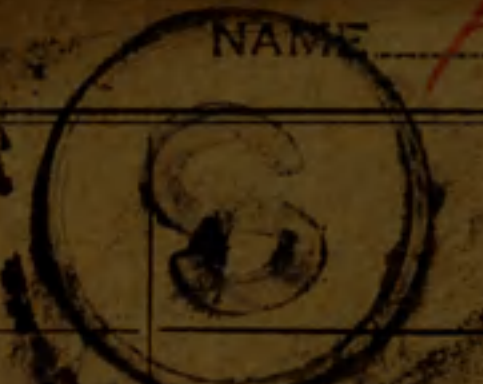


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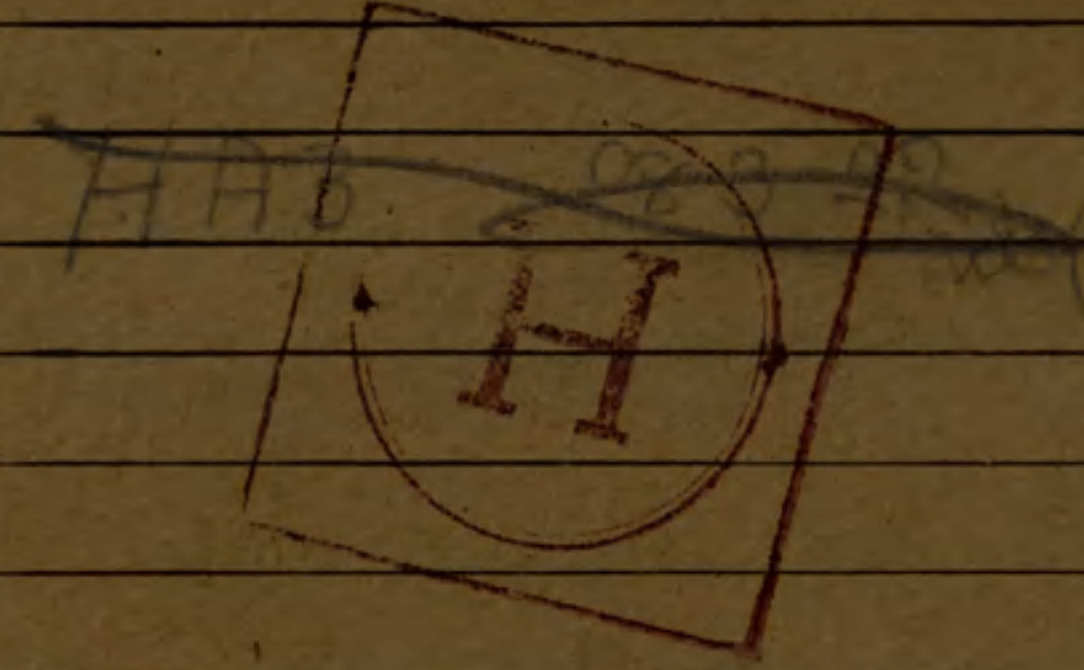
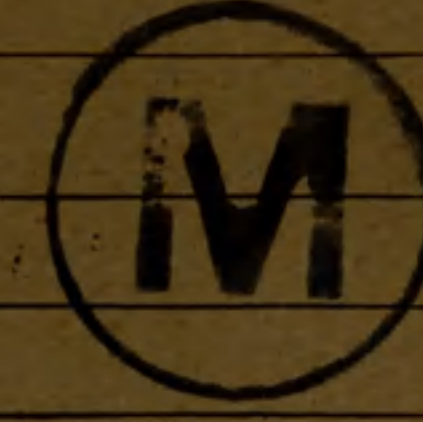
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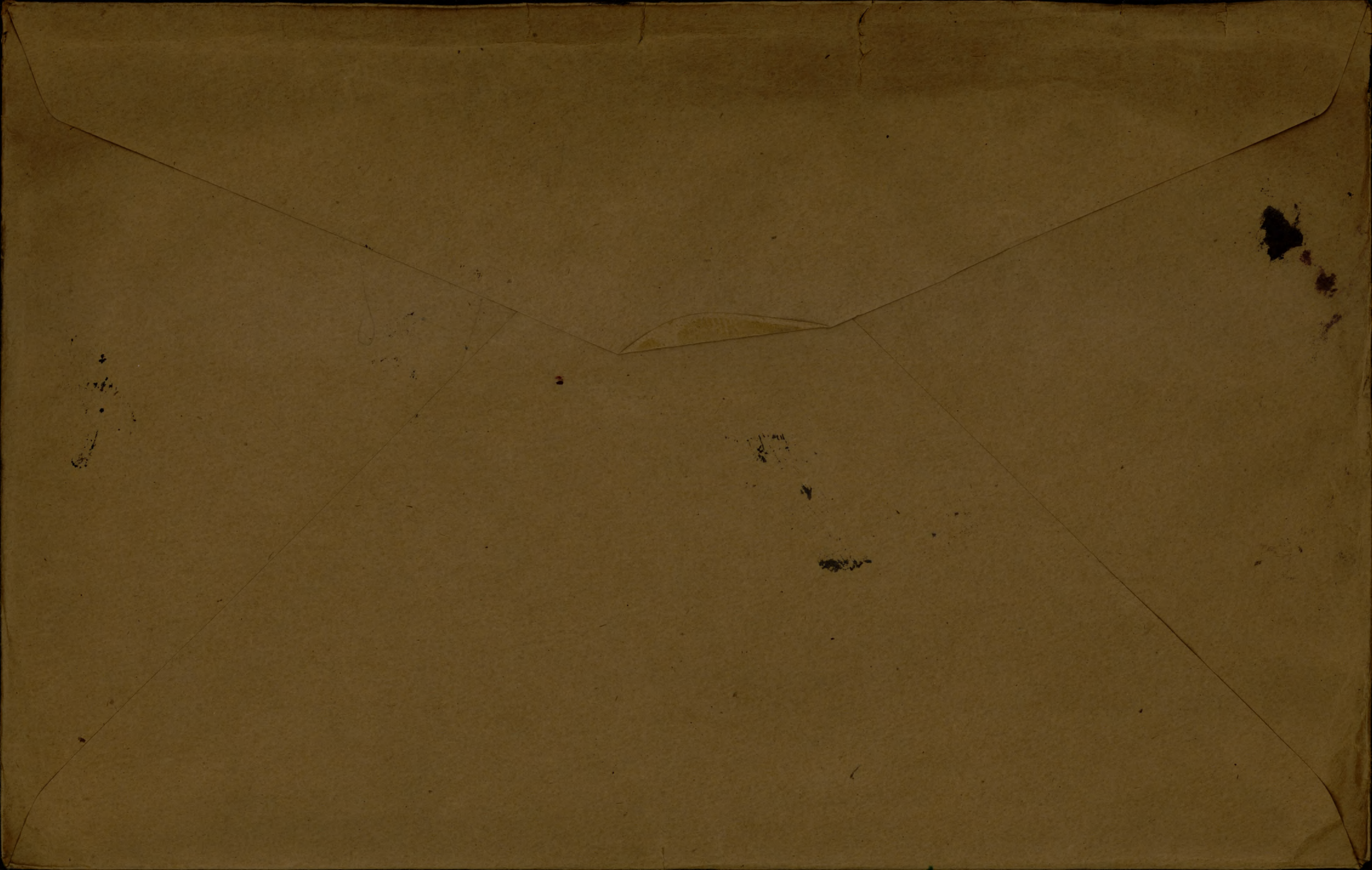
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ORIGINAL

ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. 839139

147th GREY O. S. BATTALION, C. E. F.  
CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

Folio.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.  
(ANSWERS.)

From

- 1. What is your surname? Armstrong
- 1a. What are your Christian names? Hilliard
- 1b. What is your present address? Markdale, Ontario
- 2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born? Markdale, Gray County Ontario.
- 3. What is the name of your next-of kin? Mark Armstrong
- 4. What is the address of your next-of-kin? Markdale, Ont.
- 4a. What is the relationship of your next-of-kin? Father
- 5. What is the date of your birth? AUGUST 10th, 1896
- 6. What is your Trade or Calling? STUDENT
- 7. Are you married? SINGLE
- 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated and inoculated? YES
- 9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia? YES, 31st Regt.
- 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 } YES  
CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE? }

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Hilliard Armstrong, 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.

Hilliard Armstrong (Signature of Recruit)

Date Aug. 8th 1916. R. W. Kern (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Hilliard Armstrong, 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.

Hilliard Armstrong (Signature of Recruit)

Date Aug. 8th 1916. R. W. Kern (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 Camp Borden, Ont this 8th day of August 1916.

G. J. Farland (Signature of Justice)

O. C. 147th Grey O. S. Bn., C. E. F.



Description of Armstrong Hilliard on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 19 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 5 ft. 7 ins.

