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SIN/NAS

ALLEN

Surname/Nom

James

Given names/Prénoms

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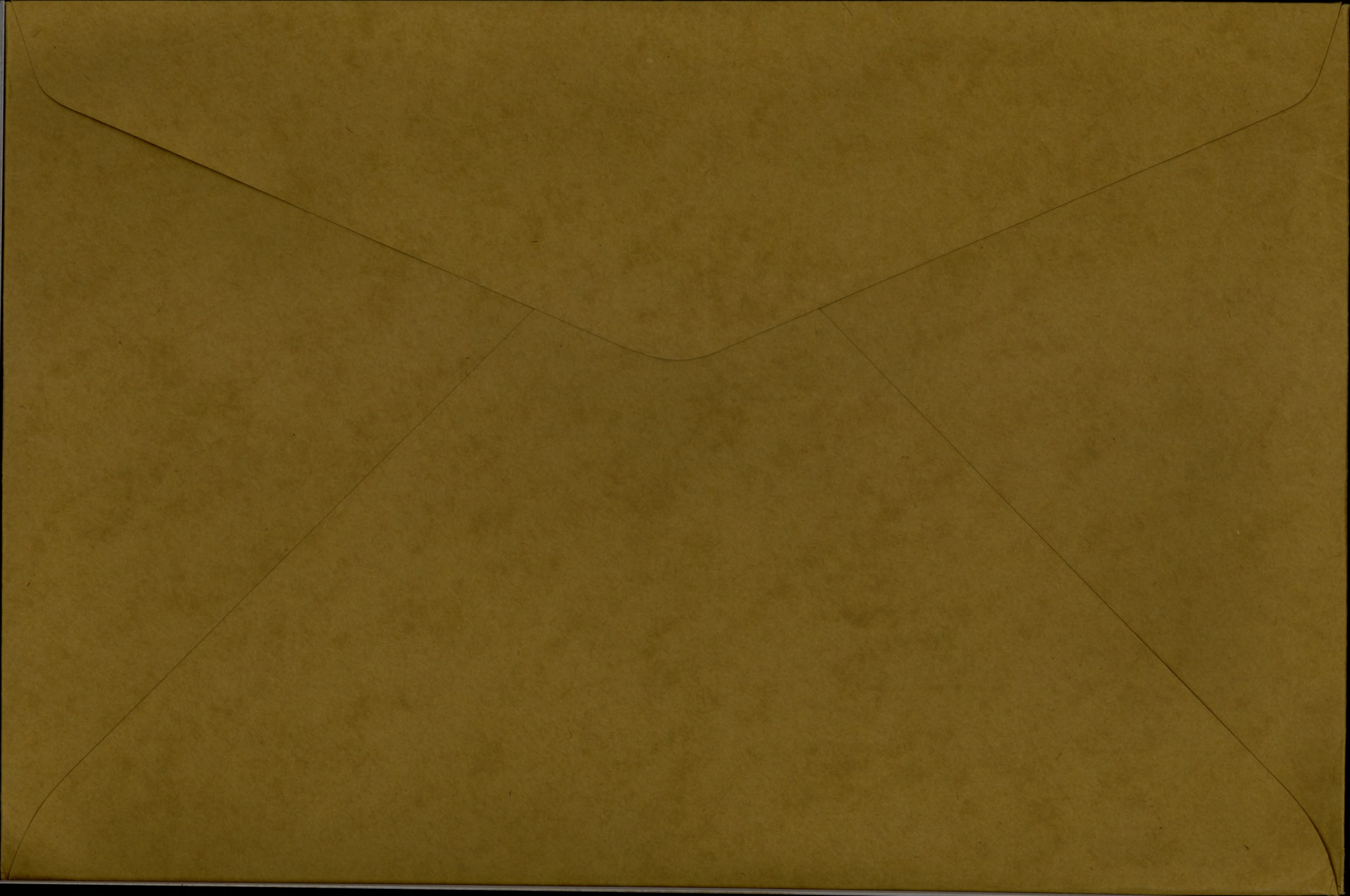
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NAME ALLEN JAMES

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REGISTRATION 13/585

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ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. 931585

No. 2 CONSTITUTION, B. D. C. I. P.

Folio.

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS.)

- 1. What is your surname?..... Allen
- 1a. What are your Christian names?..... James
- 1b. What is your present address?..... #428 Hastings St. Detroit Mich. U.S.A.
- 2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... Birmingham . Alabama, U.S.A.
- 3. What is the name of your next-of kin?..... Mary Williams
- 4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... 7607 6th.St. Birmingham, Alabama, U.S.A.
- 4a. What is the relationship of your next-of-kin?..... Mother
- 5. What is the date of your birth?..... Oct. 31st. 1894
- 6. What is your Trade or Calling?..... Laborer
- 7. Are you married?..... No
- 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated and inoculated?..... Yes
- 9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia?..... No
- 10. Have you ever served in any Military Force?..... No
If so, state particulars of former Service.
- 11. Do you understand the nature and terms of your engagement?..... Yes
- 12. Are you willing to be attested to serve in the }
CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE? }..... Yes

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, James Allen, do solemnly declare that the above are answers made by me to the above questions and that they are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements by me now made, and I hereby engage and agree to serve in the Canadian Over-Seas Expeditionary Force, and to be attached to any arm of the service therein, for the term of one year, or during the war now existing between Great Britain and Germany should that war last longer than one year, and for six months after the termination of that war provided His Majesty should so long require my services, or until legally discharged.

Date Oct. 16th. 1918 James Allen X (Signature of Recruit)
J. Minton (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, James Allen, do make Oath, that I will be faithful and bear true Allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will as in duty bound honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity, against all enemies, and will observe and obey all orders of His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, and of all the Generals and Officers set over me. So help me God.

