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*Irish Commercial Travellers
Assocn.*

Per. Joseph. V. Macdonville Sec

REPORTED ON BY COMMITTEE

25 AUG. 1916

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27.9.16*

Assessors Report.

Claim No. **1715** Name of Claimant **Irish Commercial Travellers Association**

Per Joseph V. MacConville Secretary.

Situation of Property **33, Lower Abbey 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
Contents	143 0 0	100	...	126 10 0	100	26 10 0
TOTALS, £	143 0 0	100	...	126 10 0	100	26 10 0

Interests in the buildings.

W.M. MacConville

 " ✓

Award of Committee: Contents **£126.10.0**

do. Buildings _____

W.M.

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.

I JOSEPH V. MacCONVILLE., now residing
We 23 DE COURCY SQUARE, GLASNEVIN,
at in the City of DUBLIN.
County of

do hereby solemnly and sincerely declare that on or about the 28th day of APRIL
1916, damage was done to the undermentioned Property, namely: CONTENTS of TWO
ROOMS (Offices) on first floor, at 33 Lr Abbey St DUBLIN, the property
of THE IRISH COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS' ASSOCIATION.

* State situation of property damaged.

and such damage was occasioned to the best of ^{my} belief by ** the Fires consequent
on the shelling of the Rebel Barricade
in Abbey Street, by the MILITARY FORCES OF THE CROWN.

† Here state cause of damage.

And ^I ~~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 ^{me} ~~us~~ as SECRETARY of above Association.; and that no person is interested in the said property except † the Trustees, Committee, & Members of the IRISH COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS ASSOCIATION, which is a Benevolent Orgn.

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

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

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

4 Policy with UNION ASSCE SOCY Company, Policy No. 2010119, Amount £ 100.

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

..... " " " " £
..... " " " " £

And ^I ~~We~~ 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 8th day of July
1916, at Dock House
Glacnevin in the said City,
County,

before me, a Justice of the Peace for the said
City
County.

Signature of Claimant } J. Macconville Secretary
of } IRISH COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS ASSOCIATION.
Claimants }

James Ryan JP

NOTE—This Claim is to be furnished in duplicate, and 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.
IRISH COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS ASSOCIATION.
 (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.
OFFICE FURNITURE. UNDER-ESTIMATED..... in Claim lodged.										70	0	0
2 large Leather inlaid Tables with drawers.	28	0	0	25	0	0						
Three large Maps of England Ireland and Scotland.	4	10	0	3	15	0						
Umbrella Stand. Oak.	4	15	6	3	15	6						
SOFA. Newly upholstered	4	10	0	4	10	0						
24 OFFICE CHAIRS, Walt springs L.c.27	0	0		25	0	0						
8 OFFICE DO Plain Polish Hdwood	4	0	0	3	0	0						
One Chairmans Chair W Springs L.C	1	17	0	1	10	0						
2 HEARTH RUGS	2	0	0	1	10	0						
3 BRUSH MATS	1	10	0	1	0	0						
64 yds LINO.	10	17	6	9	15	0						
1 doz FILES(4 in use).		13	0		12	0						
LETTER PRESS & STAND.	3	10	0	2	0	0						
Secondhand TYPEWRITER(used 6 mos)	10	0	0	10	0	0				10	0	0
do DUPLICATOR. do	1	10	0	1	10	0				1	10	0
New Outfit for same including Silk Sheet					18	0						
3 New Shelves just fitted up @		9	0		9	0						
Writing Articles & Materials, including; RUBBER STAMPS(new)		16	0		16	0						
LETTER RACK & CABINET, 2 RULERS (ebony) 3 Letter Baskets, etc, etc., SAFE.....	1	0	0		10	0				15	0	0
CASH IN SAME, consisting of P.Os Stamps, and Notes, received between 20th(date of last Bk Lodgment) & 23rd April(date of my last visit to Office), being Collections from Boxes, Dinner Collins in Hotels for our Benevolent Fund & Cash in hands												
Carried forward,				110	odd					16	10	0
	£	107	30	112-0-6						113	00	

PARTICULARS OF THE CLAIM. (continued).

