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1902

Douglas Harold Oliver

REPORTED ON BY COMMITTEE.

25.8.16.



Assessors Report.

Claim No. 1902 Name of Claimant DOUGLAS HAROLD OLIVER, O.T.C., BERKHAMSTEAD, HERTFORD.

Situation of Property METROPOLE HOTEL, LOWER SACKVILLE 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
PERSONAL EFFECTS	10 15 0	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL
TOTALS, £	10 15 0	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL

THESE ITEMS HAVE ALREADY BEEN TAKEN INTO CONSIDERATION WHEN ADJUSTING ORIGINAL CLAIM (1902) SENT IN ON 7TH AUGUST 1916.

Interests in the buildings.

*Mineral*

*Not in Range*

*"Beet with under No. 1902"*

*Noted "Beet with under original claim"*

*10/7/16 6/9/16*

Award of Committee: Contents

*See original claim*

Buildings

*11/9/16*

*Nil*



2/6. 1902  
**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 ~~We~~ Douglas Harold Oliver now residing  
at Inns of Court O.Y.C. Berkhurst in the ~~City~~ of Hertford  
County of Hertford

do hereby solemnly and sincerely declare that on or about the 29<sup>th</sup> day of April  
1916, damage was done to the undermentioned Property, namely:—\* my personal

belongings in the Metropole Hotel Lower Sackville Street Dublin

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

of the hotel by fire

And I ~~we~~ further declare that in addition to the property included in my claim dated 13 July 1916 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 £
"	"	£
"	"	£

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 1<sup>st</sup> day of

August 1916, at Berthamsted in the said City  
County of Herts

before me, a Justice of the Peace for the said

City of Herts  
County of Herts

Signature ) D. H. Oliver  
of Claimant )  
of Claimants )

\* 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 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.	
"A"													
1 officers tunic				4	.	.	nil			4	.	.	
1 pr do trousers				1	10	.	"			1	10	.	
1 do Sam Browne belt				2	10	.	"			2	10	.	
1 pr do puttees					7	.	"				7	.	
do shirts collars & ties				1	.	.	"			1	.	.	
1 do Cap & badge				1	1	.	"			1	1	.	
1 Waterproof holdall					7	.	"				7	.	
				10	15	.				10	15	.	
"B"													
<u>Sundries £10:-:-</u>													
Umbrella and Walking Stick				12	6		nil			12	6		
Hand bag				17	6		"			17	6		
2 prs. Gold Cuff Links				1	-	-	"			1	-	-	
Collar Studs (various)				1	-	-	"			1	-	-	
Fishing Rod				12	6		"			12	6		
Rough Serge Cap				5	-	-	"			5	-	-	
Leather Belt (army pattern)				5	6		"			5	6		
1 pr. Braces				2	6		"			2	6		
Various tins of oil, lamp & lubricating				3	-	-	"			3	-	-	
Regimental Buttons, Badges and Tittles				5	-	-	"			5	-	-	
"Neptune" Fountain Pen and Ink				3	-	-	"			3	-	-	
Various small Photographs & Frames				10	-	-	"			10	-	-	
Alarm Clock				3	6		"			3	6		
Cigarettes, Pipe and Tobacco				5	-	-	"			5	-	-	
Tennyson's Poems				15	-	-	"			15	-	-	
Organ Music (separate from the Music previously mentioned)				1	10	-	"			1	10	-	
Trouser Press				15	-	-	"			15	-	-	
1 pr. Cricket Boots				16	6		"			16	6		
Running Shoes				8	6		"			8	6		
				£	9	11	-			£	9	11	-
Carried forward.													



## PARTICULARS OF THE CLAIM. *(continued).*

(TO BE GIVEN IN DETAIL.)

[illegible]



HAYES & SONS,  
SOLICITORS.

TELEGRAMS: "HASTEN, DUBLIN."  
TELEPHONE N° 564.

41 & 42, Nassau Street,

Dublin.

5<sup>th</sup> August, 1916

The Secretary,

Property Losses Committee,

1902

51 St. Stephen's Green.

Dear Sir,

Claim D. H. Oliver.

Referring to your letter of the 25<sup>th</sup> ult., we now enclose additional claim of Mr D. H. Oliver in respect of the items disallowed by the Military Authorities, and copy. You will observe that in addition to the items disallowed Mr Oliver has given particulars shewing how the sum of £10 under the heading of "sundries" in his former claim is made up.

re Claim of Mr and Mrs D.H.Oliver

Mr Oliver writes us this morning that if a payment on account of his claim could be made it would be a great convenience to him.

