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ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. ~~45212~~

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CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

	(ANSWERS.)
1. What is your surname?	Welsh.
1a. What are your Christian names?	Maurice Irving
1b. What is your present address?	Work Point Barracks, Esquimalt BC.
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?	Wingham, Ontario.
3. What is the name of your next-of kin?	Mrs. John Welsh.
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?	611 Brantford St, New Westminster, BC. Can.
4a. What is the relationship of your next-of-kin?	Mother.
5. What is the date of your birth?	22nd June, 1886.
6. What is your Trade or Calling?	Labourer
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? If so, state particulars of former Service.	1 yr. 72nd Reg't. 88th of C.
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, Maurice Irving Welsh, 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.

Maurice Irving Welsh (Signature of Recruit)

Date 18th July 1916. S. Clarke, Sgt (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Maurice Irving Welsh, 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.

Maurice Irving Welsh (Signature of Recruit)

Date 18th July 1916. S. Clarke, Sgt (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 Victoria BC this 18th day of July, 1916.

D R Harris JP (Signature of Justice)

M. F. W. 13
7691M—3-16
H. Q. 1772-89-941

Description of Maurice Irving Welsh on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 30 years — months.
(To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)

Height 5 ft 10½ ins.

Chest measurement: Girth when fully expanded 36 ins.; Range of expansion 3 ins.

Complexion Fair

Eyes Brown

Hair Dk Brown.

Religious denominations:
- Church of England
- Presbyterian
- Methodist
- Baptist or Congregationalist
- Roman Catholic Yes.
- Jewish
- Other denominations (Denomination to be stated.)

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).

None

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 18th July 1916.

Place Esquimalt B.C.

Capt. Canc
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.

Maurice Irving Welsh 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.

J. Herbert Bunbury, Major (Signature of Officer)
Commanding No. 6 Station, R. C. Regt.

Date 18th July 1916.

DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS

R. O. No. [illegible]

H. Q. No. .....

Name Welsh. Maurice. J.

Regt. No. 478983 Rank Pte

Corps 6 6 A.G Trans to Base Depot.

med. unfit

Proceedings of Court of Inquiry or on men reported Missing on Active Service.....

Attestation Papers..... 1 2 3

Declaration of change of name.....

Authority for special enlistments.....

Documents of re-enlisted men.....

Regimental Conduct Sheet .....

Compulsory Stoppages.....

Casualty Forms..... 1V

Proceedings on discharge..... 1V

Corps History Sheet.....

Date and No. of Deposit Receipt for Purchase Money and Amount.....

Parchment Certificate.....

Medical Report for Invalids.....

Medical History Sheet..... 2V

Proceedings of Regt. Court Martial.....

Copies of Convictions by Civil Power.....

Company Conduct Sheet.....

Clothing Transfer Certificate..... 1V

Inventory of Kit.....

Last Pay Certificate.....

a £1. B. 122-1
M 7 W 67 — 1
1 Mess Tin

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M. F. W. 62.
50M.—9-16.
H. Q. 1772—39—935.

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com

Number 478983 Rank Pte.

Surname WELSH

Christian Name Maurice Irving

Units N.S.R. Theatre of War ENG.

Date of Service 13.10.16

Remarks

Latest Address 109. Columbia St. East.
New Westminster B.C

Roll No. R. Page 2695

200m.—2—21.M.

649-W. 9180

CARD NO. X

SOS. Div 11/6/17

FOLL. 5

SURNAME. Welsh

CHRISTIAN NAMES Maurice Irving

REGL. No. 478983 RANK Pte

UNIT A.C.A. Reinforcements

FORMER CORPS 72 Regt. S.H.of C. 1 yr

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAMES IN FULL Welsh Mrs John

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER mother

ADDRESS 611 Brantford St. New Westminster B.C.

COUNTRY OF BIRTH Canada, Wingham Ont. DATE June 27nd 1886

PLACE OF ATTESTATION Victoria B.C. DATE July 18th 1916.

L. L. 94504. M. & D. 6512.

M. F. W. 22. 250M.—2-16. H. Q. 1772-39-339.

Omgs

auth J. 334.

Returned to Canada per [redacted] S.S. "2810" may 12th, 1917

MARRIED SINGLE Yes WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING Labourer RELIGION Roman Catholic

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE 30 YEARS MONTHS

HEIGHT 5 FEET 10½ INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT 36 INCHES EXPANSION 3 INCHES

COMPLEXION Fair EYES Brown HAIR Dark Brown

DISTINGUISHING MARKS not stated

MEDICAL EXAMINATION. PLACE Esquimalt B.C. DATE July 18th 1916

Present address, Work Point Barracks Esquimalt B.C.

REGT'L NO 478983

NAME Welsh Maurice L

H. Q. FILE NO. 649-

RANK AND CORPS Pte P.C.R. & P.P.C.L.I.

FOLLOWS NO.

