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Messrs Casson & Co.

REPORTED ON BY COMMITTEE

16 SEP. 1916



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Custom House, Dublin.

18th September, 1916.

Sir,

With reference to claims in respect of dutiable goods lost during the recent Rebellion, I am instructed by the Commissioners of H. M. Customs and Excise to inform you that Messrs. Betts Hartley & Co., of 9/10 Great Tower Street, London E.C. have paid duty to the amount of £27 : 3s : 0d on 8 1/2 chests of Tea consigned to Messrs. Casson & Co., Ltd., Dublin.

Nos. 1, 2, 4, 7, 9/12 marked 15/5921/15.

Recommended 16.9.16 85.

I Ack. recd. 23/9.

II over 15 cl.

Received

24/9/16

Your obedient Servant,

Louis Kaefer

Collector.

The Secretary,
Property Losses
(Ireland) Committee, 1916,
51, St. Stephen's Green East,
Dublin.

Assessors Report.

Claim No. 85. Name of Claimant Casson & Co., (1914) Ltd., Tea Merchants,
of 11, William Street, Dublin.

Situation of Property at 25-27, Sir John Rogerson's Quay, 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
Eight Half Chests of Tea.	£55 -0 -0	Nil		£53 -0 -0	Nil	£53 -0 -0
TOTALS, £	55 -0 -0	Nil		£53 -0 -0	Nil	£53 -0 -0

has paid

~~Interests in the buildings~~ Memo. The Tea lay at Claimants' risk as per 3rd Condition on Steamship Company's Freight docket attached hereto. The Tea was looted from the Steamship Company's Shed at which time the Tea was in Bond. Claimants claimed for the Duty, but entered into correspondence with the Board of Customs & Excise, London, with a view to having the Duty remitted. The Custom House authorities however insist upon receiving the Duty forthwith, and have referred Claim^{ants} to the Property Losses (Ireland) Committee 1916. See letter attached hereto from Board of Customs dated 29th August addressed to Messrs Betts, Hartley & Co.

We have allowed for the Duty in our figures as set out above.

Wm Montgomery
31st August 1916.

Award of Committee: Contents *53*

do. Buildings *WM*

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 Abraham Spedding John Secretary now residing
 We CASSON & Co., (1914) LTD., 11 William St in the City of Dublin
 do hereby solemnly and sincerely declare that on or about the 28 day of April 2nd May 1916
 1916, damage was done to the undermentioned Property, namely:—* Eight
half chests of Tea
 and such damage was occasioned to the best of my belief by** Certain
persons unknown

* 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 me
 as Secretary of CASSON & Co., (1914) LTD.,
 the said property except † CASSON & Co., (1914) LTD.,

† 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 ~~us~~ us or any other person, § except as follows, namely:—

Company,	Policy No.	Amount	£

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 fourth day of July 1916, at 16
William Echequer Street in the said City, Dublin
County

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

Signature of Claimant } Abraham Spedding John
 } John Gibson JP for City of Dublin

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.

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			DESCR
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Eight Half Chests of Tea	55	--		55	--		--	--		55	--		

Wm J. O'Connell

Secretary for & on behalf

of **CASSON & Co. (INC) LTD.**

11 William Street
Dublin

ges.

16582

Notice to Merchant of Removal Goods not produced.



Port London

Station Brook's Whf

1st May 1916

Sir,

I beg to inform you that the undermentioned goods removed

to to Dublin
under your Bond of the 13th March 1916

* Delete when not applicable.

^{all} ~~have not~~ been produced to the proper officers at ~~* shipment~~ ^{* that port} and I have now to call upon you for payment of duty on the ^{loss} goods or to show cause why your Bond should not be put in suit.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

G. E. W. Wide

Surveyor.

Mr. W. T. Rosecombe

(Messrs. Bett & Hartley & Co)

Date of Bond.	Consignee.	Quantity Delivered.	Description of Goods.
R 134- 3.16	Casson & Co	18 Chests	Java Tea # 827 Ex. Idoneinius 16 # 841
			Loss of blls on # 829 + 840 36 34

270
331

(10)
Copy

DUBLIN AND LONDON STEAMERS.

