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Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to—
The Secretary,
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Park Buildings,
St. James's Park,
London, S.W.,
and the following number quoted.

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



28th February 1916

E/124985/1 (Accounts 4.)

Madam

With reference to the estate of the late Private T. McGonigal, 5th Bn. Royal 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 the 6th April, in his mother's house the morning he left

(2) The exact words used by him in making the statement: The exact words were, he hoped to come home again, but if he would not anything I have will be for 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. Only my two young brothers, Alfred and Hugh, and myself 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 declare the above to be true

Mrs. A. Laverty ^{her} Annabella Laverty
Tobermore mark

I am, Madam

Your obedient Servant,

Robert Waters, C.B., J.P.
White Fort, Tobermore, Co. Derry.

For the Assistant Financial Secretary.

*I know all these people and believe this statement to be strictly true
Robt. Waters*