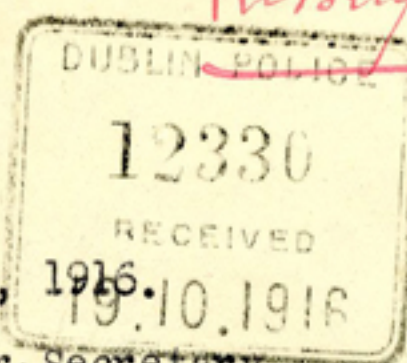


Copy of Telegram.

Dated 18th October, 1916.

From Magill to Assistant Under Secretary.



Home Office have received private notice of question re number of persons arrested, deported, released etc., after rebellion. They want to give total number arrested both by military and police and the answer will run something like this :-

Total number arrested 3000 number released by military 1200; number interned 1800; number released by Sankey Committee 1300 etc. Can you get the first two figures i.e. Total number arrested and number released by military.

*Chief Commissioner O.M.P.*

*Can you supply figures for this return?*

*JB - 18/10*

*Mr. Brannan.*

*Please see Capt. Brannan's minute*

*W. Brannan, 19/10*

*✓ JB - 19/10*



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**ROYAL IRISH CONSTABULARY OFFICE, DUBLIN CASTLE.**

**Crime Department—Special Branch.**

(The Officer to whom this File is addressed is responsible for its safe custody.)

SUBJECT Arrests etc during the rebellion in R.I.C. area

Date 18 October 1916

Total arrested	1882.	
Total tried & sentenced.	73	}
Total released in the country (after a day or so)	435.	
Total released from Richmond.	127.	
Total sent to England	1246.	1881
Total released in England	977.	}
Total now interned	269.	

Under Secretary -

[The only police statistics available are the figures compiled in last September, which are given on opposite margin.]

They relate only to arrests in the provinces.

It is probable also that several of the persons arrested in Dublin gave provincial addresses & that such persons would not appear in the R.I.C. figures.

The arrests include those arrested by the police & by the military as known to the police.

Perhaps the military authorities have the complete figures.

W. H. O'Connell  
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