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Harry O'Neill

REPORTED ON BY COMMITTEE

18 OCT. 1916

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7 Commercial Buildings  
Clontarf

The Secty.

5th Oct.

Property Losses Dept. Dublin. Claim recd. 10/7/16.

E.E.C.

6/10/16

Dear Sir

I am writing regarding the claim I sent in on the form some three months back.

It was for a picture lost in the destruction of the Royal Hibernian Academy. If it was not in order, or any further information or evidence is required, I would be glad if you could notify me at the earliest opportunity. The reason I ask, is that it will be much more difficult to collect evidence on any points later on, than it is now - should this be necessary.

Thanking you if you could give this letter your kind consideration, and could oblige with a little information as to how matters stand at present,

I beg to remain

Yours respectfully  
Harry O'Neill

*Red pen* This is the common loss which the man will or has done to send this recommendation in this case to the I. G. S.

*Red pen* Above written. M.H.  
226.  
4/10/16. 7/10/16.

PROPERTY LOSSES (IRELAND) COMMITTEE, 1916.

Inspector's Report.

Claim No. 1475

Name of Claimant Harry O'Neill Occupation

Situation of Property Roy. Hibern. Academy

Description	Claim	Insurance (if any)	Valuation of Buildings (Commissioner of Valuation)	Inspector's Valuation of full Damage	Loss Payable on basis of Insurance	Excess of Loss over and above amount payable under the Policies of Insurance
Painting	100 —	—				
TOTALS, £	100 —	—				

Interests in the buildings

not in Catalogue  
 I think we must ask  
 Mr. O'Brien about this  
 £20/50  
 WLOP

Award of Committee: Contents

Do. Buildings

REPORTED ON BY COMMITTEE

10. July 1916

I hereby certify that a large  
picture by M<sup>r</sup> H. O'Neill  
which was not included in  
the exhibition 1916, but was  
on the premises and was  
destroyed by fire on April  
27<sup>th</sup>.

J. M. Paranaugh

President - Keeper

Royal Hibernian Academy  
12 Abbey St.

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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  
11/17/16

I Harry O'neil now residing

at 7 Commercial Plac, Clontarf in the City of Dublin

do hereby solemnly and sincerely declare that on or about the 27th day of April

1916, damage was done to the undermentioned Property, namely:—\* a large

oil painting, framed,

and such damage was occasioned to the best of ~~our~~ <sup>my</sup> belief by\*\* fire, at the

Royal Hibernian Academy, resulting from the bombardment

And ~~We~~ <sup>I</sup> 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 ~~us~~ <sup>me</sup>

as† Owner; and that no person is interested in

the said property except‡ myself

and that it is not insured by ~~us~~ <sup>me</sup> or any other person, § except as follows, namely:—

\_\_\_\_\_ Company, Policy No. \_\_\_\_\_, Amount £ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ " " \_\_\_\_\_, " £ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ " " \_\_\_\_\_, " £ \_\_\_\_\_

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 10th day of July

Collins Street 1916, at 82

\_\_\_\_\_ in the said City, County,

before me, a Justice of the Peace for the said

City County. Wm. Seaton J.P.

Signature of Claimant } Harry O'neil

\* State situation of property damaged.

\*\* Here state cause of damage.

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

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

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

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.



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and such damage was occasioned to the best of <sup>my</sup>~~our~~ belief by\*\* fire, as the

\*\* Here state cause of damage.

result of bombardment of the building of the Royal Hibernian Academy

And <sup>I</sup>~~We~~ 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 <sup>me</sup>~~us~~

as† owner; and that no person is interested in

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the said property except‡ myself

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CHIEF SECRETARY'S

9026 - 27. MAY. 1916

OFFICE

Dear Sirs

Evans  
The Square  
Bantry  
Cork

May 26. 16.

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I would like to put in a claim for the loss of a large oil painting in the destruction of the contents of the Royal Hibernian Academy, and would be much obliged if you would hand my letter to the proper department, or notify me as to the procedure to be adopted.

My picture represented some months' work, and was entitled:

"The Chapel Boat,"  
and was valued at £100.

I may, perhaps, point out that, to an artist, the loss of an important work, represents more than the loss in direct monetary value. On the business side alone it means that he has lost a standing advertisement for future work.

I would be greatly obliged for your early consideration  
and thanking you remain yours faithfully  
Harry O'Neil

I. ack.

II Sample.

J.E.T. 27.V.16

I Done  
26/29/16

I don't know

REGISTERED  
29 MAY