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2114

George Fredk Taylor

REPORTED ON BY COMMITTEE.

16 SEP. 1916

4906 Blumels Co.
4381. Coventry Cham Co.
4380 Lucas & Co. Lamp.

TAYLOR BROS.

*British and
Foreign
Direct Agents.*

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WHOLESALE.

Telegraphic Address: "Autolite." Dublin.

Telephone: 653, "

Postal Address:

41, Middle Abbey Street.

Dublin, 31/10/26

J. J. Healy Esq.
51 St. Stephens Green
Dublin.

Dear Sir.

^{Cash.} I am much obliged for your note re my claim No. 2114 there was only ¹ten shillings in my claim, and this being not allowable (I dont know why) will you please tell me, why nine times the amount was deducted. I am sending a line to the Castle, as perhaps they could , tell me there, why nine times the amount was deducted off my claim, which represented actual loss, and though sworn to by me. practically branded a fraud, by the department dealing with same
Waiting attention.

I am Yours Faithfully

J. Taylor

Recommended to Govt. 10/9/16

226.
1/11/16

See JWS
1/11/16

30th Octr.,

re Claim No. 2114.

Dear Sirs,

In reply to your letter of the 26th inst, I beg to state that the claim as furnished included £22. 10. 0 for repairs which the landlord subsequently made good, and £379.16. 7 for stock for which the manufacturers whom you represent made direct claims. There remained only £12. 9. 1, which included some cash, not admissible under the terms of reference, and the loss was assessed at £8.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

Messrs. Taylor, Bros.,
41 Middle Abbey Street,
Dublin.

Healy

I think there was some enquiry
about the claim yesterday & the
papers sent to the Healer. They are
not in the bundle

WD 28/10/18

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2114.
TAYLOR BROS.,

*British and
Foreign
Direct Agents.*

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WHOLESALE.

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Postal Address:

41, Middle Abbey Street,

Dublin, Oct. 26th. 1916. 191

OUR REFERENCE	YOUR REFERENCE

The Secretary.

Property Losses Committee.
Stephens Green.
Dublin.

Dear Sir.

We have received an order on the Bank of Ireland in connection with our claim and as we cannot reconcile it with our claim figures we would like to know what it means. We do not think our figures should be mutilated without our receiving some communication and we greatly resent the procedure.

We have written Dublin Castle on the matter who suggested our communicating with you and we will thank you for an early reply if possible, by return as Mr. G. F. Taylor would like to have same in his possession for a possible visit to London on Monday 30th. inst.

Yours Faithfully.

G. F. Taylor

Reply that the cl. as furnished

will be £22.10.0 for which the client subsequently made good,

*+ £379.16.7 for which the correspondence shows the
revenue made over claims. The amount was £12.9.1*

which was not admissible under the terms of reference.

+ the loss was assessed at £81

*gmt
28710*

I

It is all for my

work in this case

been sent for his brother

II

Can management be

for sure to be verified?

WHD

2810

I Yes! Claim No 4, attached
 II Yes, Please see my note attached
 to 30/10/11

The manufacturers Mr Hume refers to
are as follows:-

4380. J. Lucas Ltd: Recommend by Cines $5\frac{10}{16}$
Bham:

4381. The Coventry Chain Co. DO
Coventry.

4908 Bluemel Bros: DO
Warwick

who have each claimed for
losses at 41 M. Abbey St:

W.D. 30/10/16

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41, Middle Abbey Street,

OUR REFERENCE YOUR REFERENCE
G.F.T.

2114
Dublin Oct. 21st. 1916
CHIEF SECRETARY'S
19150 - 25 OCT. 1916
OFFICE

J. J. Taylor Esq.
Chief Secretary.
Property Losses Committee,
Dublin.

Dear Sir,

I am favoured with your certificate for cash No.35/164 of the 20th.inst., but find no means of reconciling it with my claim, and I should like to know why the matter is dealt with in such an offensive manner. Your procedure plainly states that my claim is fraudulent; which, to say the least of it, is very discourteous.

I am sending it across to our Dublin member with details to ask across the Floor of the House why we should be subjected to such an over-bearing procedure.

The amount of the claim is very small because I was most careful in my endeavour to be correct.

I am, Sir,

Your Obediant Servant.

George Fred. Taylor

P.S. I would like to say that our losses occurred owing to the Military Authorities, I presume of necessity, breaking in to the place and leaving it open without any care as regards the very valuable contents of same.

I. Ack. & suggest that we should communicate in the matter with the Secy of the P.L.C.

II. Mr. Herby.
I don't get it 25/10

REGISTERED
25 OCT 1916

J.T. 22.7.16.

