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Knowles + Sons

REPORTED ON BY COMMITTEE.

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return

Insee Documents ret'd
July 24. 1916

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29/1/17

16th April, /7.

re Claim No. 432.

Dear Sirs,

I am in receipt of your further letter of the 14th instant in reference to this claim. As the Property Losses Committee has lodged its final report with the Government, and the Committee no longer exists, I regret that I am not in a position to submit your letter for instructions, but it is unlikely that the Committee would have been able to add anything to the former communications on this subject.

Yours faithfully,

Messrs. Knowles & Sons,
27 Grafton Street,
Dublin.

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Knowles & Sons.Growers of Choice Fruit & Flowers,
27, Grafton Street,also at
Aberdeen & Kent.

Dublin 14/4/17

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J.J. Healy Esq

Sec Property Losses Cttee

Stephens Green

Dear Sir,

Referring to yours of 3rd which has remained unanswered owing to pressure of business, you say that all the items in our claim were fully and carefully investigated, and so far as they were admissable under the terms of reference, they were allowed for at what in the opinion of the Committee was a fair valuation.

We are sorry to trouble you again, but beg to assure you that we are smarting under a sense of gross injustice. You say that the Committee do not doubt that our claim is a fair one from the Claimants point of view. It is, and we are now being severely penalised simply because we lodged what was a fair and conscientious claim. We know now that we included items which the Committee could not pay under the terms of reference and which we must lose. This loss is surely severe enough, but as we have shown in our previous letters, in addition to this, the Committee has added a further severe loss by cutting down in the most unaccountable and unjustifiable way the items which *did* come under the terms of reference.

You say these items were allowed for at what the Committee considered

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a fair valuation. Pray have the goodness to tell us how the Committee could possibly arrive at any valuation apart from our figures. They certainly did not ask any evidence from us, and surely we ^{were} ~~are~~ entitled to be heard if our claim was to ^{be} so seriously challenged.

We respectfully repeat our request for an interview and sincerely trust this will not be refused. We are prepared to swear on oath to every item of our claim, and several responsible members of our staff will do the same.

Yours respectfully

Knowles & Sons

3rd April, /7.

Dear Sirs, re Claim No. 432.

I am directed by the Property Losses Committee to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 30th ultimo in further reference to your claim. As regards the case of the Freeman's Journal Company, you have already received a definite reply that no recommendation in respect of loss of profits was made by the Committee in ~~this~~ or any other case.

The Committee note what you say regarding your claim generally, but they do not see that anything is to be gained by going into any further details in the matter. They have already explained that all the items of your claim were very fully and carefully investigated and so far as same were admissible under the terms of reference they were allowed for at what in the opinion of the Committee was a fair valuation. There is no suggestion that the claim as furnished was other than a reasonable one, from the claimants' point of view.

Yours faithfully,

Messrs. Knowles & Sons,
27 Grafton Street,
Dublin.

Secretary.

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Aberdeen & Kent.*Growers of Choice Fruit & Flowers,
27, Grafton Street,

Dublin 30/3/17 19

J Healy Esq

Secretary Property Losses Cttee

Stephens Green

Dear Sir,

We have to thank you for the courtesy of your prompt reply dated 27th. If we say that we are still un-convinced and unsatisfied in this matter, we are sure you will not be surprised. In the first place in reference to the Freemans claim it was stated in Parliament most emphatically that they were paid for loss of Revenue. Is that a consequential loss? Surely that is a simple question capable of a simple answer. In the

In the second place leaving aside all together the question of the Freemans or any other claim, and letting our own claim stand entirely on its merits, can it be said that we are being treated either fairly or courteously. In accordance with arrangements made by the Government themselves, those who had suffered losses were asked to lodge their claims. In our last letter we indicated the several headings under which it would be possible to divide up the claim which we lodged. These ran as follows:-

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	£.	s.	d
(1) Stock (actual loss).....	1080.	6.	5
(2) Accessories (actual loss).....	319.	18.	4
(3) Building (actual loss).....	161.	7.	0
These three items standing alone amount to.....	£1561.	11.	9

compared with the payments made to us as follows:-

	£.	s.	d
Remittance for.....	1100.	0.	0
" "	285.	0.	0
C/N from Messrs Dockrell.....	22.	3.	8
	1407.	3.	8

In your letter you say that we made no reference to an item of £18. 9. 2. in respect of plate glass. This is covered by the fore-going item of £22. 3. 8. credited to us by Messrs Dockrell in respect of plate glass.

As a result therefore we are left with a loss of £154. 8. 3. in respect of items boiled down to a point to which was left no loop-hole of any kind whatever for dispute. Why is this?

Further will you tell us which of the following items your Committee would regard as actual losses and which as consequential losses.