FOLLOWS

CABLE No.	CABLE DATE	NATURE OF CASUALTY
I 334	18-5-17	Sailed from Liverpool for Canada per the Troopship "2810" on May 12th 1917 Mental Deficiency

L. L. 12767—M. & D. 7390.

M. F. W. 42—50M.—12-16.
H. Q. 1772-39-393.

LIST No	HOSPITAL	DATE OF ADMISSION	REMARKS
60	Moore Bks. Thornc.	23-12-16	Mental Stupor

No. 478983 RANK Pte NAME Welch M. J.

T. O. S. UNIT Royal Canadian Regiment

M. D. C

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
1916 July 25	1916 Aug 3	✓		
	Sept	✓		
	Oct n/last		Trans cancelled.	Do 247/16-10-16

No. 2328 RANK Pte NAME Welsh Morris T

T. O. S. 17-3-15
D.O 33 of 20-3-15 UNIT 72nd Regt. Seaforth Highlanders

M. D. 11

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
1915 Mar 17	1915 Mar 31	✓		
Apr		✓		
May		✓		
June		✓		
July		✓		
Aug		✓		
Sept		✓		
Oct		✓		
Nov		✓		
Dec		✓		
1916	1916	✓		
Jan		✓		
Feb		✓		
Mar 1	Mar 12	✓	Transfd to R.C.R. Esquimalt 12-3-16 — PF	D.O. 14 of 18-3-16

D.M.S. 1300.

Surname	Christian Name or Names	Reg. No.
Welsh	M. J.	478983

Rank	Unit	Co.	Troop	Batty.
Pte	R.C.R. Depot.			

Hospital — Date of Admission

Transferred Mons Barracks Hosp. 23-12-16.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Diagnosis Mental Stupor

(1)

Later Diagnosis (if changed)

(2)

(3)

Additional Diagnosis: if more than one state present

DISPOSITION — Date

60

C.L. 2-1-17

REMARKS

A.M.D. 2 DEPT.

Boh. of D.G.M.S. O.M.F.C. Londor.

EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

	Hospital	Adm.
1.		
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Army Form B. 103.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regimental Number 448983

Regiment or Corps R.C.R.C.E.F.

Rank Pte. Surname Welch Christian Name Maurice Irving.

Religion Roman Catholic. Age on Enlistment 30 years months.

Enlisted (a) 18.7.16 Terms of Service (a) D. of War Service reckons from (a) 18.7.16

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

Extended { } Re-engaged { } Qualification (b) Labourer.

or Corps Trade and Rate

Signature of Officer i/c Records.

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 ...	Halifax	4.10.16	H.M.S. Caledonia.
		Disembarked ...	Liverpool	13.10.16	
13.10.16	O.C.R.C.R.T. P.P.C.L.I. Depot	Taken on Strength	Caesar's Camp	13.10.16	B.O. pt II 145
1-1-17	O.C. P.P.C.L.I. Depot	transferred to 7th Reserve	Seaford	1-1-17	B.O. pt. II. 1
1-1-17	O.C. 7th Res. Bn	Taken on Strength	do	1-1-17	B.O. pt. II. 1
6-2-17	O.C. 7TH RESERVE BATTALION.	transferred to 26th Res Bn	do	7-2-17	B.O. pt II #33
		S Shelson			LIEUT. & ASST. ADJ. 7TH RESERVE BATTALION
22/3/17	O.C. 26th Res. Bn.	Taken on Strength.	Bramshott	10-2-17	D. O. PART II No. 67
28/6/17	26th Res Bn	Struck off Strength on Discharge to Canada	Bramshott	12/4/17	D.O. PART II No. 157
					R T Rawhell Lieut. I/c Records 26th Can. Res. Bn.

(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.

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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
[illegible]e	From whom received				

CANADIAN OVERSEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCES

Discharge Certificate

This is to Certify that No. 478983. (Rank) Private.

(Name in Full) Welsh. Maurice, Ervine, enlisted in Royal Canadian Regiment. trans 20th Res Battalion Canadian Overseas Expeditionary Force, on the Eighteenth of July 1916, and accompanied said unit to England. was returned to Canada, and discharged from the service at Quebec P.Q. on the Eleventh of June 1917, in consequence of being medically unfit for further service.

DESCRIPTION ON DISCHARGE

Age	31 years.	Marks or Scars	4 Vaccination marks left arm.
Height	5 feet 9 inches.		
Complexion	Dark.		
Eyes	Hazel.		
Hair	Black.		
Trade	Labourer.		

Signature of Man

Officer in charge Discharge Depot.

Place and Date Ottawa June 14th 1917.

SHOULD THIS DISCHARGE CERTIFICATE BE LOST, NO DUPLICATE OF IT CAN BE OBTAINED.

N. B.—Any person finding this Certificate is requested to forward it in an unstamped envelope to The Secretary, Militia Council, Ottawa, Canada.

M. F. W. 39
200m.-5-15.
H.Q. 1772-39-882.

149's 649-84-9180-

CANADIAN OVERSEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCES

Discharge Certificate

No. 474983

Rank Private

Name Welsh Maurice, Erskine,

Unit Royal Canadian Regiment.

Address on Discharge 611 Brantford St,
New Westminster,
British Columbia,
Canada.

His conduct and character while in the Service have been : Good.

Place Ottawa Canada.

Date June 14th 1917 Commanding

Campaigns European War.

