ATTESTATION PAPER

No. 418903

Folio. 119

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS)

1. What is your name? — Thomas Coombes.
2. In what Town, Township, or Parish, and in what Country were you born? — Montreal P. Q.
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin? — Mary Coombes (Mother)
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin? — 196 Fullum Street, Montreal
5. What is the date of your birth? — 21st Sept 1894.
6. What is your trade or calling? — Plumber.
7. Are you married? — No.
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? — 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. — No.
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

— Thomas Coombes (Signature of Man.)

Thomas A Jack (Signature of Witness.)

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Thomas Coombes, do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions 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.

— Thomas Coombes (Signature of Recruit.)

Date 18th May 1915 Thomas A Jack. (Signature of Witness.)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Thomas Coombes, 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.

— Thomas Coombes (Signature of Recruit.)

Date Monday 18th 1915, Thomas A Jack. (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 MONTREAL this 20 day of May 1915.

Cynthia M Lennan (Signature of Justice.)

I certify that the above is a true copy of the Attestation of the above-named Recruit.

R. O. Chantler (Approving Officer.)

M. F. W. 23.
200 M.—3-15.
M.Q. 1772-39-241.

DESCRIPTION OF Thomas Coombes ON ENLISTMENT.

Apparent Age 20 years 8 months.
(To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)

Height		5 ft. 5 ins.
Chest measurement	Girth when fully expanded	34 ins.
	Range of expansion	3 ins.

Complexion Fair

Eyes Brown

Hair Lt Brown

Religious Denominations

- Church of England
- Presbyterian
- Methodist
- Baptist or Congregationalist
- Other Protestants (Denomination to be stated.)
- Roman Catholic ✓
- Jewish

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.)

2 Vac marks. (left)

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 May 1915

Place MONTREAL

a a Mackay
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

Thomas Coombes 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.

(Signature of Officer.)

Date 191 .

...ings ...rt of Inquiry or on men reported Missing on Active Service.....

Attestation Papers.....

Declaration of change of name.....

Authority for special enlistments.....

Documents of re-enlisted men.....

Regimental Conduct Sheet.....

Compulsory Stoppages.....

Casualty Forms.....

Proceedings on discharge.....

Corps History Sheet.....

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

Parchment Certificate.....

Medical Report for Invalids.....

Medical History Sheet.....

Proceedings of Regt. Court Martial.....

Copies of Convictions by Civil Power.....

Company Conduct Sheet.....

Clothing Transfer Certificate.....

Inventory of Kit.....

Last Pay Certificate.....

G.S. B122-1 long Will
G.S.B 178-2 "Legacy"
R. 149 — 1 a79. 1237—2
Form of Will 1 a79. 181 — 1
a79, 1202-1

M. F. W. 62.
100m.—6-17.
H. Q. 1772—39—935.

Mcas card — 1
Letter a79 2 — 2

~~DISCHARGE~~ DOCUMENTS

R. O. No.....

H. O. No.....

Name COOMBES. THOMAS.

Regt. No. 18903 Rank Pte.

Corps 42nd Bn. A.E.F.

Killed in Action 15.9.16

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14-28
14-28
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34277

418903 | COOMBES | THOMAS

I.D. number
No. d'identification

Surname
Nom de famille

Given names
Prénoms

K.I.A. 15.9.16

PERSONNEL RECORDS CENTRE
CENTRE DES DOCUMENTS DU PERSONNEL

OPEN ATIP.

Location
Lieu

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O.S.

CANADIAN CONVALESCENT HOSPITAL,

AT

Can. Conval. Hospital,
Bear Wood.

A. & D. CARD.

Regt. No. 418903 A. & D. No. 1347

Rank Pte. Corps 42nd Batt.

Name Coombes T. J. Age 22 Religion R. C.

Service at Home 6/12

,, ,, Front 7/12

Diagnosis G.S.W. Right Arm. March/16

Admitted 25 APR 1916 April 4/16.

