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John Read.  
for  
Miss Bessie Read

REPORTED ON BY COMMITTEE

18 JAN. 1917

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retd  
mz 20/2/17



**READ & MACNAB,**

SOLICITORS.

**JOHN READ,  
EDWARD S. MACNAB, B.A.,**

COMMISSIONERS FOR  
OATHS.

TELEPHONE 1222.

2335  
Claremont Carrickmines  
4 Dawson Street,

Dublin 21 February 1917

re 48 Capel St. <sup>Claim</sup> No 2335.

Dear Sir

I received the Policy of Assurance.  
What about the Compensation -

K. to G. 18/1/17

John Read S. informed.  
22/2/17.



PROPERTY LOSSES (IRELAND) COMMITTEE, 1916.

Inspector's Report.

Claim No. 2 3 3 5

Name of Claimant John Read Occupation

Situation of Property 48 Capel 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
Building	£15.10.0.	£1000	Nil	£15.10.0.	Nil 15.10.0	Nil
TOTALS, £	£15.10.0.	£1000	Nil	£15.10.0.	Nil	Nil

Interests in the buildings Owner.

Remarks I have investigated this claim and have to say that the damage was caused by the Military who took the shutters for a barricade The amount claimed for the renewal of same is reasonable and may be pase in full. Claim is made on behalf of Miss Bessis Read by her father.

Signature Arthur Brown  
Date 59 JAN 1917 Inspector.

Award of Committee: Contents 15.10.0 WJ  
Do. Buildings

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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.

Accd  
2nd 30th

I John Read of 4 Dawson Street Dublin now residing  
at Claremont Park Dublin in the City of Dublin  
do hereby solemnly and sincerely declare that on or about the 25<sup>th</sup> day of April  
1916, damage was done to the undermentioned Property, namely:—\* 48 Capel Street  
in the City of Dublin

\* State  
situation of  
property  
damaged.

and such damage was occasioned to the best of <sup>my</sup> ~~our~~ belief by\*\* His Majesty's  
Soldiers who took the shutters of the shop for the purpose of  
making a barricade in the street

\*\* Here state  
cause of  
damage.

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† the father of Miss Bessie Read owner and that no person is interested in  
the said property except‡ an annuitant of £15 a year charged  
on said house

† Insert  
"Owner,"  
"Lessee,"  
or  
"Mortgagee,"  
as the case  
may be.

‡ Insert  
"myself," or  
"ourselves,"  
and the names  
of Mortgagees,  
Mortgagors,  
Lessors,  
Lessees, or  
joint owners  
(if any).

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

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

Royal Exchange Assurance Company, Policy No 465-6683, Amount £ 10 6 0  
against fire " " " " £  
" " " " £

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 27<sup>th</sup> day of

November 1916, at Cobham  
Street in the said City,  
County,

before me, a Justice of the Peace for the said

City  
County.

Signature  
of Claimant  
of Claimants

John Read

J. W. Maddock

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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COMMISSIONERS FOR  
OATHS.  
TELEPHONE 1222.

4 Dawson Street,

Dublin, 23rd November 1916.

No. 2335 Mr. Joseph Madden.

Dear Sir,

The Claim in this case was put in for the loss of the shutters of the shop 48 Capel Street which was then in the possession of Joseph Madden as tenant. The shutters were taken down by the soldiers during the Rebellion and were used by them to make barricades in Capel Street, they were never returned or found.

Since the date of sending in the claim in Mr. Madden's name, Mr. Madden has died and his tenancy ceased and the shop is now empty.

We are acting for Miss Bessie Read daughter of John Read of Claremount Carrickmines Co. Dublin who is the Owner of the house, and who now claims compensation for the loss of the shutters.

We enclose a copy of an estimate of Mr. James Barrett of 37 & 38 Molesworth Street, for making new shutters amounting to £15. 10. 0 which sum is claimed on behalf of Miss Bessie Read the Owner of the house.

Yours faithfully,

*Read & Macnab*

J.J. Healy Esq.,  
Secretary

Property Losses (Ireland) Committee 1916.  
51 Stephens Green, Dublin.

I Not Recd.  
II Done  
III Done 24/11/16 2335

I If cl. 2335 has not been recd.  
II call in in days & index to Miss Bessie Read  
III send out forms for same  
24/11/16



Copy/

E S T I M A T E

-from-

James Barrett

37 & 38 Molesworth Street

Dublin.

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Re 48 Capel Street

I propose to make, supply and fit, the necessary number of shutters (9) as required to cover opening space of Shop Window at above address.

