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DUNGARVAN.

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

Dear Sir,

My house was burned by Crown Forces, not as a reprisal but for showing them up to the Public for gross misconduct in my house on the night of April 3rd, towards my maid and myself whilst my husband was in Jail. They burned my premises on the 14th April, which was a Fee Simple, and I had to jump a 12 ft. wall with my child of seven years to save our lives, and my maid followed after me. They left us penniless, and we had nothing on us but our night attire.

On a rough calculation I received something about £50 or £60, and from the end of September the Committee allowed me £2. per week for my husband, child, and self, for lodging, food and clothes, which is little for 3 of us. When my husband came out of prison on the 8th December, I had to purchase for him inside & outside clothing.

The amount of Loan - £150, which has provided me with a kitchen & bedroom at back of premises.

I am enclosing picture of premises, - front & rear, after being destroyed.

Sincerely yours,

(Sd). (Mrs) Bridget Fahey.