19. 5		" Balance	54.16. 5
	" Trade Expenses.	6.14. 3			
	" Salaries.	25. 0. 0			
	" Wages	11. 0. 0			
	" Returns.	1. 4. 7			
	" Net Profit on)				
Turn over of £281 at 4½%	}	13. 0. 0			
		£608. 0. 3			£608. 0. 3
To Net Loss £54.16.5.					

Signed, William Bolton & Co.

Telegraphic Address, "BROOKS, DUBLIN."  
EXTENSIONS.

TELEPHONE  
3351  
PVTE Bch EX.

COUNTING HOUSE. TIMBER.  
IRONMONGERY. JOINERY.  
PLUMBING MATERIALS. COLOURS.  
FIRE CLAY GOODS. PAPER.  
CEMENT & SLATES. RANGES.  
STEEL JOISTS. GLASS.  
ELECTRIC LIGHT FITTINGS.

# INVOICE.

ALL GOODS ARE CONSIGNED TO CARRIERS  
AT OWNERS RISK, UNLESS OTHERWISE ORDERED.

NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR LOSS OR DAMAGE  
AFTER DELIVERY TO RAIL, CANAL, OR CARRIERS.

*Bought & Brooks, Thomas & Co. Limited.*  
ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE FIRM. (Established 1832.)

NO DEDUCTIONS ALLOWED AT SETTLEMENT UNLESS  
CLAIMED WITHIN 14 DAYS FROM DATE OF INVOICE.

*4, Sackville Place*

GLASS DEPARTMENT.

*Dublin.*

Messrs. Wm. Bolton & Co.,

Westmoreland Street

20th. July, 16.

If the property of Customers while on our premises be lost or damaged by Fire only we hold ourselves responsible, subject to the Insurance Company's conditions and stipulations.

Supplying & Fixing:-

2.  $\frac{1}{4}$ " Polished plates  $112\frac{1}{4}$ " x 81" )  
1.  $\frac{1}{4}$ " " "  $111\frac{1}{4}$ " x  $67\frac{1}{2}$ " )

1.  $\frac{1}{4}$ " Silvered plate  $111\frac{1}{4}$ " x  $14\frac{5}{8}$ "

Less allowance for 3 pieces salvage

Our men at above.

26 18 6

1 15 0  
28 13 6

2 12 6

26 1 0