Date Oct. 16th. 1918 James Allen X (Signature of Recruit)
J. Minton (Signature of Witness)

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE.

The Recruit above-named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.

The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath

before me, at Windsor Ont. this Oct. 16th. day of October 1918

J. G. Chapman (Signature of Justice)

Description of _____ on Enlistment.

James Allen

Apparent Age **21** years **11** months.
(To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)

Distinctive marks, and marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease.

(Should the Medical Officer be of opinion that the recruit has served before, he will, unless the man acknowledges to any previous service, attach a slip to that effect, for the information of the Approving Officer.)

Height ft. ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded ins.
 Range of expansion **35** ins.

None

Complexion **2**

Eyes **Brown Skin**

Hair **Dark**

Religious denominations. { Church of England.....

Presbyterian.....

Methodist.....

Baptist or Congregationalist..... **Yes**

Roman Catholic.....

Jewish.....

Other denominations.....
(Denomination to be stated.)

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

I have examined the above-named Recruit and find that he does not present any of the causes of rejection specified in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.

He can see at the required distance with either eye; his heart and lungs are healthy; he has the free use of his joints and limbs, and he declares that he is not subject to fits of any description.

I consider him* for the **Canadian Over-Seas Expeditionary Force.**

Date **Fit** 191

Place **October 16th.** **6**

*Insert here "fit" or "unfit."
Windsor Ont.

[Signature]
Capt. AN. C. Medical Officer.

NOTE.—Should the Medical Officer consider the Recruit unfit, he will fill in the foregoing Certificate only in the case of those who have been attested, and will briefly state below the cause of unfitness:—

.....

CERTIFICATE OF OFFICER COMMANDING UNIT.

James Allen having been finally approved and inspected by me this day, and his Name, Age, Date of Attestation, and every prescribed particular having been recorded, I certify that I am satisfied with the correctness of this Attestation.

C. H. Reis Capt (Signature of Officer)

Date **OCT 24 1916** 191

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add same

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FORM OF WILL

I, James Allen (Name in full)

Regimental Number 931585 serving in No. 2 CONSTRUCTION BATTALION

of the Canadian Expeditionary Force, do hereby revoke all former Wills by me made and declare this to be my last Will.

My Mother

I devise all my real estate unto

Mrs Mary Williams

1607 Morris Ave

Birmingham, Ala.

Name and Address of person or persons to whom it is to go.

absolutely, and my personal estate I bequeath to

My Mother

Mrs Mary Williams

Name and Address of person or persons to receive personal estate* (See note).

NOTE

This space for the appointment of Executor if necessary.

IMPORTANT NOTE

this 14th day of March A.D. 1917

This must be signed and Dated by THE SOLDIER HIMSELF.

his mark James Allen Signature of Soldier.

*N.B. Personal estate includes pay, effects, money in bank, insurance policy, in fact everything except real estate.

Signed and acknowledged by the Testator as and for his last Will in the presence of us both present at the same time, who in his presence, at his request, and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as Witnesses.

Signature of First Witness E. Lionel Cross

Address of Witness 16 Prince Albert St, San Fdo Trinidad B.W. I.

THE TWO WITNESSES

Occupation of Witness Journalist

MUST SIGN HERE

Signature of Second Witness

Address of Witness

Occupation of Witness

DUPLICATE

931585

To be made out in duplicate.

I.L.O. 54-21-23-53

PARTICULARS OF FAMILY OF AN OFFICER OR MAN ENLISTED IN C. E. F.

INSTRUCTIONS.

- (a) This form is only required for men joining units for Overseas Service and must be completed immediately the man is warned for draft overseas.
- (b) Care must be taken to see that a man is allotted his correct Regimental Number. No numbers must be duplicated and once it has been allotted to a man, even if he is subsequently discharged, the same number must never be allotted to another man.
- (c) All questions, etc., must be answered.
- (d) One copy of the form is to be forwarded by Officer Commanding unit for each Officer and man to Officer Commanding Division or District at least seven days before man leaves his station to proceed overseas, for transmission to Accountant and Paymaster General, Ottawa.
- (e) Duplicate copy is to be forwarded direct to Officer in charge of Records, C.E.F. London, immediately after arrival in England.

No. 2 CONSTRUCTION, B'n. C.E.F.

(1) Name of Overseas Unit which Soldier joins.....

(2) Regimental Number 931585.....

(3) Full Name of Soldier Allen James.....

(4) Place of Birth Birmingham, Alabama, U.S.A......

(5) Are you married, or not? No.....

(6) If married, state,
(a) Full name of your wife.....

(b) Present Postal Address.....

(7) Are you a widower? No.....

(8) Have you any children?.....

If so, give number of boys and girls.....

Also their names and ages.....

(9) Is your Father alive? No

If so, state name and address

(10) Is your Mother alive? yes

If so, state name and address. Mrs Mary Williams
1607 Morris Ave Birmingham Alabama

(11) If your Mother is a widow. ~~Yes~~ Remarried

Are you her sole support, or not? No

(12) If sole support of widowed mother, state what amount you have given her per month prior to your enlistment, also reason she has no other support than yourself.

(13) If you have no wife, father, mother or children, state the name and relationship with full postal address of your next of kin, to whom you would desire any communication to be sent concerning you.

(14) If you have a wife, or children, or a widowed mother who depends on you as her sole support, have you applied to the Paymaster of your unit for Separation Allowance? If not, this must be done.

(15) Are you insured? No

If so, in what Company? X

Have you made arrangements for payment of your Insurance premium? X

If not, and it is a monthly premium, you can assign the amount in addition to any other assignment you wish to make.