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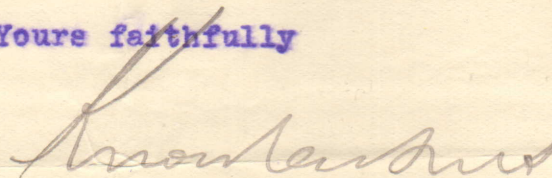
	£.	s.	d
(4) Goods undelivered.....	15.	1.	7
(5) Excess on cost.....	63.	1.	2
(6) Advertising reopening... ..	4.	10.	0
(7) Professional fees.....	13.	1	0
(8) Standing charges(including rent, Assistants' wages, loss of Revenue etc.....	180.	0.	0
(9) Damage to telephones.....	10.	0.	0
(10) Loss on re-sale of Apples undelivered.....	20.	11.	6
(11) Loss of credit dockets.....	7.	10.	0
(12) Assistants' losses(Wear apparel etc).....	4.	10.	0.

The payment we received seems to imply that we sent you a faked claim, and this implication we very strongly resent. We shall be glad to know on what grounds we have received a payment so altogether inadequate to our losses.

We know of another case analogous to our own in the same street where the amount claimed was practically paid in full.

Would you Committee be prepared to grant Mr Knowles an interview on the question?

Yours faithfully



27th March, /7.

re Claim No. 432.

Dear Sirs,

In reply to your further letter of the 26th instant in above matter, I am directed by the Property Losses Committee to inform you that in no case have they been able to make a recommendation in respect of consequential losses, - whether same were insured against or not - as the terms of reference expressly exclude all such claims. This statement applies to the claim of the Freeman's Journal Company equally with other claims.

As regards your statement as to the inadequacy of the award in respect of other items claimed for, the Committee cannot add anything to their letter of the 12th ultimo on this point.

There is no reference in your letter to the item of £18. 9. 2 in respect of plate glass for which, as it is understood you were informed by Assessors, the State Insurance Company are liable.

Yours faithfully,

Messrs. Knowles & Sons,
27 Grafton Street.

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Dublin 26/3/17 19

Messrs Property Losses Cttee
Stephens Green

Dear Sirs

You will remember that when we received your final remittance in connection with the claim which we lodged for losses sustained during Easter week that we challenged this settlement on the basis that it was altogether inadequate. In view of your very peremptory reply however we took it that the settlement in our case was made on the same basis as that of every claim, and although we felt that we had a very serious grievance, we thought that we should be under the necessity of pocketing the loss with the best grace possible.

We are however very surprised to note from Fridays papers that the claim lodged by the Freemans Journal was quite obviously dealt with on an entirely different basis from our claim. In our case you advised us that a ~~very~~ substantial part of the items we included had been ruled out on the grounds of being consequential losses which under the terms of the reference, your Committee were unable to entertain. If that is so, on what grounds were the Freemans Journal paid their consequential losses? We hope you will not answer that question in any quibbling terms, because it is a very plain question

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and is capable of a very plain answer. We pay rates and taxes the same as the Freemans Journal, and we are entitled to exactly the same measure of protection, and to exactly the same basis of compensation, and what we want to know is why our case is dealt with differently to theirs? If we do not get a satisfactory answer to this query, we want you to understand that we will not allow the matter to rest where it is. We have no desire to create any unnecessary trouble. We are British by birth, and claim to be as patriotic as any British Citizen, but we demand fair play, and we intend to get it. We have gone very carefully over the various items of our claim, and we present the Analysis to you under the following headings.

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	£.	s.	d.
Loss of Stock	1080.	6.	5
Loss of Accessories.....	319.	18.	4
Damage to Building.....	161.	7.	0
Goods undelivered.....	15.	1.	7
Excess on cost.....	63.	1.	2
Advertising.....	4.	10.	0
Professional fees.....	13.	1.	0
Standing charges (including rent, Assistants wages, loss of profits etc).....	180.	0.	0
Damage to Telephones.....	10.	0.	0
Loss of Apples undelivered.....	20.	11.	6
Loss of Credit Dockets.....	7.	10.	0
Assistants' losses.....	4.	10.	0
	1879.	17.	0.

The payments we received against this claim were as follows:-

	£.	s.	D
Remittance for.....	1100.	0.	0
Remittance for.....	285.	0.	0
Credit Note from Messrs Dockrell.....	22.	3.	8
	1407	3.	8

We have no earthly conception as to how your Committee arrived at this settlement. We have cut and carved at the figures in every conceivable way to try and get some idea of what this basis was, but we failed entirely. Even assuming that we delete the amount claimed under all the Miscellaneous headings and leave only the amount claimed under Stock, Accessories and damage to Building, we find that you pay us a total sum of £1407. 3. 8 against items representing £1561. 11. 9 and this is after stripping the claim of every possible item to which you could take exception on any grounds whatever.

