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MOYLAN, John.

# Sean Moylan Writes To "O.C., Britain"

# SPLIT IN U.S.A.

## Mr. Laurence Ginnell And "His Fool Stunts"

The Government Publicity Department issues the text of a long letter written by Mr. Sean Moylan to the Irregular leader known as "O.C. Britain," dated February 23, and addressed from "Hotel Imperial, Broadway and 32nd Street, New York." It reads:-

A Chara,-Like yourself, I am almost dried up, as I've been writing to S-of B-all over this country for past few days, but I reckon it's time to write a wee note (all for yourself) to you, I got in all from C/S three letters. Of course, I got a number of letters containing stuff from D. Publicity, etc., but only three from C/S. I expect those you mention were the D.P.'s letters, etc.

I asked you once if you needed money and got no reply, so I have taken the liberty of applying for 300 dollars and shall probably bunch, tough and all as they are, were perhave it to enclose in this to you. The story feetly under his control. What is the Sean about this being the land of the flowing gold is all rot. I'm always on the bum, and shall be under the necessity of holding up a bank if the fellows here don't come across with a more plentiful supply of cash in the near future. . . . .

#### NOT A HAPPY FAMILY.

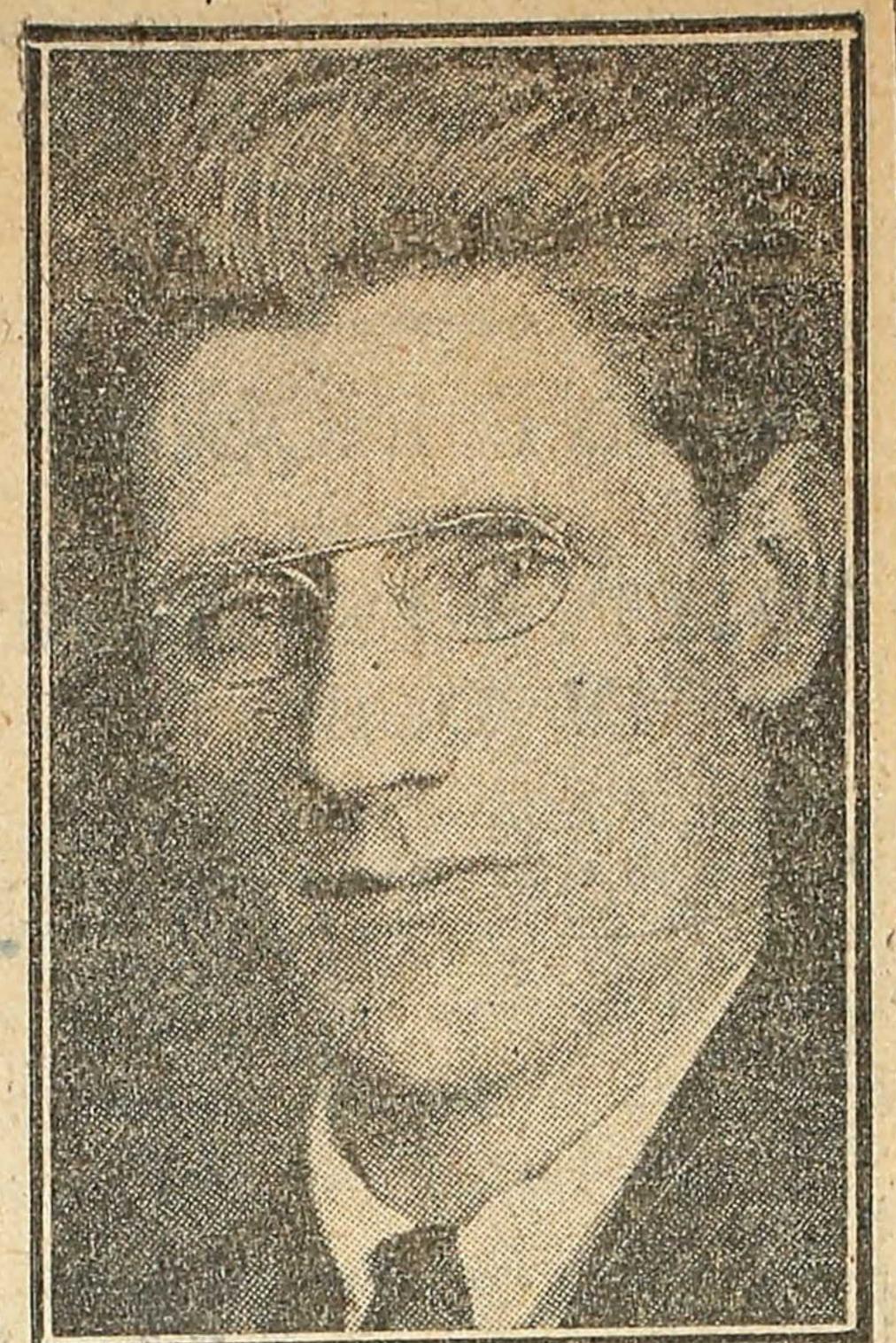
an Army man to swing them properly into wondering who Major-Gen. Reynolds was. I line behind the Republic. They were cer- have your note about Glasgow. I shall get tainly working, but only in a half-hearted manner, and even those workers were few him this. I'll try for the newsagent immeand far between. Like every organisation diately I have a chance. In the meanwhile that hasn't the driving force of real enthusi- he could send a dozen copies asm, there were splits wide and numerous, or so weekly to Miss Raleigh, and instead of thinking of Ireland and the 152 East 37th street, and I'll get them disfight, there they were scrapping among tributed. I'll ask the "Irish World" for a themselves. I got all sorts of warnings as to my speech and action, but I cut loose, and is farther from me than you are. My wife standing for self-interest and those really good copy for Erne. Now and again she gives in a few days. Preumonia and 'flu are done but to go right home and get plugged. tralia, and will be there about March 4th. be better, so I'll ring off for the present. Leahy is on a ranch near Los Angeles.