Assessors Report. 19th August 1916

Claim No. 2114 Name of Claimant George Fredk.Taylor., Commission Agent.

Situation of Property 41 Middle 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
Building	22:10:0	700	.....	(See Note below)	.....	.....
Stock	379:16:7 X	Nil	.....	.....	.....	.....
Personal Effects	3:10:0	Nil	.....	2:10: 0	.....	.....
Fixtures,Fittings, & Furniture	8: 9:1	Nil	.....	5:10: 0	.....	.....
Cash	0:10:0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
TOTALS, £	414:15:8	700	.....	8: 0: 0	.....	.....

Damage by Gun Shots and Looting.

Interests in the buildings.

Claimant holds Premises under Lease from Mr A.W.Archer, of Drogheda, but as the latter is making good the damage to Building (See Claim No.4) we have deleted Mr Taylor's Claim for same.

X The Stock belongs to Manufacturers whom Claimant represents, and as they are making direct claims we have not included it in our assessment above.

Claimant had no Insurance on any Contents.

Walter James Coy

Award of Committee: Contents £8 up
do. Buildings

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British and
Foreign
Direct Agents.

WHOLESALE.

Telegraphic Address: "Autolite." Dublin.

Telephone: 653, "

Postal Address:

41, Middle Abbey Street,

Dublin, July 15th 1916.

Mr. J. J. Healy.
51 Stephens Green. East.
Dublin.

Dear Sir.

We were pleased to receive your acknowledgement of our
claim, and will you kindly tell me if there is anything further that your
Committee requires of me at the moment.

& oblige.

Yours Faithfully.

George Fred. Taylor

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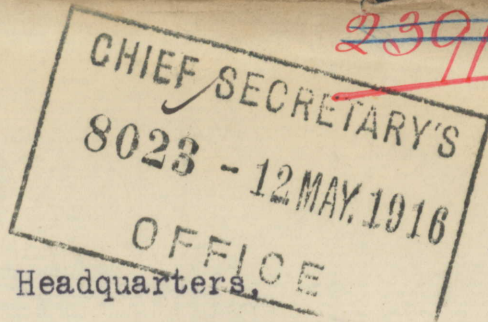
& how was it.

17/7

Papers sent to
Mr. Healy on
11/7/16.

64153 (Q).

2114



Irish Command,
Parkgate,
Dublin 11th May, 1916.

Sir,

In continuation of this office memo No.64153 (Q) dated 4th May, 1916, I have the honour to forward herewith three letters together with Notices of Application for Compensation from Messrs.Little & Cullen, Solicitors, 24 St. Andrew Street, Dublin in respect of damage to and in the following premises.

41 Middle Abbey Street, held by George F.Taylor.

11 Sackville Street, property of Mrs.Mary E.Walsh.

29 Bachelor's Walk property of New Hudson Cycle Coy.

16.9.16

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant.

C. P. Langhorne

Major General
i/c Administration, Irish Command.

Under Secretary,
Dublin Castle.

Answer claims

and
11/7/16

LITTLE & CULLEN,
SOLICITORS.

FRANCIS J. LITTLE.
JOHN A. CULLEN.
COMMISSIONERS FOR OATHS.

enclosure

*24. St. Andrew Street,
Dublin. 6th May 1916.*

re/ Mr. George Frederick Taylor.

Dear Sir,

We enclose herewith copy of Notice of Intention to apply for compensation for Malicious Injuries. As we may be advised that our clients alternative remedies may be against or in reference to the particular body whom you represent we think it proper to give you formal Notice to that effect.

Yours faithfully,

Little & Cullen

Sir John Maxwell,

Principal Military Officer.

Dublin Castle.

Major Tamm

PRELIMINARY NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR COMPENSATION FOR
CRIMINAL INJURY TO PROPERTY.—See 6 and 7, Wm.
IV., c. 116, s. 135.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

TO The Town Clerk Corporation of Dublin City Hall Cork Hill Dublin
THE SECRETARY OF
THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF THE COUNTY OF Dublin

AND URBAN THE CLERK OF
THE DISTRICT COUNCIL OF Pembroke. The Clerk of the Rath-
AND THE HEAD OR OTHER CONSTABLE IN CHARGE OF

Sir John Maxwell
Commander of the
Forces Dublin Castle
The Chief Commissioner of Dublin Metropolitan Police Lower
Castle Yard Dublin. The Secretary Local Government Board Dublin

You and each of you are hereby requested to take notice that on the night

(a) Date. of (a) Tuesday and Wednesday the 2nd and 3rd May 1916

on the Lands of premises known as 41 Middle Abbey Street in the
Parish of St. Mary

and in the County District of
in the Division of and in the County of the City of
Dublin Premises 41 Middle Abbey Street in the City of Dublin held
by George Frederick Taylor as tenant were wilfully and maliciously
damaged and injured as follows:- The front windows and front door
(glass) and fanlight broken, two inside doors broken completely
and also windows at back office fixtures books and stationery
stolen or thrown into the street and destroyed and stock namely
Motor bicycle accessories and equipment stolen being my property

(b) Here give
description of the
Property.