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If we add items to which in our opinion no exception could be taken we should certainly add the following:-

	£.	s.	d
Goods undelivered.....	15.	1.	7
Loss of Apples undelivered.....	20.	11.	6
Loss of Credit Dockets.....	7.	10.	0
Assistants' Losses.....	4.	10.	0
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This makes up a total of £1609. 4. 10 without adding a single penny of what could by any stretch of imagination be called Consequential losses, and we are therefore left with a loss of £202. 1. 2 in addition to Consequential Losses amounting to the difference between our total claim namely £1879. 17. 0 and 1609. 4. 10 = £270. 12. 2 From this is to be deducted £10 entered for Telephones which has not been claimed from us by the Post Office, leaving the amount at £260. 12. 2. In view of the settlement with the Freemans Journal, our concrete question amounts to this - Why should we lose this £260. 12. 2 and what is more important still, why have we to lose the other item of £202. 1. 2. We presume that we are at all events entitled to be told why these deductions have been made from our claim.

Yours faithfully

Knowles & Sons

12th February, /7.

re Claim No. 432.

Dear Sirs,

In reply to your letter of the 8th inst I beg to state that this claim was carefully investigated by the Committee and the sum awarded represents their valuation of the damage as at date of loss. In the circumstances the Committee regret that they cannot re-open the matter.

I am to add that £197.11.0 claimed in respect of advertising expenses, storing expenses and loss of profits was inadmissible by the Committee in view of the terms of reference.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

Messrs. Knowles & Sons,
27 Grafton Street,
Dublin.

FROM _____

KNOWLES & SONS,

GROWERS OF CHOICE FRUIT & FLOWERS,

27 GRAFTON STREET,

DUBLIN, 8/2/17 191.....

PATRONISED BY . . .
HIS MAJESTY THE
KING
PURVEYORS TO . . .
THE NOBILITY AND
GENTRY

BRANCHES IN
ABERDEEN. . . .
NURSERIES—
STRAWBERRY FARM
MANNOFIELD . . .
ORCHARDS—
SITTINGBOURNE .
KENT

P. Hely Esq

Property Losses (Ireland) Cttee

Dear Sir,

Replying to your favour of 6th we received ^a the first remittance of £1100 and have at the moment a draft in our possession for £285 sent to us as final settlement. In addition to this Messrs Dockrell sent us a Credit Note for £22. 3. 8. in reference to plate glass which was put in and which we included in our claim, so that we have really got a total sum of £1,407. 3. 8 against a claim of £1,879 17. 0. Deduct from this £10 entered for damage to telephones which however has not been claimed on us, and our net claim amounts to £1, 869. 17. 0. With this information before you we shall now be glad to hear from you as to whether we may use the draft for £285 without prejudice to any further efforts we may make toward getting ^a the larger sum for compensation. If we fail in doing this our loss will be a very severe one indeed, namely the difference between £1869. 17 and £1, 407. 3. 8 = £462. 13. 4.

Yours faithfully

Reply that this cl. was completely investigated by the Committee & the sum awarded represents their valuation of the damage as an act of loss. ~~but~~ in the case the Committee report that their award is for the matter, and this £197.11.0. paid in respect of avoirdupois, standing etc. & loss of profit was inadmissible by the Committee in view of the terms of reference. JWH 10/2

6th February, /7.

re claim No. 432.

Dear Sirs,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 2nd instant and to ask what was the total sum received from the Chief Secretary's Office in respect of your claim.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

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27 Grafton Street,
Dublin.

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27, Grafton Street,

Dublin 2/2/17 19

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The Secretary

Property Losses (Ireland) Cttee

51 Stephens Green

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Claim attached

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Dear Sir,

Referring to the enclosed letter, we recently received a draft from the Chief Secretary's Office for £285 as a final settlement of our Rebellion claim. This leaves us such a very serious loss in the matter that we wrote asking whether we would be permitted to cash the draft without prejudice to our legal rights, and pending the whole matter being submitted for your further consideration.

Your early reply will be regarded as a great favour.

We remain, dear Sir

Yours respectfully

Check when was the letter sent for. Was cl.

Secy's off. in favour of their claim

*MW
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Any reply to this communication should
be addressed to :—

THE UNDER SECRETARY,
DUBLIN CASTLE,

and the following number quoted.

CHIEF SECRETARY'S OFFICE,

DUBLIN CASTLE,

1st February, 1917.

Gentlemen,

I am directed by the Lord Lieutenant to acknowledge
the receipt of your card of the 31st ultimo relative to your
claim for compensation arising out of the recent disturbances
and in reply to suggest that you should communicate in the
matter with the Secretary of the Property Losses (Ireland)
Committee, 51 St. Stephen's Green, East.