MR. GINNELL'S ACTIVITIES. driving for 100,000 dollars between now and waiting for a call from the men on the job Easter. Larry Ginnell is here, and he's a I heard that they were all collared and the stuff damn nuisance. He has credentials informing all and summy that he's the Irish Envoy cop looking for houch spotted the stuff, and and in command of all the troops, like my- when he got a hox opened he nearly dropped self, here in U.S.A. He appointed a Consul dead. The thing was badly handled, but General, some fellow marned O'Brien, and there is no use blaming anybody. Accidents this fellow issued a proclamation or ultima- will occur and the amount lost is not anywhere tum that he was in charge of all money near what is reported. I wish you would drives, etc., in America, creating no end of drop a note to the boss and tell him I have trouble. Larry wanted us to close our drive had all three personal letters from him. I get two bits all over the States. He wanted There is a bunch to which I'd get two bits all over the States. He wanted There is a bunch here I Irish American to get 10,000 dollars off us to run his Legation, but believe me I thought of the poor tion, but believe me I thought of the poor devils at home with the itch. I went hell I want to know if the Boss has any account devils at home with the feel. I think it is any account for leather against spending fool money here and letting the boys go to blazes. He isn't going to get the cash, let me assure you. The Clan, and especially the women of the Clan, is the best organisation here for us. States by a bunch of grafters and, while they are just getting into our financial. States by a bunch of grafters and, while they are just getting into our financial are not sending a cent home and while the propaganda they are using is nearly useless, fool stunts, we shall go ahead like a house on they are spending a good deal of cash in they are spending a good deal of cash in the lid on the whole issue by some of his fire If I can't see McG to-day to get the 300 dellars for your Labell for day to get the 300 dellars for your Labell for day to get the 300 dellars for your Labell for day to get the 300 dellars for your Labell for day to get the 300 dellars for your Labell for day to get the 300 dellars for your Labell for day to get the 300 dellars for your Labell for day to get the 300 dellars for your Labell for day to get the 300 dellars for your Labell for day to get the 300 dellars for your Labell for day to get the 300 dellars for your Labell for day to get the 300 dellars for your Labell for day to get the 300 dellars for your Labell for day to get the 300 dellars for your Labell for day to get the 300 dellars for your Labell for day to get the 300 dellars for your Labell for day to get the 300 dellars for your Labell for day to get the 300 dellars for your Labell for day to get the 300 dellars for your Labell for day to get the 300 dellars for your labellars for y salaries for secretaries, organisers, etc. dollars for you I shall forward it to-morrow.

