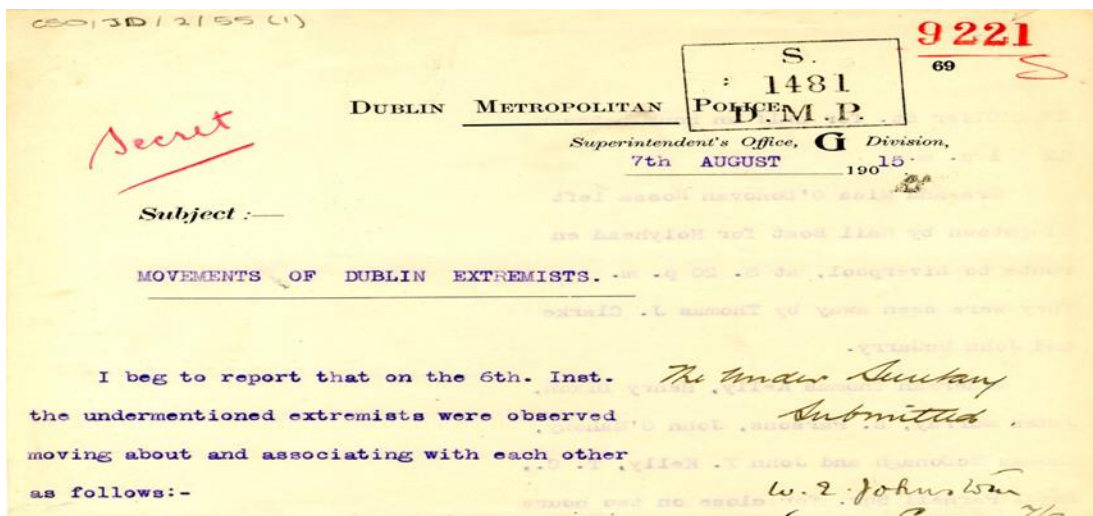




Dublin Metropolitan Police - Movements of Dublin Extremists
Reports on Diarmuid Lynch
January - December 1916



The Chief Secretary's Office, Crime Branch: Movement of Extremists collection was a series of daily reports by the Dublin Metropolitan Police (DMP) Detective Department on the movements and associations of pro-independence suspects.

These reports were compiled by Superintendent Owen Brien and submitted to the Under Secretary for Ireland, Sir Matthew Nathan, at Dublin Castle, annotated and then read by the Chief Secretary of Ireland, Sir Augustine Birrell.

These reports describe Republican activity in Dublin during the 11 months preceding the Easter Rising and detail intelligence gathered at a number of key city centre locations, most notably the shop of Thomas J Clarke at 75 Parnell Street, the Irish Volunteers Office at 2 Dawson Street, the Irish National Foresters Hall at 41 Parnell Street and the Gaelic League Offices in 25 Parnell Street. Major events which took place in 1915 and 1916 are recorded in the reports, including the funeral of Jeremiah O'Donovan Rossa and the Annual Convention of Irish Volunteers.

The reports also include details of anti-recruitment and conscription rallies, meetings of the Irish Women's Franchise League, and protests against the imprisonment of revolutionaries under the Defence of the Realm Act and the movement of suspects to locations and major events outside of Dublin.

There are over 230 individuals referred to in the reports, principally members of the Irish Volunteers, the Irish Republican Brotherhood and Sinn Féin. The primary person of interest is Thomas J Clarke, who is mentioned in almost every report, while the other most frequently mentioned individuals include Pierce Beasley, Thomas Byrne, Con Colbert, Bulmer Hobson, Seán T Ó Ceallaigh, Seán Mac Diarmada, John McGarry, Diarmuid Lynch, Joseph McGuinness, Herbert Mellows, Michael O'Hanrahan, William O'Leary Curtis, Michael Joseph O'Rahilly and James Joseph Walsh.

In total there were approximately 260 files comprising 700 documents which were conserved, listed and scanned.

To view these and other reports in full, visit the [National Archives of Ireland](http://www.nationalarchives.ie) website.

The reports included with the Newsletter relate to Diarmuid Lynch and also include details of historic and unusual events.

January 1916

Diarmuid Lynch was based in Cork during much of January 1916.

Little archival material such as family letters etc is available so far as to his location and activities during the month. However, there are written records indicating that at this time, the British Administration were highly concerned about Lynch, his associations and activities.

During the course of his work as an Insurance Agent for the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States, Diarmuid also combined ultra-secret IRB activities as the Munster Centre (Divisional Head) of the Irish Republican Brotherhood as his work took him throughout the province. As an American Citizen and registered as a 'Friendly Alien' resident in Ireland, he was required to comply with the terms of the Aliens Act 1914. These included the requirement that he was to report to local RIC police stations when entering and leaving localities. Where monitored, Diarmuid did so but also privately routinely ignored and continued to enter and leave 'prohibited areas' without notifying the police. Combined with his increasing profile within both the RIC and DMP detective divisions, the Royal Irish Constabulary in a submission to Dublin Castle during December 1915 objected to his free movements and sought to contain him. An application was made by Dublin Castle to the British Home Secretary to restrict his movements.

On January 3 1916, an Aliens Restriction Order was duly issued by the British Home Secretary, Sir John Simon in Whitehall, London to the Royal Irish Constabulary and Dublin Metropolitan Police regarding Diarmuid Lynch, confining him to a five mile radius of his Dublin residence and '*subject to all the provisions relating to alien enemies as specified in the Aliens Restriction Act, 1914*'.

As Diarmuid (according to the British Administration) had no fixed abode in Cork (other than the rural family home which perhaps as far as the RIC was concerned, would have been difficult to monitor), the authorities chose to serve the Aliens Restriction Order on him when he returned to Dublin. This would contain him within a city area and make it substantially easier to monitor his movements.

Diarmuid returned to Dublin on or around Saturday, January 22 unaware of the Home Secretary's Order. The DMP Detectives assigned to observe 'subversives' locations noted him that evening visiting Thomas J. Clarke in Parnell Street and then later at the Gaelic League offices nearby. Lynch was in Dublin to meet with Pearse and on Sunday, January 23 to secretly attend the IRB Supreme Council Meeting.

Lynch recalled that he met with Pearse in St. Enda's and received from him instructions for the Irish Volunteer leadership in Munster (also IRB members) for the forthcoming Easter manoeuvres.

