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Prescotts Dye Works,  
Wm Prescott decd. per Trustees, -  
per John Prescott.  
Wm John Robinson.

REPORTED ON BY COMMITTEE

RECEIVED

15 NOV. 1916

Insurance Policy Retd.

1003 <sup>2</sup>/<sub>17</sub>

# Assessors Report.

Claim No. 4657 Name of Claimant John Prescott, Dyer & Cleaner,

Situation of Property 8, Lower Abbey 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
Fixtures and Fittings.	114 10 0	50	...	100	50	50
TOTALS, £	114 10 0	50	...	100	50	50

This cancels Report No. 4652 sent in on 3rd October 1916 for £850.

Interests in the buildings. John Prescott and Co-Trustees John Robinson and William Prescott representing Prescotts Dye Works, interested in above.

*M. M. M. M. M.*  
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19TH OCTOBER 1916

Award of Committee: Contents 100 WM

do. Buildings

**REPORTED ON BY COMMITTEE**

Property Losses (Ireland) Committee, 1916.

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

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

I We JOHN PRESCOTT now residing

at 82 Talbot Street in the City of Dublin Dyer and Cleaner County

do hereby solemnly and sincerely declare that on or about the 24th day of April and the 1st day of May 1916, damage was done to the undermentioned Property, namely:—\*Mixtures and

Fittings at No. 8 Lower Abbey Street Dublin

and such damage was occasioned to the best of my belief by\*\* being completely destroyed by Fire

And I further declare that the Property and Articles specified on the other side were We 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 one of the Trustees of Prescotts Dye Works

the said property except † myself and Co-Trustees John Robinson and William Prescott representing Prescotts Dye works

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

Hibernian Fire & General Insurance Company, Policy No. 7387, Amount £50. 0. 0

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..... " " " " £ .....

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 5th day of

October 1916, at 32

Talbot Street in the said City, County,

before me, a Justice of the Peace for the said

City County.— Wm Seville, J.P.

Signature of Claimant of Claimants } John Prescott

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.

\* 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.

# 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.
Shop back and front about 45 feet in length - had six rows of Shelving about 18 inches wide divided into sections	40	0	0									
Mahogany Counters fitted with Drawers with Desk about 20 feet long	30	0	0									
Glass Partition dividing shop	15	0	0									
2 window Screens	1	10	0									
Shop covered with Inland Linoleum - 2 Tables 6 Fancy Shop chairs	9	0	0									
Enclosed Glass case with Mahogany Press underneath fitted with Shelves	10	0	0									
Gas Fittings throughout	5	0	0									
Massive Brass sign	4	0	0									
	<u>£ 114</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>							£ 114	0	0

John Prescott

J.P.

Carried forward,

Property Losses (Ireland) Committee, 1916.

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

4652

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

I John Prescott now residing at 87 Talbot Street in the City of Dublin between the 24th day of April and the 1st day of May 1916, damage was done to the undermentioned Property, namely: - Abbey Street in the City of Dublin.

and such damage was occasioned to the best of my belief by\*\* being Completely destroyed by 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 trustee of the Trustees of Prescott & Co. and that no person is interested in the said property except myself and Co-trustees John Robinson and William Prescott representing Prescott & Co. and the Trustees of the Methodist Church as lessors and that it is not insured by me or any other person, § except as follows, namely: -

- Worlesham Methodist Trust Insurance Company, Policy No. 19437, Amount £ 800-0-0
Hebrewian Fire General Insurance, Policy No. 7387, Amount £ 50-0-0

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 10th day of August 1916, at 87 Talbot Street in the said City, County,

before me, a Justice of the Peace for the said City County. Wm Seville J.P.

Signature of Claimant of Claimants John Prescott

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.

Lodged by: Dobbin & Co. 65 L. Gardiner St. Dublin

# PARTICULARS OF THE CLAIM.

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Premises Nos lower Abbey Street Dublin	1200	00	00	800	00	00	Nil			800	00	00
Fittings, Shelving, counter, blond Lem, chairs Tables	100	00	00	60	00	00	Nil			60	00	00
Rating Committee of Dublin Corporation										5	3	6
										865	3	6
Carried forward,												



John Pressed

**PARTICULARS OF THE CLAIM.** (continued).

(TO BE GIVEN IN DETAIL.)