D. H. Sutherland L.T. COL.
Comd'g. No. 2 Construction Battalion, C. E. F.
Officer Commanding.

Date Nov 15th / 16

MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET. 931585

Surname Allen Christian Name James

Examined { on 16 day of Oct. 1916
at Windsor Ont.

Approved by [Signature]

Birthplace { City or Town Birmingham
County Alabama

Rank Capt. A.M.C. M.O.

Apparent age 21, and 11 Months.

Date.	Fit or Unfit.	EXAMINED FOR RE-ENGAGEMENT.
		<u>15 DEC 1917</u>
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Trade or occupation Laborer

Height 5 Feet 5 Inches.

Weight 138 Lbs.

Chest measurement { Minimum 33 inches.
Maximum expansion 35 inches.

Physical development Good

Small-Pox Marks None

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right. Left. Yes
Number One

Date.	Result.	VACCINATIONS.
<u>12/17</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>588 Shepley</u>
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

When Vaccinated last 1914

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease None

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection

Date.	Result.	ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.
<u>12/17</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>
<u>7/4/17</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>
<u>12/4/17</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Vis:- Both Eyes 20/20
20/20

Enlisted on 16 day of Oct. 1916 at Windsor Ont.

	CORPS.	REG'TL NUMBER.	HABITS.	DATE.
Joined on enlistment	<u>#2 Const Bn</u>	<u>931585</u>		<u>16/10/16</u>
Transferred to	<u>NS RD</u>	<u>"</u>		<u>14-10-17</u>

EXAMINED OR DISCHARGED BY A MEDICAL BOARD.

STATION.	DATE.	DISEASE.	RESULT.
<u>Windsor, Ont.</u>	<u>Oct. 16/16.</u>	<u>On enlistment</u>	<u>Fit</u>
<u>F.R. Cruickshank</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>
<u>[Signature]</u>		<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>

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CANADIAN

Surname

Allen

Christian Name

James.

STATION.	Date of Arrival at the Station.	DATES OF						DISEASE.	Number of days in Hospital.	Remarks on nature of the disease: how induced; if mild or severe; if completely recovered from; whether any particular treatment was adopted. In venereal cases state nature of primary disease, and whether mercury has been given. If an accident, state whether it occurred on duty and whether a Court of inquiry was held. Date of issue and particulars of artificial teeth or surgical appliances supplied. Particulars of prophylactic inoculations.	Signature of Medical Officer.
		Admission into Hospital.			Discharge from Hospital.						
		Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
London		8	12	16	29	12	16	Gonorrhoea	22	Le. J. Recovered Duplicate Medical History Sheet posted to here	J. R. Le Touzel

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Apparent age 21, and 11 Months.
Trade or occupation Laborer
Height 5 Feet 5 Inches.
Weight 133 Lbs.

Date.	Fit or Unfit.	EXAMINED FOR RE-ENGAGEMENT.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Chest measurement { Minimum 33 inches.
Maximum expansion 35 inches.

Physical development Good
Small-Pox Marks None

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right. Left. Yes
Number One

Date.	Result.	VACCINATIONS.
<u>17/2/17</u>	<u>Left</u>	<u>Shepley</u>
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

When Vaccinated last 1914
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease None

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection

Date.	Result.	ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.
<u>1/3/17</u>	<u>OK</u>	<u>Don Murray</u>
<u>2/4/17</u>	<u>OK</u>	<u>Don Murray</u>
<u>21.4.17.</u>		<u>Don Murray</u>
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Vis: - Both Eyes 20/20
20/20

Enlisted on 16 day of Oct. 1916 at Windsor Ont.

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Joined on enlistment	<u>#2 Coart On</u> <u>C.E.F.</u>	<u>931585</u>		<u>16/10/16</u>
Transferred to				

EXAMINED OR DISCHARGED BY A MEDICAL BOARD.

STATION.	DATE.	DISEASE.	RESULT.
<u>Windsor.Ont.</u>	<u>Oct 16/16.</u>	<u>On enlistment.</u>	<u>FIT.</u>
<u>G.F. Bruce</u> <u>Major</u>		<u>Geo Lewis</u> <u>Capt</u>	<u>[Signature]</u> <u>Capt</u>

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London.		8	12	16	29	12	16	Gonorrhoea	22	Recovered.	G.R. Le Touzel

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STATEMENT OF PAY ACCOUNT.

No. 931585 Rank Pte. Name Allen, James.

Unit 2 Con. Bn. Original Unit on Enlistment in O.M.F. of C. 2 Constr. Bn.

Date non-effective { Discharge
 { ~~Decease~~ England Authority A.G. 3a (ii) 2-a-671 21-1-18.
 { ~~Desertion~~ 16-10-17. Penal Servitude for life.

CREDITS.		\$	c.	DEBITS.		\$	c.
From <u>1-4-17</u> 1917, to				Total Cash Payments ...		30	17
<u>15-10-17.</u>				Total Assigned Pay @ \$.....			
No. of days <u>198</u> ...				per month ...			
Pay @ <u>1.00</u> per diem ...		198	00	Total Assigned Pay @ \$.....			
F.A. @ <u>.10</u> per diem ...		19	80	per month ...			
From.....1917, to				Other Charges ...			
No. of days.....				(Particulars)			
Pay @.....per diem ...				15 days F.P.2 & 2 days		18	70
F.A. @.....per diem ...				R.W. D.O.133 18-10-17.			
Other Credits ...				Awaiting trial 27-8-17			
(Particulars) <u>Q. Prov. a/c</u>		47	64	convicted by F.G.C.M.			
<u>Int. def. pay</u>		1	26	and sentenced to death			
Adjustment of Exchange (see below) ...				commuted to penal			
				servitude for life.			
				D.O.131 13-10-17.			
				Forfeits 50 days pay		55	00
				& A.			
Debit Balance ...				23 MAR 1918			
				CREDIT		162	83
TOTAL ...		266	70	Credit Balance ...		162	83
				TOTAL ...		266	70

Sterling equivalent of above Balance @ \$4.86 2/3 = £ 33. 9. 2d.

