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Frederick Barnes

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8 DEC. 1916

PROPERTY LOSSES (IRELAND) COMMITTEE, 1916.

Inspector's Report.

Claim No. 1820.

Name of Claimant Frederick Barnes Occupation Music Hall Artist.

Situation of Property Coliseum Theatre, Henry Street, Dublin.

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
Business effects	£18. 15.0.	-	-	£18.15. 0.		
Consequential	54. 0.0.	-	-	-		
TOTALS, £	72. 15. 0.	-	-	£18.15.0.		

Interests in the buildings

Remarks The facts here are exactly as stated in the correspondence relative thereto. I have made inquiries and have ascertained that the claim for effects is reasonably stated. The claim, however, for loss of salaries cannot be considered.

Signature Herbert Jones

Date 29. 11. 16

Award of Committee: Contents 4/10 £ 18. 15. 0 WJ

Do. Buildings

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J.B. & G.S. BEIRNSTEIN,
SOLICITORS.

COMMISSIONER FOR OATHS.



London.

18th July 1916.

S.W.

Dear Sir,

Claim of Mr. Fred Barnes.

We are obliged by your letter of yesterday's date with enclosure. We enclose herewith the form enclosed in your letter duly filled in which is an exact copy of the original, only that it has not been sworn again. Kindly acknowledge receipt.

Yours faithfully,

J.B. Bernstein

The Secretary,
Property Losses (Ireland) Committee 1916
51 St. Stephens Green East,
DUBLIN.

Feb
20.7.16

ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO BE ADDRESSED TO 26, DUKE STREET ST. JAMES'S.

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25, Duke Street,
St. James's,
(Three doors from Piccadilly.)
London, 15th July 1916.
S.W.

Dear Sir,

The claim of Mr. Fred. Barnes.

We are obliged for your letter of the 6th inst., enclosing two forms of Claim herein. We have had one of the forms of Statutory Declaration duly completed and sworn by our client, and we enclose the same herewith by registered post. The other form which you sent us was inadvertently spoilt and if you will kindly forward us fresh form, we will have it filled in, the same as the form enclosed herewith. We presume, however, that you only require one of the forms of Declaration to be sworn.

In our letter to the Secretary of the Irish Office dated the 5th May last, we stated that our client had also lost some Stage clothes &c. We now understand from ^{him} ~~him~~ however, that since our letter of the 5th May he has recovered the clothes above referred to.

Yours faithfully,

J.B. & G.S. Beirnstein

Registered.

The Secretary,

Property Losses (Ireland) Committee 1916,
51 St. Stephen's Green East,
Dublin.

Ackd. &
form sent
as requested
17/7/16.

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Property Losses (Ireland) Committee, 1916. 1820

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

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

3 I Frederick Barnes now residing
We

2 at 110 Park Road Megan in the City of Lancaster
County

do hereby solemnly and sincerely declare that on or about the 1st day of May

1916, damage was done to the undermentioned ^{personal} Property, namely: *

* State
situation of
property
damaged.

particulars of which are given overleaf

and such damage was occasioned to the best of ^{my} ~~our~~ belief by ** reason of fire

** Here state
cause of
damage.

2 which destroyed the Coliseum Music Hall, the fire, to the
best of my belief having been caused by the disturbances

1 And I further declare that the Property and Articles specified on the other side were
We

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 Mortgagors,
Mortgagees,
Lessors,
Lessees, or
joint owners
(if any).

2 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.

1 { Company, Policy No., Amount £

2 { " " " " £

3 { " " " " £

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 15th day of

July 1916, at 25 Duke Street

Saint James in the said City,
County, of London

2 before me, a Justice of the Peace for the said

City
County.

Signature
of Claimant
of Claimants

Frederick Barnes

J. B. Smith

A Commissioner for Oaths

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.

(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.
One Stage Cloth	10	—	—	Estimated 6	—	—	Absolutely destroyed	6	—	6	—	—
Band Symbol	1	—	—	Estimated 1	—	—	Ditto.	1	—	1	—	—
Band Marks of 15 Sargs.	11	5	—	Estimated 11 5	—	—	Ditto.	11 5	—	11 5	—	—
14 Band Books containing the band marks. }	15	—	—	Estimated 10	—	—	Ditto.	10	—	10	—	—
By reason of the disturbances the Claimant was unable to perform his contract. at the Coliseum Dublin for the week commencing May 1 st 1916 and he therefore lost the salary which he was under Contract to receive for that week's performance viz £45.												
	45	—	—	45	—	—				45	—	—
The week following, viz, the week commencing May 8 th 1916 the Claimant was under Contract to appear at the Empress Music Hall Brixton London Owing however to the disturbances in Dublin it was impossible for him to leave Ireland for England until Monday evening May 8 th 1916. The Claimant did not therefore arrive in London												
Carried forward,	68	—	—	63 15	—	—				63 15	—	—

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.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward.	68			63	15		—			63	15	
until Tuesday May 9 th 1916, and was therefore too late to open in accordance with his Contract and the Management had already found a substitute. The salary which the Claimant was under Contract to receive for that week's performance was £9 which sum has consequently been lost to him	9			9			—			9		
	77			72	15		—			72	15	

Frederick Barnes

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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.