Medals and Decorations

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CHS

Rank Name WELSH Maurice Irving ✓ Reg'l No. 478983 ✓

Unit Reinforcements R.C.R. If in perm. Corps, What Unit? Married or Single Single ✓

Place and Date of Enlistment Victoria, B.C. July. 18th. 1916 ✓ Place of Birth Wingham, Ontario. ✓

Name and Address, Next-of-Kin Mrs. John Welsh ✓

611 Brantford St. New Westminster, B.C. Canada ✓ Relationship Mother ✓

Assigned Pay Monthly $ Payable to

Relationship

Separation Allowance $ Payable to

Relationship

N/E. R.B. No. 2049
File R.L.
Category M.U. San

Discharge, Date and Place Reason Character

H. W. & V., Ld.—7165-16.

Report. Date.	Report. From whom received.	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.
		Arrived in England S.S. Californian		13-10-16	
14-10-16	RCR ✓ PPCLI Dep.	Taken on strength	S. cliffe	13-10-16	P.R. II Do. 145
2-1-17	"	Adm. to Moore Bks Hosp	"	23-12-16	Do " 31 + P.R. Do. 67 C.L. 60. Mental Stupor
4 1 17	7th Res Bn RCR & PPCLI Depot	now 7th. Res Bn Seaford 1.1.17 D,O 4			
7-2-17	7th Res Bn.	S.O.S. TO. 26th Res Bn	Seaford	7-2-17	P.R. II Do. 33
22-3-17	26th Res	T.O.S. 26th Res from 7 Res	Bramshott	7.2.17	P.R. O. 67
28.6.17	26th Res	S.O.S. on being desch in Canada	Bstott	12.4.17	P.R. D O 51
14.4.17	N.S.R.D.	T.O.S. from 26th Res on Com. L.D.	"	12.4.17	P.R. II O 36
18.5.17	-	S.O.S. to Canada for Discharge	-	18.5.17	P.R. II O 70

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.				
					611 Brantford St
	Dis Disp.	Finally Discharged.	Quebec	11. 6. 17	MR 285. New Westminster.

Office of the A.D.M.S., Canadians, Shorncliffe,
19 Westbourne Gardens,
FOLKESTONE.

January 22nd. 1917.

To:- Officer i/c Records,
Canadian Record Office,
LONDON.

Name Welsh, Maurice,

No. 478983 Rank Pte.

Unit R.C.R.

The above noted appeared before a Medical Board on January 19th. 1917 and the following entry has been made on the Medical History Sheet of this man.

Board recommends:- Discharge.
Signed, W. Bethune, Captain, President T.M.B.

January 20th. Approved.
Signed, S.L. Walker, Captain, for A.D.M.S. Canadians, Shorncliffe.

Further entries are also contained in this Sheet which are herewith copied.

Moore Barracks Canadian Hospital, Shorncliffe. December 22nd 1916.
Mental Stupor. Patient is dull very slow and in comprehending questions, childish in his actions, decorates himself with flags. Urine and Wasserman negative.
Signed, F.L. Neely, Captain, C.A.M.C.

I hereby certify that the entries as above noted are true copies.

S Walker

Captain C.A.M.C.,
for A.D.M.S., Canadins,
Shorncliffe.

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.

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(1) Name of Overseas Unit which Soldier joins ..... R.C.R., C.E.F. .....

(2) Regimental Number ..... 478983 .....

(3) Full Name of Soldier ..... Maurice Irvin Welch .....

(4) Place of Birth ..... Wingham, Ont. .....

(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 .....

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(SEE OTHER SIDE.)

(9) Is your Father alive ?.....No.....

If so, state name and address .....

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

If so, state name and address.....Sarah Ann Welsh

611 Brantford St., New Westminster, B.C.

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

Are you her sole support, or not ?.....Yes.....

(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.

One Half of monthly wages.

(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.

Yes.

(15) Are you insured ?.....Yes.....

If so, in what Company ?...Prudential Life Insurance Co.

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

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

H. Guinness ..... Lt. Colonel.
Commanding Reg't'l Depot R. C. R.
Officer Commanding.

Date SEP 30 1916

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MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET

Surname Welsh Christian Name Maurice Irving

Examined { on 18th day of July 1916 / at Esquimalt B.C.

Birthplace { City or Town Wingham, Ontario / County Canada

Apparent age 30.

Trade or occupation Labourer

Height 5 feet 10½ Inches

Weight 154 lbs.

Chest measurement { Minimum 33 inches / Maximum expansion 36 inches

Physical development Fair

Small-pox Marks None

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right Left one / Number

When Vaccinated last 1 12 years ago

(a) Marks indicating congential peculiarities or previous disease /

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection /

Approved by A. C. Duclos

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

Date	Fit or Unfit	Examined for Re-Engagement	
			M.O.
			M.O.
			M.O.
			M.O.
			M.O.
			M.O.
			M.O.
			M.O.

Date	Result	Vaccinations	
24/10/16		D. C. Malcolm, Capt	M.O.
			M.O.
			M.O.