I am,

Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

J. S. Taylor

Messrs Knowles & Sons,
27 Grafton Street,
Dublin.

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The Photo Glass Policy in

this case has not been returned

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Returned
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PROPERTY LOSSES (IRELAND) COMMITTEE, 1916.

51 ST. STEPHEN'S GREEN, E.

DUBLIN, 24/1/1917.

No 432 Knowles & Sons

27 Grafton St.

Mr Inspector.

The above claim includes £30. 15. 0 in respect of damage to buildings, out part of which £30 was allowed

Please ascertain whether damage to the extent of

£30 has been made good.

Y/25!

R.P.

not

25/1/17

Mr Taylor as info.

MA

25/1/17

3rd January, 1917

re Claim of Messrs. Knowles & Sons,
No. 432 - 6th List.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 1st instant re above, I beg to state that the information asked for can be furnished only by the Under Secretary, Dublin Castle.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

Robt. J. Kidney, Esq.,
12/14 College Green,
Dublin.

R. Stout 16th 16.
Claim attached. (2) 2/17
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The Dublin Fire & Property Losses Association (1916).

OFFICES: STAR BUILDINGS,
12/14 COLLEGE GREEN,
DUBLIN.

ROBERT J. KIDNEY, F.S.A.A.
SECRETARY.
Telephone 3726

1st. January, 1917.

James J. Healy,
Secretary,
Property Losses (Ireland) Committee,
51, St. Stephen's Green E.

Dear Sir,

Referring to the claim of Messrs Knowles & Sons, 27 Grafton Street, Schedule K.1/35 this firm informs me that they have received a Draft for £1100 and a Credit Note from Messrs Dockrell for £22, 3. 8. I shall be glad if you will inform me of the total figure on which their claim was arrived at as they are very anxious to obtain the balance if any due to them.

432. 6th line

Yours faithfully,

Robert J. Kidney
Secretary.

Healy has the information asked for come be furnished

only by the knowles & sons. W. Conley.

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Assessors Report.

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Claim No. 432 Name of Claimant Knowles & Sons, Fruiterers etc.,
of 27, Grafton Street, Dublin.

Situation of Property 27, Grafton St. & 1 & 2, Lemon 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
Stock in Trade.	£1191- 0-8	£750		£ 975	£750	£225
Office Furniture, Fixtures, Fittings, Utensils, etc.	442- 1-2	750		380	380	Nil
Buildings.	30-15-0	2100		30	30	Nil
+ Plate Glass.	18- 9-2	18-9-2		-	-	Nil
Advertising Expenses &c.	197-11-0	-		-	-	Nil
	1830 12 10					
TOTALS, £	1879-17-0	£3618-9-2		£1385	£1160	£225

Interests in the buildings

+ The Insurance Company are liable in this case.

W. Dunlop
23rd August 1916.

Award of Committee: Contents *Insurance basis*
do. Buildings *1385 12 10*

£1385 12 10

Assessors Report.

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Stock in Trade	£1191 -0-8	£ 750		£ 975	£ 750	£ 225
Office Furniture, Fixtures, Fittings Utensils, etc.	442 -1-2	750		380	380	N11
Buildings	30-15-0	2100		30	30	N11
+ Plate Glass	18- 9-2	18-9-2		18-9-2	18-9-2	N11
Advertising Expenses etc.	197-11-0	-		-	-	N11
TOTALS, £	1879-17-02	3818-9-2		£1403-9-2	£1178-9-2	£ 225

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Total £ 1385 0 0 116 0 0

Interests in the buildings

+ The Insurance Co are liable Wm Montgomery & Son
in this case —————
Assessor

5th August 1916.

Award of Committee: Contents

do. Buildings

GOVERNMENT COMPENSATION CLAIMS.

WM. MONTGOMERY & SON,
INSURANCE ASSESSORS,
VALUERS AND SURVEYORS, &c.

Temporary Offices.

3 College Green,

Dublin, 17th August 1916.

J. J. Healy, Esq., Secretary,
Property Losses (Ireland) Committee, 1916. Dublin.

Dear Sir,

Re Claim- Knowles No. 432.

With reference to the Plate Glass loss of £18 - 9 - 2 in this case, it appears that the Policy is dated July 1910 and has no Warranty against loss by Civil Commotion. This Warranty is on all the other Policies we have seen. It is being put on all the Companies Policies of issue latterly. If you wish us to amend the figures, kindly send us the Report, and we will send you an amended one.

Yours faithfully,

W. Montgomery & Co.

1 copy of Report sent to Messrs W. & Co. 18/8/16

Assessors Report.

