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C. J. Franco Esq.,  
Standard Hotel,  
DUBLIN.

Dear Sir,

My house was burnt on the morning of the 9th Feby, 1921, by the Black & Tans. It was left in a complete wreck. I did not live in this house, but my daughter had a shop in it in which she sold small drapery & other goods. She also carried on dressmaking in it. All the Goods she had were burnt including material which she had to make clothing for other people, and some of her own wearing clothes. She is idle since then, ~~she~~ <sup>as</sup> she has no place to carry on her dressmaking. She got no help from the White Cross Funds. I was granted a Loan of £100. 0. 0. from the White Cross for rebuilding of the house. I have received £50. 0. 0. of the money. I am commencing to rebuild again. I have no photo of the Ruins as I have them cleared away for rebuilding.

You are welcome to publish this letter and make use of my name.

I remain,

Yours truly,

(SD). Micheel Whelan.