Mole on the right side of chin.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 37 1/2 ins.  
 Range of expansion 2 1/2 ins.

Complexion Fair  
 Eyes Blue  
 Hair Medium

Religious denominations.  
 Church of England.....  
 Presbyterian.....  
 Methodist X.  
 Baptist or Congregationalist.....  
 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\* Fit. for the Canadian Over-Seas Expeditionary Force.

Date Aug. 8th 1916

Place Camp Gordon Ont. De Stowe Capt  
 Medical Officer.

\*Insert here "fit" or "unfit."

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.

HILLIARD ARMSTRONG 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.

G. M. Farland Lieut. Col. (Signature of Officer)  
 G. C. 147th Grey O. S. Bn., C. E. F.

Date August 8th 1916



Man owes: pay  
Acct pending settlement

Account for the sum  
of \$100.00  
to the order of



To:- The Secy  
The R.  
H

Enclosed  
documents for the marg  
day being discharged  
forces in order to ta



# MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET

**ORIGINAL**

839139

Surname Armstrong 147th GREY O. S. BATTALION, C. E. F. Christian Name Hillard M.

Examined { on 8th. day of Aug. 1916.  
at Camp Borden Ont.

Approved by D. E. Howes  
Rank Capt M.O.

Birthplace { City or Town Markdale  
County Grey

Apparent age 19 years 11 months

Trade or occupation Student

Height 5 feet 7 Inches

Weight 162 lbs.

Chest measurement { Minimum 35 inches  
Maximum expansion 37½ inches

Physical development Good

Small-pox Marks None

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right Left  
Number None

When Vaccinated last Never

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease None

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection None

Date	Fit or Unfit	EXAMINED FOR RE-ENGAGEMENT	M.O.
Date	Result	VACCINATIONS	M.O.
<u>26/6/16</u>	<u>+</u>	<u>D. E. Howes</u>	<u>M.O.</u>
Date	Result	ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.	M.O.
<u>29-3-16</u>		<u>D. E. Howes</u>	<u>M.O.</u>
<u>6/4/16</u>		<u>D. E. Howes</u>	<u>M.O.</u>
<u>21/4/17</u>	<u>Reum</u>	<u>D. E. Howes</u>	<u>M.O.</u>

Enlisted on 8th. day of Aug. 1916. at Camp Borden Ont.

	CORPS	REG'TL NUMBER	HABITS	DATE
Joined on enlistment	<u>147th. Cs. Bn.</u> <u>C. E. F.</u>	<u>839139</u>		<u>8/8/16.</u>
Transferred to	<u>8th. Res. Bn. W. Ont.</u> <u>2nd BORD</u>			<u>1/1/17.</u> <u>16.4.17</u>

## EXAMINED OR DISCHARGED BY A MEDICAL BOARD

STATION	DATE	DISEASE	RESULT

N.B.—This sheet to be disposed of in accordance with instructions in the Regulations for Army Medical Service, on the man becoming non-effective; the date and cause being stated on next page.







DUPLICATE

To be made out in duplicate.

H.Q. 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.

(1) Name of Overseas Unit which Soldier joins..... 147 TH GREY OVERSEAS BATTALION  
..... CANADIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

(2) Regimental Number ..... 839139

(3) Full Name of Soldier..... HILLIARD ARMSTRONG

(4) Place of Birth..... MARKDALE, ONTARIO

(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? ..... NO

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

Also their names and ages.....



(9) Is your Father alive?.....YES.....

If so, state name and address...MARK ARLSTRONG...MARKDALE, ONTARIO.....

(10) Is your Mother alive?.....YES.....

If so, state name and address...MARIAN ARLSTRONG...MARKDALE, ONTARIO.....

(11) If your Mother is a widow.....NO.....

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?.....

Have you made arrangements for payment of your Insurance premium.....

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

*G. M. Farland* Lieut. Col.  
O. C. 147th Grey O. S. Bn. C. E. F.  
Officer Commanding.

Date.....CAMP BORDEN, ONT. SEPT. 1st 1916.