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Office Furniture, Fixtures, Fittings Utensils, etc.	442 -1-2	750		380	380	Nil
Buildings	30-15-0	2100		30	30	Nil
Plate Glass	18- 9-2	18-9-2		18-9-2	18-9-2	Nil
Advertising Expenses etc.	197-11-0	-		-	-	Nil
TOTALS, £	1879-17-0	£3618-9-2		£1403-9-2	£1178-9- 2	£ 225

Interests in the buildings

Wm Montgomery Son

Wm to Knowles further inquiry

Assessor

5th August 1916.

Award of Committee: Contents

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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.

I James Rankhust Knowles
We (of the firm of Knowles & Sons) now residing

at Rochester Terrace PK in the ~~City~~ County of Dublin

do hereby solemnly and sincerely declare that on or about the 26th day of April 1916, damage was done to the undermentioned Property, namely:—*

27 Grafton St. and 1 & 2 Lemon St Dublin

and such damage was occasioned to the best of ^{my}our belief by** Looking

* State situation of property damaged.
** 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 ~~us~~

as Owners of the Goods & Lessees of the premises; and that no person is interested in the said property except ourselves

† 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.

and that it is not insured by ^{me} or any other person, § except as follows, namely:—
Century Insurance Coy Policy No. 059471 Amount £ 600
British General Policy No. 13610 Amount £ 1500
Fire and General Policy No. 464438 Amount £ 1920
State Ass^o of Cy for Plate Glas " 11179 " £
Annual Premium " £1-15-0 " £

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 21st day of

July 1916, at 81 Grafton St in the said City, County,

before me, a Justice of the Peace for the said City County. Fred G. Caldwell JP

Signature of Claimant J. Knowles
Knowles & Sons

NOTE—This Claim 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.	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>Stock.</u>													
<u>Front Shop:-</u>													
Unopened:-													
5 cases Oranges	5	0	0	5	0	0				5	0	0	
6 " Apples	4	4	0	4	4	0				4	4	0	
18 Wreaths	15	0	0	15	0	0				15	0	0	
15 Metallic Wreaths	12	10	0	12	10	0				12	10	0	
9 Drawers of Shelled Nuts	13	10	0	13	10	0				13	10	0	
12 " Artificial flowers etc													
(Included in 1 st Floor Stock)													
12 Baskets Nuts	6	0	0	6	0	0				6	0	0	
Oranges in Beams	3	0	0	3	0	0				3	0	0	
2 bs. Oranges	2	16	0	2	16	0				2	16	0	
2 " "	2	12	0	2	12	0				2	12	0	
2 " "	1	16	0	1	16	0				1	16	0	
2 " "	1	12	0	1	12	0				1	12	0	
1 " "		16	0		16	0					16	0	
2 " Seedless	1	15	0	1	15	0				1	15	0	
2 " Bloods	1	12	0	1	12	0				1	12	0	
Apples in Baskets on Beams													
= 7 cases Apples	4	18	0	4	18	0				4	18	0	
2 " Lemons	1	12	6	1	12	6				1	12	6	
2 Boxes Tomatoes		10	0		10	0					10	0	
1 Box Prunes 25 lbs		12	6		14	8					14	8	
1 " " "		11	6		14	7					14	7	
1 " " "		10	5		12	6					12	6	
1 " Apricots 25 lbs		16	8		1	0	10				1	0	10
Carried forward.	81	14	7	82	6	1				82	6	1	

PARTICULARS OF THE CLAIM. (continued).

(TO BE GIVEN IN DETAIL.)

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Brought forward.	81	14	7	82	6	1				82	6	1
<u>Front Shop (Contd.)-</u>												
1 Box Apricots 25 lbs.		14	7		18	8					18	8
2 Bags Figs 56 lbs	1	3	4	1	5	8				1	5	8
1 Box Egyptian Dates 20 lbs		9	2		9	2					9	2
1 " Fruit Salad 22 lbs		13	9		13	9					13	9
1 Bas. French Beans 10 lbs.		10	10		10	10					10	10
4 Doz. Cues	1	0	0	1	0	0				1	0	0
2 Bbls. Cooking Apples	2	10	0	2	10	0				2	10	0
2 Bas. Jersey Potatoes	1	0	0	1	0	0				1	0	0
1 Bas. Beans		10	10		10	10					10	10
<u>Large Window:-</u>												
2 Cases Pines	3	0	0	3	0	0				3	0	0
24 Baskets Various	9	12	0	9	12	0				9	12	0
2 Dg. Bottled Fruits	1	0	0	1	0	0				1	0	0
4 bs. Libby's (assorted.)	4	0	0	4	0	0				4	0	0
2 Boxes Plums	1	8	0	1	8	0				1	8	0
2 " Pears		13	6		13	6					13	6
1 Case Canary Potatoes		16	0		16	0					16	0
2 Bas. French Beans	1	0	0	1	0	0				1	0	0
36 Cues		15	0		15	0					15	0
1 Bas. Grapes	1	10	0	1	10	0				1	10	0
4 Boxes Pears	1	7	0	1	7	0				1	7	0
1 " Plums		14	0		14	0					14	0
Asparagus etc.	1	0	0	1	0	0				1	0	0
6 Shelves (each containing about 100 Jms. Bottles) = 600 @ 9 ^o	22	0	0	22	0	0				22	0	0
	139	2	7	140	0	6				140	0	6