Date	Result	Anti-Typhoid Inoculations, Etc.	
TAB 2	14.10.16	Jas Kinmond Capt.	
	24/10/16	D. C. Malcolm Capt	M.O.
			M.O.
			M.O.

Enlisted on day of JUL 18 1916 191 at ESQUIMALT B.C.

	Corps	Regt'l Number	Habits	Date
Joined on enlistment				
Transferred to	TRANSFERRED TO BASE DEPOT R. C. R. HALIFAX, N. S.			JUL 18 1916

EXAMINED OR DISCHARGED BY A MEDICAL BOARD

Station	Date	Disease	Result
Moore Barracks	Jan 19 – 17	Mental Stupor	Discharge
20 JAN 1917	approved		
APPROVED			
CAPT. C.A.M.C.		CAPT. FOR A.D.M.S. CANADIANS, SHORNCLIFFE.	

PRESIDENT, STANDING MEDICAL BOARD

for G.O.C. CANADIANS.

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

M. F. B. 313.
500M.—3-16.
H. Q. 1772-39-439.

Surname welch Christian Name Francis Irving

STATION	Date of Arrival at the Station	Dates of Admission into Hospital			Dates of Discharge from Hospital			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
		Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
Moore Barracks Hpl, Shorncliffe.	73390	22	12	16				Mental Stupor		Pt is dull very slow in comprehending questions childish in his actions decorates himself with flags. Urine + Wassermann neg	H. Reely Capt.

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Form to be used instead of blank space on Army Form 179

DEPT. MILITIA & DEFENCE
JUN 10 1917
H.Q. CANADA

Proceedings of Medical Board at Discharge Depot.

Number 478983 Rank Pte. Name and Corps of disabled soldier. Welsh Maurice Levine - 47th

Previous Civilian Occupation.
Laborer.

Cause of disability -
Mental deficiency - Congenital.

Condition in detail which prevent the soldier earning a Full livelihood:-
From childhood has been stupid. Slow to learn at school. Mother always had to care for his money. Backermann neg. Pr. cand. Slow thinker & talker. Movements slow. Has numerous photos of himself decorated & flags.
Mentally dull & harmless.
Heart & lungs - normal.
Opinion of the Board.

Degree of incapacity (Please state in fractions.)
25% not due to service.

Probable duration of incapacity:-
Permanent

Does it render him permanently unfit for Military Service?
Yes.

Would operation, special treatment or the use of appliances, etc., lessen incapacity? No.

Signature. R. L. Miller Capt. President.
W. Taylor Capt. Members.
J. Boughlin Lieut.

Station. Quebec

Date 25-5-17

Approved.

Date May 25/17 W. M. Carruthers Major
Assistant Director Medical Service.

Date 6/14/17 [signature]
Director General Medical Service.

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noted 6.17

Form to be used instead of blank space on Army Form 179

Proceedings of Medical Board at Discharge Depot.

Number Rank Name and Corps of discharged soldier.

Previous Civilian Occupation.

Cause of disability -

Condition in detail which prevent the soldier earning a full livelihood:-

Opinion of the Board.

Period for which placed in Category (Years and months.)

Probable duration of incapacity:-

Does it render him permanently unfit for Military Service?

Would operation, special treatment or the use of appliances, etc., lessen incapacity?

Signature. President.

Member.

Station.

Date

Approved.

Date

Assistant Director Medical Services.

Date

Deputy Director General Medical Services.

Sm-11-16.(M)

DUPLICATE.

MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.

Surname Welsh Christian Name Maurice Irving

Examined on 13th day of March 1916 at Esquimalt BC

Approved by J. H. Fowler Capt. C.A.M.C.

Birthplace City or Town Ontario County Canada.

Rank M.O.

Apparent age 30

Trade or occupation Labourer

Height 5 Feet 10½ Inches.

Weight 154 Lbs.

Chest measurement Minimum 33 inches. Maximum expansion 36 inches.

Physical development Fair

Small-Pox Marks None

Vaccination Marks Arm Right. — Left. One

Number One year ago

When Vaccinated last —

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease /

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection /

Date.	Fit or Unfit.	Examined for Re-engagement.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Date.	Result.	Vaccinations.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Date.	Result.	Anti-Typhoid Inoculations, Etc.
20/6/16 2	14/10/16	James Lemmon Capt. M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Enlisted on 13 day of March 1916 at Esquimalt B. C

	Corps.	Regt'l Number.	Habits.	Date.
Joined on enlistment	R. C. R.	15212		
Transferred to	TRANSFERRED TO BASE DEPOT R. C. R. HALIFAX, N. S.			JUL 18 1916

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.

M. F. B. 313.
400M.—1-16.
H. Q. 1772-39-439.

Surname Welch Christian Name Maurice Irving

STATION.	Date of Arrival at the Station.	DATES OF Admission into Hospital. Day	Month	Year	DATES OF Discharge from Hospital. Day	Month	Year	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.
Esquimalt	B. 3. 16							No admissions		A. E. Underhill Captain C. A. M. C.	

POST DISCHARGE PAY OFFICE

Three months pay and allowances after discharge.

019087-M-1.