Assignment of Pay has been charged on Pay List to.....

Stop payment form forwarded to Assigned Pay Branch on.....

PARTICULARS OF EXCHANGE ADJUSTMENT.

Total Cash Payments for period during which payments were made @ \$5.00 to the £ \$.....

Exchange @ \$5.00 I certify that I am satisfied with my Pay Account as detailed hereon, and have no reservations to make on same. £.....

Exchange @ \$4.86 2/3 £.....

Difference in sterling £.....

Or Canadian Currency @ \$4.86 2/3 (Sgd.) J. ALLEN. \$.....

Certified correct,

COMPILED BY C.H. Robertson (Sgd.)
 CHECKED BY C. Heath

(Sgd.) A. Chevalier. Capt.

For Chief Paymaster

-State if balance due is paid or transferred for settlement:—

STATEMENT OF PAY ACCOUNT

Name: _____
 Original List on List in O.M.P. of C. _____
 (List in _____)
 This statement is for the month of _____ 19____
 (List in _____)

Description	C	D	Balance
Total Payable			
Total Paid			
Other Credits			
Other Debits			
Balance Forward			
Balance Due			
Total			

Stop payment from _____
 Assign to _____
 Stop payment from _____

PARTICULARS OF EXCHANGE ADJUSTMENT

This statement is for the month of _____ 19____
 (List in _____)
 This statement is for the month of _____ 19____
 (List in _____)

Certified correct

For _____

Casualty Form - Active Service.

Regiment or Corps... *2nd Cons.* *Br. Col'dl.*

Rank... *Plt* Surname... *Allen* Christian Name... *James*

Religion... Age on Enlistment... years... months

Enlisted (a) *16-10-16* Terms of Service (a) *2 of W* Service reckons from (a) *16-10-16*

Date of promotion to present rank... Date of appointment to lance rank...

Extended { } Re-engaged { } Qualification (b) *Labour*

or Corps Trade and Rate...

Occupation... Signature of Officer.

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
			Embarked ...		
			Disembarked...		
<i>8-12-17</i>	<i>NSRD.</i>	<i>TOS from 2nd Cons. On France and adm. to Maidstone Prison 15-10-17 to undergo sentence of penal servitude for life</i>	<i>Bethel</i>	<i>14-10-17</i>	<i>Plt 264</i>
			<i>W. Sand</i>		<i>LIEUT:</i>
					<i>FOR LT: COL: I/O RECORDS, C.O.M.F.</i>
<i>Discharged in England. KR 40.392 XII</i>					



(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.
 (b) Signaller, Shoeing-Smith, &c.

Fill in only.—Unit, Number, Rank and Name.

M. F. W. 54. (A. F. B. 103.)

330M.—5-16

H. Q. 1772-39-920.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Unit, Regiment or Corps *Co 2 Const. Bn C & F*

Regimental No. *931585* Rank *Pte* Name *James Allen*
C. E. F.

Enlisted (a) *16-10-16* Terms of Service (a) *Duration of War months* Service reckons from (a) *16-10-16*

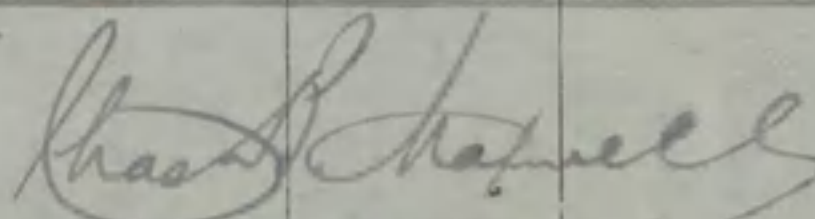
Date of promotion to present rank } Date of appointment to lance rank } Numerical position on roll of N. C. Os. }

Extended Re-engaged Qualification (b) *Labour*

GEN. CO. CT.
 17/1/17
 JUN. 1917
 CAN. RECORDS, LONDON.

Report	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case	Place	Date	Remarks - taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents	
<i>Embarked from Canada</i>		<i>Habfax N.S.</i>	<i>25/3/17</i>		
<i>Disembarked England</i>		<i>Liverpool</i>	<i>7/4/17</i>	<i>Seaford</i>	
<i>Proceeded Overseas</i>		<i>Seaford</i>	<i>17/5/17</i>	<i>#2 L.O.# 2227</i> <i>Shaffer Capt</i> <i>pro Capt & adjt</i>	
		<i>landed in France</i>	<i>17-5-17</i>	<i>N.R.</i>	
<i>17-5-17</i>	<i>oc Unit</i>	<i>Appointed A/L/Cpl</i>	<i>without pay</i>	<i>16/5/17</i>	<i>N/R dt=17-5-17 P133 dt=18/10/17</i>
<i>6/7</i>	<i>Q</i>	<i>Av. Ref for medicalizing</i>		<i>4/7</i>	<i>B-2069 P-133 dt=18/10/17</i>
	<i>an</i>	<i>Dep of A/R/Staff for transfer of possession of a watch the property of his comrade</i>		<i>18/7</i>	<i>B-2069 P-133 dt=18/10/17</i>

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D. Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.
 (b) e.g. Signaller, Shoeing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