Said space is 12 feet 4 inches wide and 6 feet 10½ inches high.

Shutters to be composed of 2 panels, properly morticed moulded and fitted etc. finished 1½ inches thick.

Same to be prepared painted 3 coats, panels lined in yellow on mouldings and all varnished.

I finding all materials etc for the sum of.

(Fifteen Pounds Ten Shillings)

£ 15 10 0

(Signed) J. Barrett.



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TELEPHONE 1227

4 Dawson Street,

Dublin 19th May 1916.

CHIEF SECRETARY'S  
8596 - 20 MAY 1916  
OFFICE

Sir, re 48 Capel Street, Dublin.

We forwarded an application in the above case to Sir John Maxwell, with a statement of Mr. Joseph Madden as to the soldiers taking away the shutters of his shop to make a barricade. We have been informed by the Major General Administration of Irish Command, that same has been forwarded to the Civil Authorities the Under Secretary, Dublin Castle. We are claiming the sum of £12. 15/- compensation for the damage done.

We would be glad to hear from you on the subject.

I. Ack.

II. S. aff. &amp;c.

J. J. T.

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The Under Secretary  
Dublin Castle.

Yours faithfully,

Read & MacnabI. Done  
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22 MAY 1916



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CHIEF SECRETARY'S  
8516 - 19 MAY 1916  
Headquarters,  
Irish Command,  
Parkgate,

Dublin 18th May, 1916.

Sir,

In continuation of this office memo No.64153 (Q) dated 11th May, 1916, I have the honour to forward herewith further correspondence relating to claim of Mr. Joseph Madden Bootmaker 48 Caple Street, Dublin referred to therein.

✓ in file.

D.S.

19.5.16

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

*C. J. Lang Major*

for Major General  
i/c Administration, Irish Command.

Under Secretary,

Dublin Castle.



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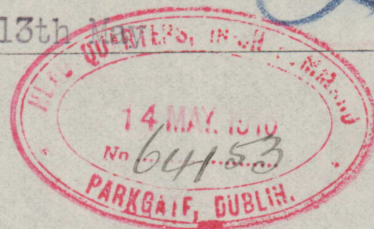


4 Dawson Street,

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Dublin

13th



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Dear Sir,

Referring to our letter of the 9th inst., we have now obtained an estimate to supply shutters for the house 48 Capel Street which amounts to the sum of £15. 10/-

Your obedient servants,

General Sir John Maxwell

Commander of the Forces in Ireland  
Royal Hospital  
Kilmainham.

*Read & Macnab*

*Myr Tarry*



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OATHS.  
TELEPHONE 1222.

4 Dawson Street,

Dublin.

9th May

1916.



Dear Sir,

We send you a statement which is made by Mr. Joseph Madden, Bootmaker, 48 Capel Street relative to taking the shutters from his shop for the purpose of making a barricade in the Street. We intend to make a claim for the price of the shutters which were taken and we have instructed a Contractor to make an estimate of the amount. Kindly let us know whether you will forward this application as we think the Government should pay for the damage done.

*With CSO  
br. 8204*

*Your obedient servants*  
~~Yours faithfully,~~  
*Read & Macnab*

General Sir John Maxwell

Commander of the Forces in Ireland.

Royal Hospital

Kilmainham.



Statement.



9th May 1916.

re 48 Capel Street, Dublin.

Mr. Joseph Madden, Bootmaker 48 Capel Street who lives at 15 Homefarm Road, Drumcondra, visited the shop 48 Capel Street every day until Thursday Morning, 27th April. On Friday Morning he was stopped at Drumcondra by the Military also on Saturday Morning. On Sunday Morning after 12 O'Clock he was not allowed to pass Drumcondra. On Monday was stopped and was referred to Ballybough Bridge by the Sentry to see the Officer in Command to get a pass, got the pass and came to 48 Capel Street and found that the shutters were gone from the front of the shop. He was informed by several of his neighbours, Mrs Doyle of 47 Capel Street, Mrs Lennan of 49 Capel Street and Mr. Fagan, 46 Capel Street and Mrs. Campion 120 Capel Street, the house facing 48 Capel Street, that they saw the military removing the shutters which they carried away for the purpose of making a barricade and he has not been able to trace them since.

Read & Macnab,

Solicitors

4 Dawson Street, Dublin.



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Cash for Pol. & Insce

+ Cash recd. by friends

as one.

M.A.

28/11/16

200.

Acted on

For

28/11/16