Name Welsh, Maurice, (Surname, Christian Name)

Regimental Number 478983 Rank Pte.

Unit R.C.R. C.C.A.C.

Original Unit

District where paid Ottawa

Date of Discharge 11. 6. 17.

P. D. P. Filing Number 3W6.

Address (in full) Supts. Office
Brunett Saw Mills,
Sapperton,
New Westminster, B.C.

Rates:—Regimental pay $ 1.00 per diem: Field Allowance $ .10 per diem. Separation Allowance $ per month.

L. L. 22573—M. & D. 8009.

Total Credits 91 days	FIRST PAYMENT			SECOND PAYMENT			FINAL PAYMENT			Balance Over-payments to be Recovered	Total Amount Paid
	Cheque No. A	Date	Amount 30 days	Cheque No. B	Date	Amount 30 days	Cheque No. C	Date	Amount 31 days		
100 10	1348	23/7/17	33 00	1326	23/8/17	33 00	1466	24/9/17	34 10		100 10

M. F. W. 127.
60M—6 17.
1772-39-1140.

Remarks:

File No. 019087-M-4. VR

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

Register No. W-1911.

Dr. 12th Inf. M.D. 93.

Reg. No. 478983. Pte.

Name Welsh, Maurice L.

Address 109 Columbia St., East, Sapperton New Westminster, B.C.

Dependent

Address

Award ... days at $ ... per day $

S. A. ... months at $ ... per mo. $ ... $

Less P, D. P. Credited $ ... $

Pay Soldier $ 249.90

Less further debit balance

Net due paid as below

Pay Dependent $

RW 104 24 12/19

SOLDIER TO DEPT

O	Ac. No	Ch No	Amount
1			
2			

Jno. Graham
C. A. Sylvain
Clerk J. H. O'Reilly

Days 153 Rate 70. Due 350.00

Less P.D.P. credited 100.10

Less further Dr. Bal. or overpayment.

Net $ 249.90

Date	Ck. Order	Ck. No.	Amount	Remarks.	Date	Ck. Order	Ck. No.	Amount.
17/12-19	49306	545442	249 90	19 12/19	1			
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3					3			
4					4			
5					5			
6					6			

495-D.P.-100M-6-19 (10248).

GEN'L AUDITOR
Posting checked by M. V.
Date 19.12.19

R. Cowes 22/12/19

M. F. W. 41
1 0M—7-16
1772-39 889.

Name Welsh M. J. Pte

Regimental No. 478983

Unit P.P.C.L.I.

Date of enlistment

Place of " S.A. Tie

Married (yes or no) No

Amount of pay assigned monthly $ 15.00 from 1 10/16 to 30 4/17

To whom payable Mrs Sarah M. Welsh
611 Brantford Street
New Westminster B.C.

~~Name and~~ address of ~~next of kin~~ M J Welsh
611 Brantford Street
New Westminster B.C.

Medically unfit Dec. 25-5-17.

Date and place discharged

Reason for discharge

Character on discharge Class 1

Form 5351—M. & D. 6880.

Date		PAY			Field Allowance			Other Credits	Total Credits	Voucher		Cash Payments	Assigned Pay	Other Charges	Total Debits	Remarks, Casualties, etc.
From	To	No. of Days	Rate	Amount	No. of Days	Rate	Amount			No.	Date					
	16 4/17							45 63 Subs								Eng L. PC
17 4/17	11 6/17	56	1.00	56 00	56	a 10	5 60	900	116 23					† 116 23	116 23	* D D Quebec

EAP 30 4/17

M. F. W 41
1 0M—7-16
1772-39 889.

Name.....

Regimental No.

Unit

Date of enlistment

Place of "

Married (yes or no)

Amount of pay assigned monthly $

To whom payable

Name and address of next-of-kin

Date and place discharged

Reason for discharge

Character on discharge

Date		PAY			Field Allowance			Other Credits	Total Credits	Voucher		Cash Payments	Assigned Pay	Other Charges	Total Debits	Remarks, Casualties, etc.
From	To	No. of Days	Rate	Amount	No. of Days	Rate	Amount			No.	Date					

L.L. Job 5470—M. & D. 6888

MILITIA AND DEFENCE

ASSIGNED PAY

OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

M. F. W. 12
50m.—7-16
H. Q. 1772-39-316

To Whom Mrs Sarah M. Welsh Mother

Address 611 Brantford St New Westminster B. C.

By Whom Assigned Welsh M. L.

Regtl. No. 478983

Rank ~~Ste~~

Corps R. C. R. "L"

Rate $1/5.00 xx

OCT 1 1916

PAYMENTS

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.	REMARKS
Aug.	1914			Stop payments May 1st 1917 Discharged to Canada. 3/17. 16/4/17 B.R. 17/5/17
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1915			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1916			
Feb.				
March				

MILITIA AND DEFENCE

ASSIGNED PAY

OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

PAYMENTS.

M. F. W. 12a.
50m.—6-16.
1772—39—819.

Sheet No. 2. Mrs Sarah M. Welsh Mother Name of Soldier Welsh M.J.