Calling at FALMOUTH, PLYMOUTH, SOUTHAMPTON, and PORTSMOUTH.

27 SIR JOHN ROGERSON'S QUAY,

M Casson & Co

DUBLIN, 24 April 1916

THE BRITISH & IRISH STEAM PACKET CO., Ltd. Dr.

For Freight and Charges per Steamer _____ on the undermentioned Goods from LONDON.

All Goods and Live Stock are carried subject to the Conditions specified in the Company's Sailing Bills, of which a copy is endorsed on the back hereof

Reference	SENDERS	GOODS	WEIGHT			RATE	FREIGHT	PAID OUT CHARGES		INSURANCE	TOTAL
990 456	Betts Hartley	12 1/2 tea 1/12	8	1	11	33/4	14	2			16

Memorandum from

Betts, Hartley & Co^s

Tea Merchants,

9 & 10, Great Tower Street,

ESTABLISHED 1897.

London, E.C.

To Messrs Casson & Co^s

July 14 1916

We have seen the Customs today respecting
the duty upon Naos Sali, and are
informed that our application for remission
of duty, is still being considered.
We regret that it is impossible to hurry these
people.

Bette Hartley to
London

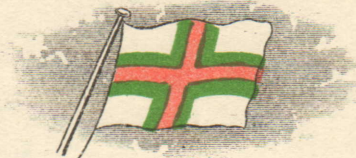
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FAST PASSENGER & CARGO SERVICE
BETWEEN
DUBLIN & LONDON.

FALMOUTH, PLYMOUTH,
SOUTHAMPTON,
PORTSMOUTH AND COWES.

LONDON, PORTSMOUTH,
COWES, SOUTHAMPTON,
PLYMOUTH & FALMOUTH.

ESTABLISHED 1836.



TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS;
LADYSHIPS, DUBLIN.
TELEPHONE NO.
3092 (3 LINES).

BRITISH AND IRISH STEAM PACKET CO. LTD.

25-27, SIR JOHN ROGERSON'S QUAY,
DUBLIN.

PLEASE REFER TO
SM.

7th July, 1916.

Messrs. Casson & Co. Ltd.,
11, Sth. William Street,
Dublin.

Dear Sirs,

We hereby beg to certify that the undernoted Teas, which were in our store awaiting delivery to your goodselves, were looted during the recent rebellion, viz:-

8 Half Chests - Nos. 1/2, 4, 6/7, 10/12.

Yours truly,

BRITISH & IRISH STEAM PACKET CO. LTD.

R. W. Linnott
SUB-MANAGER.

B. W. L. P. Co.
City
8/2/16

Any reference to this Letter
should be addressed:—
"The Secretary,
Custom House,
London, E.C.,"
and the following number
quoted.

CUSTOM HOUSE, LONDON, E.C.

29th August, 1916.

No. 36825
1916

Gentlemen,

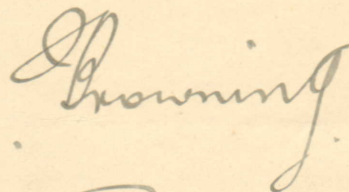
In reply to your letter received on the 4th July asking for remission of the duty on 8 chests of Tea removed under your bond to Dublin and not produced to the Officers of this Department at that port, on the ground that the goods were looted during the recent rebellion in Ireland, I am directed by the Board of Customs and Excise to inform you that they have no power to remit the duty and that it should accordingly be paid forthwith.

I am, however, to inform you that the Treasury have requested the Property Losses (Ireland) Committee, 1916, to consider claims of this nature, and I am therefore to suggest that you should apply to the Committee at 51, St. Stephen's Green East, Dublin.

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

Messrs. Betts, Hartley and Company,
9/10, Great Tower Street,
E. C.



9/10, Great Tower St.,

LONDON, E.C.

4th July 1916

To the Honourable Board,
H.M. Customs,
LONDON.