"...I was to convey them orally to the Cork, Kerry, Limerick and Galway Commandants. He outlined, the positions which these Brigades were to occupy on the Volunteer manoeuvres which had been decided on for the Easter week-end, viz.: Cork to hold the County to the south of the Boggeragh mountains - left flank contacting the Kerry Brigade which was to extend eastwards from Tralee; Limerick was to contact the Kerry men on the south and those of Limerick - Clare - Galway to the north. Limerick, Clara and Galway were "to hold the line of the Shannon to Athlone". There was no immediate hurry for the transmission of these orders so I remained on in Dublin for the scheduled Supreme Council meeting..." Diarmuid Lynch. "The I.R.B. and the 1916 Insurrection". Mercier Press 1957.

Meanwhile, in the Dublin Metropolitan Police Headquarters, Lynch's Alien Restriction Order was prepared for serving on Monday.



Dublin's Pearse Street Garda station was once the headquarters of G division of the DMP. Still visible today on the entrances are the corbelled heads of policemen, two with the flat caps of officers marking the officer's entrance and two with the helmets of constables marking the rank and file entrance.

Saturday, January 22 1916

With Thomas J. Clarke, 75, Parnell St.,
 on Saturday, John McDermott for a quarter
 of an hour between 11 & 12 a. m. P. Ryan,
 and P. Beasley for ten minutes between 12
 & 1 p. m. B. Parsons and C. J. Kickham
 for a quarter of an hour from 12-50 p. m.
 Joseph McGuinness for a few minutes at 2.30
 p. m. Frank Fahy, D. Lynch and John McGar-
 ry from 8-45 p. m. to 9 p. m. C. Colbert
 for a quarter of an hour from 9-30 p. m.
 Thomas McCarthy and E. Daly for half an hour
 from 9-45 p. m.

Arthur Griffith, P. Dowling, D. Lynch,
 M. Foley, Joseph McGuinness, E. Daly and
 Gerald Griffin in 25, Parnell Square from
 8-30 p. m. till 10-30 p. m.

W. W. Keenan

Comm 24/1/16

*Under Secretary
Submitted*

*WML
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True,

Monday, 24 January 1916

Lynch was notified by the Dublin Metropolitan Police at his residence of an Aliens Restrictions Order issued by the British Home Secretary in Whitehall, London on January 3rd, 1916, confining him to a five mile radius of his residence at 11 Mountjoy Square, Dublin and 'subject to all the provisions relating to alien enemies as specified in the Aliens Restriction Act, 1914'.

(This Aliens Restriction Acts of 1914 had been passed in the context of Britain & Ireland at war, and the provisions were aimed at strictly controlling foreign 'enemy' aliens already settled in London, particularly Germans and Austrian-Hungarians. The Act technically could also be used to control or limit non-British nationals resident in the United Kingdom as citizens of 'friendly nations' such as the United States. The Act required all foreign nationals to register with police, restrict movements to certain metropolitan areas and allowed for their deportation within the United Kingdom or to other nations.)

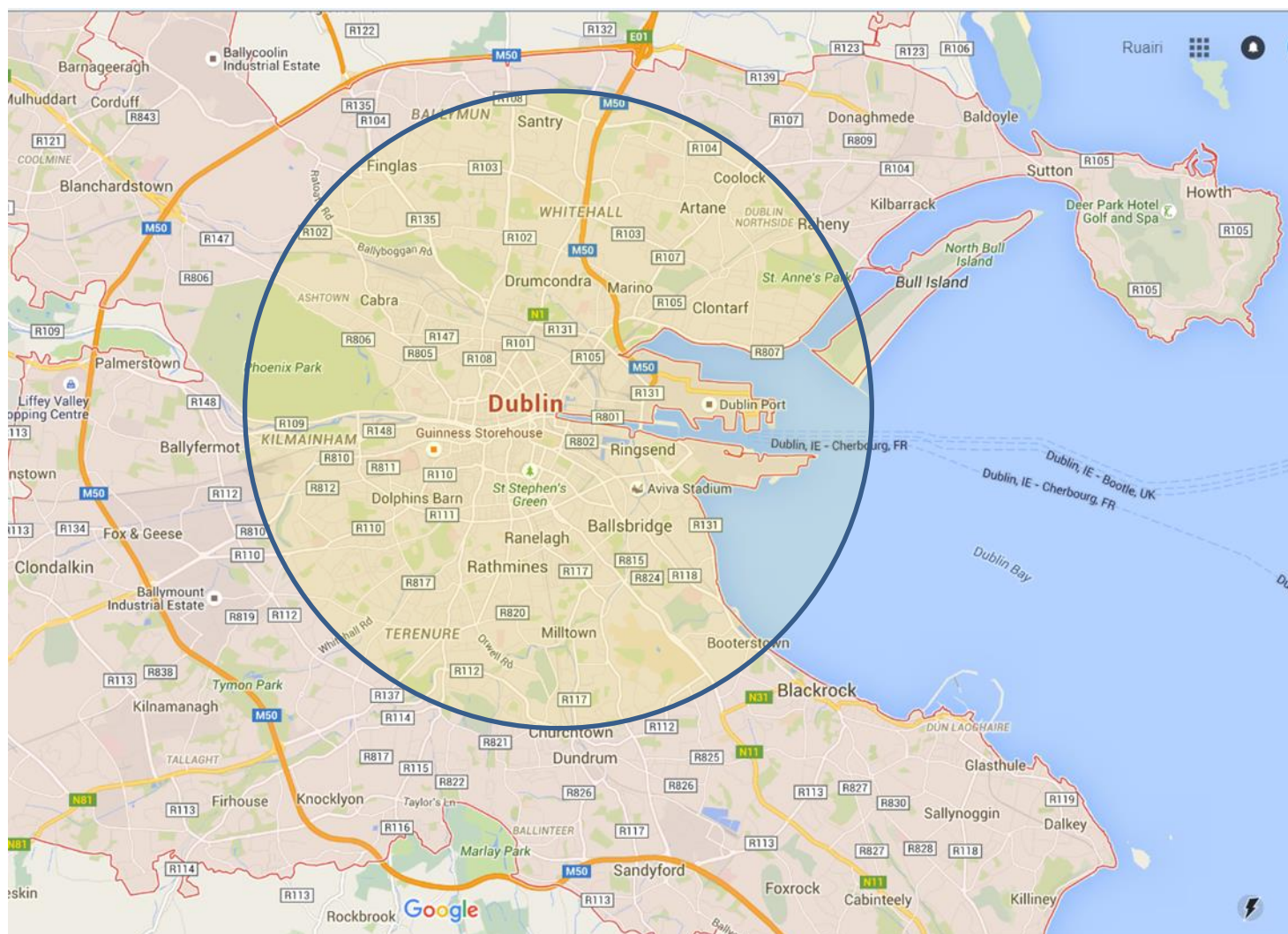
The Dublin Metropolitan Police – Detective Department Report for Monday, January 24 (produced on January 25, 1916 & appears on page 64a) did not directly report that the Restriction Order had been served on Lynch. He was noted as being seen with Sean MacDiarmada at 12 D'Olier Street between 1 & 2pm and later that day with Thomas J. Clarke in Parnell Street for fifteen minutes between 6 & 7pm.