financial work. He's honest and he's cer- my regards Write me now as often as you can spare an hour. I'm a lone orghan here tainly some mover. I am meeting very good in this benighted land and like the gosoon stuff in unexpected places. If I could remain outside the sweetshop I want to flatten my a year I'd make a real organisation here.

me silly. I thought he'd be the last man to cave in. It wasn't a question of being able to win with us. It was that we were right, A Melbourne Exchange cablegram states that we couldn't surrender being right. It that the arrival of Mr. O'Kelly, ex wasn't cowardice on his part, I know, and I Speaker of the Dail, and Father O'Flanahave feared greatly that the boys must have gan, on a Republican mission, has produced got hell in the South since I left. I believe, a disintegrating influence in Irish-Australian however, that we can't be beaten. . circles.

lose men of his type. He was a much sounder would win an overwhelming victory.



MR. SEAN MOYLAN.

man that Robinson, and the South Tipp. Hegarty bunch doing. Our fellow oughtn't touch them. There is no use tying to settle this by backstairs methods. They'll have to realise that there is a Headquarters and any negotiations must be carried out by G.H.Q.

#### LURE OF THE LIMELIGHT.

You must be working hard in England, I can't realise what you are up against. blame Curran a good deal for what happened in Liverpool. Selfishness and wanting to be in The situation here is: They really needed the limelight is a terrible nuisance. I was told them that I wasn't worried about splits. writes pretty often, but the stuff she writes is That I wanted a clean-cut split between those of no national interest, and would not make standing for the Republic, and since then me, by accident, a fair news item. I was terwe've been going right ahead. Doherty is ribly sorry for being married when I saw here. He's rather unwell, but will be about Deasy's appeal. I felt there was nothing to be raging, but I haven't been hit, thank God, anyhow I'll be back inside eight weeks at most. even though I'm more on the run now than There are two letters, posted in Holloway, gone ever I was. O'Kelly and Fr. O'Flanagan to my Boston address. I wonder if I ought have left (this is a secret as yet) for Aus- keep this until I get them. I expect it might

#### NEW YORK ARMS HAUL

Monday, 26th The money is coming on well and we are Big round-up here on Saturday. While with them. The men concerned got away; those caught were not on the job. A fool

LIAM DEASY'S STAND. I I'll write her in a few days. Say me to Martin McGarrity is easily the best man here for and Billy and give Pegmy-well; give her nose outside the window of Ireland and try About Ireland, Deasy's attitude knocked and absorb as much of the scrap as I can.

Take care of yourself. old bean,—Cheerio.

#### DELEGATES IN AUSTRALIA.

I expect to be back for Easter and to be in An insignificant and uninfluential section for the finish. I have heard nothing of in Melbourne recently formed a Republican Tommy B. lately. Where is he, or what is Association. The Missioners arrived to I saw poor Dinny Lacy's death in the paper a few days ago. He's a big loss. He cer lish bitterness. A Free State delegation as tainly was a brave man and wonderfully a counter-move is urgently needed, and lovable. He was a much sounder would win an example list type. Speeches on Ratification

# NDEPENDENT! 23-12-21.

### FOR THE REPUBLIC

### MR. S. MOYLAN'S ATTITUDE

Mr. Sean Moylan (Cork) said it had been said there were two sides in this matter, and the Minister of Finance had referred to coalition. He thought there were three sides now, and he was the third. He did not belong to a coalition, but he was a Republican.

He had been asked several times outside the room to give reasons for his opinions, but he declined to give them as he was of a peaceful disposition and disliked argument (laughter). The delegates went to London, and did the best they could for Ireland. They brought back a document signed for their approval, and recommended that document to them.

That was a manly attitude and required no justification before the House or the country (hear, hear). TREATY WITHOUT WRAPPING.

In dealing with this subject he started with the assumption that every member of the Dail knew when a treaty was not a treaty, and an oath was not an oath. His idea was it was the old question, and it could not be said Britain had entered this pact in good faith (hear, hear).

Their watchword had been the extermination of the British garrison in Ireland, and that was the gospel preached by the Minister of Finance. How long was that a gospel that had been? As to the Treaty let them take the wrapping from it, and what did they find?

They found a weapon fashioned, not to exterminate, but to consolidate British interests in Ireland.

Apply one simple test. As they stood there that day they had driven the British garrison into the sea, they were independent, they were a Republic.