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Date	From whom received				
5-7-17	Q.	15 days of probation for award of from <u>Luttw</u> 24/6/17 till 6/7 25/7 21 hrs (2 days plus RW)	Flu	26/7	B-206, P-133 dt-18/10/17
if 10/17	Occult	Arrested and conducted by 2 Lt Col 15-9-17 of when on ops. (1) committing an offence against the person of an inhabitant of the country in which he was serving (Rape) (2) committing an offence against the person of an inhabitant of the country in which he was serving (Theft) and sentenced to death (Sentence confirmed by Field Marshal, D Haigh 25-9-17) who commutes the sentence to that of Penal Servitude for life			(In confinement awaiting trial 27/6/17) B-206, P-132 dt-16/10/17
6-10-17	Occult.	adm to 6 Military Prison	Dieppe	3-10-17	B-213
14 10/17	oc 6 Mil Prison Dieppe	Struck off strength of unit on proceeding to England to undergo life sentence of Penal Servitude & posted to Nova Scotia Regimental Depot. Seaford		14-10-17	Auth: Supdt ^{Nº 6} Mil Prison Dieppe. Letter Nº 206/12/1 dt 4-10-17. Ref K.G. 16/9/68. P-275 Nº 133 dt-18-10-17.
 Lieut. for Lt.-Col., A. A. G. Canadian Section, G. H. Q. 3rd Echelon, B. E. F.					

3 1/2 / 2 / 17 Canada

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148 x 1¹⁰

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Payment 19.46

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Forfeiture

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Balance

162.83

gross 19/3/18

\$ 211.70

John H. ...
2/5/25

.....Major
President, Pay and Allowance Board.

.....
Member, Pay and Allowance Board.

M.F.W. 200.
50M-8-18. (D.P. 640.
1772-39-2164.

See letter from High
Commissioner for Canada
on H. P. file 649-a-11222
Re. Return to Canada.

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DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA AND DEFENCE.

Ottawa,

1921.

To:

The Officer i/c War Graves Section,
Office of Secretary to
High Commissioner for Canada,
Parliament Mansions,
Orchard Street,
Victoria Street,
London, S.W.

The Mother of the marginally named soldier,
has requested a photograph of the grave of her son, for
whom no burial information has been received.

(H)

J.P. Rank Name ALLEN James. Reg'l No. 931585.
 Unit No. 2 Construcion Bn. If in perm. Corps }
 What Unit? Married or Single Single.
 Place and Date of Enlistment Windsor. Ont. 16th. Oct. 1916. Place of Birth Birmingham. Alabama U.S.A.
 Name and Address, Next-of-Kin Mary Williams.
 7607 .. 6th St. Birmingham. Alabama. U.S.A. Relationship Mother.

*M/G
hus*

Assigned Pay Monthly \$ Payable to Relationship
 Separation Allowance \$ Payable to Relationship

N/E. R.D. No. 8737
 File No. 23-A-170
 Category PA Eng

Discharge, Date and Place Reason Character
 H. W. V., Ld.—9:46-16.

Report.		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place.	Date.	REMARKS Taken from Official Documents.
Date.	From whom received.				
18-10-17.	Arrived in England via S.S. Southland 2nd C.C.C.	Appd. P/H/C without pay.	Field	7.4.17	Currow
"	"	Deprived of acting Lt/Stripe for imp. possession of a watch	"	16.5.17	PH 133
14.6.17	No. 2. C.C.C.	Arrived in France	Field	18.6.17	PH 133
16-10-17.	"	In confinement awaiting trial 27.8.17. Tried & convicted by FGCM 13.9.17 of W.O.A.S	Field	17.5.17	PH 133
		(1) Committing an offence against the person of an inhabitant of the country in which he was serving (Rape)		16-10-17	PH 132
		(2) Committing an offence against the person of an inhabitant of the country in which he was serving (Theft) at La Joux Jura 26.6.17.			

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Report.		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place.	Date.	REMARKS Taken from Official Documents.
Date.	From whom received.				
16-10-17.	2 nd CC Coy	<p>Findings: 'Guilty' and sentenced to DEATH (sent Conf^d by Jd Marshall Sir D. Haig 25.9.17. who commuted the sentence to Penal Servitude for life) (Auth O.C Unit AFB 2069 d/4th 10/17)</p> <p>Sentenced to Death by FGCM. Sentence commuted to Penal Servitude for life 25th 9/17 by Jd Marshall Sir D. Haig. Command of British Army in France</p> <p>Adm: to Mil Prison in the Jd 4-10-17 (Auth: of/c Hob Mil Prison (NATIVE) Dieppe France Rep'd on AFB 213 d/6-10-17 Hob Mil Prison (Native) Dieppe France</p> <p>Adm Maidstone Gaol 15th 10/17 to undergo sentence of Penal Servitude for life letter A.P.M. Fstone d/15th 10/17 RL 27.</p>	Jd	16-10-17	Pt II 132.
18.10.17	2 nd Can Const Co.	<p>Proceeded to England to undergo life sentence of Penal Servitude and posted Nova Scotia R.D.</p>	La Jours Jurs.	14-10-17	Pt II 133. Pt II 264 d/8 th 10/17 NORD.
30.3.18	MSRD.	<p>S.O.S. of O.M.F.C. under KR+O. para 392 sec 12. Auth. A.G. 3a2, 2-A-671 27.1.18.</p>	B'shatt	15.10.17	Pt II 79