A longhand annotation on the report asks 'The Police have not yet reported service on D [Diarmuid] Lynch on the Home Secretary's order'.

A further longhand annotation asks 'Ch Commr [Chief Commissioner] Has it been served?'

A longhand reply was given on 27 January 1916 stating 'The Under Secretary, Yes'

Lynch was now limited to a five miles radius of his residence in 11 Mountjoy Square which effectively finished any IRB revolutionary organisational work outside of Dublin and limited his movements within the city (see illustration below).



Diarmuid shortly afterwards raised the issue of his confinement to Dublin with the Irish Parliamentary Party MP for the Dublin Division where he resided, Mr. Alfie Byrne.

Byrne received a reply in the Houses of Parliament in February 1916:

ALIENS RESTRICTION ORDER (IRELAND).

Source: Hansard: HC Deb 29 February 1916 vol 80 cc913-4W913W

Mr. BYRNE

Asked the Secretary of State for the Home Department whether he will explain why Jeremiah C. Lynch (known as Diarmuid Lynch), a citizen of the United States of America, bearing passport No. 42,415 issued at Washington on 10th October, 1914, now resident in Ireland and representing American interests in the southern counties, has, since 24th January, 1916, been confined to a five-mile radius from his temporary residence in Dublin and subject to all the provisions relating to alien enemies as specified in the Aliens Restriction Act, 1914; whether he is aware that Jeremiah C. Lynch had registered as such in Ireland in July, 1915, and since that date complied with the regulations respecting friendly aliens, duly reported in the prescribed areas when his business compelled him to enter them; and 914W whether he will explain why the order issued in respect to Jeremiah C. Lynch by the Home Secretary at Whitehall on 3rd January, 1916, was not executed until he reached Dublin on 24th January, 1916, and why the order was not served on him while residing in his native county Cork between the 3rd and 24th of January, 1916, his whereabouts during that period being known to the authorities of the district wherein he was registered?

Mr. SAMUEL

I am aware that Lynch registered in Dublin in July, 1915, but I am informed by the Irish Government that he had been in Ireland since November, 1914, without registering or otherwise complying with the Aliens Restriction Order, and it was only after proceedings had been instituted against him that he registered. It is not the case that since that date he has complied with the regulations applying to alien friends; on the contrary, in spite of express warning, he continued to disregard them by entering and leaving prohibited areas from time to time without notifying the police. It was therefore decided to place him under the same restrictions as an alien enemy. With regard to the last part of the question, I am informed that the Order was served on him in Dublin and not in Cork, because he had no fixed residence in Cork which was known to the Dublin Police. The Order was therefore held over for service when he returned to Dublin.



Dublin Metropolitan Police officer on duty c. 1914.

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(1858.) Wt. 5335—66.4000.12/14. A.T.&Co., Ltd.
(6559.) Wt. 3103—06.20,000.8/15.

Telegrams: "DAMP, DUBLIN."
Telephone No. 22.

DUBLIN METROPOLITAN POLICE:

S.
2334
D.M.P.

Detective Department,

Dublin, 25th January, 1916.

Crime Special

Subject, MOVEMENTS OF DUBLIN EXTREMISTS.

I beg to report that on the 24th inst. the undermentioned Extremists were observed moving about and associating with each other as follows, :-

With Thomas J. Clarke, 75 Parnell Street, C. Colbert for a few minutes at 1. p.m. J. C. Kickham for five minutes at 1.15.p.m. D.Lynch for a quarter of an hour between 6 & 7 p.m., E. Daly, J.J.Buggy, and M.W.O'Reilly for twenty minutes between 7 & 8 p.m. Joseph McGuinness for half an hour from 8.30. p.m.

Pierce Beasley left Kingstown by Morning Mail Boat for Holyhead 24th inst. en route to Liverpool. R. I. C. informed.

Denis McCullough left Amiens St. by 9.a.m. train for Belfast, R.I.C. informed.

John McDermott and D.Lynch in 12 D'Olier St., between 12 & 1 p.m.

Herbert Mellows, M.J.O'Rahilly. Geo' Irvine and P. Ryan in 2 Dawson St. between 4 & 5. p.m.

Alfred Monaghan arrived at Broadstone from Crossdowney at 7.12. p.m.

Thomas McDonagh, E. De Valera, E. Duggan, W.

*The Under Secretary,
Submitted,
W.R. L. Hurstone*

*Comm 25/1/16
Under Secretary
Submitted
The Police have not yet reported service on D.Lynch of the Home Secretary's order.
W.R.L.
25/1*

*Ch Commr.
Has it been served?
M.H.*

*Chief Comr
Seen*

*The Under Secretary
yes
W.R. L. Hurstone
25/1/16*

The Chief Commr.

Thursday, 27 January 1916

With Thomas J. Clarke, 75, Parnell St.,
 F. Sheehy-Skeffington for a quarter of an
 hour between 11 & 12 a. m. John McGarry for
 twenty minutes between 1 & 2 p. m. Joseph
 McGuinness for half an hour from 7-30 p. m.
 E. Daly for a quarter of an hour between 8
 & 9 p. m. John McDermott, D. Lynch, Pierce
 Beasley and John O'Mahony for twenty minutes
 from 8-30 p. m.