Let them aprove of the Treaty and they would re-establish and re-entrench the forces of the Pale behind a new frontier. and they would abandon their own people NDEPENDENT. 4=5-22, in the north in the same way as the in the north in the same way as the Unionists of the north had abandoned their people in the south. They were told if they rejected the Treaty they challenged war. They had a Republic, and because they sought to retain it they were told they were challenging the British Empire to war.

People at that assembly had been talking about the army as if it was what the British called it—a "murder gang." The army was an army, and it was entitled to its opinions, and the scandalous way in which it had been talked about there was a thing he would not put up with (applause).

#### WAR OF EXTERMINATION.

They had heard talk about "heads up," and someone had spoken of "hands up"; but what he said was-" Hands off the Republic" (loud applause).

Was he to be told that was a declaration of war on England? No English statesman would take it so. It was a definition of their rights, and if Lloyd George wanted war he could declare war. As he had already stated they had been fighting for the extermination of British interests in Ireland. "If there is a war of extermination waged upon us that war will also exterminate British interests in Ireland because if they wage a war of extermination on us-I may not see its finish, but by G-no loyalist in my brigade area will see it either. It is about time some one told Lloyd George about that."

"In place of our Republic," continued Mr. Moylan, "we are offered (1) an oath of allegiance; (2) A Governor-General; (3) A new Pale (4) an army entrenched on our flank; (5) independence internal and external, limited by England's sordid and nonmoral outlook, and (6)

A Treaty to preserve and consolidate British interests and its baneful influence and tradition (applause).

# D. E. 28-4-22.

# 1/RISH TIMES: 29-4-22. CORK DEPUTY'S "ROBBERIES."

Mr. Sean Moylan said that during the wan the enemy had called him the leader of a murder gang. His hands were free from murder. The Minister of Defence had made a report calling him the leader of a robber gang. He was as free from the crime of robbery as he was free from the crime of murder. (Applause.) The present situation was the fault of the men who told them that the truce was a breathing space to give them a chance to organise to carry on the fight for the Republic. They were guaranteed maintenance for the men, but they did not get it. He had always tried to get comforts for his men, clothing, and shoes, and to feed them. In February last he issued an order in his area, seeing that nobody was doing anything and no action was being taken by the Dail, that the dog tax in his area should be paid to him. During the war his word "went" in North Cork. (Applause.) In spite of all that had been said of him his word "went" still.

"I robbed," said Mr. Moylan, "nineteen post offices around that area. In one small village I collected £47. The people willingly paid it then. I then thought of the post office, and I collected 8s. there and the licence money of two dogs that had been paid in by people who were against us during the war, and are up against us still. That was the extent of my robbery, and I am not ashamed of it. If the necessity arises again I will carry out the same acts because I consider in doing things like this I am

standing up for and defending the Republic." Count Plunkett followed, and denounced the report, and said that if it were adopted it would be the absolute duty of the Cabinet to set the machinery of the law going against those faithful soldiers of the Irish Republic on the charge that they were enemies of England.

#### WAITING ON CONSTITUTION

Brig.-Gen. Sean Moylan viewed with horror the possibility of strife, but said that their chief duty was to the Republic, and they could not see it subverted. The other side said they were as good Republicans as he and those associated with him. He was willing to meet any man who was a Republican, because a Republican could only work for a Republic.

Rightly or wrongly, he took the Truce as an opportunity for making preparations for carrying on the fight for the Republic. He still hated the Treaty. Mr. Collins had said that it was a step to the Republic. As he understood it, it was not a step towards the Republic, and could not be. He was not a politician—simply soldier of the Republic.

He would serve no other Government but a Republican Government. But he was very anxious to accept, if possible, an assurance that the Treaty could be made a step to the Republic, and that the Constitution when it was drafted would prove that this assurance was correct.

He and the men he represented would anxiously await that. But in the interests of the country, as he conceived them, the Republicans, much as they wanted peace, could not agree with the document presented there, and must preserve the Republic

# PROSEALATION.

## FILLOW OTTALLED OF THE THIRD HEREITIC.

The fateful hour has come. At the dictation of our hereditary enemy our rightful cause is being treacherously assailed by recreant Irishman. The crash of arms and the boom of artillery reverberate in this supreme test of the Bation's destiny.