Gentlemen,

We are in receipt of yours 23rd inst.,
requesting payment of duty on 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ chests Tea Nos.
1/2.4.7.9/12, ex Clan Mclean 1915/5291 Mark
Mahor Toli being part of 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ chests Nos. 1/12
consigned by us 11th April 1916 to No. C. Bond
Dublin per steamer on a/c Messrs. Casson & Co.,
Ltd, William Street, Dublin and not produced to
your officers at above Bond.

We beg to inform you these packages
were either destroyed or stolen during the tumult
arising out of the late rebellion in Dublin - in
confirmation we beg to enclose you the letter
addressed to Messrs. Casson & Co., Ltd, by the
British and Irish Steam Packet Co.,

Under these abnormal circumstances
we petition for a remission of the duty.

Your obedient Servants.

FAST PASSENGER & CARGO SERVICE
BETWEEN
LONDON & DUBLIN

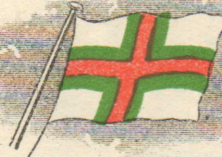
PORTSMOUTH, COWES,
SOUTHAMPTON, PLYMOUTH
AND FALMOUTH.

AGENTS FOR
CITY OF CORK STEAM PKT CO L^R CORK.
STEAMERS, LONDON TO PLYMOUTH
AND CORK EVERY THURSDAY.

CITY OFFICE,
22, GT. TOWER ST.
LONDON, E.C.

PLEASE REFER TO
56039

ESTABLISHED 1836.



TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS:
ENGLDUE, WAPP, LONDON.
TELEPHONE N^o
AVENUE, 1735. (2 LINES)

BRITISH AND IRISH STEAM PACKET CO., LTD.

NORTH QUAY,
EASTERN BASIN, LONDON DOCKS. E.

5th July 1916.

Messrs. De la Harley & Co

During the rebellion in Ireland our Dublin stores were broken into, and many goods were looted and damaged. It is difficult to give definite information on the subject, but apparently your shipments, as per particulars at foot, were looted by the rioters.

The Government, we anticipate, will make some recompense to the cargo owners. Will you please therefore send your claim to Mr. R. J. Kidney (Secretary) Dublin Fire & Property Losses Association 1916, 12 College Green, Dublin. This Association has been formed to look after the interests of all concerned.

20/16 1/2 TEN 1. 2. 4. 6. 7. 10/12

Casson & Co

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS "HOYUNE, LONDON."

TELEPHONE N° 7387 CENTRAL.

Memorandum from

Betts, Hartley & Co.^{os}
Tea Merchants,
9410, Great Tower Street,
London, E.C.

ESTABLISHED 1897.

To Mess Casson Co Ltd
Dublin
July 14 1916

Recd.
15/7/16.

re 8 1/2 ch loose tea.
He had already sent in a petition to
the Board of Customs requesting remission
of duty, and have heard nothing further in
reference. He enquired of the officials today
and they are going to look into the
matter.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS "HOYUNE, LONDON."

TELEPHONE NO 7387 CENTRAL.

Memorandum from

Betts, Hartley & Co^s
Tea Merchants,
9 & 10, Great Tower Street,
London, E.C.

ESTABLISHED 1897.

To Messrs Casson & Co^s Ltd
William St Dublin
Aug 30 1916

Re Looked Sea - Dublin April 1916

The enclose letter received today from the Customs
in answer to ours 4th July asking for remission of duty.
There seems now, no alternative but to pay and
we presume you will take the matter up with
the Property Losses Committee as suggested by them.

Duplicate

ESTABLISHED 1897.

Telegraphic Address, HOYUNE, LONDON.

TELEPHONE No. 7387 CENTRAL.

9 & 10, Gth Tower Street,

Messrs Casson & Co^{rs}
Dublin

London, April 11 1916
E.C.

Bo^{ts} of Betts, Hartley & Co^o
On Public Sale Conditions.

Prompt 19

INTEREST CHARGED AT THE RATE OF 5% PER ANNUM ON ALL OVER DUE A/C'S

12 1/2 ch. Ind. Pk. Tanning Ex. Clan McLean

Makor Toli

✓ 1	2 22	10/1
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Stearns. Under Bond