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Wm M. Lawrence.
(Lawrence's Son)

REPORTED ON BY COMMITTEE.

16 SEP. 1916

Ince Policies (5) Direct
retd
Jm 24.10.16

25th January 7

re Claim No. 469.
Wm. M. Laurence.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 24th instant I beg to state that the £8,750 referred to is the balance of the award in respect of the claim for Stock and Fixtures and Fittings etc.

A further report has been called for regarding the rent loss which was covered by Insurance.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

George Green, Esq.,
52 Dame Street,
Dublin.

GEORGE GREEN,
SOLICITOR.
TELEPHONE No. 625.

52, DAME STREET,
DUBLIN. 24th Jany. 1918.

Re Claim No. 469.

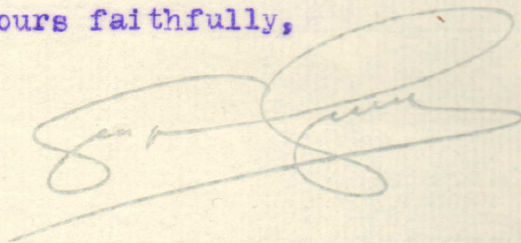
(Mr. M. Lawrence
5.677 4th Sackville St.)

Dear Sir:-

My Client, Mr. Wm. M. Lawrence has received a further draft or paying order for £8750 from Dublin Castle stating to be in full discharge of above claim. Would you please let me know if this amount is in respect of buildings or fixtures fittings and stock. In the claim for £26,260:2:8: which Mr. Lawrence lodged for stock etc. there was included a sum for £3284:6:5: for rents and profits, which rents and profits were covered by Policies of Insurance which were lodged with you. I assume the assessors, if they have not already done so, will in Mr. Lawrence's case allow at least one years rent of the premises as has been done in similar cases where such rents were insured.

Kindly let me hear from you at your early convenience.

Yours faithfully,



Secretary,

Property Losses (Ireland) Committee

51 St. Stephens Green, Dublin.

*Reply that the £8750 refers to
is the balance of the claim in respect of the cl.
for Morte, fixtures & fittings to
a further J.J. Healy Esq.
the amounts which was covered in Insurance*

*gmd
24/1/18*

15th Sept.

Claim No.469.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 13th inst.,
I beg to say that a Schedule of Recommendations,
which includes the Committee's recommendation
in your case, is going to the Irish Government
to-day.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

William M. Lawrence Esq.,
~~5, 6, & 7 Upr. Sackville St.,~~
Dublin.

19 Paper St.

Replies to:—19 GRAFTON STREET.

Dear Sir,

Can you give me any idea when I may expect to receive settlement of my claim for Stock, Fixtures & Fittings &c. &c. If we cannot receive full settlement within the next fortnight we will esteem it a favour your kindly arranging with the Commission to let us have an advance on account, say for £10,000. Our Creditors are pressing us very strongly for settlement of the amounts due to them, and unless we receive payment of our claim or portion of it shortly, we are afraid we will have to take protection of the Court, as our Creditors are putting their accounts into their Solicitors hands for collection.

I wrote to you about an advance on
account about a month ago, but so far
have received no reply.

Yours faithfully

Wm Lawrence

Wm Lawrence jun

To

J. J. Healy Esq

Property Losses (Ireland) Committee 1916.

26th August 1916.

Assessors Report. on Contents Claim.

Claim No. 469 Name of Claimant William Mervyn Lawrence (Trading as Lawrence & Son) Photographer, Athletic Outfitter, &c, &c.
Situation of Property 5, 6, & 7 Upper 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
Stock-in-Trade	18,324:8:0	10,000	.....	16,000	10,000	6,000
Fixtures, Fittings, Furniture, &c, &c.,	4,116:8:3	1,000	.....	3,300	1,000	2,300
Photographic Apparatus	535:0:0	500	.....	450	450	.....
Consequential Loss	3,284:6:5	3,000	.....	.....	1,985	.....
TOTALS, £	26,260:2:8	14,500	.....	21,735 19,750	13,435	8,300

~~Interests in the buildings.~~

The Building and Contents were destroyed by Fire.

The Consequential Loss is based on a period of Nine Months, the limit in the Policy.

Walter James Long


Award of Committee: Contents

do.

Buildings

Insurance B

£19,750 WJ

 LAWRENCE & SON,
Cricket & Lawn Tennis,
FOOT BALLS
TOYS & FANCY GOODS,
JEWELLERY, ELECTRO PLATE, &c.

5, 6, & 7, Upper Sackville Street, 469

Dublin, 9th August 1916.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS "LAWRENCE, DUBLIN."

Replies to:—19 GRAFTON STREET.

The Secretary,
Property Losses Committee.

Dear Sir,

With reference to our claim, number 469 for Stock £18,324.8.0, Fixtures and Fittings £4,116.8.3, total £22,440.16.3, we are very urgently wanting money at the present time and our Creditors are pressing us severely for payment of their accounts, and will esteem it a favour the Committee, if they could possibly do so, arranging to make us an advance on account of this claim. The total amount due to our Creditors at the present time is about £7,000 and would like to have it the earliest date possible.

Thanking you in anticipation.

Yours truly,

Intro us. of claim

9/8/16

469 15 hours

thence 7/8

A. M. W.

William M. Lawrence

W. Lawrence jun

I Ack. Done. 11.5. 9/8/16.

II Refers to hours thence.

gmd

9/8/16

469
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.

ackd 1/8/16
I ~~We~~ William Merwyn Lawrence Trading as Lawrence & Son now residing
at 19 Grafton Street (offices) in the City of Dublin
County

do hereby solemnly and sincerely declare that on or about the 25th day of April

1916, damage was done to the undermentioned Property, namely:—* 5, 6, & 7 Up: Sackville Street,

10 Cathedral Street, & revers of nos 2 to 7 Up: Sackville Street Dublin

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

and Fire

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† Owner; and that no person is interested in

the said property except‡ myself.