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<i>Brought forward.</i>												
Shop back and front about 45 feet in length had six rows of shelving about 18 inches wide divided into Sections												
Mahogany Counters fitted with Drawers with Desk about 20 feet long												
Glass Partition dividing Shop												
Two window screens												
Shop covered with Inlaid Linoleum												
Two Tables												
Six Fancy Shop Chairs	120	0	0							60	0	0
<i>Carried forward.</i>												

800  
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914

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DOBBYN & M<sup>c</sup> COY.  
Solicitors.  
ARCH<sup>d</sup> S. M<sup>c</sup> COY. **E**  
JAMES M<sup>c</sup> COY.  
\*E. SAMUEL LOWE.  
\*(Comm<sup>r</sup> for Oaths)  
TELEPHONE N<sup>o</sup> 1579.

Offices, 65 St. Gardiner St.  
Dublin 12th Septr. 1916.

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Sir,

Claim 4652

John Prescott -

Premises 8 Lr Abbey Street, Dublin

We are instructed to forward for consideration of your Committee the enclosed Account from the Paving Committee of the Corporation of Dublin for £5. 3. 6, Labourers work etc., removing Debris and preventing danger to Public after property was destroyed by fire.

We are, Sir,

Yours faithfully,

*Walter M. ...*

Where is cl. in this case?  
gnd  
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and then under to cl.

The Secretary,

Property Bosses (Ireland) Committee,

51 St Stephens Green E.

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Messrs Percott

14 Aug. 1916.

do Messrs. Dobbin + McCay

In Account with the Corporation of Dublin,

Paving.

Committee.

**"Cheques should be made payable to the City Treasurer, crossed and sent to him direct."**

Official Receipts only are recognized.

1916

THIS A/C MUST BE PRODUCED AT TIME OF PRESENT. PAYMENTS RECEIVED ON ALL OFFICE DAYS (EXCEPT SATURDAY) FROM 10 TILL 3 O'CLOCK.

May 17

To work @ S. Lr. Abbey St.

20 labourers,  $\frac{1}{2}$  day @  $4\frac{1}{2}$

Foreman & Timekeeper,  $\frac{1}{2}$  day @  $4\frac{1}{8}$

Inspector  $\frac{1}{2}$  day @  $11\frac{1}{8}$

Steam Roller -  $\frac{1}{2}$  day

Wear + Tear of plant

Supervision 10%

2 18

3 4

5 10

1 10

1 2 5

4 14 1

9 5

£

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5 36

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ask for policies  
+ last receipts.

and for details  
of fittings for  
clawed for  
action

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18/1/12

DOBBYN & M<sup>o</sup> COY.  
Solicitors.

\* ARCH<sup>o</sup> S. M<sup>o</sup> COY.  
JAMES M<sup>o</sup> COY.  
\* E. SAMUEL LOWE.  
(Comm<sup>r</sup> for Deaths)  
TELEPHONE N<sup>o</sup> 1579.

Offices, 65 St. Gardiner St.  
Dublin 26th August 1916

4652

Dear Sir,

John Prescott No 4652

8 St. Abbey street

Further to our letter of 24th inst., we enclose  
letter from secretary, Wesleyan Methodist Trust Assurance  
Co. Ltd, evidencing last payment of premium on Policy No  
19437

Yours faithfully,

*Robbint M Coy*

The secretary,

Property Losses (Ireland) Committee 1916.,

51 Stephen's Green

# The Wesleyan Methodist Trust Assurance Company, Limited.

## DIRECTORS.

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Richard Riley, Esq.

Established 1872.

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38 FOUNTAIN STREET,

MANCHESTER, Aug 25 1916

Messrs Dobbyn & McBoyle  
65 St. Gardener St  
Dublin

Dear Sir,

Pol 19437  
House 8 Lower Abbey St

Your favours to hand. The insurance  
by the above policy for £800 is renewable  
at the Michaelmas quarter day,  
(29<sup>th</sup> September) & the premium is  
paid up to Michaelmas next,  
(September 29<sup>th</sup> 1916)

Yours faithfully

J. Plummer  
Secretary

DOBBYN & Mc COY, Es  
Solicitors.