M. J. O'Rahilly, Bulmer Hobson, D. Lynch,
 E. O'Duffy, L. Raul, H. Mellows and Alfred
 Monaghan in 2, Dawson Street for two hours
 from 9 p. m.

*Under Secretary
 Submitted
 WJK
 28/1*

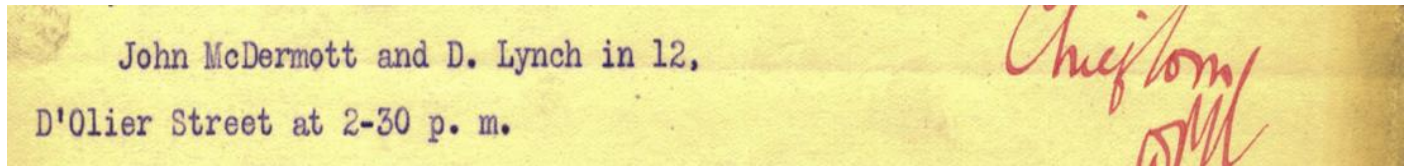
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Friday, 28 January 1916

D. Lynch in Sackville Street between 9
 & 10 p. m.

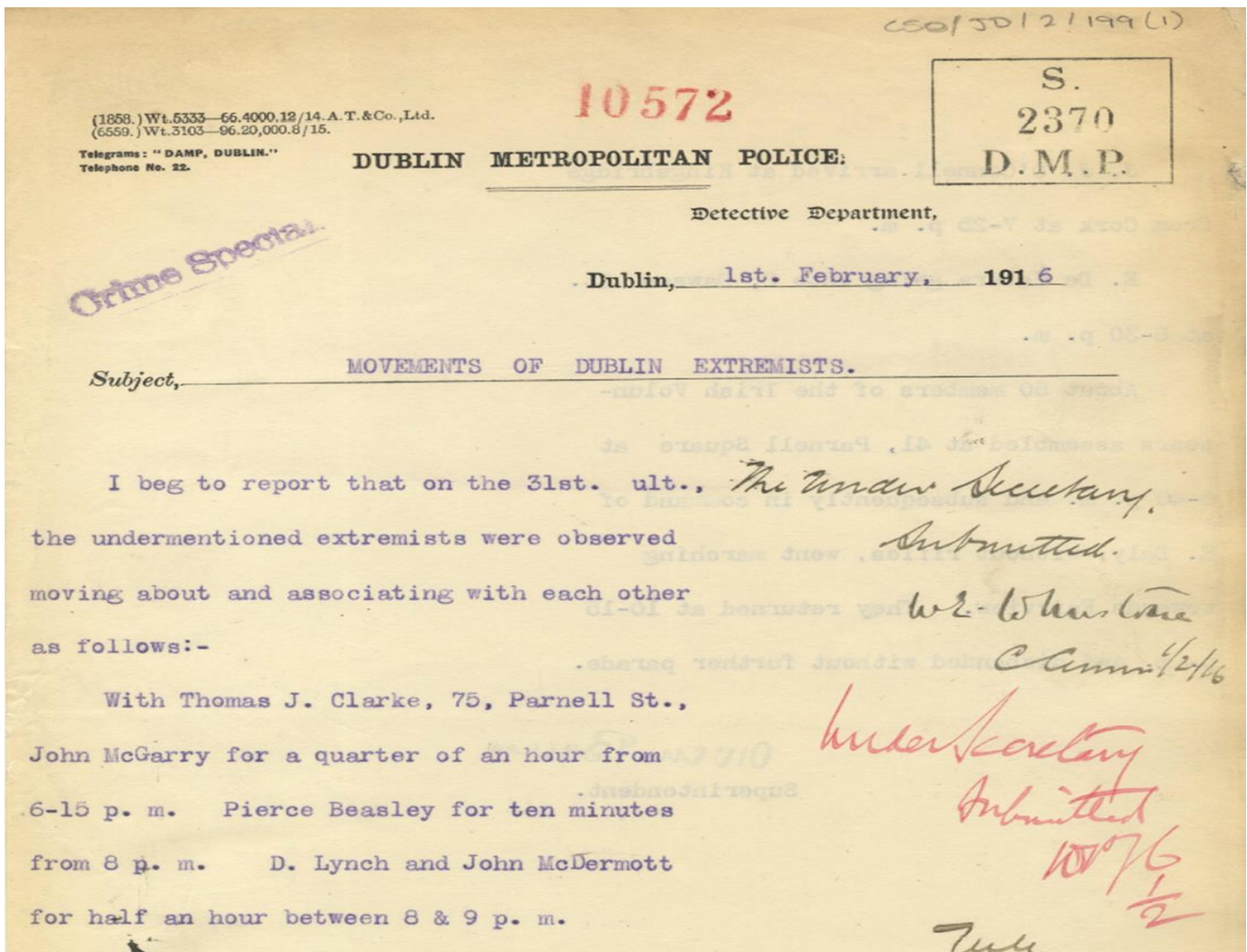
Saturday, 29 January 1916



11/12 D'Olier Street was where Sean Mac Diarmada (John McDermott on the DMP reports) had an office as manager of nationalist newspaper Irish Freedom in 1910-16. The 33-year-old was secretary of the supreme council and military council of the Irish Republican Brotherhood and was executed following the Easter Rising. At the site today a plaque highlights his role as a signatory to the 1916 Proclamation and says he was "executed by the British on 12th May 1916". At its end it states "erected by his friends", who included Eamonn de hOir, Cathal O'Shannon, Phyllis O'Kelly, Prof Liam O'Briain and Denis McCullough. It was unveiled in a large public event on April 23rd, 1967, by then president Eamon de Valera.

12 D'Olier Street was also the Dublin headquarters of the Fianna Eireann.

Monday, January 31 1916



Tuesday, February 1 1916

With Thomas J. Clarke, 75, Parnell St.,

C. Colbert from 12-50 to 1 p. m. Joseph

McGuinness for a quarter of an hour between

1 & 2 p. m. John T. Kelly, T.C., and M.

Foley for twenty minutes between 2 & 3 p. m.