Discharged C.C.A.C. July 17/5/16

Place in Hospital 230 Rd.

M. H. Rec'd (See Document card)

Transferred

Results wound healed & OK.

P.T.O.

REMARKS:

7/26/16. remaining J Hun A

5-1-16. [illegible] J Hun A

5/9/16. [illegible] J Hun A

CANADIAN CONVALESCENT HOSPITAL,

AT

Can. Convat. Hospital,
Bear Wood.

A. & D. CARD.

Regt. No. 418903. A. & D. No. 1344.

Rank Pte. Corps 4th Batt.

Name Coombes. T. J. Age 21 Religion R.C.

Service at Home 4/Inf

" " Front 7/11

Diagnosis G.S.W. Rt arm.

Admitted 25 APR 1916

Discharged 17 MAY 1916 to C.C.A.C. duty.

Place in Hospital 230 D

M. H. Rec'd

Transferred

Results

(See Document card)

P.T.O.

Taplor.

REMARKS: Wounded 27/3/16 at Ypres. To 9 F.A
— C.C.S — No 8 St. Bauloye 8 days — Taplor
4/4/16 — here. Wound healed. cannot
left weight yet, improved

Number 418903 Rank Pte

Surname COOMBES

Christian Name Thomas

Units 42nd Bn Can Inf Theatre of War France

Date of Service 9-10-15

Remarks (M) Mrs Mary Coombes

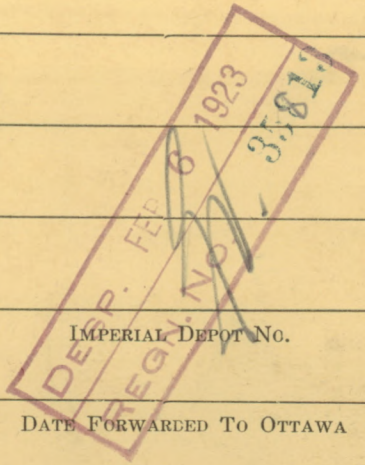
Latest Address 196 Fullum St, Montreal P.Q.

Roll No B. Page 19322

200m.-6-21.

GRATUITY (IMPERIAL)

CHRISTIAN NAME	SURNAME	REG. No.
SCHEDULE No.	LINE No.	
UNIT RETIRED OR DISCHARGED FROM		
PLACE OF RETIREMENT OR DISCHARGE		
DATE RECEIVED FROM OTTAWA	IMPERIAL DEPOT No.	
DATE RECEIVED FROM REG. DEPOT.	DATE FORWARDED TO OTTAWA	



868—D.P.—40M-1-12-19.

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CARD NO. D

SURNAME. Coombes.

CHRISTIAN NAMES Thomas.

REGL. No. 418903. RANK Pte

UNIT 42nd Bn.

FORMER CORPS

FOLL.

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAMES IN FULL Coombes, Mrs. Mary.

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER Mother.

ADDRESS 196 Fullum St, Montreal P.Q.

COUNTRY OF BIRTH Canada. Montreal P.Q. DATE Sept 21st 1894

PLACE OF ATTESTATION Montreal, P.Q. DATE May 20th 1915.

O/S 10-6-15 102/4

L. L. 6945. M. & D. 6994.

M. F. W. 22. 100M.—8-16. H. Q. 1772-39-339.

From Montreal Per S.S. "Hesperian" 10-6-15.

MARRIED SINGLE WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING RELIGION

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE YEARS MONTHS

HEIGHT FEET INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT INCHES EXPANSION INCHES

COMPLEXION EYES HAIR

DISTINGUISHING MARKS

MEDICAL EXAMINATION. PLACE DATE

Present Address —

REGT'L No 418903

H. Q. FILE No. 649-

NAME Coombes, Thomas

RANK AND CORPS Pte. 42nd Batt

FOLLOWS No. 1966x

FOLLOWS

CABLE No.	DATE	NATURE OF CASUALTY
M4846	3-4-16	Adm. to #8 Stat Hosp. Wimereux Mar. 26th Gunshot wound arm
O1826	30-9-16	Killed in action Sept. 15th 1916.
2090.	26-9-16 Rouen	" " "