MILITIA AND DEFENCE  
 ASSIGNED PAY  
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

To Whom *Mark Armstrong*  
 Address *Markdale*  
*Ont*

By Whom Assigned *Armstrong H.*  
 Regtl. No. *839139*  
 Rank *L/ep*  
 Corps *147 Bu*

Rate \$ *15.00*

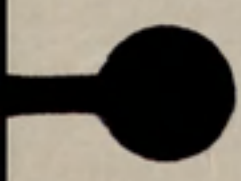
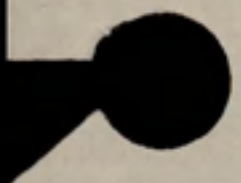
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PAYMENTS

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.	REMARKS
Aug.	1914			
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
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Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1916			
Feb.				
March				







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# ASSIGNED PAY

OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

Sheet No. 2. Mark Armstrong  
(Assignee)

PAYMENTS.

Name of Soldier

Armstrong H.  
Pte 147 Bu.

L. L. Job 5470—Req. 6888.

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amnt.	Remarks
				15 <sup>00</sup> NOV 1 1916
April	1916			
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.		J 30115	15	
Dec.		N 35382	15	
Jan.	1917	M 36426	15	
Feb.		M 42267	15	15 (J)
March		M 48228	15	15-L
April		P 248	15	15 L
May		M 6228	15	
June		O 12868	15	15-W
July		O 20153	15	5
Aug.		P 2678	15	09
Sept.		O 34012	15	20
Oct.			+	165 ✓
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1918			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				



MILITIA AND DEFENCE  
**ASSIGNED PAY**  
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

Sheet No. 2 (Contd.)

Name of Soldier \_\_\_\_\_

**PAYMENTS.**

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
Aug.	1918			
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1919			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
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Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1920			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				



A.G.R.

Rank

*a/corpl*

Name

ARMSTRONG, Hilliard *Marl*

Reg'l No.

839139

Unit

147th Bn.

If in perm. Corps,  
What Unit? }

Married or Single

Single.

Place and Date of Enlistment

Camp Borden, Ont. 8th Aug. 1916.

Place of Birth

Markdale,

Name and Address, Next-of-Kin

Mark Armstrong,

Grey Co., Ontario

Markdale, Ont.

Relationship

Father.

Assigned Pay Monthly \$

Payable to

Relationship

Separation Allowance \$

Payable to

Relationship

N/E. R.B. No. 2188

File R.L. 23 A 183

Category *Imp. Learning*

Discharge, Date and Place

Reason

Character

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.				
Arrived in England. S S Olympic 20. 11. 16					
1-12-16	147th Bn.	To be. A/Lt. Col.	Shoreham	25-9-16	Pt. 1, D.O. 259
1-1-17	147th Bn.	S.O.S. to 8th Res. Bn.	Shoreham	1-1-'17	D, O. Ia
1-1-17	8th Res. Bn.	T.O.S. FROM 147th. Bn.	Shoreham	1-1-17	Pt, 2, D. O. 1
26.3.17	"	To be a/corpl.	Shoreham	15.3.17	85
14.6.17	Prob. O.C. Bn.	Proceeded to join No 2. Cadet Wing R. Flying Corps. at Bushey Park Camp Manchester	Oxford	14.5.17	W.D. 74/17 (No 2 R.F.C. 4)
13.7.17	8th Bn	SOS to 2nd COB W	Shoreham	16.4.17	P.D. 195 (2nd COB W 129. 16/7/17)
14.8.17	2nd COB W	Bease to be on comm to Cadet School. S.O.S. granted a commission in R.F.C. as 2nd Lieutenant		14.5.17	(War O. Letter 42/10/593/MSK 504 + O.E. 8 H B 67-57/1958 30.2.17)

*2nd Lt.*  
*1/18/16*

*1/18/17*



839139

Armstrong, H.

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.				
5-7-18	2. C.O.R.D.	PAO 158, as amended. Bread S.O.S being granted Commission in R. 78.		4-7-17	PAO 156 32-R2BENE 4-7-18
		Dunham Port Isos.	4-7-17		NK. 403
		NK 392 Sec XXV			
		Auth L.G. of 26-7-17			



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

# Casualty Form—Active Service.

M. F. W. 54.  
150M. 10-15.  
H.Q. 1772-39-920.

Unit, Regiment or Corps 147TH GREY O. S. BN. C. E. F.