D. Lynch, Charles S. Power, W. Sheehan, J.R.

Reynolds and E. Duggan together for half an

hour from 8 p. m. E. Daly and Wm. O'Brien

(Trades Council), for a few minutes at 8-40

p. m. John McGarry and Wm. O'Leary Curtis

Comm 2/2/16

*Under Secretary
Submitted*

*W.M.
2/2*

*Th.
2/2*

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Wednesday, February 2 1916

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(1899.) Wt. 5335—66,4000.12/14. A.T.&Co., Ltd.
(1909.) Wt. 3103—96,20,000.8/15.

Telegrams: "DAMP, DUBLIN."
Telephone No. 22.

DUBLIN METROPOLITAN POLICE.

S.
2390
D.M.P.

Detective Department

Dublin, 3rd. February, 191 6

Crime Special

Subject, MOVEMENTS OF DUBLIN EXTREMISTS.

I beg to report that on the 2nd. Inst., the undermentioned extremists were observed moving about and associating with each other as follows:-

The under Secretary submitted.

Thomas J. Clarke was not seen in his shop, 75, Parnell Street yesterday, but it has been ascertained that he is not out of the City.

Wm. Whelan -
C. Connors
Under Secretary
Submitted
W.M.
3/2

Those observed to visit the place during the day were John McGarry, and James Whelan at 12-40 p. m. William Mellows who arrived at Broadstone from Athenry at 2-30 p. m. proceeded to Clarke's where he had a short conversation with E. Daly, D. Lynch, Joseph McGuinness and John T. Kelly, T.C. at

Ch. Sec.
(on return)
W.M.
3/2
Seen by the Ch. Sec.
W.M.
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Ch. Sec.
W.M.
10/2

The Chief Commissioner.

Thursday, February 3 1916

(50/30/2(202 C1))

10593

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2395
D.M.P.

(1859.) W.L. 5333—66,000.12/14. A.T.&Co., Ltd.
(1859.) W.L. 3703—96,200,000.0/15.
Telegrams: "DAMP, DUBLIN."
Telephone No. 22.

DUBLIN METROPOLITAN POLICE:
Detective Department,

Dublin, 4th. February, 1916

Crime Special

Subject, MOVEMENTS OF DUBLIN EXTREMISTS.

I beg to report that on the 3rd. Inst., *The Under Secretary*
the undermentioned extremists were observed *Submitted.*
moving about and associating with each other
as follows:-

Wf: Minister
Comm 4/2/16

Thomas J. Clarke was again absent from
his shop yesterday. He is said to be unwell,
but inquiry is being made as to this. Those
however who visited 75, Parnell St. during
the day were John McDermott, William Mellows,
J. R. Reynolds, E. Daly, Joseph McGuinness,
Thomas Byrne, Pierce Beasley, C. J. Kickham, *Submitted*
D. Lynch, Henry Dixon, William O'Leary Curtis
and William Sheehan. *WOM 4/2*

Wm.
4/2
Chaplin
WOM 5/2

Herbert Mellows, M. J. O'Rahilly, and
L. Raul in 2, Dawson Street between 12 & 1 p.m.

About 60 members of the Irish Volunteers
were drilled in the hall, 41, Parnell Square
from 8 p. m. to 10 p. m.; F. Fahy, D. Lynch
and C. J. Kickham being there at the time.

Monday, 7 February, 1916

10614

S.
2412
D.M.P.

(1888.) Wt. 5333—66,4000.12/14. A.T.&Co., Ltd.
(6559.) Wt. 3103—86,20,000.8/15.
Telegrams: "DAMP, DUBLIN."
Telephone No. 22.

DUBLIN METROPOLITAN POLICE:

Detective Department,

Dublin, 8th. February, 1916

Crime Special

Subject, MOVEMENTS OF DUBLIN EXTREMISTS.

I beg to report that on the 7th. Inst., the undermentioned extremists were observed moving about and associating with each other as follows:-

Thomas J. Clarke is still confined to his residence, Richmond Avenue. Those observed to enter his shop 75, Parnell St. during the day included C. J. Kickham, D. Lynch, John T. Kelly, Pierce Beasley, Joseph McGuinness and John McDermott.

John Neeson left Amiens Street by 6-35 a. m. train for Drogheda. R.I.C. informed.

John McDermott and John McGarry at 12, D'Olier Street at 12 noon.

H. Mellows, E. O'Duffy, L. Raul, J. R.

Reynolds,

The Chief Commr.

*The Under Secretary
Submitted
W. Johnston
Comm 8/2/16
Under Secretary
Submitted
W. Johnston
8/2
W. Johnston
8/2*

Wednesday, 9 February, 1916

P. H. Pearse, John Fitzgibbon, John
McDermott, M. J. O'Rahilly, D. Lynch, Laur-
ence Raul, M. O'Hanrahan, Joseph McGuinness,
E. Kent, E. Duggan and Thomas Hunter in 2,
Dawson Street together from 7-30 to 9-30 p.m.

John Milroy at 28, North Frederick St.
between 9 & 10 p. m.

Thursday, 10 February, 1916

P. H. Pearse left Kingsbridge by 3 p.m.
train for Waterford. R. I. C. informed.

About 45 members of the Sinn Fein Vol-
unteers were drilled without rifles at
rere of the hall, 41, Rutland Square bet-
ween 8 p. m. and 10 p. m. Those present
at the time were D. Lynch, F. Fahy, Joseph
McGuinness, Bulmer Hobson, and Michael
McNamara. The latter is an Assistant in
Mooney's publichouse, Parnell Street.

Monday, 14 February, 1916

Thomas J. Clarke did not visit his shop,
75, Parnell St. on 14th. inst. Those seen
to call there during the day included Michael
McGinn, John McGarry, Pierce Beasley, John
McDermott, E. Daly, Joseph McGuinness, E. J.
Duggan and James Stritch.

M. J. O'Rahilly, D. Lynch, Jas. Whelan,
L. Raul, Michael O'Hanrahan and E. Daly in
2, Dawson Street at 12 noon.

John McDermott, and John T. Kelly ar-
rived at Amiens Street from Belfast at 1 p.m.

Comm 15/2/16
Under Secretary
Submitted
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Tuesday, 15 February, 1916

Bulmer Hobson, H. Mellows, M.J. O'Rahil-
ly, L. Raul, and M. O'Hanrahan in 2, Dawson
Street at 11-30 a. m.