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<i>Brought forward,</i>												
	107	30		112	0	6	<i>Nil</i>			113	0	0
BOOKS! ... The amount claimed for these, falls far short of the Value of Books burnt. A new set were brought into use, but a short time before, by the Auditor, and included A large Lether bd CASH Bk, do Members Register do, Ledger, do Minute Book a L bd large Book for Benevolent Grants &c, a Bk for Auditors Abst of Accts, last two very valuable records-, Agenda Bk, 2 Special Cheque Bks 300 cks each..... New Letter Copying Bk etc., etc., etc.....				<i>Un-ascertained.</i>								
	2	10	0	2	5	0						
		7	6		7	6						
							<i>ONLY CLAIMED</i>			5	0	0
STATIONERY. amount claimed inadequate.												
Receipt, Manifold Books for Box Dinner Collins, Vouchers for cks, for Grantees, for Honorary Subscribers, Members, etc Letter Paper, large qty P Cards, Printed Forms Nomination &c, large qty, Very large stock of all sizes of Envelopes, plain and prited, own name, etc., etc.,	10	0	0	8	0	0	<i>Nil</i>					
1000 Printed Annual Reports, extra supply got. Only paid for on 1st July '16 .0 Ptg Co. etc., etc.,	23	0	0	18	0	0						
	11	13	0	11	13	0						
							<i>ONLY CLAIMED</i>			25	0	0
				<i>152 6 0</i>						<i>113 0 0</i>		
<p>The explanation of the discrepancy in Cols "Cost price" & "Value at time of Fire", also of "Un-ascertained", and "ONLY CLAIMED" lies in the fact that the Claim sent in, in the first instance, to the Fire & Losses Property Assn, was sent in without my knowledge or assistance, I being ill at the time, and an amended claim was presented to me subsequently, under the same circumstances as afd, urgency being represented to me as vital to the prospects of a Claim.</p>												
<p><i>J. Macdonville</i> <i>Sec.</i> IRISH COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS ASSOCIATION. <i>Wm. Ryan Esq</i> <i>for City of Dublin</i></p>												

Fire Loss No. 1715

Name, IRISH COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS ASSCN.

Address, 1ST FLOOR
33, LOWER ABBEY STREET, DUBLIN.

Secretary, Joseph V. MacConville,
23, De Courcy Square, Glasnevin.
(and Gresham Hotel)

I N S U R A N C E .

2010119 "Union Assce Co"

Office Furniture, Printed Books
and unused stationery. £100

R. N. KENNEDY,
FIRE LOSS ASSESSOR

(For Insured only),

OCEAN BUILDINGS,
— **Belfast.**

PLC 11/1471

15 July 1916

Miss Secretary
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called Freshman Hotel

£ 126 10 0

Irish Commercial Travellers' Association.

SECRETARY—
J. V. MACCONVILLE.



FOUNDED 1866.

Temporary Address.,
GRESHAM HOTEL.

22nd July. 1916.

Dublin.

1715

R.N. Kennedy., Esq.,
3 College Green, CITY:

Dear Sir.,

I beg to remind you that I still await the Copy Claim, you so kindly promised to let me have this day week, before I can arrange the interview with you relative to production of Vouchers for the different items, etc.

Had I got the Copy as aforesaid this week, I had arranged for two Members, the Chairman and a Trustee to attend on your convenience, but now it is possible one of these gentlemen will not be able to attend this week.

I also enclose you Claim from the Corporation for Electric Meters etc destroyed, which you have not in the Claim sent you. Please add this .

Yours faithfully.,

J. V. Macconville
Secretary.

23 De Boursy St

Glasgow

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Irish Commercial Travellers' Association.

SECRETARY—
J. V. MACCONVILLE.



FOUNDED 1866.

Temporary Address;
Gresham Hotel,

8th July.1916.

Dublin.

The Secretary.

Property Losses (Ireland) Committee, 1916,

51 Stephen's Green, DUBLIN.

Sir,

I herewith enclose the Claim of the Committee of the IRISH COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS' ASSOCIATION, in duplicate, as requested, together with certified copy of Policy of Assurance, with the Union Assurance Society, and certificate of last premium paid thereon.

I wish to point out that the Claim is made on a similar basis, is practically a copy, of the Claim lodged with the Fire & Losses Property Association, which was prepared hurriedly under a misunderstanding, and ~~was~~ lacking the intimate knowledge I possessed, as I was laid up ill at the time.

