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# INFORMAL WILL.

W.O. No.: E/080803/1

DOMICILE. *Irish*

Record No. *455756097* 18-19.

The enclosed document

dated *10-5-18/*

Name *Edward Ferguson*

and signed

*E. Ferguson*

Regtl. No. and Rank *27534 Private*

appears to have been written

or executed by the person

Regt. *9<sup>th</sup> Bn. Royal Irish Fusiliers*

named in the margin while

he was "in actual military

service" within the meaning

Died at *France.*

of the Wills Act, 1837, and

has been recognised by the

War Department as con-

Date of Death *14-10-18.*

stituting a valid will.

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WAR OFFICE.

for the Assistant Financial Secretary.

Date *17/2/19.*



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27534 P. E. Ferguson

R. J. [unclear]

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**WILL.**

In the Event of my Death  
I leave all that belongs to  
me to my Mother

Mrs J Ferguson  
Church St  
Cookstown  
Co Tyrone

Signature P. E. Ferguson Ireland  
Rank and Regiment 9 Royal Irish Fus  
Regtl. Number 27534  
Date 10-8-18

Soldiers are recommended to make a will before embarkation, on A.F.W. 3297, and to hand it to their Commanding Officer for transmission to the Officer in charge of Records for safe custody.



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### Short Form of Will.

(See instruction 4 on page 1).

If a soldier on active service, or under orders for active service, wishes to make a short will, he may do so on the next page. **It must be entirely in his own handwriting and must be signed by him and dated.** The full names and addresses of the persons whom he desires to benefit, and the sum of money for the articles of property which he desires to leave to them, must be clearly stated. **The mere entry of the name of an intended legatee on the opposite page without any mention of what the legatee is to receive is of no legal value.**

The following is a specimen of a will leaving all to one person:—

In the event of my death I give the whole of my property and effects to my mother, Mrs. Mary Atkins, 999, High Street, Aldershot.

(Signature) THOMAS ATKINS,  
Private, No. 1793.

Date 5th August, 1914 Gloucester Fusrs.

The following is a specimen of a will leaving legacies to more than one person:—

In the event of my death I give £10 to my friend, Miss Rose Smith, of No 1, High Street, London, and I give £5 to my sister, Miss Sarah Atkins, 999, High Street, Aldershot, and I give the remaining part of my property to my mother Mrs Mary Atkins, 999, High Street, Aldershot.

(Signature) THOMAS ATKINS,  
Private, No 1793,

Date 5th August 1914 Gloucester Fusrs.

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