D. Lynch and John McDermott in 12,
D'Olier Street at 12-30 p. m.

L. J. Fawsitt arrived at Kingsbridge
from Cork at 12-30 p. m.

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Chiefton
WML
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Wednesday, 16 February, 1916

Bulmer Hobson, E. Kent, P. H. Pearse,
 E. De Valera, J. O'Connor, M. J. O'Rahilly,
 John Fitzgibbon, D. Lynch, L. Raul, John
 McDermott and John E. Lyons in 2, Dawson
 Street from 7-30 p. m. to 9 p. m. Lyons is
 a Printer who resides at 14, Portland Place,
 N. C. Road.

Saturday, 19 February, 1916

10722

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2497
D.M.P.

(1858.) Wt. 5333—66.4000.12/14. A.T. & Co., Ltd.
 (6559.) Wt. 3103—96.20,000.8/15.
 Telegrams: "DAMP, DUBLIN."
 Telephone No. 22.

DUBLIN METROPOLITAN POLICE:

Detective Department,

Dublin, 21st. February, 1916

SECRET.

Subject, MOVEMENTS OF DUBLIN EXTREMISTS.

I beg to report that on the 19th. and 20th. Inst., the undermentioned extremists were observed moving about and associating with each other as follows:-

Thomas J. Clarke called to his shop, 75, Parnell St., mid-day, on Saturday but only remained a few minutes. Those seen to visit the place during the day included T. McDonagh, James O'Sullivan, E. Daly, C. Colbert, Joseph Murray, D. Lynch, John McDermott, F. J. McCabe and James Leddan. Limerick.

The Under Secretary
Submitted
W. H. ...
Clamm 2/2
Under Secretary
G. H.

Sunday, 20 February, 1916

John McNeill, Thomas McDonagh, John
McDermott, Edmund Kent, John Fitzgibbon, P.
H. Pearse, M.J. O'Rahilly, D. Lynch, J. J.
O'Connell, Thomas Hunter, J. O'Connor, F.
Fahy, Bulmer Hobson, M. O'Hanrahan, William
Mellows, F. J. McCabe, Pierce McCann, Cashel,
T. J. McSweeney, Cork, Thomas Curtin, Cork,
James Leddan, Limerick, P. Hughes, Dundalk,
John Neeson, Drogheda, and Herbert Mellows
were present at a meeting of the Irish Vol-
unteer Executive at 2, Dawson Street from 12
noon to 3 p. m. 20th. Inst.

Monday, 21 February, 1916

10726

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2505
D.M.P.

(1858.) Wt. 5333—66.4000.12/14. A.T.&Co., Ltd.
(6559.) Wt. 3103—96.20,000.8/15.

Telegrams: "DAMP, DUBLIN."
Telephone No. 22.

DUBLIN METROPOLITAN POLICE:

Detective Department,

Dublin, 22nd. February, 1916

SECRET.

Subject, MOVEMENTS OF DUBLIN EXTREMISTS.

I beg to report that on the 21st. Inst., *The under Secretary*
the undermentioned extremists were observed *Submitted.*
moving about and associating with each other *W. Johnston.*
as follows:- *C.C. 22/2*

Thomas J. Clarke was not seen to visit
his shop, 75, Parnell Street yesterday. Those
who called there during the day included John
McDermott, C. Colbert, F. Fahy, C.J. Kickham, *X*
John McGarry and D. Lynch. *Under Secretary*
EOR
29/2/16

Friday, 25 February, 1916

10763

S.
2531
D.M.P.

(1850.) Wt. 5333—66,9000.12/14. A. T. & Co., Ltd.
(6550.) Wt. 3103—96,20,000.8/15.

Telegrams: "DAMP, DUBLIN."
Telephone No. 12.

DUBLIN METROPOLITAN POLICE.

Detective Department.

Dublin, 26th. February, 1916

SECRET.

Subject, MOVEMENTS OF DUBLIN EXTREMISTS.

I beg to report that on the 25th. Inst., the undermentioned extremists were observed moving about and associating with each other as follows:-

Thomas J. Clarke, John McDermott, and D. Lynch in 12, D'Olier Street for over an hour from 12 noon. Clarke afterwards went to Kingsbridge, where he left by 3 p. m. train en route to Limerick. R. I. C. informed.

Those observed in 75, Parnell St. during the day included C. Colbert, John McGarry, E. Daly, C. Collins, and D. Lynch.

Bulmer Hobson, M. O'Hanrahan, C. Colbert, and Mrs Sheehy-Skeffington in 2, Dawson St. between 1 & 2 p. m.

*The undermentioned
Submitted.
W. B. Keane
Comm 26/2*

*Under Secretary
E. J.
26.2.16.*

*Ch. Sec.
To see papers.
T. M.
26/2*

Saturday, 26 February, 1916

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2540
D.M.P.

(1858.) Wt. 5333—66.4000.12/14. A.T.&Co., Ltd.
(6559.) Wt. 3103—96.20,000.8/15.

Telegrams: "DAMP, DUBLIN."
Telephone No. 22.

DUBLIN METROPOLITAN POLICE:

Detective Department,

Dublin, 28th. February, 1916

MOVEMENTS OF DUBLIN EXTREMISTS.

Subject, _____

I beg to report that on the 26th. and 27th. Inst., the undermentioned extremists were observed moving about and associating with each other as follows:-

C. J. Kickham, Pierce Beasley, John McGarry, John O'Hanrahan, and Jeremiah (D) Lynch, in Clarkes, 75, Parnell Street, 26th. Inst.

The Under Secretary
Submitted
W. J. Johnston
Comm 28/2
Under Secretary

SECRET.

Tuesday, 29 February, 1916

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2550
D.M.P.

(1858.) Wt. 5333—66.4000.12/14. A.T.&Co., Ltd.
(6559.) Wt. 3103—96.20,000.8/15.

Telegrams: "DAMP, DUBLIN."
Telephone No. 22.

DUBLIN METROPOLITAN POLICE.

Detective Department,

Dublin, 1st March, 1916.

SECRET.

Subject, MOVEMENTS OF DUBLIN EXTREMISTS.

I beg to report that on 29th Ultimo, the under-mentioned extremists were observed moving about and associating with each other as follows:-

Thomas J. Clarke has not, so far, returned from Limerick. Those observed to enter his shop, 75a, Parnell St., during the day included A. W. W. Cotton, Tralee, John Milroy, F. J. McCabe, William O'Leary Curtis and Jeremiah C. Lynch.