Yours faithfully,

*Hayes & Sons*

acked.  
not in Regs  
Refer to Mr Kenyon

2/8/16



HAYES & SONS,  
SOLICITORS.

TELEGRAMS: "HASTEN, DUBLIN."  
TELEPHONE N° 564.

41 & 42, Nassau Street.

Dublin.

26th July 1916

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

1902

Dear Sir, re Claim of D.H.Oliver.

We thank you for your letter of 25th inst. enclosing Forms on which we note a fresh claim should be made by Mr D.H.Oliver for the items disallowed by the Military Authorities.

We also note that a copy of the correspondence with the War Office should be attached to the claim.

Yours faithfully,

*Hayes & Sons*



1902

25th July,

re claim of D. H. Oliver.

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Dear Sirs,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 24th instant and to say that it will be better to furnish a fresh claim for the items disallowed by the military Authorities on the forms enclosed. A copy of the correspondence with the War Office should be attached.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

Messrs. Hayes & Sons,  
41 & 42 Nassau St.



HAYES & SONS,  
SOLICITORS.

TELEGRAMS: "HASTEN, DUBLIN."  
TELEPHONE No 564.

41 & 42, Nassau Street,

Dublin.

24th July, 1916

The Secretary,

Property Losses (Ireland) Committee,

51 St. Stephen's Green.

1902

Dear Sir,

Claim of D. H. Oliver.

When completing his Claim Mr. D.H. Oliver struck out various items of Military Equipment in the belief that compensation in respect of same would be made by the War Office. He has now been advised by the Authorities that under Paragraph 546 of Allowance Regulations he cannot obtain indemnification.

Please let us know if you will reinstate these items in the Claim or whether it will be necessary to have a new Claim verified by Mr D. H. Oliver. If the latter you might please send us necessary Forms.

Yours faithfully,

Yours faithfully,  
Hayes & Sons  
Ackd. & sent this is with to  
better to furnish a form cl. for the claim submitted by the War Office  
a copy of the correspondence with the War Off. has been submitted enclosed  
forms.

25/7/16



COPY

1902  
T. F. Record Office  
London

To Officer Commanding  
Inns of Court O.T. 1902

No claim for indemnification  
arises in this case,  
please see paragraph 5-46  
Allowance Regulations.

(Signed)

J. G. Wilson

Colonel

Home Guards,  
Whitehall, S.W.

Assistant Director of Supplies  
& Transport, London District.

15/7/16



ALLOWANCE REGULATIONS  
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Para: 546.

Indemnification for losses is granted solely for the purpose of enabling the claimant to re-equip himself for service according to the scale of equipment deemed necessary for the performance of his duties and will not be extended to the representative of a deceased Officer or Man in the absence of proof that the deceased had incurred expenses for that purpose. It covers Military risks only and not ordinary risks of Civil life, for which Insurance should be effected.

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1902

Douglas Harold Oliver

REPORTED ON BY COMMITTEE.

25 AUG. 1916







HAYES & SONS,  
SOLICITORS.

TELEGRAMS: "HASTEN, DUBLIN."  
TELEPHONE N° 564.

The Secretary,

1902 ~~15/15~~ 1902  
41 & 42, Nassau Street.

Dublin.

17th July, 1916

Property Losses (Ireland) Committee,

51 St. Stephen's Green, E.

Dublin.

14/7/15

Dear Sir,

We enclose in duplicate Claim of  
Mr. Douglas H. Oliver amounting to  
£40.13. 6. As we understand Mr Kennedy  
has the claims on behalf of Mr and Mrs  
Oliver and their children in hand and has  
already had an interview with Mr Oliver  
we presume you will forward this Claim to  
him.

Yours faithfully,

*Hayes & Sons*

Ackd.  
226  
17/7/16.



37 Claribel Road  
Brixton S W  
Aug 4

R Kennedy Esq

Dear sir

I have today sent forward details except in the case of Miss Oliver. Correspondence with Switzerland is very slow, due, I suppose to the censorship.

I have ascertained that the Presentation bible for which my son D. H. Oliver estimated £2, can be replaced for ~~£~~ 12/6 so that if necessary kindly alter the amount.

He has not yet been gazetted and when he is will have to replace all destroyed uniform which he had provided at his own cost.