Yours truly.,

J. V. Macconville
Secretary.

ORMOND PRINTING Co. Ltd.
 Lithographic & Letterpress Printers,
 PAPER MERCHANTS, Wholesale Stationers &c.
 16 & 17, LR ORMOND QUAY,
 WORKS, GT STRAND ST & SWIFT'S ROW.
 24th July 1916.
DUBLIN.

Twine Merchants & GROCERS OUTFITTERS.

Messrs The Irish Commercial Travellers Association.

Gresham Hotel, DUBLIN.

Goods supplied in 1915 & 1916.

BOOKS:-

1 Bk D Cap broad folio Bk reduced to 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ X 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ ex $\frac{1}{2}$
 Bd dark green Pig-skin 240 folios ruled & Ptd,
 gilt lettering on Front "I.C.T.A Cash Book" for £1: 18: 0 ✓

1 Bk D cap broad folio reduced Book to 15 X 11 $\frac{1}{2}$
 ruled & ptd, ex $\frac{1}{2}$ Bound dark green Pig-skin, 204
 fols. Gilt lettering front "Record of Members" for 1 : 15: 0 ✓

1 Deap broad Bk reduced to 17 X 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ 240 fols, ruled & Ptd
 folioed, Bd red Pigskin, lettered gilt I.C.T.A. Ledger for 1: 8: 0 ✓
 Above supplied in Decr 1914.

1 Bk, 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ X 10, ruled & margined, Bd dark green Piskn
 500 pp, Lettered in front, "Minutes of Committee" etc 12; 6 ✓

1 Bk D cap brd folio bk reduced to 17 x 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ ex $\frac{1}{2}$,
 indexed ruled and ptd 240 fols Gilt lettering frt
 1915. "Benevolent grants" 1: 10: 0 ✓

1 only cap broad folio (Agenda book) 150 pp, $\frac{1}{2}$ bd etc, 9: 0 ✓

1 qr cap bd folio Book, specially ruled & ptd, Cloth
 & leather edges ptd, "yearly abstracts of accts" for 10: 6 ✓

 £ 8: 3: 0

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Stationery.

Telegrams, "PAPER, DUBLIN"

(As requested)

Telephone No 1371.

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ORMOND PRINTING Co. Ltd.

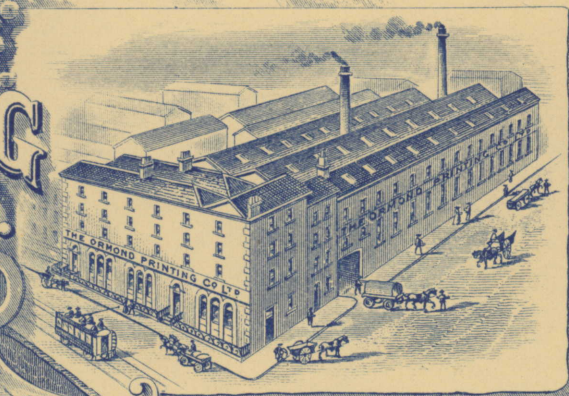
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Wholesale

Stationers.

&c.



16 & 17, LR ORMOND QUAY,

WORKS, GT STRAND ST & SWIFT'S ROW.

24th July 1916.

DUBLIN.

Books:- supplied in 1915 & 1916.

10 Books dup receipts "Box collections", 150 leaves, bound limp, carbon &c,	£2: 10: 0.	✓
6 Bks, dup, 150 leaves, bd limp, "dinner colln"	1: 10: 0	✓
4 Books-la post long, 8vo, 300 leaves per bd limp c/B, Ptd, &c, "receive grants"	1: 0: 0.	✓
6 Books la-port, long 8 vo, dup, Receipts 300 leaves, bound limp c/B Ptd "amt of a/c"	1: 10: 0	✓
2 Books, dup, colored ante, 150 leaves, Numbered, ptd, bound half limp, Carbon etc,	15: 0.	✓
6 Bks, dup, color alt, 150 leaves, numbered, ptd, bd half ,carbon &c	2: 5: 0.	✓
2 Bks duplicate, 150 leaves, ptd, 'ackg remittances' carbon &c.,	10: 0	✓
1000 small Bks dup manifold, ptd, Colln dockets for Boxes, Carbon &c., bound limp.	6: 0: 0	✓

