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Norman Dewar

REPORTED ON BY COMMITTEE.

18 AUG. 1916

Policies of Insurance  
& premium receipts  
returned  
In  
11/10/16

GEORGE GREEN,  
SOLICITOR.  
TELEPHONE No. 625.

52, DAME STREET,  
DUBLIN. 7th Octr. 1916.

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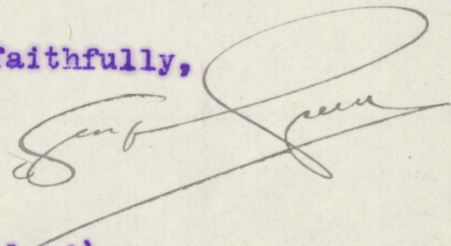
Re Claim No. 2132.

Norman Dewar.

Dear Sir:-

Would you kindly send me the original policy No. 1836 effected with the National Benefit Life and Property Co. Ltd. and oblige.

Yours faithfully,



The Secretary,

property Losses Committee (Ireland)

St. Stephens Green Dublin.

Received  
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11/10/16

# Assessors Report.

Claim No. 2132 Name of Claimant Norman Dewar, Photographer.

Situation of Property 29, 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
Trade Furniture, Fixtures & Fittings, Photographic Appliances &c., Electric Appliances.	£ 389-15-6	£ 300		£ 275	£ 275	-
Plate Glass	35	Open	Insured by the National Benefit Assce. Co.			
Negatives	50	Nil		25		£ 25
Rent	70	£ 70	See Memorandum below.			
TOTALS, £	544-15-6	£ 370		£ 300	£ 275	£ 25

~~Interests in the buildings~~

Rent Memo.

Francis O'Farrell Ltd. (Claim No. 2887) also claimed for this Rent. We suggest that cheque for the Rent be drawn in the joint names of Francis O'Farrell Ltd. and Norman Dewar.

*how on  
no 2887*

*Wm. Montgomery*  
Assessor

10th August 1918.

Award of Committee: Contents *£300 W.D.*

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# Property Losses (Ireland) Committee, 1916.

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

2425

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

Ackd for 13/7/16

I ~~We~~ Thomas Dewar of 29<sup>th</sup> Sackville St now residing at 30 Cabra Park in the City of Dublin

do hereby solemnly and sincerely declare that on or about the 28<sup>th</sup> day of April 1916, damage was done to the undermentioned Property, namely:—\* Hall, stair-

case reception room, workroom & Studio situate at rear of 29<sup>th</sup> Sackville St and such damage was occasioned to the best of ~~our~~ my belief by\*\* Fire

during the Sinn Fein Rebellion

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

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

- Phoenix Assurance Company, Policy No. 11046438, Amount £ 370
- The National Benefit Life " " " " £
- Property Assurance Co. (Glasgow Policy) 1836, " £

And ~~We~~ 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 4<sup>th</sup> day of

July 1916, at 110 Grafton St in the said City, Dublin County,

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

Louis J. Brindley  
J.P. City of Dublin

Signature of Claimant } Thomas Dewar  
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 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.
<u>Hall</u>												
Sign				8	-	-						
Bent Glass case				25	-	-	x					
Flat glass case				10	-	-	x					
Oilcloth & Foot Plates				3	-	-						
<u>Reception Room</u>												
Suite of furniture				15	-	-						
Desk				6	-	-						
2 Easels				1	10	-						
Framed Specimens				10	-	-						
Tables				5	-	-						
<u>Workroom</u>												
Benches				5	-	-						
Dry mounter				10	-	-						
Gas fittings				1	-	-						
Copying Press				1	-	-						
Embossing Press				2	-	-						
Mounts				25	-	-						
Stock of frames				3	-	-						
Chemicals & Photo material				10	-	-						
10 1/2 years negatives				50	-	-						
Personal goods				5	-	-						
Printing Frames				3	-	-						
Enlarging Camera				12	-	-						
12 x 10 Outdoor Outfit				25	-	-						
1/4 Plate do				20	-	-						
Press Camera				20	-	-						
Amateur Camera						10	-					
<i>Carried forward,</i>				£276	0	0				276	0	0

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# 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.
<u>Workroom (contd.)</u> <i>Brought forward.</i>				276	-	-				276	-	-
Stationery				5	-	-						
Bottles & glass ware					10	-						
Dishes				3	-	-						
Sink, Photographic				5	-	-						
Shelving				5	-	-						
<u>Reception room</u>												
Linoleum				6	-	-						
<u>Stair</u>												
Oilcloth				1	10	-						
Foot plates				1	-	-						
<u>Studio</u>												
Studio Camera, 2 lenses				40	-	-						
Copying lens				3	-	-						
Oilcloth				8	-	-						
Studio suite				12	-	-						
Studio Accessories				20	-	-						
Curtains & Rugs				5	-	-						
Electric Plant for Photowork.				40	-	-						
Electric lighting				10	-	-						
Printing cabinet				8	-	-						
<u>Dressing room</u>												
Mirror full length				5	-	-						
Brushes etc				1	-	-						
Dark room sink				5	-	-						
Shelving & lighting				5	-	-						
Print cutter				1	10	-						
2 framed Enlargements & 2 framed pictures on hands				3	10	-						
Add 1 year's rent of Premises				470	-	-				£470	-	-
				70	-	-				70	-	-
				£540	-	-				£540	-	-