Regimental No. 839139 Rank PC Name Armstrong Hilliard MORTS

Enlisted (a) 8/8/16 Terms of Service (a) 6 mos after Service reckons from (a) 8/8/16

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) (student) Lieut Certificate

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.
Date	From whom received				
		<b>Embarked</b>	<b>Canada</b>	<b>13/11/16</b>	
		<b>Arrived</b>	<b>England</b>	<b>21/11/16</b>	
1-12-16	C.O.	Appointed A/L/Cpl.	Shoreham	1-12-16	D.O. Part 11 # 259
1-1-17	C.O.	Transferred to 8th Res. Bn	Shoreham	1-1-17	D.O. Part 2 # 1 <i>Whelan</i>
1-1-17	C.O.	Taken on Strength 8th Res. Bn	Shoreham	1-1-17	D.O. PT 2 # 1 <i>Whelan</i>
26-3-17	8th R. Bn.	Appointed A/Cpl.	Shorncliffe	15-3-17	D.O. PT. 2 # 85
14-7-17	8th R. Bn.	S.O.S. to 2nd C.O.R.D.	Shorncliffe	16-4-17	D.O. PT. 2 No. 195 <i>LIEUT.</i>
16-7-17	<i>2nd CORPS</i>	<i>T.O.S. &amp; Outcom Mob Cadet Schl. Depot</i>	<i>Essex Sandling</i>	<i>16-4-17</i>	<i>D.O. 129</i>
14-8-17	<i>ii</i>	<i>S.O.S. Granted a Commission with R.F.C.</i>	<i>ii</i>	<i>14-5-17</i>	<i>D.O. 158</i>

*W. R. R. R.*  
ASST ADJT, 8th CANADIAN REG. Bn.  
*D. B. Fontenault*  
Capt. & Adjt.  
2nd Cent. Ont. Reg. Depot.

(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, Shoing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties. [P.T.O.]



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Date	From whom received				
		<p style="text-align: center;"><b>DISCHARGED IN ENGLAND, K. R. &amp; O. PAR. 392, SEC. XXV.</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>[Signature]</i>  <b>Officer Commanding, No. 2 Canadian Discharge Depot.</b></p> <p style="color: red; font-size: 1.2em;">K (and) Rfc.</p>			

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Date of Enlistment

MLITIA AND DEFENCE

Date of Assignment

# Separation and Assigned Pay Branch

*Nov 1st/16*

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RATE OF ASSIGNMENT

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## PARTICULARS OF SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

*EMAS*

No. *839139*  
 Rank *L. Cpl* Promoted Reverted Discharge  
 Soldier's Name *H. Armstrong*  
 Battalion *147<sup>th</sup> Bn.*  
 Beneficiary  
 Relationship  
 Address

## PARTICULARS OF ASSIGNMENT

Name *Mark Armstrong*  
 Address *Markdale Ont.*  
 Change of Address  
 1  
 2  
 3  
 4

Date	Cheque No.	Amount S/A	Amount A/P	Total	REMARKS
<i>Sept 30-17</i>			<i>165.00</i>	<i>165.00</i>	
<i>Oct. 17</i>	<i>D 50874</i>		<i>15 ✓</i>	<i>15 ✓</i>	
<i>Nov</i>	<i>B 53162</i>		<i>15</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>B</i>
<i>Dec</i>	<i>F 44526</i>		<i>15</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>B</i>
<i>Jan</i>	<i>C 66995</i>		<i>15</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>B</i>
<p><i>F55526 ltd &amp; cancelled 8/1/18 not</i>  <i>C66995 cancelled @</i>  <i>suspended pending reply from</i>  <i>R.O. assigned status junior 2ly Corp</i>  <i>&amp; now killed filed 05-05-H-17.</i></p> <p><i>a/c Closed from 30-11-17</i>  <i>Soldier taken Comm in R.Y. Corps</i></p>					

M. F. W. 128  
 400M-6-17-1772-39-111  
 L. L. 2320-M. & D. 7385.

*Stamp*



Date of Enlistment

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PARTICULARS OF SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

PARTICULARS OF ASSIGNMENT

No.

Name

Rank

Promoted

Reverted

Discharge

Address

Soldier's Name

Change of Address

Battalion

1

Beneficiary

2

Relationship

3

Address

4

Date

Cheque No.

Amount S/A

Amount A/P

Total

REMARKS

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LEAVE

NEXT OF KIN

FROM

TO

Mark Armstrong, 'Father'

Markdale Ontario

REMARKS



R. &amp; Q. 6034.

REGTL. NO.

RANK

NAME

COY.

FOLIO

839139

L/Cpl.

Armstrong, Hilliard

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TAKEN ON FROM

DATE

PARTICULARS

147th Bn.

1-1-17

PROMOTIONS OR APPOINTMENTS

AUTHORITY

DATE

ON COMMAND

HOSPITAL

ADMITTED

BY ORDER

DISCHARGED

BY ORDER

EMPLOYED AS

INOCULATIONS

QUALIFICATIONS

Lieut. Certt.