L. L. Job 90581—M. & D. 6314.

M. F. W. 42—50M—1-16.
H. Q. 1772-39-893.

LIST No	HOSPITAL	DATE OF ADMISSION	REMARKS
a 124	No 8 Stat. Wimereux	23 6-3-16	G. S. W. (Right Arm.
B23	Douches. of C. C R6. Laplow	6-4-16	" " " " "
B33	Can. Conv. Bearwood Pk Wok.	26-4-16	" " " " "
B. 42.	Can. Conv. " " "	17-5-16.	(G. S. W. Right Arm).
A260.	Rep. from Base	15-9-16	Killed in action

R. 149.

Name Coombes, T. *Rank* Private. *Reg. No.* 418903.

Unit 42nd Battalion.

Next of Kin CANADA.

Date 1916.	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
			G.S.W.	A.	M.	
26-3.	No. 8. Stationary Hos.	Wimereux	R. Arm.	124	4846	10/4.
6-4-16.	Duch. of Con's. Red X.	Taplow.	Ditto.	B23.	——	
26-4.	Can. Con. Hos.	Bearwood P.K.	Wokingham.	Ditto.	B33	——
17.5.	Discharged.	——		Ditto.	B42.	

Date		Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.		W.O. List

R. 149.

Name Coombes Thomas *Rank* Pte *Reg. No.* 418903

Unit 42nd. Battalion

R.L.25-C-1846.

Next of Kin Canada

Date 1916	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
15-9	KILLED IN ACTION			A260	01826	30-9

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List

H.Q.

649-C-2276

COOMBES, Thomas 418903 Pte. 42nd Bn.

Eligible for star, Pte. H2 Bn.

Medals and Decorations — Mother — Mrs. Mary Coombes, 196 Fullum Street, Montreal, P. Q.

P. & S. (Serial no. 765678.) — Father — John Jos. Coombes, Address as above.

Memorial Cross — Mother — As above.

Desp. JUL 15 1920 (Sn.) JAN 5 2 1921

Scroll Desp. ____ Reqn. No. Z7857

Plague Desp. JAN 12 1922 Reqn. No. P24628

SL 6/7/20.

M

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D.M.S. 1908.

Surname	Christian Name or Names	Reg. No.
Coombes	J.	418903

Rank	Unit	Co.	Troop	Batty.
Pte	42nd Bn			

Hospital — Date of Admission

#8 Sta Wimereux 26.3.16

Transferred to H.C. Can Red Cross Taplow Hosp. 6.4.16

Conv Bearwood Wokingham Hosp. 26.4.16

Hosp.

Hosp.

Diagnosis G.S.W. Rt arm

(1)
Later Diagnosis (if changed)

(2)

(3)

Additional Diagnoses: If more than one state present

Killed in Action. 15-9-16

DISPOSITION — Date

Dis 17.5.16

REMARKS

Rep'd from Base.

C.L. 3.4.16. a/124
A. 11.4.16 ≠ B/23
" 3.5.16 B33
A. 19.5.16 ≠ B/42
C.L. 30-9-16 a260

A.M.D. 2 DEPT.
Boh. of D.G.M.S. O.M.F.C. London.

EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

	Hospital	Adm.
1.		
2.		
3.		
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7.		

CLINICAL CHART.

(To be attached to Case Sheet.)

Corps 42 Canadians — Military Hospital Tapton.

No. 418903 — Rank and Name Pte Coombes. — Age 22 — Service 11 mths

Disease ____ — Date of admission 4/[illegible]/16 — Date of discharge 25-4-16 — Result ____

Dates of Observation	April 5th	6																														
Days of Disease																																
Temperature Fahrenheit	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.	Time A.M. P.M.
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Motions per 24 hours																																

(1002.) W9043—1195. 499,500. 1/15. K. & K. Forms/B. 181/3.