*Note* See Policy of Insurance with Phoenix Assce. Co. The rent is insured

add one year's rent of premises

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# 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.
<i>Brought forward,</i>				<i>540</i>								
<i>Add also the Claim of the Dublin Corporation against applicant for Meters destroyed Services and other Apparatus destroyed as per letter of the 5<sup>th</sup> July 1916 from the Dublin Corporation annexed</i>												
<i>Total.</i>				<i>4</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>6</i>						
				<hr style="width: 100%;"/>								
				<i>£</i>	<i>544</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>6</i>					



TELEPHONE:—  
3601.—(Branch 21).

# Electricity Supply Committee,

Dublin Corporation,

Offices and Showrooms—

Cork Hill,

Coimise Solátaim na  
h-Aibléire,  
BÁNÚAS BAILE  
A'CA CLIAIC,  
Cnoc Concaige,  
A' CAIC.



*Fred. J. Allan,*

Secretary and  
Commercial Manager.

Dublin, *5th July* 19*16*

Dear Sir,

I beg to inform you that under the agree-  
-ment between the Corporation and their electricity  
consumers, the consumer is responsible for the replacing  
of the meters, services, or other apparatus damaged on  
his premises. When sending in your claim to the  
Government, therefore, for damage done to your premises  
during the recent insurrection, it will be necessary for  
you to include, as set out below, the amount which the  
Corporation are entitled to recover from you under their  
agreement with you.

Yours faithfully,

FRED J. ALLAN.

Secretary.

Details.

Meters destroyed.—  
Services and other apparatus  
destroyed.—

£ 3: 3: 0

£ 1: 12: 6

4: 15: 6

*N. Dewar Esq.*

*29 St. Sackville St.*

~~2425.~~

30. Cabra Park.

8<sup>th</sup>. July 16.

Dear Sir.

In reference to my claim sent in for damage done during the recent rebellion to my Photo Studio at 29<sup>th</sup> Sackville St I beg to state that I have been without visible means of existence since I would respectfully ask that my claim would be pushed forward as rapidly as possible so as to give me a chance of getting a start again.

Yrs faithfully  
Norman Dewar  
Photographer

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21st July,

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 20th instant I beg to say that your case has been sent to the Assessors, Messrs. Montgomery. for report.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

Norman Dewar, Esq.,  
30 Cabra Park.

30 Cabra Park  
~~445~~  
 20<sup>th</sup> July 16.

Dear Sir

In reference to my letter of the 8<sup>th</sup> inst. re my claim for compensation I would again ask that my case would be pushed forward as rapidly as possible so as to give me a chance of getting a start again.

Yrs faithfully

Norman Dewar  
 Photographer

Replied your card has

been sent to the

Comms - Miss

Montgomery

for report

MJ  
 21/7/16

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GEORGE GREEN,  
SOLICITOR.  
TELEPHONE No. 625.

CHIEF SECRETARY'S  
8804 - 24 MAY. 1916  
OFFICE

52, DAME STREET,  
DUBLIN. 23rd May, 1916.

Dear Sir:-

I am acting for Mr. Norman Dewar of 29 Lower Sackville St. and I beg to inform you that on or about Saturday the 28th day of April 1916, the premises No. 29 Lower Sackville St. were burnt down by reason of military operations and that various photographic studio accessories, furniture, stock of negatives (portrait), cameras, and other articles and goods used in the photographic business belonging to Mr. Dewar have been burnt and destroyed.

Yours faithfully,

The Under Secretary,  
Dublin Castle,  
Dublin.

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GEORGE GREEN,  
SOLICITOR.  
TELEPHONE No. 625.

52, DAME STREET,

DUBLIN. 5th July, 1916.

Re Premises No. 29 Lower Sackville St.

Dear Sir:-

On behalf of my Client, Mr. Norman Dewar of No. 30 Cabra Park, Dublin, I now send you Claim form duly filled up and verified before a Justice of the Peace, setting out in detail the amount of my Client's claim, which amounts to £540.

I also send you the following documents:-

1. Policy of Insurance effected with the Phoenix Assurance Co. No. 11046438, for £370.
2. Receipt of the Phoenix Assurance Co. in respect of the premium on the above Policy, up to 29th Septr. 1916.
3. Policy of Insurance effected with the National Benefit Life and Property Assurance Co. Ltd. numbered A.1836 (Glass Policy)

Yours faithfully,

The Secretary,

The Property Losses (Ireland) Committee 1916.