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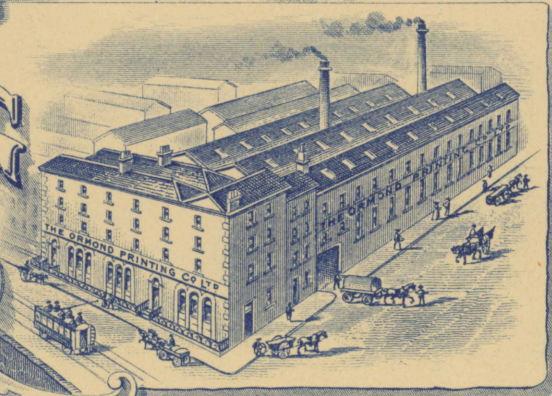
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WORKS, GT STRAND ST & SWIFT'S ROW.



DUBLIN.

Printed forms, Memos, etc supplied in 1915 & 1916.
 (as requested)

6.4.16. 500 "special Meeting" P Cds Ptd with heading.	9:0	✓
1000 Manila envelopes,	15:0	✓
1000 "Mnthly Meeting" P Cds, Ptd, mon & heading.	15:0	✓
1000 Plain Post cds ptd with monorgan & heading.	12:6	✓
1000 lge P cds ptd for enc re Dinner Collns,	15:0	✓
500 qt sheets printed queries for Applicants,	12:6	✓
500 do do for Interviewers,	12:6.	✓
500 notices for answers from Grantees re their position for revision .	7:6	✓
1000 printed half sheets, "Nominations"	15: 0	✓
1000 fine type Memo , linen, ptd, for Hon subs,	15: 0	✓
1000 Wtr Mrk superfine linen note, ptd, Mon & heading	1: 0 :0	✓
2 reams plain white wtr mk, superfine, No 1	16:0	✓
10,000 white Plain, No 10 Envelope,	2: 10:0	✓
10,000 do do No 6 do	2:0 :0.	✓
10,000 white No 6 printed, Secretary & adress.	2: 5: 0	✓

15: 0: 0

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Telegrams: "PAPER DUBLIN"

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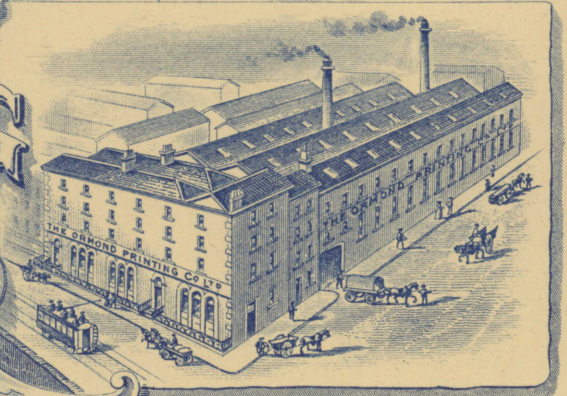
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&c.



16 & 17, LE ORMOND QUAY,

WORKS, GT STRAND ST & SWIFT'S ROW.

24th July 1916.

DUBLIN.

(As requested)

Printed forms, Stationery etc, contd:-

1000 Manila envelopes for Report	18: 0.	✓
500 do	9: 0.	✓
1000 ruled ptd Memo forms qto size,	12: 6.	✓
500 ditto half "	7: 6.	✓
1000 lge qto sheets printed Scrutineers, etc,	10: 6	✓
1000 crm laid envelopes Nom8.	6: 0	✓
30.3.16. 1,000 Annual reports, 40pp & Cover ptd, for	11: 13:0	
	<u>2:13:6</u>	