Signature [illegible] In charge of case.

Forms
I. 1237
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Army Form I. 1237.

MEDICAL CASE SHEET.*

No. in Admission and Discharge Book.	Regimental No.	Rank.	Surname.	Christian Name.
	418903	Pte	Crombie	T. J.

Year	Unit.	Age.	Service.
1916	42nd Canadians.	22.	11 mths

Station and Date.

Disease G.S.W. - R. arm.

Turpelow April 8th.

On March 25/16 wounded at Ypres by shrapnel while on duty in trenches. Dressed at Battalion Dressing Station. Sent to Field Ambulance Dressing Station and then to No. 17 Clearing Station & No. 8 Stationary Hosp. Boulogne, remaining there ten days. Arrived Cliveden Apr. 5th.

Examination.

Find on the right arm two depressed wounds healed. Dry dressing.

H. Workforbhart Capt.

*The first and last entries will be signed, and transfers from one Medical Officer to another, attested by their signatures

(J 3521.) Wt. W 5606—2621. 2,000,000. 7/15. D & S.

P.T.O.

Station and Date.	

Forms
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Army Form I. 1237.

MEDICAL CASE SHEET.*

No. in Admission and Discharge Book.	Regimental No.	Rank.	Surname.	Christian Name.
1344	418903.	pte.	Coombes.	T. J.
Year: 25 APR 1916	Unit: 42 Bn.		Age: 22.	Service: 1/12.

Station and Date.
Can. Convat. Hospital, Bear Wood.

Disease G S W R arm.

~~Ad~~ on march 23.16 at Ypres. —
To. 9 F.A. - C C S. - Boulonge 8 days
- Taplow april 4.16 - Leeds.
Wound healed & O.K.
Discharged to C.A.C. Duty 17/5/16
H R Hay Capt

17-5-16

*The first and last entries will be signed, and transfers from one Medical Officer to another, attested by their signatures.

(J 3521.) Wt. W 5606—2621. 2,000,000. 7/15. D & S.

P.T.O.

Station and Date.	

Will

No 418703 Pte T J Coombes

DEP'T MILITIA & DEFENCE
MAY 30 1917
H.Q. 6 H.Q.C.-2276.
CANADA

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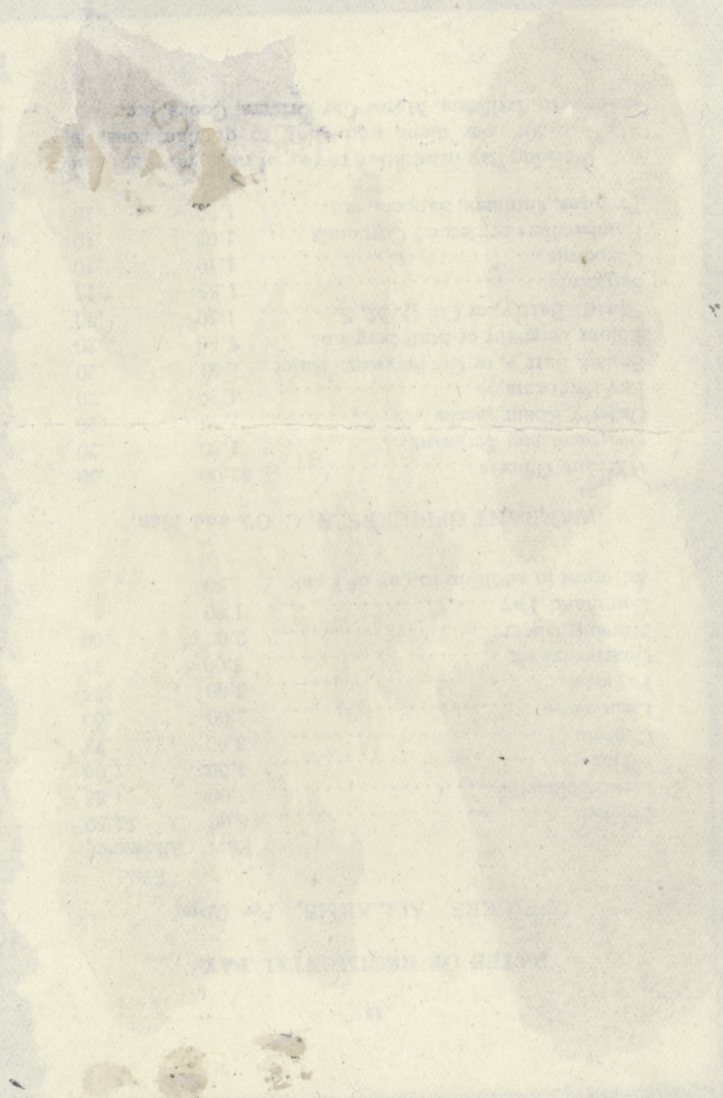
WILL