No. 931585. RANK *Pte*

NAME *Allen James*

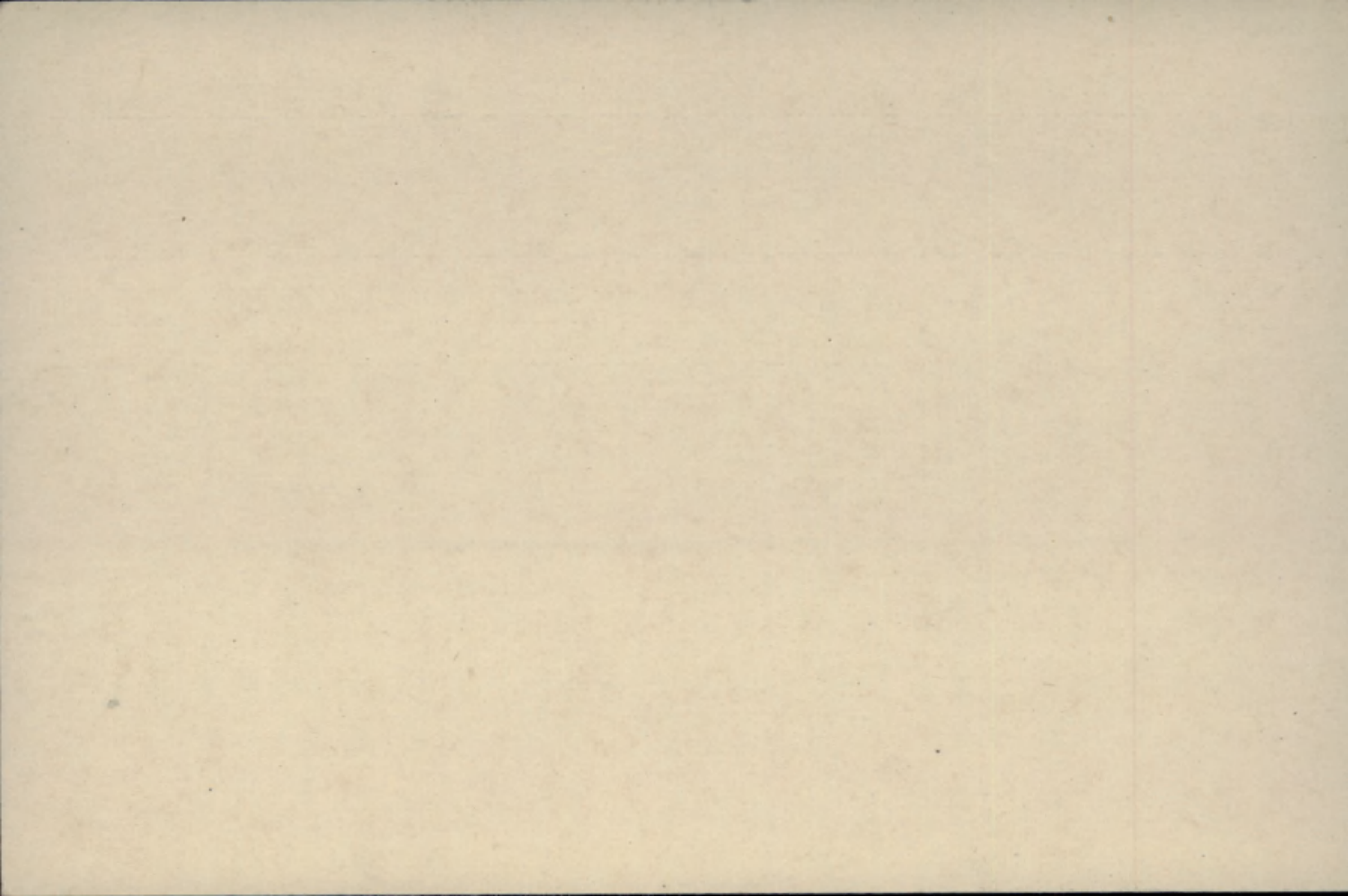
T. O. S. *16-10-16*

UNIT *No 2. Construction Battalion*

D.O. 58. 23-10-16

M. D. *6*

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
<i>1916</i>	<i>1916</i>			
<i>Oct. 16</i>	<i>Oct. 31</i>	<i>n.</i>		
	<i>Nov.</i>	<i>v</i>		
	<i>Dec.</i>	<i>v</i>		
<i>1917</i>	<i>Jan 1917</i>	<i>v</i>		
	<i>Feb.</i>	<i>n</i>		
	<i>Mar.</i>	<i>n</i>	<i>aw L. for 11 days pay.</i>	<i>D. Order 10-3-17</i>



REG. NO. *931585* NAME *Allen J.*
(SURNAME FIRST)

RANK *Pte* CORPS *No 2. Con. Batta*

AGE *21* SERVICE *7/12*

NAME OF HOSPITAL *Military* PLACE *Rondon*

DATE OF ADMISSION *8. 12. 16.*

DISEASE *Gonorrhoea*

DISCHARGE *29. 12. 16.*

OPERATION

DISCHARGED TO DUTY *yes*

TRANSFERRED TO

DISCHARGED BY MEDICAL BOARD

No. 931585 Name Allen James

Sqn., Batty., or Company } 3 Plat'n Corps No2 Construction

Date of enlistment } 16.10.16

G.C. Badges } nil

Service or Proficiency Pay } R

Date of last entry in Company Conduct Sheet } 25/3/17

No. and date of last drunk } 25/3/17

Period not reckoning towards freedom from extra fine }

Sheet No. 1

Signature O.C. Company, etc. } J S Grant

Character } Fair

Place	Date of offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	Offence	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	Remarks
La Joux	2.6.17	Pvt		Malingering	Cpt Murray S.M. Norman	Forfeits 3 days pay	2.6.17	DH Sutherland Major	
La Joux	9.6.17	L/C		Improper possession of a Watch the property of a Comrade	Cpl Harper Pte Smith " Bowers	Deprived of lance stripes	18.6.17	DH Sutherland Major	
La Joux	24.6.17	Pte		A.W.O.L. from Tattoo 24.6.17 till 6 P.M. 25.6.17	Cpl Butler	15 days F.P. No 2	26.6.17	EMH FILES Lieut OC Detachment P.T.O.	Forfeits 2 days pay