VACCINATION

DRAFTED TO

REMARKS

STRUCK OFF



No. 839139

RANK Pte., 21cpl.

NAME Armstrong Hilliard

T. O. S. 8-8-16

DD. 178 of 9-8-16

UNIT 147th (Grey) Battalion C.E.F.

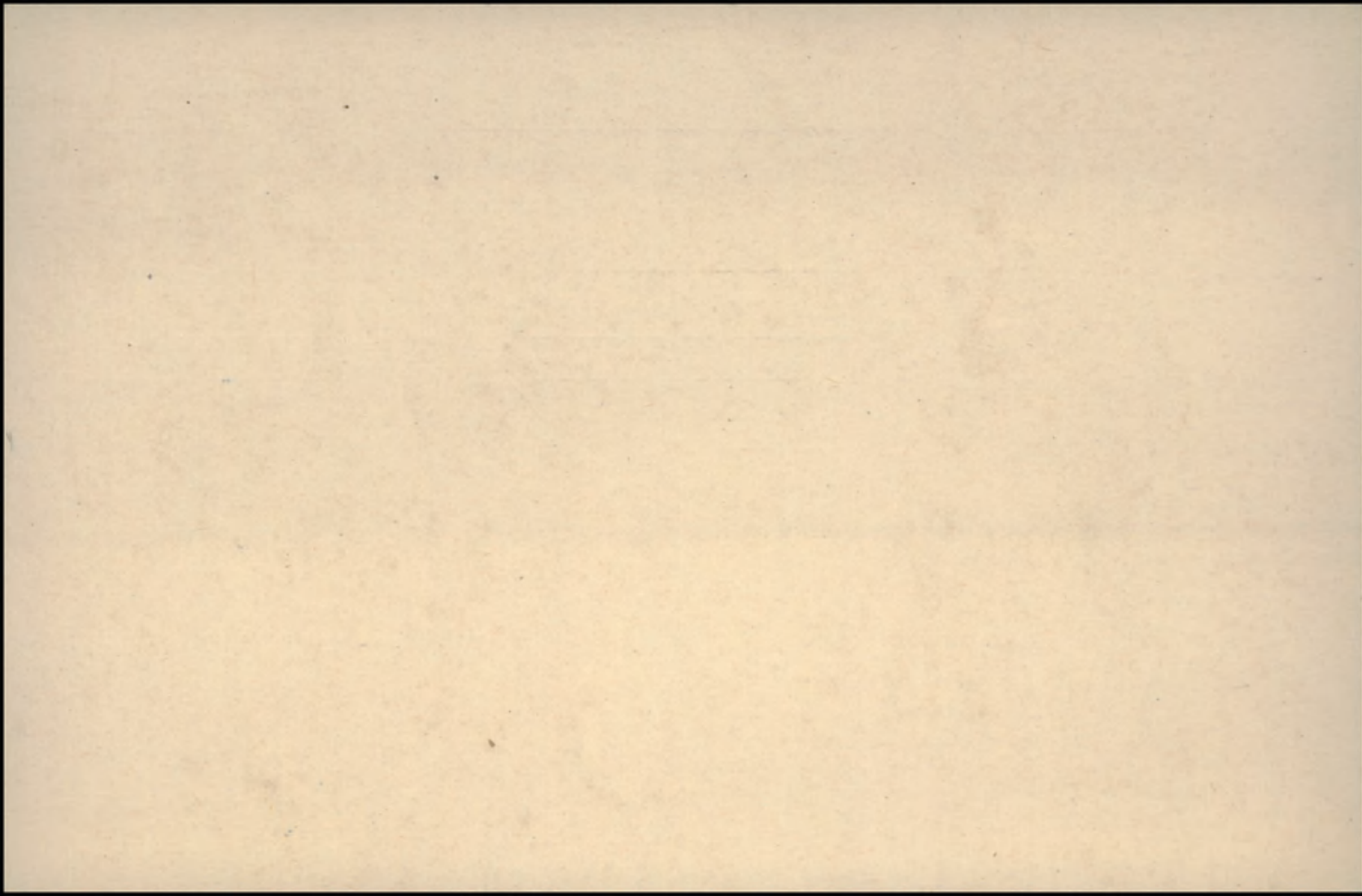
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PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
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Surname ARMSTRONG