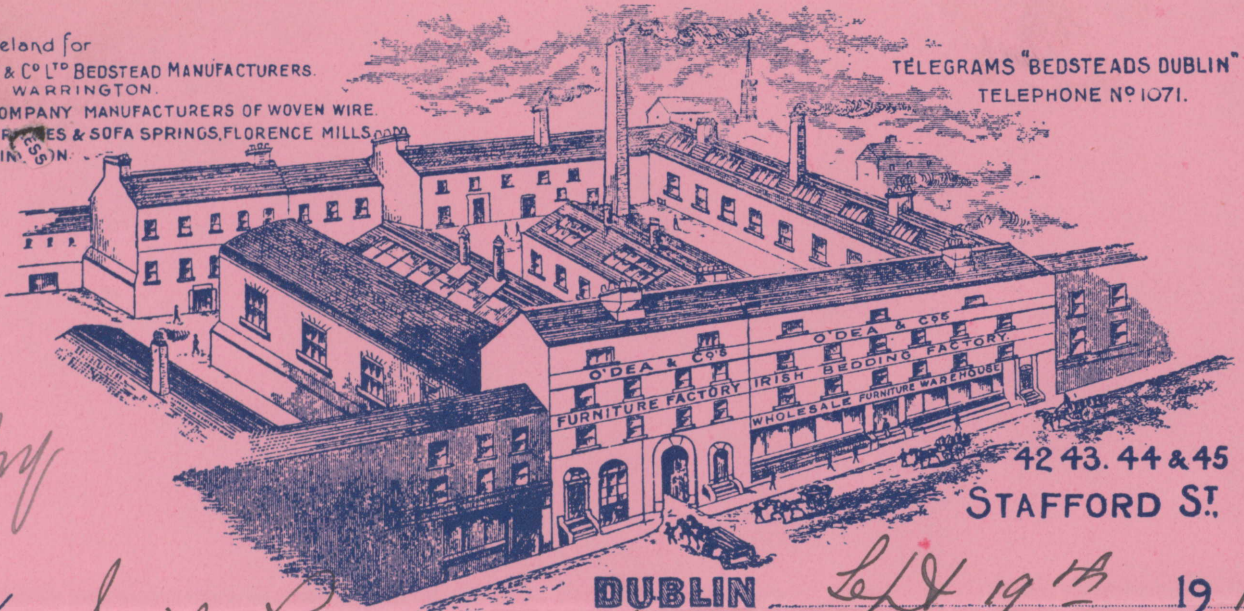
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Sole Agents in Ireland for
 MONKS HALL & CO^{L^D} BEDSTEAD MANUFACTURERS.
 WARRINGTON.
 THE FIRTH COMPANY MANUFACTURERS OF WOVEN WIRE
 SPRING MATTRESSES & SOFA SPRINGS, FLORENCE MILLS,
 WARRINGTON.

TELEGRAMS "BEDSTEADS DUBLIN"
 TELEPHONE NO 1071.



42 43. 44 & 45
 STAFFORD ST.

DUBLIN *Sept 19th 1911*

Cotry
M Smith Commercial Travellers Assoc
Pr Abbey St

BOUGHT OF O'DEA & CO.
IRISH BEDDING FACTORY AND WHOLESALE FURNISHING WAREHOUSE.

1	12 ft Board Room Table		114	✓
1	Large Office Table polished & Repaired		1 10	✓
1	Oak Umbrella Stand 6 ft		4 15	✓
1	Large Couch reupholstered in L-C		1 10	✓
12	New Oak chairs in L-C.	30/-	18	✓
12	Office chairs polished & reuphold L-C	10/-	6	✓
2	Hat & Coat racks	15/-	1 10	✓
25	Yds cork carpet	4/-	5	✓
2	Hearth Rugs	21/-	2 2	✓
			<u>54 7</u>	

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[Signature]

Property Losses (Ireland) Committee, 1916.

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

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We at 23 DE COURCY SQUARE GLASNEVIN in the City of DUBLIN County of DUBLIN.

do hereby solemnly and sincerely declare that on or about the 28th day of April

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* State situation of property damaged.

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

<u>Union</u>	Company, Policy No. <u>2010119</u> , Amount £ <u>100</u>
....., .., £
....., .., £

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

And We 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 eighth day of

July 1916, at Tolka House

Glasnevin in the said City, County,

before me, a Justice of the Peace for the said City County.

Signature of Claimant } Joseph V. MacConville, Andrew Ryan J.P.
of Claimants } Secretary,
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New Letter Copying Bk etc. etc. etc. etc. etc. etc. etc.	7	6		7	6				ONLY CLAIMED	5	0	0
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