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FORMAL WILL.

W.O. No.: E1 248127/1

DOMICILE

Irish

Record No.

195/364530 - 1916/17

Name

Daniel Lyons

Regtl. No. and Rank

7090 Private

Regt.

2nd Battalion Irish Guards.

Died at

en France

Date of Death

15/9/1916

WAR OFFICE.

Date

2nd Feb: 1917

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On His Majesty's Service.

Army Form B 243.

FORM OF WILL, No. 1.

To be used by a Soldier desirous of leaving the whole of his effects to one person.

I, (a) Daniel Lyons.

(a) The names of the soldier to be written in full.

No. 7090 of the 2nd Btn.

Regiment of Irish Guards.

do hereby revoke all former Wills by me made, and declare this to be my last Will.

After payment of my just Debts and Funeral Expenses, I give to my

(b) Insert "friend," or if a relative, in what degree.

(b) mother

(c) The name in full.

(c) Margaret Lyons.

(d) Insert the address, if known, or other description.

(d) Masseytown Macroom Co. Cork

(e) If to a female, add the words [for her sole and separate use, her receipt alone being a sufficient discharge].

absolutely (e) for her sole & separate use, her receipt alone, being a sufficient discharge.

the whole of my Estate and Effects, and everything that I can by law give or dispose of, and I appoint (f) my mother

(f) The full names and descriptions and exact addresses of the Executor or Executors should be carefully stated.

Margaret Lyons.

Executor of this my Will.

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6. In English law a Will is revoked by the marriage of the testator, and therefore a new Will ought to be made after marriage if desired. By the law of Scotland, the Channel Islands, and the Isle of Man, the rights of the widow or children to some part of the estate cannot be defeated by a Will.

7. If any alteration is made in the writing of a Will, the signatures of the testator and the witnesses ought to be made in the margin or other part of the Will, opposite to or near such alteration, or at the foot or end of, or opposite to, a memorandum referring to such alteration and written at the end or some other part of the Will.

8. But an alteration or addition may be made by a *Codicil* (that is to say, by an addition to the Will), executed and witnessed in the same way as the Will.

9. When engaged in actual warfare, or when he has been placed under orders for active service, a Soldier of English, Guernsey, or Manx domicile is privileged (where circumstances do not allow of these Forms being used) to record his Will in writing without the attesting witnesses [see page provided for the purpose in Army Book 64 (Soldier's Pay Book)], or to declare the same orally in the presence of witnesses. A Soldier of Scottish, Jersey, or Guernsey domicile can make a written Will without witnesses at any time, provided it is entirely in his own handwriting and dated and signed by him.

N.B.—The testator, if of English domicile, must be of the age of 21 years unless he is on active service or under orders for active service. A Scotsman can dispose by Will of personal property (as distinguished from real property) when over the age of fourteen years.

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In Witness whereof, I have hereunto
set my hand this 20th day of July
A.D. 1915.

(g) Soldier to
sign here, or if he
cannot write, to
make his mark.

(g) Daniel Lyons
Signed and acknowledged by the said
Daniel Lyons

the same having been previously read over
to him 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.

(h) Witnesses
to sign here.
(i) Add ad-
dresses in full.

- (h) Michael Martin
- (i) Michael Begley
- (h) Monastercavan Co. Wick
- (i) 49, Austin Friars St. Mullingar.

Declaration of the Medical Officer.

I declare that I was present at the
Execution of this Will, and that Daniel
Lyons the Testator was at the
time in a fit state of mind to execute the
same.

B.B. Watson M.D.

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Army Form B 244.

FORM OF WILL, No. 2.

To be used by a Soldier desirous of leaving
Legacies to some one or more persons, and
the residue to another, or others.

(a) The names
of the soldier to be
written in full.

I, (a) _____

No. _____ of the _____

Regiment of _____

do hereby revoke all former Wills by me
made, and declare this to be my last Will.

After payment of my just Debts and

Funeral Expenses, I give to (b) _____

(c) _____

And I give to (b) _____

(c) _____

And all the rest of my Estate and
Effects, and everything that I can give or
dispose of, I give and bequeath absolutely

to (b) _____

(c) Here state
the particular
articles or money
intended to be
given.