*The Under Secretary
Submitted.
W. Johnston
Camm 1/3/16.
Under Secretary
Submitted.*

Sunday, 5 March 1916

Jeremiah Lynch, John McGarry and John McDermott together in Sackville St., between 5 and 6 p.m. on Sunday, 5th inst. McDermott subsequently left Amiens St., for Dundalk, and was seen to the station by Lynch. R.I.C. informed.

About 300 persons attended a concert and dramatic performance in 41, Rutland Square, at 8 p.m. Those present included John Neeson, John Milroy, John McGarry, M. O'Hanrahan and F. J. McCabe.

Owen Bowen
Superintendent.

Monday, 6 March, 1916

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DUBLIN METROPOLITAN POLICE.

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Detective Department,

SECRET

Dublin, 7th March, 1916.

Subject, MOVEMENTS OF DUBLIN EXTREMISTS.

I beg to report that on the 6th inst. the under-mentioned extremists were observed moving about and associating with each other.

*The Under Secretary
Submitted.*

Thomas J. Clarke has not yet returned from Limerick. Those observed to enter his shop 75a Parnell St., on 6th inst. included James O'Sullivan, Mrs. Wyse Power, E. Daly, H. Mellows, Jeremiah Lynch, F. J. McCabe, Pierce Beasley and John T. Kelly. T.C.

W. E. Johnstone

John Nesson returned to Drogheda by 6.35. a.m. train, R.I.C. informed.

Comm 7/3/16

*Under Secretary
Submitted
WML
7/3*

M. J. O'Rahilly, E. Kent, E. Daly, E. J. Duggan, J. J. Walsh, Thomas McDonagh, E. De Valera and Joseph McGuinness in No2 Dawson St., for half an hour from 12 noon.

7/3

About 50 Irish Volunteers were drilled at 41 Rutland Square for two hours from 8 p.m. Joseph McGuinness, James O'Sullivan, and Jeremiah Lynch being there at the time.

Owen Bowen
Superintendent.

Tuesday, 7 March, 1916

John McDermott, John R. Reynolds and Jeremiah Lynch in 12, Dolier St., between 12 and 1 p.m.

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M.D.
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Wednesday, 8 March

Jeremiah Lynch in 12, Dolier St., between 5 and 6 p.m.

*10 see papers
T.H.*

Thursday, 16 March

Jeremiah Lynch and John McDermott in 12, D'olier St. at 11-30 a.m. Lynch left in the course of a few minutes.

*I. Ch. Sec.
II. Lord Agent.
10 M.D.
18/3*

The Emmet Anniversary, Concert and Address by Joseph O'Flaherty, Loughrea, took place at 8 p.m., in the Round Room of the Mansion House. About 1,000 persons were present, including John McDermott, Bulmer Hobson, M. J. O'Rahilly, H. Mellows, E. Kent, E. Daly, James O'Sullivan, Arthur Griffith, W. L. Cole, Joseph Murray, Pierce Beasley, J. R. Reynolds, J. O'Connor, J. Stritch, Joseph McGuinness, John T. Kelly, T.C., Jeremiah Lynch, M. O'Hanrahan, James Buggy, B. Parsons, F. Fahy, J.J. Burke, P.O'Keeffe, G.P.O., E. J. Duggan, T. Hunter, William O'Leary Curtis, G. Crofts, J. O'Byrne, J. Neeson, M. Stafford and Alderman Thomas Kelly.

A detachment of Irish Volunteers, in uniform, some with rifles, were posted through the building, during the proceedings, which concluded, in good order, at 11 p.m.

*Owen'Brien
Superintendent.*



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[ONE PENNY.]

Ireland's Roll of Honour

SHOT DEAD

Mrs. Duffy, Dublin
James Brennan, "
Patk. Quinn, "
Sylvester Pidgeon, "

BAYONETTED

M. J. Judge, Dublin,
J. J. Burke, "
Chas. O'Neill, "

DEPORTED

John Dowling, Cove
J. L. Fawsitt, Cork
The O'Rahilly, Dublin
Capt. Montèith, I.V., Dublin.
Jeremiah Reen, Clonmel
J. J. Walsh, Cork
Mark McDerragh, Moycullen

IMPRISONED

James Bolger, Enniscorthy.
J. Bransfield, Middleton
Ernest Blythe, Newtownards
A. Brennan, Tullamore
W. Buckley, Kilcorney, Cork
V. W. Casey, Mitchelstown
Bernard Coan, Stabane
James Cooney, Dublin.
— Donnelly, Carrickmacross
M. Dowling, Queenstown
M. Ducey, Galway
Geoffrey A. Dunlop, Dublin
(two terms.)
Michael Fennell, Dublin
Thomas Finnerty, Galway
Desmond Fitzgerald, Dublin
E. J. Gleeson, Listowel Co. Kerry
J. Grimes, Cork
J. Hegarty, Cork
W. Jones, Curragh of Kildare.
Michael Kelly, Mallow
John Kinsella, Arklow
E. Kent, Castlelyons
James Lowe, Belfast
Liam Mellowes, Dublin
Sean Milroy, Dublin
Ed. Monaghan, Ballaghaderreen
A. Monahan, Belfast
P. Murphy, Rafeen, Monkstown
Denis McCullough, Belfast

Alexander McCabe, Sligo.
Sean McDermott, Dublin
F. McDonagh, Moycullen
John McGaley, Tralee
Terence McSwiney, Cork.
Arthur Newman, Belfast
P. O'Sullivan, Mitchelstown
Vincent Poole, Dublin
— Quinn, Carrickmacross
— Ross, Carrickmacross
F. Sheehy-Skeffington, Dublin
Martin Walsh, Galway
Thomas Walsh, Dundalk

ARRESTED, FINED, Etc.

Miss P. O'Leary, Kerry
J. Biggs, Belfast
Bernard Briody, Cavan
J. Barry, Charleville.
Claude Chavasse, Oxford
Richard Cole, Cahirciveen
James Dalton, Limerick
Robert Donagher, Listowel
John Fanning, Ballyneale
Daniel Flynn, Banteer
T. Headman, Charleville
Wm. McCarthy, Mallow
W. McLaughlin, Belfast.
Sean Nolan, Cork
Patrick Noone, Kinvarra
George Owens, Cove
M. Smyth, Belfast
Patrick Tobin

INTERNEED

i.e. confined within 4 miles of Dublin.