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<i>Brought forward,</i>	139	2	7	140	0	6				140	0	6
<i>Large Window (contd.)</i>												
<i>9 Doz. Pks. Peas</i>	1	10	0	1	10	0				1	10	0
<i>Memorial Tablets</i>	1	0	0	1	0	0				1	0	0
<i>Stand:-</i>												
<i>Apricot Pulp</i>	1	0	0	1	0	0				1	0	0
<i>Italians Pears. Jamiesons.</i>												
<i>(Included in 1st Floor Stock.)</i>												
<i>Back Shop:</i>												
<i>Basement:-</i>												
<i>2 Tons Skerry Blue Potatoes</i>												
<i>3 " other "</i>												
<i>40 Bags Egyptian Onions</i>	45	0	0	45	0	0				45	0	0
<i>8 Cases Valencia "</i>	11	0	0	11	0	0				11	0	0
<i>Bags Carrots</i>												
<i>" Parsnips</i>												
<i>" Swedes</i>												
<i>Miscellaneous Vegs.</i>												
<i>Including Tuesday's Purchases</i>												
<i>Ground Floor:-</i>												
<i>Potatoes. Parsnips.</i>												
<i>Carrots. Turnips.</i>												
<i>Vegs.</i>												
<i>Carried Forward</i>	228	12	7	229	10	6				229	10	6

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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.

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We now residing

at in the City of
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do hereby solemnly and sincerely declare that on or about the day of

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* State situation of property damaged.

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

** Here state cause of damage.

And I further declare that the Property and Articles specified on the other side were
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the said property except‡

‡ 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.

..... Company, Policy No., Amount £

..... " " " " £

..... " " " " £

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 day of

..... 1916, at

..... in the said City,
County,

before me, a Justice of the Peace for the said

City
County.

Signature }
of Claimant }
Claimants }

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PARTICULARS OF THE CLAIM.

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
	6											
<u>Stock. (Contd.)</u>												
<u>Brwt for</u>												
	228	12	7	229	10	6				229	10	6
<u>First Floor:-</u>												
20 Cts. Oranges per Scholfield's Invoice 19 th	17	14	7	17	14	7				17	14	7
8 " " per Hanson's Invoice 17 th & 20 th say	9	10	0	9	10	0				9	10	0
6 " Seedless S. B. Sharp	7	16	0	7	16	0				7	16	0
5 " Bloods say 16/-	4	0	0	4	0	0				4	0	0
4 " "	2	16	0	2	16	0				2	16	0
3 " Yaffa Seed	3	18	0	3	18	0				3	18	0
5 Various	4	10	0	4	10	0				4	10	0
10 Tons Potatoes												
5 Cts. Lemons	3	5	0	3	5	0				3	5	0
5 Bundles Tomatoes	4	10	0	4	10	0				4	10	0
6 Cases New Potatoes	4	10	0	4	10	0				4	10	0
40 " Pears	13	10	0	13	10	0				13	10	0
Ticklers goods (complete)	19	1	6	19	1	6				19	1	6
120 Cases Apples	84	0	0	84	0	0				84	0	0
100 Cases Fruit Salad	57	10	0	57	10	0				57	10	0
5 " Dates O. S. 250 lbs.												
5 " " Egyptian 100 lbs.	7	13	0	7	13	0				7	13	0
10 " Dried Apricots 50's	17	5	3	17	5	3				17	5	3
40 " " " 25's	34	0	0	37	10	0				37	10	0
140 " Prunes 25's	77	0	0	105	0	0				105	0	0
20 " " " 50's	26	0	0	26	0	0				26	0	0
20 Boxes Figs. Hanson's	8	10	0	8	10	0				8	10	0
Carried forward,	635	11	11	667	19	10				667	19	10
										438	9	4