Christian Name Hilliard

Units 2nd C.O.R. Theatre of War England

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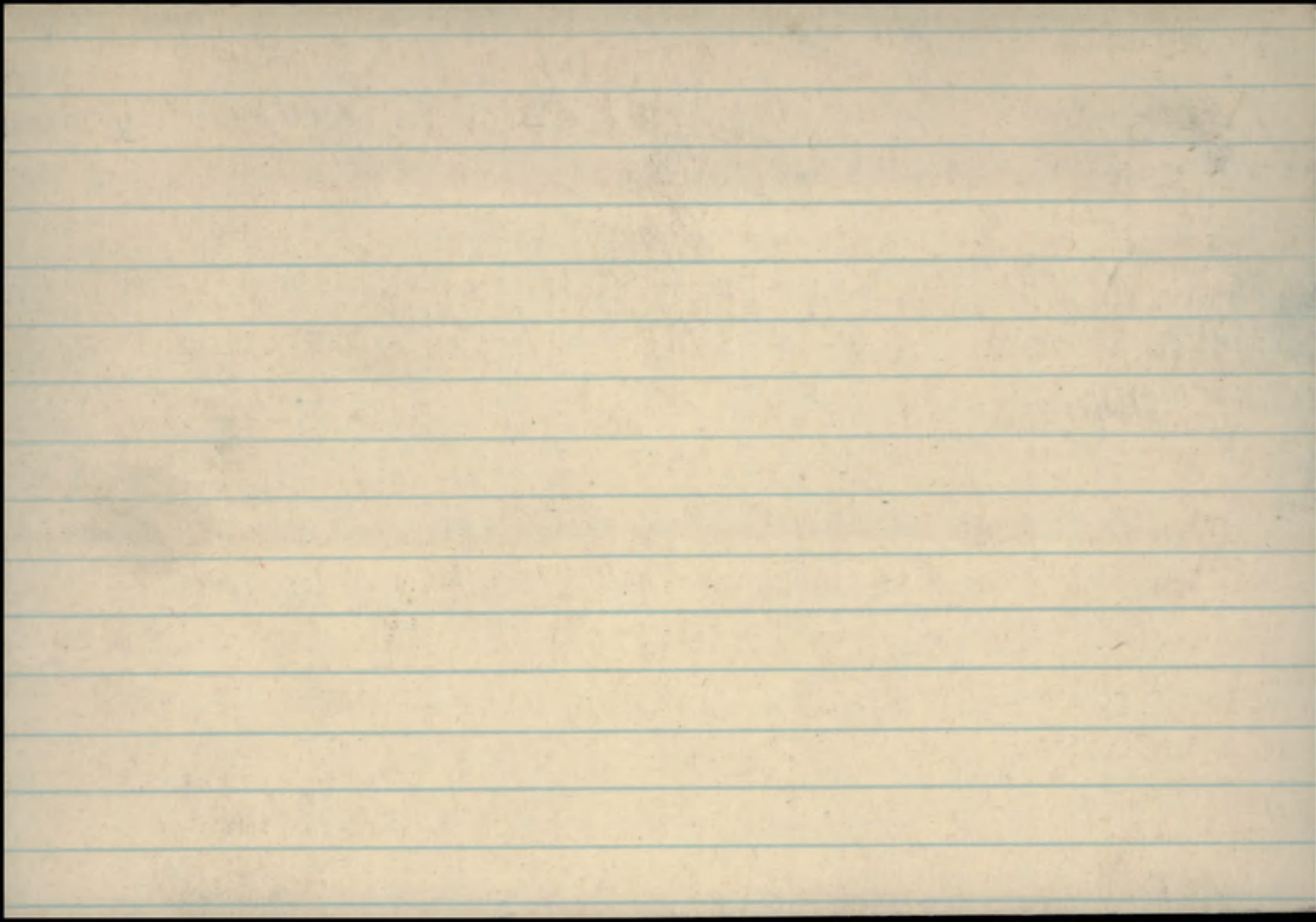
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SURNAME.

*Armstrong,*

CHRISTIAN NAMES

*Hilliard*

REGL. No.

*839139*

RANK

~~*Pte.*~~ *Lieut.*

UNIT

*147th.*

FORMER CORPS

*31st. Regt.*

CARD NO.

*X 67*  
*Sgt. Com. R.F.C. 14/5/14*

FOLL.

*16-25-2.*

*o/s.*

*5-6-18.23.*

*Bn*

NEXT OF KIN.