Diarmaid O'Lough,
An American Citizen.

WANTED

J. de Lacey, Enniscorthy
MAGISTRATE REMOVED
James O'Shea, Co. Councillor and
Rural Councillor, Killarney.
Mr Jeremiah Lane, Cork
Mr Austin O'Donoghue, Dingle

PAPERS SUPPRESSED

Sinn Fein, Irish Freedom, Irish
Worker, Ireland, Scissors and
Paste, The Celt, Cork; Fianna
Fail, Cork

This Roll of Honour is incomplete. The editor would be glad to receive the names of others who have been deported, imprisoned or otherwise victimised.

nell, H. Mellows, Charles S. Power, B. L.,
J. Lynch, W.T. Cosgrove, T.C., and P. Ryan
in 2, Dawson St. between 12 & 1 p. m.

Tuesday, April 4, 1916

John McDermott, and Wm. O'Leary Curtis
in 12, D'Olier Street at 5-30 p. m.

John McNeill, P.H. Pearse and M. J.
O'Rahilly in 2, Dawson St. from 9-30 p. m.
to 11-15 p. m.

A Sinn Fein Recruiting meeting was held
at Blessington St. shortly after 8 p.m. About
500 persons were present including John Mil-
roy, Jeremish C. Lynch, Henry Manning, Peter
Healy, (Ticket Checker, Broadstone), P. A.
Sargent, Pierce Beasley, John Fitzgibbon, M.
J. O'Rahilly, Thomas McDonagh, E. Daly and Wm.
Sheehan.

The Chief Commissioner.

I. Ch. Sec.

II. The Lord Lieutenant

*I do not think
Dublin Castle need
be impressed by
the arriving of this
stage army. But
if necessary precautions
will be taken in
regard to the proposed
Sunday march.*

W. J. C. 11/4/16

*Ch. Comm. -
W. J. C. 8/4*

*W. J. C. 16
Sent by Ch. Sec.
W. J. C. 7/4*

W. J. C. 5/4

DMP report continued below.

Sheehan. M. J. O'Rahilly, T. McDonagh, ~~and~~
Pierce Beasley and John Fitzgibbon who were
in a brake, delivered short speeches, which
were much on the same lines as those report-
ed from Beresford Place at the meeting held
there on night of 3rd. inst. At the conclus-
ion of the meeting about 100 persons purport-
ing to be recruits were formed up four deep,
and with a party of Volunteers in uniform
and carrying rifles, in charge of Joseph
McGuinness and E. Kent, marched via Dorset
St., North King St., and Smithfield to Black-
hall Place, where a second meeting was held.

The speakers at this point were W. L.
Cole, T.J. Sheehan, and Thomas McDonagh, and
the attendance which was not so large, was
made up apparently ^{of} the same people who had
been present at Blessington St., but who
afterwards followed the Procession en route
to Blackhall Place. McDonagh, in the course
of his speech, made a strong appeal for
Recruits for the Volunteers, and before con-
cluding announced that at 12 noon on Sunday
next, 9th inst, the Irish Volunteers would
hold a parade through the principal Streets
of the City so that Dublin Castle could see
the number of recruits they had got since
they started this campaign a few days ago.
The singing of "A Nation Once Again" brought
the proceedings to a close, and those taking
part, including the so-called recruits, many
of whom have been seen in the Volunteer ranks
on previous occasions, dispersed without fur-
ther demonstration.

Owen'Brien
Superintendent.

An annotation on the report states 'I Ch. Sec [Chief Secretary] II The Lord Lieutenant I do not think Dublin Castle need be impressed by the acting of this stage army. But if necessary precautions will be taken in regard to the proposed Sunday March'.

I. Ch. Sec.
II. The Lord Lieutenant
I do not think
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the acting of this
stage army. But
if necessary precautions
will be taken in
regard to the proposed
Sunday March.
July 5th

Friday, 14 April, 1916

Thomas J. Clarke in his shop, 75, Par-
nell St. at 12-20 p. m. He afterwards went
to 12, D'Olier St. where he met E. Daly and
Arthur Griffith. Clarke did not again visit
his shop, but others seen there during the
day included C. Colbert, John T. Kelly, T.C.,
Thomas Byrne, Jeremiah C. Lynch, Pierce Beas-
ley, Joseph Murray, John R. Reynolds, and Jos-
eph McGuinness.

Clarke 15/4/16
Under Secretary
Submitted
WML
17/4

*The information at
A above should have
come to me on 15/4/16*

Jeremiah C. Lynch, John McDermott and Ed.

*file only reached me
this morning. I was in
Office on Saturday up to
3.0 pm. WML IFA
p. 10.*

The Chief Commissioner.

C.C.
*Please see
July 17/14*

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Daly in 12, D'Olier St. at 3-30 p. m.

Monday, 17 April, 1916

C. J. Kickham, Jeremiah C. Lynch, M.
O'Hanrahan, and H. Mellows in 2, Dawson St.
between 5 & 6 p. m.

Tuesday, 18 April, 1916

Thomas J. Clarke resumed work in his shop 75, Parnell St. at 12 noon. Those seen in conversation with him afterwards included C. Colbert for a quarter of an hour between 12 & 1 p. m. Jeremiah C. Lynch and P. Beasley for half an hour between 7 & 8 p.m. John T. Kelly, T.C., and William O'Leary Curtis for twenty minutes from 8-45 p. m.

Comm 1916
Under Secretary
Submitted the
visit of P. Hughes to
Dublin had reference
without doubt to the
proposed lecture etc
in Dundalk on Sunday
next, file 11.228/5-

John McDermott and C. J. Kickham in 12, D'Olier St. between 11 & 12 a. m.

Jeremiah C. Lynch and C. Colbert called there at 12-20 p. m.

Wednesday 19 April, 1916

M.J. O'Rahilly, M. O'Hanrahan, H. Mellows, and Jeremiah C. Lynch in 2, Dawson Street between 1 & 2 p. m.

I. The how they?
I. The Chief Sec?

This was to be the last entry for Lynch in the last available report of the Dublin Metropolitan Police files. The Easter Rising began five days later on Monday, April 24, 1916.