Gallant solders of the Trich Republic stand vigorcasly firm in its defence and worthily uphold their noblest
traditions. The sacred spirits of the Illustrious bead are
with us in this great struggle. Teath before Dishonour's
being an unchargeable principle of our national faith as it
of theirs, still inspires us to explate their clorious effort.

The therefore, appeal to all citizens who have withstood unflinchingly the oppression of the enemy during the past six years to rally wint to the support of the Republic and recognise that the resistance now being offered is but the continuance of the struggle that was suspended by the truce with the British. We especially appeal to our former compales of the Irish Republic to return to that allegance end thus guard the Nation's honour from the infamous stigma that her sono mix alded her foes in retaining a hateful desination over her.

Constitute of victory and of maintaining ireland's Independence this appeal is issued by the Army Executive on behalf of the Irish Republican Army.

Cotto June 1000.

Snich Times 27.10 A RIVAL DAIL PREMINE. HEPLINI, TOANIS The dealy bulletin issued by the irregulars makes the following "DAIL BIREAMS, the Parliament and Government of the Republic, net yesterday in ascret session - the former Deputy Speaker presiding. "A Clerk of the House was appointed, and the following resolutions 百号等是是位: ... "1. FindRMAS the Speaker (Cemnn Combairle) and the other appointed Executive Officers, in disregard of their duty, and in open disobedience to the mandamis of the Supreme Court, have refused to memon Dail Bireenn, the duly elected Parliamont and Covernment of the Republic: "AND WIRRHAR, notwithstanding their ouths and public pladges to maintain the Republic, those officers, abotted by other members of Dail Bireenn, have in this, and divers other ways, endeavoured, illegally and unconstitutionally, to subvert the Republic and its Coverment, Dail Bireann; and with foreign aid have joined in a traitorous conspiracy and asmed revolt with that intent, protending to establish a so-called Free State and a Provisional (Pertition) Parliament, the greatures and subordinates of an alien Legislature, and purposing thus to destroy the independent sovereignty of the nation and the integrity of its ancient territory: THO MITTIES. "THERESONE, we, the faithful Deputies of Dail Hireann, essembled to maintain the Republic and to secure the continuity of independent government for the whole of Iroland, in the name of all loyal ditisens of the Republic, and by the express wish of the soldiers fighting in its/defence, call mon the former President, Remonn de Valera, to remme the Presidency, and to nominate a Council of State and Executive Ministers to sesist him in carrying on the Government until such time as the Parliament of the Republic is allowed freely to assemble or the people are allowed by a free election to decide how they shall be governed. "2. That Emeann de Valera be hereby appointed President of the Republic and Onior Executive or the State. "3. That the following, nominated by the President, be hereby appointed the Council of State: The President Austin Stade, T.D. Semm O'Manony, T.D. Hobert Barton, T.D. Mrs O\*CHILMAN, T.D. Count Plunkett, T.D. Herr Head hairshay . C.D. J.J. O'ROLLY, T.D. ToJ. Buttledan T.J. Laurence Gannell, E.D. Bonn Noylan, T.D. Sent T. Officelly. T.D. H.P. Colivet, T.D. "4. That, pending the next meeting of the Dell, we hereby empower the Council of State to senction such Ministers and Executive Officers of State as the Provident may nominate and may have the Council's approval. Reports indicate that about the last week in October, 1922, NOTE. considerable activity was noticeable near the residence of De VALERA, at "Glenvar", Blackrock, and it is possible that Sean MOYLAN took the opportunity of using the safe conduct reported to have been issued to him by Malj-Gen. DALTON of the P.G. Forces to interview De VALERA and other Republican Leaders with the result shown above.