NAMES IN FULL

*Armstrong, Mark.*

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER

*Father*

ADDRESS

*Markdale Ont.*

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

COUNTRY OF BIRTH

*Canada, Markdale Ont.*

DATE

*Aug. 10th. 1896*

PLACE OF ATTESTATION

*Camp Borden Ont.*

DATE

*Aug. 8th 1916*

*Subd from Halifax Prov.*

*S.S. "Olympic" 14/11/16*



MARRIED

SINGLE

Yes

WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING

Student

RELIGION

Methodist

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE

19

YEARS

11

MONTHS

HEIGHT

5

FEET

7

INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT

37 1/2

INCHES

EXPANSION

2 1/2

INCHES

COMPLEXION

Fair

EYES

Blue

HAIR

Medium

DISTINGUISHING MARKS

Mole R. side chin.

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

PLACE

Camp Borden, Ont.

DATE

Aug. 8th. 1916

Present address,

Markdale Ont.











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Proceedings on Discharge.

23. A-183.  
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(When forwarded for confirmation the documents named on page 4 should be enclosed.)

No. <u>839139</u>	Army Rank <u>A/Plt.</u>
Name <u>Armstrong Hilliard Mont</u> <small>(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)</small>	
Corps <u>147th Btl.</u>	<u>8th Res.</u>
Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &c. <u>2. B. O. R. D.</u> <small>(If attached to the Regular Establishment of the Special Reserve or Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force, &amp;c., or to General Staff of the Army, it should be so stated.)</small>	
Date of discharge <u>4/4/14</u>	
Place of discharge <u>2. B. O. R. D. London</u>	
1. Description at the time of discharge.	
Age <u>21</u> years <u>7</u> months	Descriptive marks. <u>Spole R. side blem</u>
Height <u>5</u> feet <u>7</u> inches	
Chest measure- ment { girth when fully expanded <u>38</u> ins. range of expansion <u>3</u> ins.	
Complexion <u>Fair</u>	
Eyes <u>Blue</u>	
Hair <u>Medium</u>	
Trade <u>Student</u>	
Intended place of residence <small>(To be given as fully as practicable)</small>	<u>147th Btl. Parkdale Ontario 14/1/14</u> <u>Killed in A.</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>Commission in Imperial Army. R. A. F. 5/4/14.</u> <b>DISCHARGED K.R. &amp; O. 392 XXV</b> <u>Auth. London Gazette 26/4/14.</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:— <b>VERY GOOD</b>	
4. Character awarded in accordance with King's Regulations:— <b>MILITARY CHARACTER. VERY GOOD</b>	
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. <u>[Signature]</u>	
Army Form B. 2088 has been issued to*	

LIST OF DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS.

- Proceedings on discharge. (Army Form B. 268.)
- Proceedings on transfer to reserve (if any). (Army Form B. 2056.)
- Duplicate attestation.
- Army Form B. 97 (if any).
- Declaration of change of name (if any).
- Re-engagement paper (if any). Army Form B. 136.)
- Authority for continuance, or extension, of service (if any). Army Form B. 221.)
- Court of Inquiry on an injury (if any) (Army Form A 2.)
- Regimental conduct sheet. (Army Form B. 120.)
- Company conduct sheet. (Army Form B. 121.)
- Copies of convictions by Civil Power (if any).
- Medical history sheet. (Army Form B. 178.)
- Medical report on invalid (if any). (Army Form B. 179.)
- Copy of receipt for purchase money (if any).
- Attestation of fraudulently enlisted man for corps in which he has not been held to serve (if any).
- Detailed statement of former service allowed to reckon towards pension (if any).
- 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).
- Descriptive return (Army Form D. 400), where required. See section 11 on second page.
- Active service casualty form. (Army Form B. 103).
- Employment sheet. (Army Form B. 2066).

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:—

- Discharge certificate (Army Form B. 2079 or Army Form B. 204).
- Character Certificate (Army Form B. 2067) if entitled.
- 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.

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

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

\* Strike out if not applicable.



5. He is in possession of the following number of G.C. badges (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

*Nil*

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) *4/4/14*

Commanding \_\_\_\_\_ Battn. \_\_\_\_\_ Regiment.

*J. G. Gault*  
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) *4/4/14*

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Soldier.)

*D. Anderson*  
(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 " " *4/4/14* (the date of confirmation of discharge) ... .. *330* "

Total ... .. *330* "

11. Confirmation of discharge.

The discharge of the above-named man is hereby confirmed for *4/4/14* (date)

(Place) \_\_\_\_\_

(Date) *4/4/14*

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

*J. G. Gault*  
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.)

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