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NUNCUPATIVE OR MISSING WILL.

W.O. No.: E/ 248519/1

DOMICILE. *Irish*

Record No. 221/403006/16
17

Name

Richard McCourt

The document ~~s~~ enclosed

herewith *have* been

Regtl. No.
and Rank

11947 Private

regarded as evidence of a

~~valid~~ nuncupative Will
~~missing~~

Regt.

*5th Bⁿ Roy. Irish Rifles
Fusiliers*

made by the soldier named

in the margin while "in

actual Military Service,"

Died at

Mulling

within the meaning of the

Wills' Act, 1837.

Date of Death *15/8/1915 or since*

WAR OFFICE,

LONDON, S.W.

Date

30 April 1917

Mr. Adams
for the Assistant Financial Secretary.

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for the Assistant Financial Secretary.

G. 15/1268.



March 26. 1917

I have read the statement of Mrs. McCourt relative to the disposal of the effects of her deceased son Private R. McCourt and I believe full credit can be given to the statements made therein

signed
(David Gray M.D., M.R.C.P.)

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Effects—Form No. 8.

From

The Secretary,

War Office,

Park Buildings,

St. James's Park,

London, S.W.

To



Mr M. M'Court

25 Upper Charleville St

Belfast

E/248519/1 - *10th April* 1917.

ANSWER. *11th April 1917*

With reference to the estate of the late
Private R. M'Court, 5th Bⁿ Roy. Inniskilling Fusiliers
the Secretary of the War Office requests that
you will be good enough to return this letter
as early as possible, to the above address,
with a statement in the margin showing
the exact words used
by the late soldier in
making the statement
in your presence
regarding the disposal
of his property & effects.

Sir, as far as I remember I
sent you on the exact
words used by my deceased
Brother Pte Richard M'Court.
And I really cannot explain
to you any further as both
myself & my mother has already
told you the truth. &
we cannot explain any
plainer to you only what
we have already done:
these were the exact
words used by him in the
presence of my mother & my
youngest brother & myself.
all that was present on
the 16th day of November 1914 at
25 Upper Charleville St Belfast
That in case anything should
happen to him either at home
or abroad. that his mother

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LONDON, S.W.

M. Adams

Date *30 April 1917*

for the Assistant Financial Secretary.

G. 15/1908.

Was intitled to anything
Belongin to him. & if
Anything should happen
to her. that I his eldest
Sister & married Sister &
Younger & only Brother
was to have all divided
Between us three.
This was his exact
Words used after his
Wifes death as no
Family was left.

I am trouhfully
Yours Margaret
M'Court.
25 Upper Charleville St
Belfast

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WAR OFFICE,
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Date *30 April 1917*

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Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to—

The Secretary,
War Office,
Park Buildings,
St. James's Park,
London, S.W.,
and the following number quoted.

E/248519/1 (Accounts 4.)

Effects—Form 150.

WAR OFFICE,
PARK BUILDINGS,
ST. JAMES'S PARK,
LONDON, S.W.



23rd March 1917

Madam,

With reference to the estate of the late *Private R. M'Court, 5th Bⁿ Inniskilling Fusiliers*

I am directed to acquaint you that it has been represented to this Department that the deceased made a statement in your presence regarding the disposal of his effects in the event of his death, and I am therefore to request that you will be good enough to furnish a statement showing:—

- (1) Exactly on what date and at what place the statement referred to was made by the deceased; *on 16th day of November: at 25 Upper Charlesville St. Belfast*
- (2) The exact words used by him in making the statement; *referred to in the presence of my mother*
- (3) The full names and addresses of any persons other than yourself, who were present at the time and heard the statement made. *no other persons were present.*

Your statement should be signed by you in the presence of a Magistrate or Minister, or other person holding a similarly responsible position and not interested in the matter, who should be asked to add his name, address and qualification as witness, and to give a certificate showing that, in his opinion, full credit can be given to your statements in the matter.

I am,

Madam

Your obedient Servant,

C Harris
Assistant Financial Secretary.

Wm. M. M'Court
25 Upper Charlesville St.
Belfast