(c) Amount in
writing.

(d) State nature
of injury.

and of the value of (c) and feloniously abstracted being my property
and of the value of including damaged premises Five hundred and
forty pounds

were wantonly and maliciously (d) damaged and injured as aforesaid

whereby I have sustained a loss of Five hundred and forty pounds
of the Right Honourable the Recorder of Dublin

and that it is my intention to apply to the County Court to be held on the 9th June
next, at Green Street

for the Division of in the County of City of Dublin
for the sum of (e) Five hundred and forty pounds

(e) Amount in
writing.

for compensation for the loss sustained by me by reason of the said criminal injury
done my property as aforesaid, and that the same may be levied off the County, at
large, or off such County or other District, Parish, Townland, or sub-denomination
thereof as the County Court Judge shall direct.

Dated this 6th day of May

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George Frederick Taylor

The Applicant

To be signed by
the Applicant or his
Solicitor or someone
on his behalf,

Little & Cullen

Solicitor for the Applicant.

24 St. Andrew Street,

Dublin.

TAYLOR BROS.

*British and
Foreign
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WHOLESALE.

Telegraphic Address: "Autolite." Dublin.

Telephone: 653,

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41, Middle Abbey Street,

Dublin, 5/7/16 191

OUR REFERENCE	YOUR REFERENCE

The Secretary

Property Losses (Ireland) Committee 1916

51 St. Stephens Green

Dublin

Dear Sir.

I enclose you full details of losses in duplicate as requested, and would like to know that same reaches you safely.
Yours Faithfully

George Fred. Taylor

Hume

Property Losses (Ireland) Committee, 1916.

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

2114

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

ack 7/7/16
I *Geo Fred Taylor* TAYLOR BROS. now residing
at *41. M. ABBEY ST., DUBLIN.* in the City of *Dublin*
County of *Dublin*

do hereby solemnly and sincerely declare that on or about the *24* day of *April To 3 May*
1916, damage was done to the undermentioned Property, namely *Premises and*
Goods in Stock. * State situation of property damaged.

and such damage was occasioned to the best of *my* belief by *Breaking into*
premises and same left open to Loo. ** Here state cause of damage.

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† *myself*; 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 Mortgagors,
Mortgagees,
Lessors,
Lessees, or
joint owners
(if any).

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

Northern Assurance Co Ltd Company, Policy No. *1500. 0-0*
Phoenix To To " " " *£300. 0-0*
" " " " *£*

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

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 *5th* day of

July 1916, at *65 Middle*
Abbey Street in the said City,
County,

before me, a Justice of the Peace for the said

City
County.

Signature
of Claimant
of Claimants

Geo. Fred Taylor

Kevin D. Henry

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.

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PARTICULARS OF THE CLAIM.

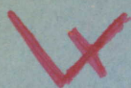
(TO BE GIVEN IN DETAIL.)

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY DESTROYED OR DAMAGED. and LOOTED	Cost Price.			Value of Property at time of Destruction or Damage.			Value of Salvage.			Amount Claimed		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Exterior Glass estimate	11	10	0	11	10	0	Nil					
Interior Door destroyed estimate	5	0	0	5	0	0	"					
Cash taken	0	10	0	0	10	0	"					
Repainting Estimate	3	0	0	3	0	0	"					
Stores wall + Gutter broken	3	0	0	3	0	0	"					
Clothes - 1 Gents. coat Stolen	3	0	0	3	0	0	"					
1 Ladies "	1	0	0	0	10	0	"					
1 Gents. "	1	0	0	0	10	0	"					
Office Counter Glasses destroyed		14	1		14	1	"					
Front, lettering on window.	2	0	0	2	0	0	"					
Office desk, tables, toilets, gas fittings and blinds destroyed	5	15	0	5	15	0	"					
Cycle Lamp Looted	36	9	1	34	19	1						
No. 204 4 @ 2/6		10	0									
" 210 3 @ 5/6		16	6									
" 214 34 @ 3/0	5	2	0									
218 4 @ 4/0		16	0									
" 260 13 @ 14/6	9	8	6									
" 268 2 @ 18/0	1	16	0									
" 300 35 @ 12/6	21	17	6									
" 305 3 @ 10/6	1	11	6									
313 26 @ 11/-	14	6	0									
317 22 @ 15/6	17	1	0									
318 30 @ 13/6	20	5	0									
329 8 @ 2/9	1	2	0									
barriers No. 70 4 @ 2/0		8	0									
" 78B 2 @ 6/9		13	6									
Bells " 83 149 @ 1/9	13	0	9									
Carried forward,	108	14	3	34	19	1	Nil					