In the event of my Death I give the whole of my Property & Effects to my Mother Mrs Mary Coombes 196 Fullum St Montreal Que

Signed

418703 Coombes. T. J. Pte



MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.

Surname Coombes *Christian Name* Thomas

Examined { on 18th day of May 1915
at Montreal

Birthplace { City or Town Montreal
County Canada

Apparent age 20 Years 8 mos.

Trade or occupation Plumber

Height 5 Feet 5 Inches.

Weight 110 Lbs.

Chest measurement { Minimum 31 inches.
Maximum expansion 3 inches.

Physical development Fair

Small-Pox Marks No

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right. Left.
Number 2

When Vaccinated last 1896

(*a*) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease

No

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

No

Approved by

A A Mackay

Rank Capt. M.O.

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.
28/6/15		AAmackay Capt M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Date	Result	Anti-Typhoid Inoculations, Etc.
21/5/15		500 million AAmackay M.O.
31/5/15		1000 Do AAmackay M.O.
16/6/15		1000 Do AAmackay M.O.

Enlisted on 20th *day of* May 1915 *at* Montreal

	Corps.	Regt'l Number.	Habits.	Date.
Joined on enlistment	42nd Batt	A18903		20th May 15
Transferred to..		418903		

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.
50M—9-14.
H. Q. 1772-39-439.

Surname Coombs Christian Name Horace

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				

(9173)—Wt. W12165—2146.—1,250,000.—2-15.—C. & G. Forms B. 103/1.

CERTIFIED CORRECT.
Canadian Record Office,
Westminster House,
7, Millbank, S.W.

Army Form B. 103.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 42nd Battn C. E. F

Regimental No. 418903 ~~18903~~ Rank Pte Name Coombes Thomas ~~James~~

Enlisted (a) 20. 5. 15 Terms of Service (a) 1 year or termination Service reckons from (a) ~~20.~~ 18 5. 15

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

Extended ____ Re-engaged ____ Qualification (b) ____

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				
Oct 18/15.	C/c 42nd.		DISEMBARKED BOULOGNE 9 10 15		N.K
Dec 31/15.	C/c 42nd.	Pipe fitter	3rd Can. Division	29/12/15	B213—65 R.P.L. duty 13/1/16.—B213-76.
Mar 26/16	No 8 Sly.	L. W. arm R.	No 8 Sly	26/3/16.	W3034
April 4/16.	do.	To England	H.S.S. Cardiff.	4-4-16.	W3083. A36 Part II order No 16. d/4/4/16
June 31/16.	No 17 Can Bn.	Arm Gsw Thumb	No 1 A.T.	24/3/16.	W3034. A36-117.

Lieutenant
for Lt Col. A. A. G.

12 JUL 16 | 17th Bn. | Trans. to 42nd Bn. | OVERSEAS 12 JUL 1916 Part II order 195 d/12/7/16 | Whitefoord Reed Lieut 92nd Asst. Adjt. 17th 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) e.g., Signaller, Shoeing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

[P.T.O.