Army Form B. 122

Place	Date of offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	Offence	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	Remarks
La Joux	26.6.17	Pte		When on Active service committing an Offence against the person of an inhabitant of the country in which he was serving (RAPE)	B. Brailiard Dr E. Leloutre Lt Col. Johnson Maj. Sutherland Capt. Gunn Lt. Pyles	DEATH commuted to Penal Servitude for Life.	13.9.17	F.G.C.M.	
				(2) When on Active Service committed an Offence against the person of an inhabitant on the country in which he was serving (Theft)	L/O McDowell A. Sgt Butler Sgt Cross L/C Young Pte Toulinen Pte Gilbert Capt Bourassa Lt Hayes.				
				Transferred to England 14/10/17.					
				Discharged in England. KR 40.392 XII					



Handwritten notes and signatures:
 Did I see...
 21/10/17
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LIST OF DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS.

1. Proceedings on discharge. (Army Form B. 268.)
2. Proceedings on transfer to reserve (if any). (Army Form B. 2056.)
3. Duplicate attestation.
4. Army Form B. 97 (if any).
5. Declaration of change of name (if any).
6. Re-engagement paper (if any). Army Form B. 136.)
7. Authority for continuance, or extension, of service (if any). Army Form B. 221.)
8. Court of Inquiry on an injury (if any). (Army Form A 2.)
9. Regimental conduct sheet. (Army Form B. 120.)
10. Company conduct sheet. (Army Form B. 121.)
11. Copies of convictions by Civil Power (if any).
12. Medical history sheet. (Army Form B. 178.)
13. Medical report on invalid (if any). (Army Form B. 179.)
14. Copy of receipt for purchase money (if any).
15. Attestation of fraudulently enlisted man for corps in which he has not been held to serve (if any).
16. Detailed statement of former service allowed to reckon towards pension (if any).
17. Copy of 3rd page attestation (in the case of men from abroad entitled to deferred pay who go to Netley or the discharge depot for discharge).
18. Descriptive return (Army Form D. 400), where required. See section 11 on second page.
19. Active service casualty form. (Army Form B. 103).
20. Employment sheet. (Army Form B. 2066).

In the case of recruits who are rejected before, or on, final approval, the discharge documents will consist of—

1. Duplicate attestation. (On third page the date and cause of discharge will be entered and signed by the competent military authority).
2. Medical history sheet (if any). (Army Form B. 178).

Instructions as to the preparation, dispatch, and custody, of discharge documents.

1. When a soldier is to be discharged, the documents retained with the duplicate attestation will be placed inside this form. Should any of the documents be missing, an explanation of the deficiency, signed by the commanding officer, must be substituted for the missing document. The officer in charge of records will then extract from the original attestation, any documents required to complete the list of discharge documents enumerated in the margin, which will then be placed in this form in the sequence given.

2. When men are discharged from the colours at home as medically unfit, or with claims to pension, Army Form B. 268 will be sent confirmed, together with the duplicate attestation and documents retained therein to the officer in charge of records 10 days in advance of the date for discharge in the case of invalids, and 14 days in other cases. This officer will then extract from the original attestation any documents required to complete the list of discharge documents enumerated in the margin, place them in this form, and after carefully checking the duplicate attestation with the original forward the whole to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea. When such men are discharged abroad, the same procedure will be adopted as above, with the exception that the discharge documents will be sent to the officer in charge of records immediately after discharge takes place (except in the case of men who are granted gratuities on discharge from local battalions or companies, Royal Artillery).

3. When soldiers are sent home from abroad for discharge, the documents retained with the duplicate attestation will be placed inside this form and sent home with the men for transmission to the officer who carries out the discharge, together with the following additional forms:—

- (a) Discharge certificate (Army Form B. 2079 or Army Form B. 264).
- (b) Character Certificate (Army Form B. 2067) if entitled.
- (c) Copy company conduct sheet (Army Form B. 121) when required under King's Regulations.

The duplicate attestation and documents retained therein will be sent to the officer in charge of records, who will extract from the original attestation any documents required to complete the list of discharge documents enumerated in the margin and place them in this form.

4. The discharge documents of re-enlisted pensioners, on re-discharge, will be sent to the officer in charge of records, who will extract from the original attestation any documents required to complete the list of discharge documents enumerated in the margin, place them inside this form, and forward the whole to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, irrespective of the cause of discharge.

5. The original and duplicate attestations of recruits who are rejected before, or on, final approval will be retained by the approving officer for one year, when they will be destroyed.

6. In all other cases the discharge documents will be sent, directly the discharge is carried out, to the officer in charge of records of the unit concerned.

7. Postage need not be paid, and receipts are not required, in the case of documents sent to Chelsea or to the War Office,

8. When the discharge documents of men not entitled to pension are sent to the officer who will have final charge of them, they are to be accompanied by Army Form B. 279, and that officer will, if they are found to be correct, sign and return Army Form B. 279. Should any document be missing, he must at once apply for it.

9. The officers having final charge of the discharge documents will arrange them according to regimental numbers, and enter the names in the alphabetical index, Army Book No. 129.

This space to be left blank for the Chelsea Number.