PARTICULARS OF THE CLAIM. (continued).

(TO BE GIVEN IN DETAIL.)

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY DESTROYED			Cost Price.			Value of Property at time of Destruction or Damage.			Value of Salvage.			Amount Claimed		
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
+ L O O T E D														
Brought forward.			108	14	3	34	19	1	Nil					
Bells	No 82.	57 @ 2/3	6	8	3									
"	" 81	27 @ 3/0	4	1	0									
"	" 73.	90 @ 1/3.	5	12	6									
"	" 72	66 @ 1/6	4	19	0									
"	" 68	1 @ 3/6	3	6										
"	" 66	9 @ 4/3.	1	18	3									
"	" 65.	4 @ 5/0	1	0	0									
"	" 62	234 @ 3/0	35	2	0									
"	" 61	23 @ 3/6	4	0	6									
"	" 32	20 @ 5/9	5	15	0									
Locks	" 104	38 @ 2/0	3	16	0									
"	" 102	6 @ 2/0	12	0										
Bells	" 31	1 @ 5/6	5	6										
"	" 50	9 @ 2/3.	1	0	3									
Cyclometers	" 28+26.	30 @ 4/6	6	15	0									
Wick	" 5/8 @ 3/4.	21 @ 3	5	3										
"	" 1"	1 @ 4	4											
Lubricators	" 144.	10 @ 5.	4	2										
do	" 6	122 @ 7	3	11	2									
Show Bell Stand	1	1 @ 10/0	10	0										
Bells on Stand	32	1 @ 5/9	5	9										
"	" 65	1 @ 5/0	5	0										
"	" 66	1 @ 4/3	4	3										
"	" 67.	1 @ 3/6.	3	6										
"	" 61.	1 @ 3/6.	3	6										
"	" 62	1 @ 3/0	3	0										
"	" 50.	1 @ 2/3	2	3										
"	" 81	1 @ 3/0	3	0										
			196	14	2	34	19	1	Nil					



TAYLOR BROS.,

M. ABBEY ST., 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.
+ LOOTED												
Brought Forward.	196	14	2	34	19	1	Nil					
Bells on Show Stand No 82 1 @ 2/3			2			3						
do do do do " 83 1 @ 1/9			1			9						
do do do do " 72 1 @ 1/6			1			6						
do do do do " 73 1 @ 1/3			1			3						
Less 20% = 39.6 " 2.	196	10	11	157	4	9	Nil					
Lamps Sets No 354. 22 @ 2/0.	23	2	0									
Horns " 32 1 @ 28/0	1	8	0									
Lamps only " 344. 6 @ 5/0	1	10	0									
" Sets " 344. 39 @ 12/0	23	8	0									
Cilers " 36 2 @ 5/6	5	0										
Wrenches " 91 230 @ 2/9	31	12	6									
do " 92. 19 @ 3/3	3	1	9									
Brackets " 32 1 @ 13/6	13	6										
do " 34 2 @ 9/0	18	0										
do " 36 8 @ 5/0	2	0	0									
do " 38 2 @ 13/6	1	7	0									
do " 42 2 @ 5/3	10	6										
do " 57 1 @ 4/6	4	6										
do " 62 3 @ 13/6	2	0	6									
Old path Gen with acct. 54 7 @ 4/6	1	11	6									
Generator " 44. 2 @ 12/6	1	5	0									
do " 54 2 @ 17/6	1	15	0									
do " 62 3 @ 17/6	2	12	6									
Mirrors " 16 2 @ 9/0	18	0										
Mangin Mirrors " 452 2 @ 5/0	10	0										
Barners " 44. 46152 65 @ 1/5	4	12	1									
Less 20% = 21.2 " 4.	105	11	4	84	9	0	Nil					
Carried forward,	105	54		276	12	10	Nil					

TAYLOR BROS.,
M. ABBEY ST., DUBLIN.

