

# EXTRACTS FROM LETTERS RECEIVED BY COMMITTEE IN CHARGE OF SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

Dear Sir:—I have received no pay since my husband had gone from nowhere. Yours truly,

Dear Sir:—My husband has been away at the Crystal Palace and got four days furlong and has gone to the mine sweepers. Yours respectfully.

Dear Sir:—I have received your letter—I am his grandfather and his grandmother and he was born and brought up in this house in answer to your letter. Yours truly.

Dear Sir:—I am writing these few lines for Mrs. Morgan who cannot write herself. She is expecting to be confined and cannot do with it. Yours truly.

Dear Sir:—Mrs. Haynes has been put to bed with a little lad, wife of Peter Haynes, I am yours, etc.

Dear Sir:—In accordance with instructions on ring paper I have given birth to a daughter on the 21st April. Yours etc. (Note the "ring paper" is the paper given by government to women drawing separation allowance and is stamped with a circular stamp giving the date of issue of last payment.

Dear Sir:—You have changed my little boy into a little girl, will it make any difference. Yours truly.

Dear Sir:—I am expecting to be confined next month, will you tell me what to do about it. Yours truly.

Dear Sir:—My Bill has been put in charge of a spittoon. Shall I get more pay. Yours truly.

Respected Sir, Dear Sir:—Though I take this liberty as it leaves me at present I beg to ask you will you kindly be good enough to let me know where my husbin is, though he is not legiable husbin as he as a wife though he says she is dead, but I don't think he nos for sure but we are not married though I am getting an allotment regular which is no fault of Mr. Lloyd George who would stop it if he could, and Mr. McKenn, but if you know where he is

as he belong to the Navy Royal Flying Corps for ever since January, when he was sacked from his work for talking back at his boss which was a woman at the laundry where he worked, I have not had any money

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