#478983 Cte R.C.R. "L"

L. L. Job 4503.—Req. 6832.

OCT 1 1916

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt. $15.00	Remarks.
April	1916			
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.		U28380	15	
Nov.		C 30492	15	
Dec.		Z 34878	15	
Jan.	1917	F 4 1218	15	
Feb.		G 48071	15	
March		955865	15	
April		K 5424	15	
May		~~K 11957~~	~~15~~	K 11957 Cancelled & closed per 3M, May 1st 1917
June				
July				Retd Troopship 2/5/17 FX
Aug.				~~A.P.D. 2/5/17~~
Sept.				P.N.P. 12/4/17
Oct.				
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				
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Dec.				
Jan.	1920			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				

15/4/17

This space to be left blank for the Chelsea Number.

Army Form B. 268.

Proceedings on Discharge.

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

No. 478983 Army Rank Private

Name Welsh, Maurice Ervine,
(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)

Corps C. C. R. 20th Res. Bn

Battalion, Battery, Company, Depôt, &c.
(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.)

Date of discharge 11/6/17

Place of discharge Quebec

1. *Description at the time of discharge.*

Age 31 years — months
Height 5' feet 9 inches
Chest measurement { girth when fully expanded ins. / range of expansion ins.
Complexion Dark
Eyes Hazel
Hair Black
Trade Labourer
Intended place of residence (To be given as fully as practicable)

Descriptive marks.

4. Vacc. Marks
Lt. Arm

(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.)

2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of

Para. 392, Sec. 16, K. R. & O. 1912.
Being no longer physically fit for war service.

(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.)

To be filled in on the soldier quitting the Colours.

3. Military character :— Documents not available

4. Character awarded in accordance with King's Regulations :—

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.

Lieut.-Col.
Commanding Canadian Discharge Depot.

Initials of Commanding Officer.

Army Form B. 2088 has been issued to*

* Strike out if not applicable.

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D. D. & L., London, E.C.
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W.S.G. Camp.
8R 17-11-19

Mailed 4.6.17 R.S.

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?

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

6. Campaigns, Medals and Decorations — Local

Certificate of education .....

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

(Place) CANADIAN DISCHARGE DEPOT

(Date) 23 APR. 1917 BUXTON

Lieut. Col.
Commanding Canadian Discharge Depot.
Commanding _____ Battn. _____ Regiment.

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) DISCHARGE DEPOT MAY 27 1917 QUEBEC

(Date) _____

M. J. Welsh (*Signature of Soldier.*)

Cuthbert, (*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 " " _____ (the date of confirmation of discharge) ... ... _____ " _____ "

Total ... _____ " _____ "

11. *Confirmation of discharge.*

The discharge of the above-named man is hereby confirmed for 11 6. 17 (date)

(Place) DISCHARGE DEPOT MAY 28 1917 QUEBEC

(Date) _____

Signature F. O'Marnock Lt.-Col
Comd'g. Discharge Depot Quebec.

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.)

None Private M J Welsh

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.

From the O.C. Discharge Depot, Quebec, to the Secretary, Militia Council, Ottawa.

MEDICAL BOARD.

Referring to the marginally named, I have the honour to forward herewith the proceeding of a Medical Board held on 25.5.17
It is noted that this man is being discharged as Medically Unfit Class 1.
His pay is being adjusted to

Class 2 to
Class 1

Report No. 1607 | Class I

No. of M. H. C. File	No. of Local File	No. of H. Q. File

DEPT. MILITARY SERVICE
JUN 10 1917
H.Q.
CANADA

Welsh Maurice L.
611 Brantford St.
New Westminster B.C.

J

No. 478983 Rank Pte. Original Unit 47th Present Unit R.C.R. Depot

Age 31 Height 5 ft. 9 ins. Complexion Dark Eyes Hazel Hair Black Character N.R.

Date of enlistment 10-3-16 Where enlisted Victoria, B.C. Where seen service England

Ship returned by OLYMPIC Date of arrival MAY 21 1917 Port of arrival HALIFAX

Birthplace Canada Religion Pres.

Name and address next of kin Mother above address

Cause of disability Mental deficiency congenital.

Condition which prevents the soldier from earning a full livelihood

None compared with capacity on enlistment.

Degree of incapacity (Please state in fractions) Eng. Board Canadian Board 25% not due to service.

Probable duration of incapacity Permanent.

Is final disability likely to prevent return to previous occupation?

Recommendation of Canadian Board

Destination to which transportation issued New Westminister, B.C.

Members of Board

CLASS 3.—Men having a permanent disability which would not be benefitted by further medical treatment (such disability due to or aggravated by service) and whose cases will immediately be considered by the Pensions Board with a view to pension.

CLASS 2.—Men whose condition may be benefitted by further medical treatment or rest in a Convalescent Home, Hospital or Sanatorium. If deemed advisable, in some cases the medical officer in charge of the Convalescent Home, Hospital or Sanatorium may grant these men leave to return to their own homes and families for a definite period.