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
	<i>Brought forward.</i>	635	11	11	667	19	10				667	19
<i>First Floor. (contd): -</i>												
20 Bags Higs Hansons	13	0	0	13	0	0				13	0	0
2 Tons Parsnips	17	0	0	17	0	0				17	0	0
Costa's ginger as per invoice	4	10	0	4	10	0				4	10	0
2 Cases Fruit Salad (Lins)	2	12	0	2	12	0				2	12	0
15 " Walnuts	67	10	0	67	10	0				67	10	0
4 Sacks Brazils	22	0	0	22	0	0				22	0	0
6 Bags Hazelnuts	12	0	0	15	0	0				15	0	0
1 " Almonds	2	4	0	2	4	0				2	4	0
3 " Monkey Nuts	3	12	0	4	10	0				4	10	0
3 Boxes Almonds	6	15	0	6	15	0				6	15	0
30 Trays Muscatels	8	10	0	8	10	0				8	10	0
6 Boxes "	8	2	0	8	2	0				8	2	0
Libbys goods	90	0	0	100	0	0				100	0	0
6 lbs. Asparagus (Libbys)	5	14	9	6	15	0				6	15	0
R. & J. Jamiesons	30	0	0	30	0	0				30	0	0
Artificial flowers.												
Gnaphalium Wax flowers	40	0	0	40	0	0				40	0	0
Lichen Moss etc.												
Heinz goods	2	0	0	2	0	0				2	0	0
1 Brl. Peanuts	2	0	0	2	0	0				2	0	0
5 lbs. Siakh Dates	3	0	0	3	15	0				3	15	0
1 " Turban	1	12	0	1	12	0				1	12	0
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<i>Banana Room Floor: -</i>												
65 lbs. Bananas	35	2	9	35	2	9				35	2	9
Pears (Included in 1st Floor Stock)												
<i>Carried forward.</i>	1012	16	3	1060	17	7				1060	17	7
										392	17	9

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Brought forward,													
ADD:-													
S. B. Sharp. } April 24	5	16	9	5	16	9				5	16	9	
from London } " 25	6	3	1	6	3	1				6	3	1	
goods sent, not delivered. } " 24	2	13	10	2	13	10				2	13	10	
Mono ditto " "	5	2	3	5	2	3				5	2	3	
" ditto " "													
Shackle ditto from Higginmore 25		16	8		16	8					16	8	
Assistants Losses ^{mostly} _{wear and tear} ^{apparel}	4	10	0	4	10	0				4	10	0	
Loss on Weddells Apples	76	3	5	76	3	5	55	11	11	20	11	6	
Loss of Credit Dockets say	7	10	0	7	10	0				7	10	0	
	1045	9	0	1093	10	2				1093	10	2	
Add - Sheets A.B.C.D.	224	10	4	217	10	4				217	10	4	
" Cash Register per NCR Corp Letter restricted to										75			
" Loss on Weddells Apples	76	3	5	76	3	5	55	11	11	20	11	6	
" Damage to safe per ^{estimate} Helmer										27	8		
" Docketells etc.										30	12		
" Keatings estimate										130	12		
" Telephones - (3)										10			
" Advertising re-opening										4	10		
" Professional services													
712 Smiths % 12.0.01										13	1		
Assn % 1.1.01													
" Standing charges and Loss of Profit										180			
										£	1802	18	0
Credit note from S.B. Sharp for goods undelivered											5	11	0
Add 15 Tons Potatoes	67	10	0	82	10	0				1797	7	0	
										82	10	0	
							£			1879	17	0	

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	<u>Accessories Etc.</u>											
<u>Front Basement! -</u> <u>Empties - Say</u>	10	0	0	10	0	0				10	0	0 ✓
<u>Back Basement</u>												
400 Empty bags @ 1/6	6	13	4	6	13	4				6	13	4 ✓
150 Bags @ 1/6	2	10	0	2	10	0				2	10	0 ✓
<u>Ground Floor</u>												
100 Bags	1	13	4	1	13	4				1	13	4 ✓
Floral baskets } Wire Tinfoil, }	7	10	0	7	10	0				7	10	0 ✓
40 Empties @ 1/2	2	0	0	2	0	0				2	0	0 ✓
cloak Room Tickets	2	0	0	2	0	0				2	0	0 ✓
Letter Books	19	0		19	0					19	0	0 ✓
Block of cash scoops } from cash desk }	1	0	0	1	0	0				1	0	0 ✓
Paper Files, Paper-bags, Post boxes, Oil Stoves, Stationery, Twines, Twine-holders, Rope, Folders, Labels, Inkstand, cash Box, Rubber Stamps Prize Medals, Zink Baths	10	0	0	10	0	0				10	0	0 ✓
<i>Carried forward,</i>	44	5	8	44	5	8				44	5	8