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.
LOOTED												
Brought forward.	"	"	"	276	12	10	Nil					
1 Pair Green Side Guards		3	6									
1 Black No 1 Winter Extension		1	2									
5 do do 2 Nowright do		4	0									
6 Green do 2 do do		6	0									
85. Black Front do Guards	7	11	11									
1 Set. Green. Nowright Stays & Plates		1	1									
1 pair Black pearlless Guards.		3	7									
7 Black Front protector do		9	10									
16 Sets Black do Stays & plates		16	1									
1 Green Pear. do Guard.		1	11									
2 1/2 Sets Black extra ^{white} Stays & Plates			5									
2 1/2 do Popular do + do.		2	1									
1 do Black Winter do & do.			11									
1 Pear. Green. do Guard.		4	0									
10 Sets Spindle Nut. Sockets		6	0									
1 only 12" Petrol Gauge.			4									
1 1/2 doz pair Nowright Clips		5	2									
1/4 do. do. Secure do.		1	2									
1 only Ready Viler			8									
4 Black Protection Flaps.		3	2									
1/2 doz 15" Black Storing pumps		10	11									
1/4 only No 9 Connections	1	8	10									
3 do do 5 do			8									
1 do Powerful do			7									
3 doz Rubber Rells for direct connections		1	8									
3 Pairs No 196 Handles		2	9									
3 " Split do		2	4									
	13	10	9	13	10	9	Nil					
				290	3	7	Nil					

TAYLOR BROS.,
M. ABBEY ST., DUBLIN.

PARTICULARS OF THE CLAIM.

(TO BE GIVEN IN DETAIL.)

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY DESTROYED	Cost Price.			Value of Property at time of Destruction or Damage.			Value of Salvage.			Amount Claimed		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<u>+ L O O T E D</u>												
Brought Forward.				290	3	7.	Nil.					
Blk. Chains 1+1/4 58 Lg. 19. ^{per ft.} @ 6 1/2	2	9	4									
do do 1+3/16 54 Lg. 1 @ do	2	5										
do do 1+5/16 54 Lg. 3rd 4 @ 2 1/2	8	3										
Elite do 1/2+3/16 56 4 @ 4 1/2	18	8										
G do 1+1/4 56 3 @ 6 1/2	7	7										
do do 1+3/16 60 9 @ do	1	2	9									
do YR. do 1+3/16 60 3 @ do	8	2										
do do 1/2+3/16 58 1 @ do	2	8										
do do 1+3/16 54 4 @ do	10	0										
3sprin do RW. 5/8+1/8 96 39 @ 2 1/2	4	9	7									
do do do 5/8+1/8 90 57 @ do	6	2	11									
do do 5/8+1/8 90 63 @ do	6	15	4									
do do 1+3/16 60 11 @ do	1	5	7									
do do 1/2+1/8 58 35 @ do	3	17	5									
do do 1/2+1/8 60 2 @ do	4	7										
6A do 5/8+1/8 90 84 @ do	15	0	0									
do do 5/8+1/8 91 3 @ do	10	9										
do do 1+1/4 56 25 @ do	4	7	8									
do do 1/2+1/8 58 80 @ do	13	18	6									
do do 1/2+1/8 56 51 @ do	8	18	6									
do do 1/2+1/8 60 90 @ do	16	17	6									
do do 1/2+3/16 60 10 @ do	1	17	6									
do do 1/2+3/16 58 6 @ do	1	1	9									
do do 1+3/16 56 28 @ do	4	18	0									
Chutches 2018+97 7 @ do	10	6										
	97	5	11									
Plus 30%	29	13	6	126	19	5	Nil					
Carried forward,	417	3	0	Nil								

PARTICULARS OF THE CLAIM. (continued).

(TO BE GIVEN IN DETAIL.)

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY DESTROYED + LOOTED	Cost Price.			Value of Property at time of Destruction or Damage.			Value of Salvage.			Amount Claimed		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Total.												
Brought forward.	418	13	0	417	3	0	Nil					
Looted goods received back.												
1 No 62 Bracket			10.10									
1 do 91 Wrench.			2.3									
1 do 3/8 Lamp.			10.10									
2 Cycle Chains			5 6									
2 do do.			5 6									
1 No 300 Lamp.			10.0									
1 do. 62 Bell.			2 5	2	7	4						
	416	5	8	414	15	8	Nil					

W.C.

$\pounds 414 = 15 = 8$

This claim makes no provision to cover advances in prices in foregoing goods since the damages and looting occurred which in some cases are very considerable

[Signature]