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INFORMAL WILL.

W.O. No. | E/ 669791/1

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Record No. ⁴⁵⁵⁷ 753946 18/19.

The enclosed document dated 13. 10. 1917. and signed James Swords.

Name James Swords

Regtl. No. | 31093 Rte
and Rank

2nd Bn.
Regt. Royal Dublin Fus.

Died at France

Date of Death 7. 10. 1918

appears to have been written or executed by the person named in the margin while he was "in actual military service" within the meaning of the Wills Act, 1837, and has been recognised by the War Department as constituting a valid will.

WAR OFFICE.

for the Assistant Financial Secretary.

Date 30-5-19.

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30093. Pte J. Swords.

R. D. Fuw.

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USE EITHER THIS FORM OR THE FORM OVERLEAF, BUT NOT BOTH.

Form of Will to be used by a soldier desirous of leaving the whole of his property and effects to one person.

(See overleaf for Form of Will leaving legacies to more than one person.)

In the event of my death I give the whole of my property and effects to

Name of Legatee in full Ms^{rs} Eliza Swords
(Mr., Mrs., or Miss)
Relationship to soldier, if any Mother
Address of legatee in full 15 Ghenville Street, Dublin.

Signature of Soldier (full name) James Swords
Rank and Regimental Number Pte 30093
Regiment 3^d Royal Dublin Fusiliers
Date 3rd October 1917

(a) Insert full name of soldier making the Will.

Signed and acknowledged by the said (a) No 30093 Pte James Swords as and for his last Will in the presence of us, present at the same time, who, in his presence, at his request, and in the presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our Names as Witnesses*

(b) Witnesses to sign here.

(b) A Townsend B Co 3^d R. D. Fuw

(c) Add addresses in full.

(c) Victoria B Co Cork

(b) E Dunphy Sq 3 R D F

(c) Victoria B Co Cork

*N.B.—The Witnesses must NOT be persons intended to benefit under the Will, or husbands or wives of such persons.

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USE EITHER THIS FORM OR THE FORM OVERLEAF, BUT NOT BOTH.
Form of Will to be used by a soldier desirous of leaving legacies to some one or more persons, and the residue to another or others.
(See overleaf for Form of Will leaving everything to one person.)



(a) Name the person and describe him by his rank, regt., or profession, degree of relationship (if any) or in any other way, and give his address in full

In the event of my death I give to (a) _____

(b) Here state the particular articles, or money intended to be given

(b) _____

And I give to (a) _____

(b) _____

And all the rest of my estate and effects, and everything that I can give or dispose of, I give and bequeath absolutely to (a) _____

Signature of Soldier (full name) _____

Rank and Regimental Number _____

Regiment _____

Date _____

(c) Insert full name of soldier making the Will.

Signed and acknowledged by the said (c) _____ as and for his last Will, in the presence of us, present at the same time, who, in his presence, at his request, and in the presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our Names as Witnesses* :—

(d) Witnesses to sign here

(d) _____

(e) Add addresses in full

(e) _____

(d) _____

(e) _____

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