I Frederick Barnes now residing
at 110 Park Road Wigan in the City of Lancs
County of Lancs

do hereby solemnly and sincerely declare that on or about the 1st day of May
personal
1916, damage was done to the undermentioned Property, namely:—* particulars

of which are given overleaf.

and such damage was occasioned to the best of my belief by** reason of fire which believed
destroyed the Holbein House Hall Dublin the fire to the best of my knowledge have been
caused by the Disturbances

And 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

as† Owner; and that no person is interested in
the said property except‡ myself

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

Company, Policy No., Amount £
f
f

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 15th day of

July 1916, at 25 Duke Street
St James in the said City,
County, of London

before me, a Justice of the Peace for the said

City Thos Stuart
County. A Commissioner for oaths

Signature
of Claimant } Frederick Barnes
Claimants }

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and the last receipt, in each case, or certified copies of same. When completed it is to be forwarded to the
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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.
One Stage cloth	10	0	0	Estimated 6	0	0	Absolutely Destroyed			6	0	0
Band Symbol	1	0	0	Estimated 1	0	0	ditto			1	0	0
Band parts 15 songs	11	15	0	Estimated 11	5	0	ditto			11	5	0
14 Band Books containing the Band parts	15	0		Estimated 10	0		ditto			10	0	
<p>By reason of the Disturbance the claimant was unable to perform his contract at the Coliseum Dublin for the week commen- -cing May 1st 1916 and he therefore lost the salary which he was under contract to receive for that week's performance viz. £45</p>												
<p>The week following viz the week commencing May 8th 1916 the claimant was under contract to appear at The Empress Music Hall Brighton London. Owing however to the Disturbance in Dublin it was impossible for him to leave Ireland for</p>												
Carried forward.	45	0	0	45	0	0				45	0	0
	68	0	0	63	15	0				63	15	0

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.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward,	68	0	0	63	15	0				63	15	0
England until Monday evening May 8th 1916. The claimant did not therefore arrive in London until Tuesday May 9th 1916 and was therefore too late to open in accord- -ance with his contract and the management had already found a substitute. The salary which the claimant was under contract to receive for that week's performance was £9 which sum has consequently been lost to him	9	0	0	9	0	0				9	0	0
	77	0	0	72	15	0				72	15	0
Carried forward,												

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1820

London 5th May 1916.

CHIEF SECRETARY'S
7605 -- 8 MAY 1916

*Tack.
H.W.S.
again.
6/5/16.
I gave 6/5*

Dear Sir,

We have been consulted by Mr. Fred Barnes, Music Hall Artiste who was under contract to appear last week at the Coliseum, Dublin. Owing to the recent rebellion our client, was of course unable to perform his engagement, and in addition to the loss of his salary, he lost a great many of his belongings, particulars of which are as follows :-
One basket containing three suits of Stage clothes, the value of each suit being £8. Four Shirts the value of which our client puts at 5/- each = £1. One Stage cloth value £10. One Band Symbol value £1.

In addition to the above, our client lost the whole of his Band Books and Band parts which contained fifteen songs. Our client paid one guinea in respect of each song for these Band parts. He also lost the Book Covers, the value of which are 15/-. The Band parts of the above-mentioned songs being destroyed, our client has no other copies of the songs, and this will mean that so far as possible he will be obliged to have each song re-written from memory. You will quite understand that our client will be put to con-

The Secretary,
Irish Office,

[Signature]

*See file
J.B.
8.5.16.*

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London, 5th May 1916.
S.W.

considerable expense in having this done. Furthermore our client having lost the whole of his effects, Band parts &c., he has been quite unable to perform his engagement at the Empress, Brixton, this week. The non-performance of this engagement has, of course, caused our client to suffer further considerable financial loss. In addition to the above Mr. Barnes has incurred the sum of about £5 being ^{extra} incidental expenses in connection with his journey back to England. He has requested us to write this letter in order to put on record the loss which he has sustained and we shall be glad to hear that our client's claim will be dealt with in due course, and that adequate compensation will be made to him.

Awaiting the favour of your early reply.

We are, dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

J.B. & G.S. Beirnstein

The Secretary,
Irish Office,
Old Queen Street,
Westminster, S.W.