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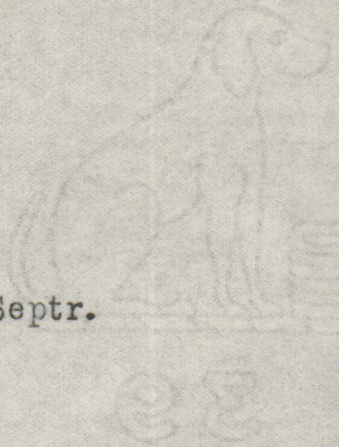
John. F. Alexander.

REPORTED ON BY COMMITTEE.

3 AUG. 1916

Insurance Policy + receipt  
No 1234421. returned

July



20th Septr.

Claim No. 8.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of 14th inst., I beg to say that a substantial part of the claim was in respect of consequential losses which, under the terms of reference, the Committee have no power to take into consideration.

Yours faithfully,

Mr John F. Alexander,  
Corporation Market,  
DUBLIN.

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TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS: "BANANA, DUBLIN."

TELEPHONE 590.

JOHN F. ALEXANDER,  
FRUIT SALESMAN,  
AND  
COMMISSION AGENT.

CORPORATION MARKET,  
DUBLIN, 14<sup>th</sup> Sept 1916

James J. Healy Esq.  
Secretary.

The Government Commissioner.

amount of 7000  
1579

Assembly <sup>no 8</sup> City

Dear Sir.

Refer to a memorandum of the amount of the claim for loss of property caused through the late rebellion amounting to £107,150/10

My claim for loss caused through the late rebellion amounted to £107,150/10

and I duly made the claim for this amount through the Property Loss Assn.

I received an order for £53 only and requested the Chief Secretary to inform me on what basis this amount only was given to me; the Chief Secretary directed me to the Property Loss Assn for the information and they

inform me that I should write you on  
the matter.

Will you kindly let me know what  
portion of my claim the amount (£53)  
is to cover and oblige.

Yours faithfully

Geo. J. Alcock


# Assessors Report.

Claim No. 8 Name of Claimant JOHN F. ALEXANDER

Situation of Property CORPORATION FRUIT MARKET, 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
Onions & Oranges	46 13 9	Nil	Nil	31 0 0	Nil	31 0 0
Grapes	1 8 0	) ) 250 ) ) )	Nil	1 0 0	1 0 0	nil
Bananas, Lemons & Apples.	30 11 0	)	Nil	21 0 0	21 0 0	Nil
Wages & Rent	21 10 1	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
TOTALS, £	100 2 10	250	Nil	53 0 0	22 0 0	31 0 0

Interests in the buildings.

*W. M. ...*  


Award of Committee: Contents .....

do. Buildings .....

# 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 John F. Alexander now residing trading

We at Corporation Fruit Market in the City of Dublin

do hereby solemnly and sincerely declare that on or about the 24th day of April 1916, damage was done to the undermentioned Property, namely:—Goods

looted and damaged.

\* State situation of property damaged.

and such damage was occasioned to the best of <sup>my</sup><sub>our</sub> belief by\*\* Goods being looted and damaged through this market being closed during rebellion

\*\* Here state cause of damage.

And <sup>I</sup><sub>We</sub> 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 <sup>me</sup><sub>us</sub> as owner; and that no person is interested in the said property except myself.

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

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

Yorkshire Company, Policy No. 1234421, Amount £ 250  
" " " " £  
" " " " £

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

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

And <sup>I</sup><sub>We</sub> 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 29th day of

June 1916, at Wholesale Food Market

Dublin in the said City, County,

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

Signature of Claimant } John F. Alexander.  
of Claimants }

Gerald Begg

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.)

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.
28, Bags Egyptian Onions looted from Tedcastle McCormick & Co's Sheds, 3, Sir John Rogersons Quay	20	4	0							20	4	0
Cartage at Liverpool		3	4								3	4
Freight on same.	1	4	5							1	4	5
25 Cwts Oranges looted from Tedcastle McCormick's sheds 3, Sir John Rogersons Quay,	22	18	0							22	18	0
Freight on same.	1	17	9							1	17	9
Cartage in Liverpool.		6	3								6	3
1 Box Grapes taken from this Market.		12	0								12	0
1 Box Apples do. do.		16	0								16	0
90 Bunches Bananas in Store hæe became over ripe through Market being closed during Rebellion value £58:16:0.							30	2	0	28	14	0
Wages 10 Days.										16	17	1
Rent do.										4	13	0
<i>Carried forward.</i>											98	5 10





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as <sup>†</sup> Owner; and that no person is interested in

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the said property except <sup>‡</sup> myself

‡ Insert "myself," or "ourselves," and the names of Mortgagees, 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.

