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Maulregan,  
Rosscarbery,  
Co. Cork.

Sir:-

I can never express my thanks sufficiently to the White Cross for their assistance in my hour of need. On last April my dwelling house and all effects, also outoffices, were burned to the ground by a party of English Soldiers, thereby rendering myself and my family homeless, - having also two of my sons on the run; so that I was in a very bad position financially and otherwise so that I was not in a position to start to rebuild were it not for the timely assistance of the White Cross, which was so kind as to present me with £150.

The White Cross Reconstruction Committee have also granted me a Loan of £200, which will enable me to continue about my dwelling house, which is a great blessing to me as we can live in the house now and carry on our farming operations as of yore.

I am veru sorry I have not a picture of my house, as it would enable you to see the contents of the damage.

I don't mind if you use my name or not.

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

Mary Murray