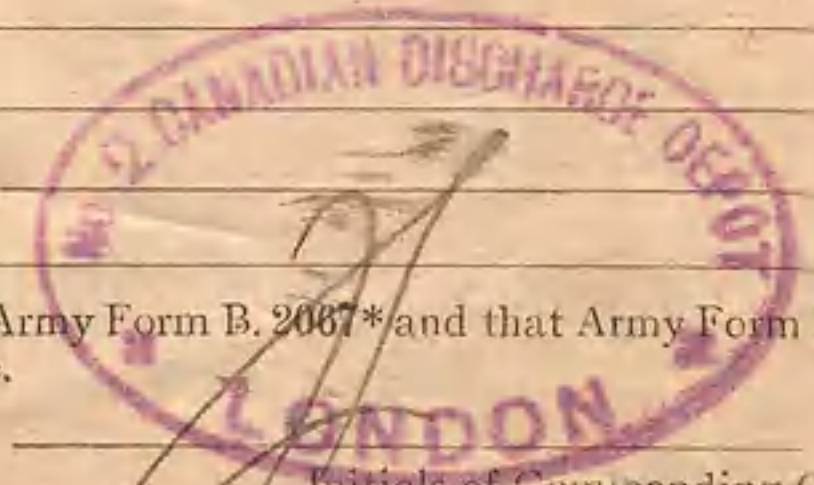


Army Form B. 268.

Proceedings on Discharge.

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(When forwarded for confirmation the documents named on page 4 should be enclosed.)

No. <u>931585</u>		Army Rank <u>Pte.</u>
Name <u>Allen, James.</u> <small>(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)</small>		
Corps <u>2nd Connt. Bn.</u>		
Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &c. <u>N.R.D.</u> <small>(If attached to the Regular Establishment of the Special Reserve or Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force, &c., or to General Staff of the Army, it should be so stated.)</small>		
Date of discharge <u>15-10-17.</u>		
Place of discharge <u>No. 2. C.D.D. London.</u>		
1. Description at the time of discharge.		
Age <u>21</u> years <u>4</u> months	Descriptive marks.	
Height <u>5</u> feet <u>3</u> inches	<u>1. Vacc left arm</u>	
Chest measure- ment { girth when fully expanded <u>35</u> ins. range of expansion <u>3</u> ins.		
Complexion <u>Dark (Negro)</u>		
Eyes <u>Dark</u>		
Hair <u>Black wavy curly.</u>		
Trade <u>Auto. Mechanic.</u>		
Intended place of residence (To be given as fully as practicable)	<u>H.M. Prison. Maidstone.</u>	
<small>(The measurements and description should be carefully taken on the day the man leaves his unit, but in the case of men sent home from abroad for discharge, the age and intended place of residence should be left blank to be filled in by the Officer who confirms the discharge at home.)</small>		
2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of <u>having been sentenced to Penal Servitude by a civil court.</u> <u>Alp. 3a 2. 2-A-671. D. 21/1/18.</u> <u>N.R.D. 392. X11</u>		
<small>(The cause of discharge must be worded as prescribed in the King's Regulations and be identical with that on the discharge certificate. If discharged by superior authority, the No. and date of the letter to be quoted.)</small>		
3. Military character:—		
4. Character awarded in accordance with King's Regulations:—		
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg); font-size: small;">To be filled in on the soldier quitting the Colours.</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 90%; height: 100%;"></div> </div>		
Certified that the above is an accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 2067* and that Army Form D. 489 was awarded in this case.		
 Initials of Commanding Officer.		
Army Form B. 2088 has been issued to*		

5. He is in possession of the following number of G.C. badg's (if the man is a N.C.O. and enlisted prior to 1st July, 1881, the number he would have been entitled to had he not been promoted should be stated).

Is it probable that he will be entitled to another good conduct badge before the confirmation of these proceedings?

Not applicable

Classification for service, or proficiency pay... .. Class

6. Campaigns, Medals and Decorations

France - 5 mos

Certificate of education *Not available*

7. His accounts are correctly balanced, and I have impartially inquired into all matters brought before me in accordance with Regulations.

(Place) _____
(Date) *15/10/14*

[Signature]
Commanding _____ Battalion _____ Regiment.
LONDON

8. Certificate to be signed by the soldier on discharge.

I hereby acknowledge that I have received all my pay and allowances (including clothing allowance), and all just demands up to the present date, subject to the reservations of the claims noted on the 3rd page.

(Place) _____
(Date) *15/10/14*

[Signature] (Signature of Soldier.)
[Signature] (Signature of Witness.)

(When a soldier is absent through illness or any other cause, and it is not desirable to forward these proceedings to him for signature, a manuscript copy should be sent for the man to sign, and when returned should be attached here.)

9. Additional certificate in the case of a soldier who takes his discharge at his own request.

I hereby declare that I do of my own free will request to be discharged from His Majesty's Service.

(Signature of Soldier.)

10. Statement of service.

Service towards engagement to _____ (the date to which the record of service is completed) _____ years _____ days.

Further service " " *15/10/17* (the date of confirmation of discharge) " *365* "

Total " *365* "

11. Confirmation of discharge.

The discharge of the above-named man is hereby confirmed for *15/10/17* (date)

(Place) _____
(Date) *15/10/14*

[Signature]
Signature _____
LONDON

Commanding officers (or the Paymaster if at Netley) will issue to every discharged soldier whose claim to pension, either on account of service or disability, is to be brought under the consideration of the Chelsea Board, a memorandum for his guidance on Army Form D. 401, and will at the same time transmit to the Secretary, Royal Hospital Chelsea, a descriptive return of the man on Army Form D. 400.

RESERVATIONS REFERRED TO AT PARA. 8.

(To be signed by the soldier. When there are none, it is to be so stated and signed by the soldier.)

[Signature]