Yorkshire Insurance Company, Policy No. 1234421, Amount £ 250

..... " " ....., " £ .....

..... " " ....., " £ .....

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Made and subscribed the 29th day of

June 1916, at Wholesale Food Market Dublin. in the said City, County,

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

Gerald Begg

Signature }  
of Claimant } John F. Alexander.  
of Claimants }

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(TO BE GIVEN IN DETAIL.)

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<p>28 bags Egyptian Raisins                      Consigned by Mr. W.                      Gordon 138 ft. Messrs                      W. Liverpool per                      Teede &amp; Co. M<sup>rs</sup> Cornish                      &amp; Co. Ltd. D. D. Co to me                      on 22<sup>nd</sup> April, 1916; duly                      shipped by Teede &amp; Co                      M<sup>rs</sup> Cornish &amp; Co and                      landed here and put                      in this store, <sup>by them 9/10/16</sup> and                      looted from there                      during Rebellion                      (See D. M. &amp; Co's letter                      attached)</p>	20	4	"							20	4	"
<p>Cartage paid in Liverpool                      to D. M. &amp; Co <sup>above</sup> on 28 bags</p>	3	4	"							3	4	"
<p>freight paid to Teede &amp;                      M<sup>rs</sup> Cornish on 1/7/16                      on about 28 bags Raisins</p>	1	4	5							1	4	5
<p>1 box Grapes taken from                      this market during                      Rebellion, while market                      was closed down, sent                      to me Mr. W. W. Jebbett                      London. Cost 10/-                      freight 2/-</p>	12	"	"							12	"	"

Carried forward,

Total £ 22-3-9

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

(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.								
<i>Brought forward,</i>												22	39							
<del>2439</del>																				
25 Case. Oranges. consigned to me by Mr. W. Gerson 138 Fr. Mersey St, Liverpool on 22/4/16 per <i>Adelaide</i> and <i>W. Cornish S.S. Co.</i> duly shipped, landed and stored by Messrs <i>J. W. &amp; Co</i> and looked from their store.	22	18								22	18									
(See <i>J. W. &amp; Co's</i> letter attached)																				
freight paid to <i>J. W. &amp; Co</i> & <i>Co</i> on 1/7/16.	1	17	9							1	17	9								
Cartage in Liverpool to <i>J. W. &amp; Co</i>	6	3								6	3									
1 box Apples. Taken from this market during Rebellions while market was closed down										16 -										
3 Bbls. Albemarle Pippin Apples, became over-ripe and wastey during time market was closed through Rebellion	3	16		4	4		2	16		1										
<i>found.</i>																				
<del>£ 49-1-9</del>																				

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

(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.			
Brought forward,										49	19				
2½ cfs. Lemons lost in expacking 10½ cfs. over-ripe through Market being closed during Rebellion.			17								17				
90 Bananas in Store has become over-ripe through Market being closed during Rebellion, freight and Cartage paid on same.			52	12	9	58	16	"	30	2	"	28	14		
Wages paid by me for 10 days during which Market was closed owing to Rebellion												16	17	1	
Rent ditto ditto ditto for Stand on the Market													14	13	
										<u>Total</u>			<u>£100-2-10</u>		

*J. J. Alexander*

Fire Loss No. 8

Name, JOHN F. ALEXANDER

Address, CORPORATION MARKET, DUBLIN.  
PHONE NO. 590

*Called 22/11/20*

*Wrote 20/11/20*

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**R. N. KENNEDY,**  
**FIRE LOSS ASSESSOR**  
(For Insured only),  
OCEAN BUILDINGS,  
**Belfast.**

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS: "BANANA, DUBLIN."

TELEPHONE 590.

JOHN F. ALEXANDER,  
FRUIT SALESMAN,  
AND  
COMMISSION AGENT.

CORPORATION MARKET,

DUBLIN, 25<sup>th</sup> July 1916.

R. H. Kennedy Esq.  
3 Colley Green.

Dear Sir

I am enclosing a communication which  
I received today from Messrs. Delectable.  
Messrs. Cornish & Co. dealing with the matter  
of the Good Lookers during the selection.

Yours faithfully,  
J. F. Alexander

ALL FREIGHT QUOTATIONS ARE MADE, AND GOODS, PASSENGERS, LUGGAGE, AND LIVE-STOCK CARRIED  
SUBJECT TO CONDITIONS STATED ON COMPANY'S SAILING BILLS.

ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE FIRM.

TEDCASTLE, Mc CORMICK & Co. Ltd



# TEDCASTLE LINE

3, Sir John Rogerson's Quay,

Dublin.

Wewode

24th July '16.

REFER TO

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IN YOUR REPLY

John F. Alexander Esq.,  
Corporation Market,  
Dublin.

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Dear Sir:-

Your favour of 22nd inst, enclosing claim for £48.17. 9., we would refer you to our notification dated 18th May last that the Oranges & Onions referred to were looted from our Stores during the recent disturbance, and we cannot accept any liability, nor can we put forward any claim on your behalf.

Please communicate with the Secretary of the Commission, 51, St. Stephen's Green, East, which the Government have set up to deal with such matters.

Yours truly,

TEDCASTLE, Mc CORMICK & Co. Ltd

*J. Campbell*  
Manager

1 enclosure.



Telegraphic Address:  
"BANANA, DUBLIN."

Dublin Telephone 590.

CORPORATION MARKET,

Dublin, 22<sup>nd</sup> July 1916

*Messrs*

*Edcastle McEoinnick Ltd. 2, Sir John Rogerson's Quay*

to JOHN F. ALEXANDER, Dr.

Fruit Salesman and Commission Agent.

FOR DEPOSIT ONLY  
24 JUL 1916

Empties not allowed for unless returned within 14 days and cannot be credited until received.

TERMS CASH.

To 28. Bag Onions @ 16/-	22 8 "
cartage & Freight	1 1 9
25 c/o Oranges	22 18 "
cartage & Freight	2 4
not delivered	
25 <sup>th</sup> April 1916.	£ 48 1/9
	To

Acc "M. Genoni" Liverpool.

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TELEPHONE 590.

JOHN F. ALEXANDER,  
FRUIT SALESMAN,  
AND  
COMMISSION AGENT.

CORPORATION MARKET,  
DUBLIN, *29<sup>th</sup> Dec 1916*

*The Secretary.*

*Property Losses (Ireland) Committee 1916.*  
*City.*

*Dear Sir.*

*I am enclosing form of claim duly  
completed.*

*Since last furnishing of amount Insur-  
able Co<sup>rs</sup> Council have furnished me  
with charges due on goods lost and  
I have accordingly amended claim, these  
charges are for freight from Liverpool.*

*Yours faithfully,*

*P.S.*

*I am also enclosing Free Policy  
and last receipt for premiums.  
Paid 1/10.*

All Communications to be addressed to the Firm.

**TEDCASTLE LINE.**

**SHIPPING DEPARTMENT.**

**MEMORANDUM.**

Telegraphic Address—"SHIPS, DUBLIN."  
Telephone Nos. 177-2074.

FIRST CLASS STEAMERS  
TRADING REGULARLY BETWEEN  
DUBLIN AND LIVERPOOL  
DUBLIN AND WHITEHAVEN  
DUBLIN AND MARYPORT.

18th May, '16. 191

From **TEDCASTLE, McCORMICK & CO.,**  
(LIMITED),

3 SIR JOHN ROGERSON'S QUAY,  
DUBLIN.

To J. F. Alexander, Esq.,  
Corporation Fruit Market,  
Dublin.

In your reply refer to

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All freight quotations are made, and Passengers, Luggage, Goods and Live Stock carried subject to Conditions specified on back of Sailing Bills.

With reference to our Press Notices of 6th inst., and subsequent dates, we regret to inform you that the undernoted goods consigned to you were looted from our Stores during the recent disturbance, viz:-

25 cases Oranges,  
28 bags Onions.

TEDCASTLE, McCORMICK & CO. LTD

*M. Alexander*



171<sup>A</sup> GREAT BRITAIN STREET,  
(OPPOSITE MOORE ST)

Dublin July 8<sup>th</sup> 1916

Dr John F Alexander, Corporation Fruit Market.

To W. H. Wilkinson, M.R.C.V.S.

TELEPHONE  
INFIRMARY 1318.  
RESIDENCE 144Y.

Veterinary Surgeon.

1916 April 20	Wound Horse Dr Great Seros abscess in flank.	1	1	0	
May 9	4 Shocs Per H		5	0	
13	Pop Horse out. 23 days lived @ 3/- per day	3	9	0	
June 3	4 Shocs Per H		5	0	
25	4		5	0	
30	Administer Colic draught - - Mild case		5	0	
			5	10	0

Telegrams:

PAYMENTS WEEKLY.