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>Brought forward,</i>	44	5	8	44	5	8				44	5	8
<u>Ground Floor (contd)</u>												
Typewriter (Underwood Standard)	21	0	0	17	10	0				17	10	0
Charcoal Stove	1	0	0	1	0	0				1	0	0
Large Office Chair	12	6		12	6					12	6	
Three Office Cushions	15	0		15	0					15	0	
Leather " Seat	10	0		10	0					10	0	
Footstool & Mat	5	0		5	0					5	0	
Radiators (Electric)	1	0	0	1	0	0				1	0	0
3 Shop Chairs	15	0		15	0					15	0	
1 Set of Iron Weights (for Potato Machine Newmans)	2	19		2	19	0				2	19	0
3 Sets Brass Weights	4	10		4	10	0				4	10	0
5 Weighing Machines	17	10		17	10	0				17	10	0
1 " (Potato)	5	13		5	13	0				5	13	0
1 " (Steelyard)	11	17		11	17	0				11	17	0
1 Paper Machine	1	10	0	1	10	0				1	10	0
Hammers 10/- } Saws 10/- }	1	0	0	1	0	0				1	0	0
100 Show Trays	10	0	0	10	0	0				10	0	0
3 Doz. Vases	2	0	0	2	0	0				2	0	0
Special Long Vases	2	0	0	2	0	0				2	0	0
Metal Flower Stands	2	0	0	2	0	0				2	0	0
" " Adjustable	1	0	0	1	0	0				1	0	0
Bicycle	13	10	0	10	0	0				10	0	0
Sackbarrow	1	1	0	1	1	0				1	1	0
<i>Carried forward,</i>	146	13	2	139	13	2				139	13	2

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward,	146	13	2	139	13	2				139	13	2
<u>Ground Floor (contd)</u>												
Patent Windowstand	2	2	0	2	2	0				2	2	0
<u>First Floor</u>												
Twine, Rope, Wire, Tin foil, Tissue Paper, Butter " } Baskets, Labels, Nails, Tacks, Paper Bags, Pails } block	15	0	0	15	0	0				15	0	0
2 Sets of Rubber Stamps } for marking tickets.	2	2	0	2	2	0				2	2	0
<u>Banana Room Floor</u>												
Banana Knife		1	6		1	6					1	6
<u>Old Banana Room</u>												
Glass covers for bases	3	0	0	3	0	0				3	0	0
Order Books, refills, (Petty's)	10	0	0	10	0	0				10	0	0
Coal, Charcoal, } Paper }	2	10	0	2	10	0				2	10	0
<u>Lobby</u>												
Paper Bags etc	7	10	0	7	10	0				7	10	0
Car for?	189	5	2	182	5	2				182	5	2

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
	<u>Accessories Etc</u> <u>Bot 70¹⁰</u>	189	5	2	182	5	2				182	5
<u>Office</u>												
Pass books, stationery, a/c books, Envelopes, Inkstands, Rubber Stamps, Fireirons Coal Vase, Maps.	7	10	0	7	10	0				7	10	0
Typewriter damaged (per Underwood's)	1	15	0	1	15	0				1	15	0
3 Large Office chairs	1	5	0	1	5	0				1	5	0
4 Cushions	1	0	0	1	0	0				1	0	0
Hairskin Rug	8	6		8	6					8	6	
Office Table cover.	5	0		5	0					5	0	
<u>Pictures</u>	1	0	0	1	0	0				1	0	0
<u>Attics</u>												
10 Gross Wire Frames	2	1	8	2	1	8				2	1	8
Folders, Wreath boxes	2	0	0	2	0	0				2	0	0
Post boxes, Shamrock boxes	20	0	0	20	0	0				20	0	0
Rolls of Brown Paper, Strawberry Punnets, Whip baskets	20	0	0	20	0	0				20	0	0
Carried forward,	224	10	4	217	10	4				217	10	4

Knowles & Sons.

Growers of Choice Fruit & Flowers,
27 Grafton Street,

also at
Aberdeen & Kent.

Dublin 21/7/16 19

The Secretary,

Property Losses Committee,

51 St. Stephen's Green, East.

Dear Sir,

We beg to send herewith, copy, in duplicate, of our claim in connection with losses sustained during the recent troubles in Dublin, together with what we trust will be sufficient to meet your requirements in connection with our Insurance policies and receipts.

Yours faithfully.

Knowles & Sons

*ACKD
& entered 21.7.16
J.D.B.*

TELEPHONE Nos. 1049 & 1050.

Memorandum.

TELEGRAMS :—" PINEAPPLE. DUBLIN."

Reg No 432

FROM _____

PATRONISED BY
HIS MAJESTY THE
KING
PURVEYORS TO
THE NOBILITY AND
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KNOWLES & SONS,

GROWERS OF CHOICE FRUIT & FLOWERS



27 GRAFTON STREET,

DUBLIN, May 9th 1916. 191.....

M.A.

Wm. Knowles

Sir John Maxwell,
Dublin Castle

Dear Sir,

Referring to the recent disturbances we suffered losses by the looting of our stock and by damage to our premises, fittings and utensils. We will make an exact statement of our loss as quickly as possible and shall be glad if you will provide us in the meantime with proper official form on which to make up our claim.

Yours respectfully

Liability form

Knowles