INFORMATION TO BE FURNISHED BY SOLDIER

DEPENDENTS	NAME	AGE	WHERE—IF EMPLOYED	WAGES	STATE OF HEALTH
Wife					
Children 1	Mother	60	—	—	Good
2					
3					
4					
5					

Occupation prior to enlistment Labourer

Regular trade or profession

Average earnings previous to enlistment $3.00 per day Any other income

Name and address of last employer City of New Westminster

Rent per month — If purchasing property amount due and annual payment, $ $

Taxes — If Homestead, when is patent due?

If carrying life or accident insurance, annual premium 13 p.a.

If in receipt of sick benefits or other insurance—name of society Prudential Life Amt. per mo. $

If unable to follow previous occupation, name preference

At what age soldier left school? What grade, standard, &c., was he in?

Has he taken any Technical or Continuation classes, if so what?

Whether given Vocational Training while in Hospital in England. If so, what subjects?

References Sgt. Smith.

Witness Mc Laughlin

Date QUEBEC 25/5/17

I declare that the above statement is correct.

Signature Maurice Irvine Welsh

Recommendation by Interviewer as to classes likely to be of use, and general remarks:

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CLASS 1.—Men for immediate discharge without a pension
(a) Unfit for overseas service but capable to take up their previous civilian occupation.
(b) Disability not the result of service or involving claim as the result of or aggravation by service.

Last Pay Cert. Cr., $ Dr., $ Amount paid at Depot H. Q., $ L. P. C. leaving Depot, $

Amount forwarded to H. Q. Unit, $ Credit Clothing allowances, $

Transf'd to Unit—Date Transf'd Class 1—Date Transf'd Class 3—Date

PENSION—Class..... Amount per year, $..... Period granted for..... Dating from.....

First payment date.....

Form No. 5c.

Report No. C..... Class .....

No. ..... Rank ..... Original Unit ..... Present Unit .....

Age ..... Height ..... ins. Complexion ..... Eyes ..... Hair ..... Character .....

Date of enlistment ..... Where enlisted ..... Where seen arriving .....

Ship returned by ..... Date of arrival ..... Port of arrival .....

Birthplace ..... Religion .....

Name and address next of kin .....

Cause of disability .....

Condition which prevents the soldier from earning a full livelihood .....

Degree of incapacity (Please state in fractions) Eng. Board ..... Canadian Board .....

Probable duration of incapacity .....

Is final disability likely to prevent return to previous occupation? .....

Recommendation of Canadian Board .....

Destination to which transportation issued .....

Members of Board .....

INFORMATION TO BE FURNISHED BY SOLDIER

DEPENDENTS	NAME	AGE	WHERE EMPLOYED	WAGES	STATE OF HEALTH
Wife					
Children 1					
2					
3					
4					
5					

Occupation prior to enlistment .....

Regular trade or profession .....

Average earnings previous to enlistment ..... Any other income .....

Name and address of last employer .....

Rent per month ..... If purchasing property amount due and annual payment, $ .....

Taxes ..... If Homestead, when is patent due? .....

If carrying life or accident insurance, annual premium .....

If in receipt of sick benefits or other insurance—name of society ..... Amt. per mo. $ .....

If unable to follow previous occupation, name of returns .....

At what age did soldier last attend? ..... What grade, standard, &c., was he in? .....

If [illegible] Trade, Technical or Continuation classes, if so what? .....

Where given Vocational Training while in Hospital in England. If so, what subjects? .....

Remarks .....

I declare that the above statement is correct.

Signature .....

Recommendation by Interviewer as to classes likely to be of most and general benefit:

Last Pay Cert. C..... $ ..... Amount paid at Depot M. O. ..... A. P. C. Casting Depot $ .....

Amount forwarded to H. Q. Unit $ ..... Credit Clothing allowances $ .....

Trained in ..... Date—Date ..... Trained Class I—Date ..... Trained Class 2—Date .....

PENSION—Class ..... Amount per year $ ..... Period granted for ..... Dating from .....

Time previous date .....

Form No. S.....

Pte. [illegible]

No. 478983

Moore Barracks Canadiam Hospital
Shormcliffe

8/12/17

I hereby certify that I have this date examined the marginally named Soldier, and found him free from Infectious, Comtagious, Venereal and Skin Diseases and also free ffrom Vermin

R. [illegible]

CAPT. C.A.M.C

Mc-1-7572

Canadian Discharge Depot
Empire Hotel, Buxton.

11 MAY 1917 1917.

No. 47.8783

Name Welch W.L.

I hereby certify that the marginally noted man was examined by me on the above date, and was not suffering from any skin, contagious, infectious or venereal diseases, and that he is fit to travel.

Capt. C.A.M.C.
Canadian Discharge Depot.

134812

Army Form B. 179.
Canada.

Medical Report on an Invalid.

N.E.

Station Moore Barracks Canadian Hosp.

Date Jan 15/17

649-25-9180

1. Unit. R 6R.
2. Regimental No. 478983
3. Rank Pte
4. Name Welch Maurice
5. Age last birthday 31
6. Enlisted { on Mar 10/16 / at Victoria
7. Former Trade or Occupation { Laborer

8. Disability.

~~Mental Stupor~~
Mental Deficiency

Ok F.H. Keely Capt

Statement of Case.

