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The document attached hereto dated 16th

(postmark) SP.15 and signed

Luke

appears to have been written or executed by the late

Testator died at

was killed

in action

on 31-10-14

no 2649 Private Luke Mc Kee

3rd Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers

while he was "in actual military service" within the meaning of

the Wills Act, 1837, and has been recognised by the War Depart-

ment as constituting a valid Will.

Chas. D. Jones

for the Assistant Financial Secretary.

WAR OFFICE,

Date

3 Sept 1915

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Mrs. L. McKee
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Irish



Miss Mary M^{rs} Kee
29 Brook Street

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3RD BATTN ROYAL INNISKILLING FUSILIERS,
PUTTLEHALL CAMP,
CLONMANY,
CO. DONEGAL.

16th

My dear mother

Dear Sister

Just a line to let you

know I am well at present thank God

I was on the Transport with horses and

and all right but now I have to

leave for the front but I don't know

what time I am waiting to be sent

off I have every thing packed up

and ready for the road but I hope

in God I will get back safe

it is a surprise to me I have got 6

shillings to day I will keep it

till I be going past the station

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I might want some of it to send
you a Telegram from Derry and
you and James will be over
there you might tell Nellie me
Cusker and Frank Coulterson to
be over I would like to see them
when I am going up Dear Mary
it is hard times for me to go
out But god is good he might
send me back same Dear Sister
I signed the Death Book to Day I am
leaving you all my money you
will get all in a lump I wont
get they 3 Pounds you will get
all so Dear Sister there are
some was for the last Draft

and the Dun a bank James Tracy
John Quinn went sick last week
tho is a hard to go out I know
what is bringing me out because
I am a first class shot Dear
Sister Dont let a bout me
for the hand of god is strong
I was at my Priest I am all night
I will see Francis Mary this
time but god send me safe back
tell James to be a good boy to you
I am sure he will I got a letter
from Molly Dear Sister
she was a good girl to
me you should write
to her and Dont forget

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You Can tell Walter Goren I
was asking for him and
John Hanaghan and Mary Culhane
and Anne she might be over at the
Station they might never see Luke
again I Dont think I have
any more to say You Can
tell Patsy W. W. and I send my
best love to him tell Mick I am
off and tell Willie Kerr I will send
no more from your loving
~~brother~~ brother Luke to Mary & &
James & & god Bless you all
You Can Pray for me
for god to send me back to Ireland