I have not heard as to when I may be in Dublin

Yours faithfully

D. H. Oliver



1902  
1902

# 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 ~~We~~ Douglas Harold Oliver now residing  
at Sum of Court O.T.C., Berkhamsled the City of Hertfordshire  
do hereby solemnly and sincerely declare that on or about the 29 day of April  
1916, damage was done to the undermentioned Property, namely:—my personal  
belongings in the Metropolitan Hotel St. Sackville St. Dublin  
and such damage was occasioned to the best of my belief by\*\* the destruction of  
the hotel by fire

\* State  
situation of  
property  
damaged.  
  
\*\* 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  
as† owner; and that no person is interested in  
the said property except‡ myself

† Insert  
"Owner,"  
"Lessee,"  
or  
"Mortgagee,"  
as the case  
may be.  
  
‡ Insert  
"myself," or  
"ourselves,"  
and the names  
of Mortgagees,  
Mortgagees,  
Lessors,  
Lessees, or  
joint owners  
(if any).  
  
§ Strike out  
the words  
following if  
the property is  
not insured.

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

Company, Policy No.	Amount £
.....	£ .....
.....	£ .....
.....	£ .....

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 thirtieth day of  
July 1916, at Berkhamsled  
in the said City  
County,  
before me, a Justice of the Peace for the said  
City  
County. of Hertfordshire  
John King

Signature )  
of Claimant ) D.H. Oliver  
of Claimants )

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.)

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<del>1 Officers tunic</del>				4	.	.	nil			4	.	.
<del>1 pr do trousers</del>				1	10	.	"			1	10	.
<del>1 do Sam Brown belt</del>				2	10	.	"			2	10	.
<del>1 pr do puttees</del>				7	.	.	"			7	.	.
<del>do shirts collars &amp; ties</del>				1	.	.	"			1	.	.
<del>1 do cap &amp; badge</del>				1	1	.	"			1	1	.
<del>1 Waterproof Goggles</del>				7	.	.	"			7	.	.
1 O.T.C. tunic				15	.	.	"			15	.	.
1 do Greatcoat				1	.	.	"			1	.	.
1 do cap				10	.	.	"			10	.	.
1 pr do breeches				12	.	.	"			12	.	.
1 civilian overcoat				3	10	.	"			3	10	.
2 Lounge suits				6	.	.	"			6	.	.
Underclothing				2	10	.	"			2	10	.
Collars, cuffs, ties &c				12	6	.	"			12	6	.
Socks & stockings				10	.	.	"			10	.	.
Flannels				1	10	.	"			1	10	.
1 pr boots				19	6	.	"			19	6	.
1 pr shoes				14	6	.	"			14	6	.
1 felt hat				5	6	.	"			5	6	.
Books				1	.	.	"			1	.	.
music				2	.	.	"			2	.	.
Camera				1	1	.	"			1	1	.
Daylight developing tank				5	.	.	"			5	.	.
Photographic chemicals &c				5	.	.	"			5	.	.
Safety razor				5	.	.	"			5	.	.
Toilet requisites				15	.	.	"			15	.	.
Bicycle lamp & accessories				11	.	.	"			11	.	.
Carried forward,				36	6	.				36	6	.
				25	11	.				25	11	.



# 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.
				25	11	-				25	11	-
Brought forward,				<del>36</del>	<del>6</del>	-	<del>no</del>			<del>36</del>	<del>6</del>	-
Tennis racquet					12	6	nil				12	6
Presentation Bible				2	.	.	.			2	.	.
Sporting medals				2	10	.	.			2	10	.
Sundries				10	.	.	.			10	.	.
				<del>51</del>	<del>8</del>	<del>6</del>				<del>51</del>	<del>8</del>	<del>6</del>
				<u>40</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>6</u>				<u>40</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>6</u>

The items crossed out have been claimed for me from the War Office.

J. H. Oliver







HAYES & SONS,  
SOLICITORS.

TELEGRAMS: "HASTEN, DUBLIN."  
TELEPHONE N° 564.

1502  
41 & 42, Nassau Street.

Dublin.

24th June, 1916

The Secretary,

Destroyed Property Committee,

51 St. Stephen's Green, E.

Dear Sir,

We have been requested by Mr. D.H. Oliver, Inns of Court O.T.C., London, to make a claim on his behalf for £51. 8. 6, and we shall feel obliged if you will let us have the Forms on which to make the claim, indicating the nature of the particulars required.

Yours faithfully,

*Hayes & Sons*