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

Norwich Union Insurance Co. Loss of Profits Policy No 6968696 £3000

Norwich Union Insurance Co. Company, Policy No. 7056041, Amount £4750

County " " 2188873 £3500

Hand-in-Hand (Commercial) " " 7242410 £3500

Royal Exchange " " 4617778 £2750

£14500

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 Twenty-seventh

1916, at 8 Westmoreland

St. Dublin in the said City,
County

before me, a Justice of the Peace for the said

City
County

William M Lawrence

Signature }
of Claimant }

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.



Salvage.	Amount Claimed.
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Carried forward,

PARTICULARS OF THE CLAIM. (continued).

(TO BE GIVEN IN DETAIL.)

William Mervyn Lawrence, trading as Lawrence & Son at 5, 6, and 7,
Upper Sackville Street, 10, Cathedral Street, and rerers of Nos. 2 to 7 Upr.

Sackville Street;

The Stock Sheets of January 31st 1916, were all found in the Safe, ~~except~~
except the Portrait and Amateur Stock, certified for at £266.

The Stock Sheets were repriced at present cost.

<u>Stock as at January 31st. 1916</u>	<u>New Cost.</u>		
Fancy	2636	19	2 3161 4 8
Toys	3604	11	5 4987 1 .
No. 5; Framing and Wholesale	3430	12 11	5054 2 3
Stationery	1242	14 4	1504 15 /
Portrait Stock	266	. .	319 4 .
Total Stock Sheets January 31st 1916.	11180	7 10	

Total Value same Stock on April 25. 1916. 15026 7 .

<u>Framed Specimen Portraits</u>	221	. .
<u>Hiring out articles for Bazaars &c.</u>	84	17 .
ditto <u>Dissolving Lantern&Slides</u>	100	. .
<u>Travellers Samples, taken always at</u>	32	10 .
<u>Special Entries per Original List</u>	202	11 3
" " <u>Easter Eggs (Book burnt) Est.</u>	50	. .
<u>Portrait Negatives, 2660 @ 2/- each</u>	266	. .
<u>View Negatives, 500 at 10/- each</u>	250	. .
<u>Transparencies of Irish Scenery from</u> } 5400 @ 6d	135	. .
<u>Original Negatives.</u> } 1800 @ 9d	67	10 .
<u>Work partly Completed. Estimate.</u>	100	. .
<u>South African Negatives, 100 and</u> }	100	. .
<u>Albums of prints from same.</u> }		
<u>100 Coloured Drawings of Irish Life</u> }	315	. .
<u>Subjects for reproduction purposes @ £3.3.0 each.</u> }		

Total Stock at January 31st 1916. Carried Forward. £ 16950.15 .3

Items not included on Original
Stock Sheets.

Total Stock at January 31st 1916.	Brought Forward					16950.15	.3
<u>Add Purchases since to April 22nd 1916.</u>							
as per Invoices from Firms from whom goods were purchased.		2756	8	11			
Less Destroyed B and I Stores, Northwall (for which separate claim has been made.)					14.0.10		
Less Goods returned (£12.12.0) say		10.0.0	24	0	10	2732	8 1
Less Sales at Nett Cost from January 31. 1916 to April 22nd 1916.						19683	3 4
						1358	15 4
<u>Insurance £10,000</u>	<u>Total Estimated Stock at April 24th 1916.</u>					£ 18324	8 .
<u>Fixtures and Fittings</u>							
As per Plans, drawn up, Estimated &c. at cost on April 25. 1916.						4037.17.	6
<u>Office Stationery.</u>						78.10.	9
<u>Insurance £1,000.</u>	<u>Total Fixtures, Fitting & Stationery</u>					£ 4116	8 3
<u>Photographic Apparatus</u>							
<u>As Estimates at Value</u> <u>on April 25. 1916.</u>						535	. .
<u>Insurance £500.</u>							

<u>Rents Paid 5 Upper Sackville Street</u>	22	8	6			
" " 6 " " "	30	17	8			
" " 7 " " "	190	.	.			
	243	6	2			
<u>Ground Rent, 10, Cathedral Street and</u>						
<u>Reres Nos. 2 to 7 Upper Sackville St.</u>	2	13	4	245	19	6
<u>Interest on Mortgage on £5000 @ 5%</u>	250	.	.			
" " " £1550	69	15	.			
<u>Premiums of Life of King George V.</u>	93	16	6			
<u>Interest to Bank.</u>	92	8	11	506	.	5
<u>Salaries, Staff & Mr. Turner, Operator.</u>	60	.	.			
" <u>Half Mr. Taylors as stamped Agreement.</u>	125	.	.			
" <u>Mr. Needham. 10 weeks</u>	30	.	.			
" <u>Bookkeeper</u>	50	.	.			
" <u>Typist</u>	26	.	.			
" <u>Mr. Wm. Lawrence. jun.</u>	250	.	.	541	.	.
				✓ 1292	19	11
<u>Less Rents Receivable</u> Tyler & Sons for						
29, Nth. Earl Street.				✓ 250	.	.
				✓ 1042	19	11
<u>Add Loss of Profits (3 years average)</u>				✓ 1146	11	.
<u>Total Loss for One Year</u>				✓ 2189	10	11
Dont expect to be re-established for at least						
2 years :- Say 1½ years						
Extra Half Year.				1094	15	6
<u>Total Loss of Rents, Profits, Expenses &c.</u>				✓ 3284	6	5
<u>Insurance £3000</u>						