Telephone:

"GERNON, LIVERPOOL."

8056 CENTRAL.

138 GREAT MERSEY STREET,

Liverpool, ..... 191

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*M*

# Bought of MATTHEW GERNON,

Fruit Merchant and Salesman,

DIRECT IMPORTER FROM ALL FRUIT-GROWING COUNTRIES.

*Note is Dated 18 Apr  
but I ascertained they  
were not shipped until  
Apr 20<sup>th</sup> & went with  
the other 7 C/S. Thanks  
for all trouble you  
have taken in getting  
claim. Yours Truly  
M Gernon*

BOBE CENTRAL

GERNON LIVERPOOL

Liverpool

$$\begin{array}{r} 16.64 \\ \hline 66.4 \\ \hline 264.0 \\ \hline 33.0 \\ \hline 297.0 \\ \hline 14.17.0 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

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$$\begin{array}{r} 16.0 \\ \hline 64.0 \\ \hline 448.0 \\ \hline 22.8.0 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 16.0 \\ \hline 1.15.0 \\ \hline 14.17.0 \end{array}$$

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# TEDCASTLE LINE.

3 Sir John Rogerson's Quay,

Dublin, April 29<sup>th</sup> 1916

J. F. Alexander Esq  
Fruit Market

To **TEDCASTLE, McCORMICK & CO., Ltd.,** Dr.

All Freight Accounts are due on receipt.

Date	Ref.	Senders	Goods	Rate			Paid on	Liver- pool Dues	TOTAL
				T.	C.	Qrs.			
1916 April 5	67/692	dl. Gernon.	20 Bags Onions	1	0	0	16/9	8	17 5
7	182/692	do.	20 "	1	0	0	✓	8	17 5
12	1/698	do.	10 Cases Oranges		17	2	✓	4	14 8
✓	237/✓	do.	31 "	2	4	1	✓	15	118 6
14	18/680	do.	10 "		17	2	✓	7	15 3
✓	267/✓	do.	20 Bags Onions	1	0	0	✓	8	17 5
16	24/682	Yeoward Bros	20 Cases Oranges	1	15	0	✓	1/2	110 6
✓	25/✓	do.	12 Bx's Lemons		7	2	✓	2	6 5
19	44/684	dl. Gernon.	20 Bags Onions		15	0	✓	5	13 0
✓	162/✓	do.	28 c/s Oranges	2	9	2	✓		
✓	163/✓	do.	7 " Lemons	2	16	0	✓	1/10	28 9
✓	3/161	do.	9 " Oranges		15	3	✓	5	13 7
		do.	16 "		18	0	✓	9	14 2
		do.	28 Bags Onions		18	0	✓	1/2	14 5

£ 14 1 6

**TEDCASTLE LINE.**  
3 Sir John Rogerson's Quay, Dublin  
No. 4505  
Received from  
M. J. F. Alexander Esq  
Pounds, .....  
Shillings, .....  
Pence, .....  
For Tedcastle, M'Cormick & Co., Ltd.



*Handwritten calculations:*  
1 = 15 = 0 = 0    2 = 16 = 0 = 0  
3 = 1 = 0  
6 = 2 = 0  
9 = 3 = 0    0 16/9

To Balance due 8/3 - netap

8 2  
16 5  
13. 13. 4

Telegrams:  
"GERNON, LIVERPOOL."

PAYMENTS WEEKLY.

Telephone:  
8056 CENTRAL.

138 GREAT MERSEY STREET,

Liverpool, 22-4-1916

Mr J F Alexander

Bought of MATTHEW GERNON,

Fruit Merchant and Salesman,

DIRECT IMPORTER FROM ALL FRUIT-GROWING COUNTRIES.

Dear Sir  
Favour & Cheque  
to hand with thanks. I regret  
I was unable to get on either  
the lge 714 or apples today  
I could not get Carts  
owing to Holiday yesterday  
very little Buisness done  
the Oranges are ready & will  
go certain By Tuesday  
8th. and Fresh Box apples  
arrived will get 10 boxes



Ben Davis on Tuesday  
I Brought you 28 Bags  
E. onion please sell for  
me L. Mark I sent the  
down to Leavenworth on  
Thursday but are only  
shipped to day. also re 1064  
7 Cts not ten were sent  
shipped last Boat the  
onion cost 16¢ Cwt. thank  
you for favours

Yours Truly  
W. Gernor