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PROPERTY LOSSES (IRELAND) COMMITTEE, 1916.

**Inspector's Report.**

Claim No. 2237

Name of Claimant James O'Hara

Occupation Tea Merchant

Situation of Property 107 Sandymount Avenue, 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
Damage to property by Military.	£1:0:0d.			£1:0:0d.		
TOTALS, £	£1:0:0d.			£1:0:0d.		

*WLO*

Interests in the buildings

Award of Committee: Contents \_\_\_\_\_

Do. Buildings \_\_\_\_\_

Five locks were destroyed which cannot be repaired at the present time. Also insertions will require to be made in woodwork of drawers broken open. Amount claimed is reasonable.

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Note in this case has come

letter (W11334) has been returned

to chief secretary off. & has been

returned back.

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JMS  
~~26/7/16~~

26/7/16

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I noted in reply. W11334/16

Return was attached

JMS  
9/8/16



# 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.
<p>Locks injured [hence need renewal or repair] in sidelward presses. Keys were not available to open as my wife was in England had them in her possession</p>	<p>Included in price of various articles of furniture hence cannot say cost</p>			<p>Estimated cost of repairing, not of new locks</p>			<p style="font-size: 2em; text-align: center;">1 0 0</p>					
<p>Carried forward,</p>												

# 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 James O'Hara now residing  
We at 107 Sandymount A<sup>v</sup> in the City of Dublin  
County of 2<sup>nd</sup> day of May

do hereby solemnly and sincerely declare that on or about the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of May 1916, damage was done to the undermentioned Property, namely:—\*

Furniture in 107 Sandymount Avenue  
my knowledge or in my presence

\* State situation of property damaged.

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

\*\* Here state cause of damage.

the soldiers who searched the premises

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

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

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

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

Liverpool (under "Libe") Company, Policy No. 7109950, Amount £ 500.

And I make this solemn Declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by we virtue of the provisions of the Statutory Declarations Act, 1835.

Made and subscribed the 4<sup>th</sup> day of

July 1916, at 18 COPE STREET, DUBLIN. in the said City, County,

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

Signature of Claimant of Claimants James O'Hara

[Signature]

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.





**JAMES O'HARA.**

Registered Telegraphic Address:—

"O'HARA, DUBLIN."

National Telephone Number 8Y.

CHIEF SECRETARY'S

18, COPE STREET,

12528 - 22 JUL 1916

DUBLIN.

21 JUL 1916

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11334 Mr Healy 4/7

Recall

Dear Sir.

I wrote on 26<sup>th</sup> ~~inst~~ <sup>ultimus</sup> to Military

H.Q. Park Gate St. Dublin regarding jewels abstracted by Military and asking a question as to damage in private house. I am

informed that this was passed on to your department 2<sup>nd</sup> July, but so far have had no reply.

Yours. James O'Hara

The Under Secretary Dublin Castle

I. Ack. & reply that his claim is before Sir W. Goulding's Committee, with the Secretary of which he should communicate.

I Mr. Healy. J. 27.7.16

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REGISTERED 27 JUL 1916

APPLICATION FOR THE RETURN  
OF PAPERS.

No. of File 11334

Subject *Claim of James O'Hara*

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE.

Sent to you on

4. 7. 16.

The Under Secretary requests the return of the  
above-mentioned.

DUBLIN CASTLE,

22 July, 1916.

N.B.—Papers sent to Public Officers or Depart-  
ments, for their information or guidance,  
should in all cases be returned when no  
longer required.

*Wealy, Esq.*

*51 St. Stephen's Green, E.,  
Dublin*

Chief Secretary's Office.



*Papers received.*

*Claims amounting to £1,503 have  
been received by the Committee in this case  
& will be dealt with in due course.*

*J.H.A.  
26/7/16*

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JAMES O'HARA.

Registered Telegraphic Address:

"O'HARA, DUBLIN."

National Telephone Number 8Y.



18, COPE STREET,

26 June 1916

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The Military Secretary  
Island Bridge Barracks.

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no resp  
CSO 11334

Dear Sir.

I was informed to day that the Military Authorities are paying claims for wilful damage done by soldiers. I hence report that on Wedy in Rebellion week the caretaker opened the hall door of this building to a company of soldiers who denied to search it. My office door was locked and the caretaker had no key. The lock was therefore burst open & the place searched. This I presume was inevitable. I had however just purchased  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb of tobacco which cost me ~~10/6~~ <sup>5/3</sup>. This was taken away by the soldiers and I consider I should

be paid if any such claims are entertained.  
The hall door was locked ~~at~~ after the departure  
of the soldiers & no one else was in the building  
until it was ~~rep~~ reopened by me. The emptied  
tin lies here still as left by the military.

Several locks in my private house have been  
broken at what cost to repair I do not yet  
know may I ask if this expense will be  
refunded. The statement was freely made at the  
time of search that such would be paid, by the  
Non. Coms in charge. I attached very little importance  
to their assurances, but in second thoughts desire to  
ask officially - Yours faithfully  
James O'Hara