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Alfred Byrne.

Claim received too late for consideration.

OFFICE OF PUBLIC WORKS,

DUBLIN. 14th April, 1917.

Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 12th instant in reference to a gold watch lost in Messrs. Hopkins and Hopkins during the rebellion. As the Property Losses Committee some time since sent in their final report to the Government and have ceased to exist, I regret very much that nothing can now be done here as regards your claim.

Yours faithfully,

Alfred Byrne, Esq., M.P.,
63 North Strand Road,
Dublin.



12th April 1917

On
I have applied to Messrs
Hopkins & Hopkins to replace
a Lady's Gold Watch valued
£6-18-6 lost in these
premises during the rebellion.

I received the attached letter from
them directing me to apply to
you concerning the same.

Yours sincerely
Alfred Byrnes

J J Healy Esq

TELEGRAMS: MEYTHERR, DUBLIN.

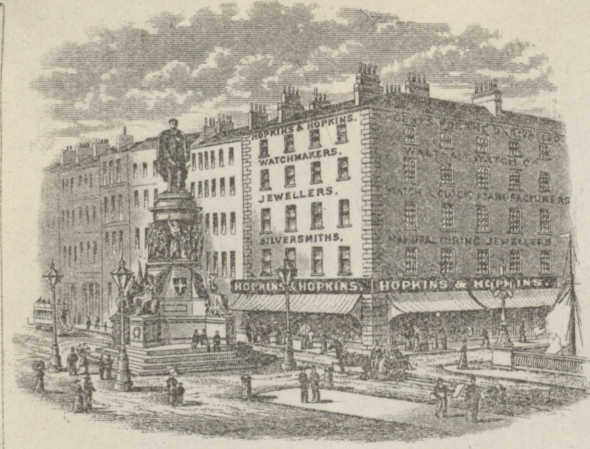
ALL COMMUNICATIONS SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO THE FIRM.

TELEPHONE N^o 3569.

THE WALTHAM WATCH DEPÔT.
OPPOSITE O'CONNELL MONUMENT.
Dublin

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April 10th. 1917.



Alfred Byrne Esq., M.P.,

63 North Strand Road, DUBLIN.

Hopkins & Hopkins,
MANUFACTURING JEWELLERS,
SILVERSMITHS & WATCHMAKERS.

RM/JB

Agents for the WALTHAM WATCH CO.

John Fisher
Robert Murphy } Trustees

Dear Sir,

We are in receipt of your letter with reference to claim for watch which was lost in our premises during the Rebellion. As you are no doubt aware the Government accepted full responsibility for the destruction and set up a Property Losses Committee here to deal with all claims. If you will kindly write to J. J. Healy Esq., Secretary, Property Losses Committee, 51 Stephens Green, he may even at this late date put your claim before the Committee with a view to compensation.

Assuring you of our best endeavours at all times.

Yours obediently,

HOPKINS & HOPKINS.