PROUEARCH BY THE X. N.A. TO MAINTAIN THE HERIDALE. THE GOVERNMENT AFFAIRM. Liet night the Irish Times received the following document:" THE REPORT SOME AND LESS AND LABOUR. TROUTALATION. Lest December certain representatives of the nation, yielding to English throats of war, violated their pledges and their ouths, and entered into an aureement subversive of the independence of the metion and dectructive of its territorial integrity. Since that time these representatives and their adherents luve been engaged in corrupting and aeduaing soldiers and aitizons of the Republic from their allegiands, and, in violation of the Constitution, of a opecial decree of Dall Hireann, and of their own express undertekings to reintein the Republic, have suppressed the legitimete Farlioment and Judiciary, mouroed the Coverment of the State, and now, by the instigation of the English and with English and, are undervouring traitorously to dostroy the Republic by force of ame, maging illegal wer upon it, and proglaiming doath, exile, or imprisonment to all its faithful citizens, though they are aware, as everyone in Iruland is sware, that the poople desire the continuence of the Republic, and that, given a free choice, they would vote for it in an overmelming majority. In these dirounstander, in order to preserve the continuity of independent Trieh Coverment, and the better to organise the recourses of the Republic in its defence, we, on behalf of the soldiers of the Republic, acting in the spirit of our onth au the final oustodians of the Republic, and interpreting the desire of all true ditizens of the Republic, have onlied upon the former Frenident, Ramonn de Valore, and the faithful members of Dail Hireann, to form a Government, which they have dene. Accordingly, in the none of the Army, we hereby procluin limenm de Valors to be President of the Republic, with Austin Studke Telle Bern Chiminons, Lolla Robert Burton. T.D. lys ofcallassan, T.D. Count Plumes, T.D. HARY HARRINGTHAN. T.D. Jode Dinelly. Toda lada litteladico. Laba Lougence Cinnell, T.D. Been Moyann, Talla 司管理程 To 日本的设置工作。 工事工作 In Collyton Taller as Council of State, and declare such Cabinet as they shall appoint to be temporarily the Supreme Executive of the Republic and the State. until each time as the elected Parliment of the Republic com freely secomble, or the people, being rid of external aggresoion, are es liberty to decide freely how they are to be governed, and what chall be their politionl relations with other countries. On behalf of the Army, we pledge to that Emmetive our allegionee and our support in all its legitimate efforts to maintain and defend the Republic, and we dell upon all our comredes and loyal fellow-citisons. and upon our kin throughout the world, to join with us in researting our undient right to be a free people and a free mation, owning allegimnoe to no foreign muthority whatover. Signed on bountf of the Army of the Republic: Line Lynch, Chief of Staff: Brank Barrett, O/C.lut Bustarn Div. Lion Donaty Donaty of Doumes Robinson, " 2nd Bouthern Div. Tom Burry, Courselons Sturf. Staff. Nothalland Assistant Chies Soon Moylun, 0/0.Cork No.3 Brigade. of Stage. F. Malan, O/C. Waterford Brigade. Con Maloney, Adjutant General. Joe O'Connor, O/C. 3rd Bn., Ton Darria, Asst. Addt. Canaral. Benn Lehnme, O.C. let 2 2nd Northern Div. Frank Aikon, O/O. Ath Northern Div.

MOYLAN. John. Main Street, Newmarket, Co. Cork. Kiskean, Newmarket, Co. Cork.

Age, 40. (1921). 330.

Occupation, Carpenter.

Description: - Height 5'9". Light brown hair. Grey eyes. Sallow complexion. Sturdy built. Wears pinc-nez.

Elected Sinn Fein M.P. for N. M. W. S. and S-E. Cork, May 1921.

Prior to May 1921 Election, was a Member of Agricultural Loan Bank Committee, Dail Eireann.

Member of Inner Circle L.R.A. (Information from D.I. personally).

Arbitrator for An Dail Labour Department ("Irish Indpdt" 22-11-21).

Commandant, 6th Newmarket Battalion, 2nd Cork Brigade, I.R.A. from the time of its formation.

Baid to be mentally deficient (Law 1560) 1361i

Sentenced to 12 months imprisonment on the 15th August 1918 for being in possession of seditious documents.

Escaped from Cork Lunatic Asylum May 21st 1919. (IX/0150). 9 28 1075 10

# Took part in the following outrages:-

Meelin Ambush, 4th January 1921. No casualties.
Kingwilliamstown Ambush, 28th January 1921. (see below)
Cloonbannin Ambush, 5th March 1921. when Gen. Cummung, It Maligny a 2 soldiers were killed
Millstreet Ambush. when a large number of soldiers were killed.

Arrested 16th May 1921 near Kiskean for having in his possession a revolver, a rifle, and two bombs, and for firing at Crown Forces. He also had documents in his possession. (File No.649 A). He was identified as the leader in the kingwilliamstown Ambush when Major HOLMES, D.C. was Killed. (W.I.S.15-3-21). Tried by Court Martial 4th June 1921 at Cork and sentenced to 15 years Penal Servitude. (It was disclosed at the Court Martial that MOYLAN had saved wounded R.I.C. men from being shot by the I.R.A.) (Ext. "Irish Times" dated 6th June 1921).

