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The document attached hereto dated 20<sup>th</sup> 8<sup>th</sup> 1914.

and signed J. Rafter.

No. 3185 Irish Gds.

appears to have been written or executed by 3185 L/bpl John  
Rafter 1<sup>st</sup> Battn. Irish Guards.

Testator died at—

Place Not stated (with the British Expeditionary Force)

on 9<sup>th</sup> November. 1914.

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.

A. J. Wilkinson.

for the Assistant Financial Secretary.

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WILL.

In the event of my  
death I give the whole  
of my property and  
effects to "Wm Rafter  
Breggane Beheysbeg  
Ballina Co Mayo  
Ireland"

S.d. J. Rafter

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