Note.—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Officer in medical charge of the case. In answering them he will carefully discriminate between the man's unsupported statements and evidence recorded in his military and medical documents. He will also carefully distinguish cases entirely due to venereal disease.

9. Date of origin of disability. Childhood

10. Place of origin of disability. Canada

11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case. Pte. states he was very slow to learn at school. All his life his mother has taken care of his money. All his life people have made fun of him. He enlisted Mar 10/16 at Victoria came to Eng Oct 1916 sent here (M Bett.) 22/12/16. Before coming to England he was under observation in medical wards in Halifax.

12. (*a*) Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability. Mentally deficient from childhood

(*b*) If you consider it to have been caused by wounds received or illness contracted (1) in the presence of the enemy (2) on active service, explain the specific conditions to which you attribute it. (*See notes on page 3*).

1 no

2 no.

13. What is his present condition?

Weight should be given in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.

No physical illness urine neg wasserman neg.

Mentally Very dull, replies to questions very slowly. slight speech defect. Judgement very poor has never saved anymoney. His Mother has always kept it. His movements are very slow, Emotional tone is lowered does not worry. Has numerous pictures of himself with many flags for decorations very proud of them. He is evidently mentally deficient

14. If the disability is an injury, was caused

Not applicable

(*a*) In the presence of the enemy?

(*b*) On active service?

(*c*) On duty?

(*d*) Off duty?

15. Was a Court of Inquiry held on the injury?

Not applicable

If so—(*a*) When?

(*b*) Where?

(*c*) Opinion?

16. Was an operation performed? If so, what?

Not applicable

17. If not, was an operation advised and declined?

Not applicable

18. *In case of loss or decay of teeth.* Is the loss of teeth the result of wounds, injury or disease, directly* attributable to active service?

Not applicable

19. Do you recommend

(*a*) Fit for duty? —

(*b*) Fit for base duty? —

(*c*) Invalided to Canada? —

(*d*) Discharge as permanently unfit? yes

F. L. Neely Capt Can A.M.C.

Officer in medical charge of case.

I have satisfied myself of the general accuracy of this report, and concur therewith, except†

Station _____

Date _____

ORDERLY ROOM MOORE BARRACKS CANADIAN JAN 18 1917

William A. Scott

Officer in charge of Hospital.

COLONEL C.A.M.C.
OFFICER i/c MOORE BARRACKS,
CANADIAN MILITARY HOSPITAL, BRIDGEWATER,

* Loss of teeth on, or immediately after, active service, should be attributed thereto, unless there is evidence that it is due to some other cause.

† Delete this word if no exceptions are to be made.

Opinion of the Medical Board.

NOTES.—(i.) Clear and decisive answers to the following questions are to be carefully filled in by the Board, as it is essential that the Members of the Pensions and Claims Board should be in possession of the most reliable information to **enable them to decide upon the man's claim to pension.**

(ii.) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," &c., should be avoided.

(iii.) The rates of pensions vary according to whether the disability is attributed to wounds or injuries received or illness contracted (1) in the presence of the enemy, (2) on active service. It is therefore essential when assigning the cause of the disability to differentiate between them (*see* Articles 641 to 648 of the Canadian Pay and Allowance Regulations).

(iv.) In answering question 20 the Board should be careful to discriminate between disease resulting from military conditions and disease to which the soldier would have been equally liable in civil life.

20. (*a*) State whether the disability is the result of injuries received or illness contracted, (1) in the presence of the enemy, (2) on active service.

(1) No
(2) No.

(*b*) If due to one of these causes, to what specific conditions do the Board attribute it?

not applicable.

21. Has the disability been caused or aggravated by

(*a*) Intemperance? no

(*b*) Misconduct? no

22. Is the disability permanent? yes.

23. If not permanent, what is its probable minimum duration?

not applicable.

To be stated in months.

24. To what extent is his capacity for earning a full livelihood in the general labour market lessened at present?

none compared with capacity on enlistment

In defining the extent of his inability to earn a livelihood, estimate it at $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{3}{4}$, or total incapacity.

25. If an operation was advised and declined, was the refusal unreasonable?

not applicable.

26. Do the Board recommend

(*a*) Fit for duty? ——

(*b*) Fit for base duty? ——

(*c*) Invalided to Canada? ——

(*d*) Discharge as permanently unfit? yes.

27. Remarks.

APPROVED
Thos Morrison
CAPT. C.A.M.C.
for G.O.C. CANADIANS.

Signatures:—

W. Bethune Lieut. President.

Station Moore Barracks — E L Pope Capt C A M C — Members.

Date Jan 19-17

Approved.

Station Shorncliffe — W. Bethune Lieut. Administrative Medical Officer.

Date Jan 22-17

CAPT.
FOR A.D.M.S. CANADIANS, SHORNCLIFFE.

PENSIONS AND CLAIMS BOARD, Canadian Expeditionary Force, assembled at Prior Park, Bath, England, on the _____ day of _____ 191

Members of Board.

Proceedings.

The Board having considered the evidence of the man marginally noted, and the documents submitted, hereto attached, which form part of these Presents, marked

Signed at Prior Park, Bath, this _____ *day of* _____, 191 .

_____ *President.*