Released 8th August 1921 as a T.D. to attend the Peace Conference at the Mansion House, Dublin. (Casualty Return G/234/i).

Delivered a hostile speech at Charleville. (IX/0038 dated 30-9-21).

Inspected the I.R.A. Course of Instruction at Boherboy, Co. Cork for rebels of the Nad District during week ending 8th October 1921, and expressed dissatisfaction at their progress. (IX/0207)14-10-21.

Has resumed Command of No. 2. (N) Cork Brigade, I.R.A. at Nad. (IX/0173 dated 10-10-21).

Is at present living in the house of a man named Collins somewhere between Mallow and Buttevant where a Course of Instruction is being held, possibly at Twopothouse Cross Roads. (IX/O173 dated 10-10-21).

Attended a parade of I.R.A. at Dromshane on 23rd October 1921 and kidnapped two of the R.I.C. who went to see it. (IX/0344).

Reported to have attended a Meeting of the Inner Circle of the I.R.B. recently. (IX/0504 dated 16-11-21).

About October 1920, MOYLAN obtained two old muzzle loading guns and had them converted into breech-loading. This probably accounts for the theft of an electric motor plant and numerous engineering tools from the Newmarket District about October 1920. (IX/0596)

Voted against Ratification of Treaty on Saturday, 7th January 1922.

Reliably reported to have accepted decision of Majority in Dail Eireann and now to have fallen in with the views of the Provisional Government and now considered by them as a valuable supporter in spite of his previous bitter speeches against acceptance of the Treaty. APH- 3.1.22.

Elected on Executive at 1. R.A. Convention held in hunsion House, Dublin, on 26-3-'22. (Vide Freeman's Journal, daked 29-3-'22.) Commandant, No et Cork Bde IKA (Republican Forces). (Freeman's Journal" 23. 3. 52)

Member of Committees of Lew appointed by an Dail to receive and cancider proposals of Departation of Army officers with a view to Linding a settlement between the Swah Rardies. ("Erich Lines" 4. 5.32).

Also member of Army officers Tomil Committee, composed of 3 Republicans & 3 Free Statess who met at \$5. Conterence to endeavour 6 arrive at a settlement between the two kardins (Freeman's 10. 5.88) Visited Kulkenny subsequent to allack an Castle and conferred with leaders of rival parties with a view to trootaining the Lence? (I. Endep! 6.5's

Re-nominated as a Republican Candidate for N.Cork, his present constituency. (Ex. 'Irish Timed' dated 31.5.22.)

Elected member of 3rd. DAIL, June 1922.

One of the læaders in the defence of the Four Courts & signatory to the Republican Manifesto issued tduring the storming of Republican positions by P.G. Troops. (Ex. Republican War News No. 2.)

Has collected 1,000 armed Republican Troops at LIMERICK. (Ex. I.X. 1296.)

An un-confirmed report states that he has been taken prisoner near CORK. (Ref. Irish Independent' dated 20.9.22.)

MOYLAN. John. (Continued.)

Signatory to the Republican Proclamation published in "Poblacht-na-Eireann" reaffirming the existence of the Republic and appointing a "Council of State" to be nominated by DE VALERA to "assist him in carrying on the Government until such time as the Parliament of the Republic is allowed freely to assemble or the people are allowed by a free election to decide how they shall be governed". (Press dated 27.10.22.) DESCRIBED AS O. C. 322 Cork B2E

Signatory to the Republican Proclamation issued by the Republican MILITARY LEADERS subsequent & in relaation to the Manifesto published by DE VALERA and his political leaders, who had formed a "Council of State". This Proclamation denounces the repersentatives of the Provisional Government, reaffirms the spirit of their oath to fight for the Republic and again proclaims DE VALERA as "President of the Republic". (See extract in dossier.)

A large party of Irregulars, believed to be under the command of Sean MOYLAN, wre dispersed with heavy losses near MACROOM. (Ex. Irish Independent dated 9.11.22.)

ARMY EXECUTIVE, REPUBLICAN, 26.10.22. Commandant No.3.Cork Brigade. See I.X.1619.

Said to have emigrated to AMERICA. (Ref. U.D.S. w/e 6-1-23). In America 5-2-23. (Irish Int.Summ. 343).