ARCHD S. Mc COY.  
JAMES Mc COY.  
\* E. SAMUEL LOWE.  
(Comm<sup>r</sup> for Oaths.)  
TELEPHONE N<sup>o</sup> 1579.

Offices, 65 St. Gardiner St.  
Dublin 24th Augt 1916.

4652

John Prescott

No. 4652 - 8 Lr Abbey Street

No. 4653 - Dye Works 82/84 Talbot Street

Sir,

*not in*  
In reply to your letter of 18th inst., we herewith send you Policy of Insurance No. 19437 effected with the Wesleyan Methodist Trust Assurance Co Ltd. on the premises 8 Lower Abbey Street, with receipt for last Premium annexed.

We also send you in duplicate on the Forms you sent us details of the fittings and fixtures in respect of which claim has been made and included in the property covered by Insurance in the Policy of Insurance sent herewith No. 7387 effected with the Hibernian Fire & General Insurance Company, to which we have annexed the receipt for last premium.

We also send you Policy No. P.G.14150 effected with the State Assurance Company which includes, inter alia,, the glass etc. the subject of Claim No. 4653. You will notice that the Policy being dated 19th August 1915 is in itself receipt for the Premium.

We are, Sir,  
Your obedient Servants,

*Dobbyn & Mc Coy*

The Secretary,  
Property Losses (Ireland) Committee, 1916  
51 St Stephens Green E.

Dublin.

*acknowledgment for Premium paid  
Methodist Trust Insurance Co Ltd. will follow  
5/11/16*

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DOBBYN & Mc Coy,  
Solicitors.  
ARCHD S. Mc COY.  
JAMES Mc COY.  
\* E. SAMUEL LOWE.  
\*(Commf for Oaths.)  
TELEPHONE N<sup>o</sup> 1579.

E.

Offices, 65 St. Gardiner St.

Dublin 5th Octr. 19 16.

Claim recd. from Mr R.  
4/10/16.

Claim 4652 - John Prescott

220.  
6/10/16.

Dear Sir,

When preparing the above claim on behalf of our clients the Trustees of Prescotts Dye Works we were instructed to claim for the loss of the premises No. 8 Lower Abbey Street in addition to the Fixtures and Fittings therein, but subsequent to the date of the lodgment of claim we arranged on behalf of our clients for the Surrender of the premises, so that the claim of Mr Prescott is now only for the Fittings, Fixtures etc. in the premises.

*Mr Prescott*  
*Referring to your*  
*report of 3rd inst under*  
*above see amended*  
*claim was furnished.*  
*You will note that*  
*the amended claim for*  
*Fittings & is £114*  
*as against £60 in the*  
*original claim.*  
*J.J.H.*  
*13/10/16*

Under these circumstances we shall feel obliged if you will kindly allow the enclosed claim to be lodged in substitution of the previous claim. We <sup>also</sup> send you copy of the amended claim.

Yours faithfully,

*Reedman & Co*

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

51 St Stephens Green E.

Dublin.

TELEPHONE No. 165  
TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS:  
"FODLA. DUBLIN."

*The Hibernian Fire & General  
Insurance Company, Ltd.*

HEAD OFFICES,

*19, Dame Street,*

*Dublin.*

PLEASE QUOTE  
**9134**  
WHEN REPLYING

GENERAL MANAGER & SECRETARY,  
W. A. R. CRUISE, J.P.

John Prescott, Esq.,  
82b/84, Talbot Street,  
Dublin.

24th Aug. 1916

Re/ Fire Policy No. 7387 - John Prescott & Others.  
Premium £29:14:0.

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Dear Sir,

In reply to your enquiry we beg to advise that the  
above numbered Policy is in force up to Christmas (25th December)  
1916.

Yours faithfully,

*W. A. R. Cruise*

General Manager & Secretary.

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