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**NUNCUPATIVE OR MISSING WILL.**

W.O. No.: E

241579/1

DOMICILE.

English  
Irish

Record No.

221/403469

Name

Enoch Bowen

Regtl. No.  
and Rank

9/12766 Private

Regt.

4th Bn. Dumfries  
Fusiliers

Died at

Killed in action

Date of Death

1/7/16

The document enclosed  
herewith has been  
regarded as evidence of a  
{ valid **nuncupative** } Will  
{ missing } made by the soldier named  
in the margin while "in  
actual Military Service,"  
within the meaning of the  
Wills' Act, 1837.

WAR OFFICE,  
LONDON, S.W.

Date

13/3/17

J. G. Robinson  
for the Assistant Financial Secretary.

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Enoch Bowen

9th (A) Bui. Royal  
Twinning Fusiliers

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(No 1)

Sunday  
October 14th  
1915

Dear Sister

I now sit down  
to write you these few lines  
hoping to find you all well  
as I am in ripping health  
at present I got the paper  
~~you sent me but I thought~~  
I would have got a letter  
two I am not in the trenches  
yet we might not be in  
them for the next six  
Months I got a letter from  
John Hazelton a Lizzie sent  
me a post card I was  
glad to hear from them  
I wrote to John Iwin the

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(K 3)

see you all again tell  
Bob I was asking for  
him I send my love  
to the children and  
yourself all I want  
out here is fags and  
Matches you send me  
A box of fags and  
some matches and they  
will do me over a  
month I would send  
you the money for  
them only the money  
we get here is no  
good in ~~the~~ Ireland  
you could not get  
it changed so I  
am gathering it up  
and I will get it

(K 4)

changed into English  
Money and I will  
send you some I am  
never thinking long  
out here it takes a  
letter three days coming  
here how is Adam and  
the wife getting on  
tell them I was asking  
for them this is a field  
service envelope I am  
send this time you  
know I am not supposed  
to put anything in  
the letters I am writing  
I am not allowed to  
tell you what part off  
the country I am in  
this is all the news at  
present from your loving  
you know the address  
brother Enoch Bowen

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Enoch Bowen

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Twinning Fusiliers

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(No 2)

Other Day I got a letter  
from you the other day  
and you were saying  
that you were talking  
to him so I wrote to  
him and I am writing  
to John Hazelton and  
Lizzie to day well  
I have my will made  
out in my day book  
and I am leaving my  
money to you and  
you can give the half  
of it to me Tommie  
thats if I be shot but  
I hope by the help of  
the Almighty god that  
I will live a little while  
longer I think I will