51 St. Stephen's Green, East, Dublin.

*Return form  
with blank form for  
copy details  
Hans P. Jones*

DESCRIPTIVE PARTICULARS

AS REGARDS CERTAIN ITEMS IN CLAIM OF MR.

NORMAN DEWAR.

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No. 1. SIGN

An Electrically lit sign with iron bracket for support the lettering being on opal glass two sides with lights inside.

No. 2. BENT GLASS CASE fitting round one side of Hall Door, height about 5 foot 3 inches, 2 pieces of bent glass, the upper one used for show purposes, the lower one contained the name in large gold letters on black, the woodwork was of good quality and the design showed two carved circular pillars running up to the top of case the top of pillars being carved in ivy leaves.

No. 3. The Usual FLAT CASES seen inside Photographers halls for show purposes, four compartments measuring each about 5 foot by 4, each lined with moveable woodwork back for pinning on Photos.

No. 4. SUITE OF FURNITURE used in the Reception Room, comprising 4 chairs, Settee, 2 arm chairs and sofa, recently upholstered, on the Chippendale pattern.

No. 5. OFFICE DESK Mahogany desk with opening in centre, drawers in middle and down side, the usual desk seen in Solicitors offices.

No. 6. FRAMED SPECIMENS. Specimens done from time to time including enlargements, colour work, for the purpose of

showing to customers and also decoration, the enlargements contain artist work.

- No. 7. DRY MOUNTER The usual mounter for mounting Photos, picked up second hand, present price about £10.
- No. 8. MOUNTS Mounts have been very much increased since the War started and £25 worth would be a very small stock to keep business going, in all there would be about 10 sizes.
- No. 9 MATERIAL etc.The usual amount on hands for carrying on the work.
- No. 10 10½ YEARS NEGATIVES. Negatives stored and registered are always a valuable asset to the Photographer, we constantly get repeat orders which amounts to a good deal in the year. A Customer might die and immediately it becomes valuable for extra copies, enlargements and sometimes for publication.
- No. 11. ENLARGING CAMERA Of the Cantilever pattern, Mahogany with bellows. 8 inch condenser. Very good Portrait lens Acetylene Generator and jet.
- No. 12. 12X10 CAMERA Camera used for Outdoor Work. Mahogany, 12 X 10 American lens, Cooke 12 X 10 Wide angle lens, focussing lens, 3 double dark slides, Mahogany, stout stand, the whole fitting in to a strong leather case made to my own design.
- No. 13.  $\frac{7}{1}$  PLATE CAMERA Camera used for Outdoor work, Mahogany 1/1 Plate Anastigmat lens. 1/1 Plate wide angle lens, 6



double mahogany dark slides and stand, the whole fitting into a strong leather case made to my own design.

- No. 14. PRESS CAMERA Bought recently at an Auction. A perfectly new and up to date Camera with all the latest movements, would cost at least £20 to replace.
- No. 15 STUDIO CAMERA A combination of the Camera belonging to Mr. Glover late of Stephens Green and Robinsons late of Grafton St. Mahogany Camera and Studio Stand, Ross Portrait lens and  $\frac{3}{4}$  Plate group and portrait lens. This instrument was the basis of my business; which did all my portrait work; was an excellent piece of apparatus. A camera of this sort improves with age and although it would cost about £40 to replace same, a new Camera would not have the same virtue.
- No. 16. STUDIO SUITE. The usual Suite found in Photo. Studios similar to Drawing room Suite.
- No. 17. STUDIO ACCESSORIES This comprises articles used in posing sitters, such as Backgrounds, screens, Curtains on glass roof for lighting, Balcony and Pedestal, French Settee, ordinary Settee, fancy chairs, tables, head rests, eye rests, carpet etc.
- No. 18, ELECTRIC PLANT Arc lamp for the purpose of Photographing by night light, cable from street brought a long way, box fitted in roof ~~to~~ allow for elevation of Lamp, lined outside with lead and fitting.
- No. 19. ELECTRIC LIGHTING Lighting of premises, including Hall, Landing Reception room, Stair to Studio, Workroom and Studio.

Claim 2425

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RE NORMAN DEWAR'S CLAIM.

DESCRIPTIVE PARTICULARS

as regards certain of the Items in  
verified Claim sworn 4 July 1916.

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George Green  
Solicitor,  
52 Dame St.  
Dublin.

No. 2132

**ENCLOSURE**

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Glass Policy 1836 National Benefit

Insurance - 11046438 Phoenix

Receipt for " "

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**EXTRACT FROM ORDER OF 21st SEPT., '04 (12,918-04).**

Documents shall only be removed from files when actually required for use in detached form.

The usual notation as to the particular papers taken, and the purpose for which detached, with the initials of the Officer responsible for the removal, and the date, shall be made on the packets in every case.

The documents shall be restored as promptly as possible, and the dates of return noted.

Only such documents shall be placed in packets as could not otherwise be conveniently examined, or as might be liable to mutilation if pinned to the files in the ordinary way.



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