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				
O.C. C.B.D.		Landed in France. Taken on strength 42nd Cdn. Bn.	Nom. Roll d/ Pt II D.O. 29 d/	14/7/16 21/7/16	
— do. —		Left for Unit.	Nom. Roll	6/8/16.	
O.C. 42 Bn.		Arrived Unit for duty	B. 213 d/	18/8/16.	
21/9/16	O.C. 42nd	Killed in Action	Field	15/9/16	Confirmed. file 1-E.137/1253 D/24/9/16 P.D.O. 46 D/26/9/16.

J. Johnston Lieutenant
for Lt Col A. A. G.

Rank Pte Name COOMBES Thomas Reg'l No. 418903

Unit 42nd BN. If in perm. Corps, What Unit? Married or Single Single.

Place and Date of Enlistment Montreal.P.Q. 18th May.1915. Place of Birth Montreal.P.Q.

Name and Address, Next-of-Kin Mary Coombes, 196, Tullum Street, Montreal.

Relationship Mother

Assigned Pay Monthly $ Payable to

Relationship

Separation Allowance $ Payable to

Relationship

Discharge, Date and Place Reason Pte 25. c. 1846. 25.11.16 Character

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 England		19/6-15	
		Embarked for France.	Folkestone	9.10.15	
8-4-16	CLA124 42nd	No 8 Stat. Hospital	Wimereux	26.3.16	G.S.W. R arm.
11.4.16	CLB23. 42	Duch of Connaughts Red X	Taplow.	6.4.16	Do.
14/4/16	O.C. 42.	Transferred to 6.6.A.6	Folkestone	4/4/16	Pte II O 16. wounded.
19.5.16	do	Dischg'd from. Can. Conv Hosp	Wokingham.	14.5.16	C.L. B. 42. G.S.W. R arm.
3.5.16	do	Transfd. Can. Conv Hosp.	Wokingham.	26.4.16	C.L. B. 33 " "
17.5.16	CCAC	Taken on strength		17.5.16	Pte II O. 169.
18.5.16	CCAC.	S.O.S. on trans to 14th Batt	F'stone	14.5.16	Pte II O. 170
18.5.16	O.C. 17th	Taken on Strength 17th	E Sandling	17.5.16	" " 145

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				
31. 5. 16	OC. 17th	Joined after Instn	E. Sandling	31. 5. 16.	Pt II O # 156 A.F.P. 103 Ch. 3. & 2.
7, 7, 16	"	~~Trfd to 92nd Bn~~ Cancelled	"	7, 7, 16	Pt, II O, 1946, ~~195~~
12. 7. 16	"	~~Trans to~~ 42nd Bn	overseas	12. 7. 16	" " 195
21. 7. 16	OC 42nd.	Taken on strength.	Field	14. 7. 16	Pt II O 29.
26. 9. 16	OC. 42nd	Killed in Action	"	15. 9. 16	Pt II D.O. 48.
30. 9. 16	" "	Killed in Action	"	15. 9. 16	L & L A 260

Rank Pte Name COOMBS E Thomas Reg'l No. 18903

Unit 42nd BN. If in perm. Corps, What Unit? Married or Single Single.

Place and Date of Enlistment Montreal.P.Q. 18th May.1915. Place of Birth Montreal.P.Q.

Name and Address, Next-of-Kin Mary Coombs E, 196,Tullum Street, Montreal.

Relationship Mother

Assigned Pay Monthly ~~$10.00~~ 15.00 1/8/15 Payable to Mrs.M.Coombes, 196 Tullum St Montreal

Relationship

Separation Allowance $ Payable to

Relationship

Discharge, Date and Place 15.9.16 Reason Kind Character CLASS 60 - 30.9.16

42 - 10th 3/16
12/16

PAY OFFICE N. E. BRANCH OCT 20 1916 CANADIAN CONTINGENTS

Date From	Date To	PAY No. of Days	PAY Rate	PAY Amount	Field Allowance No. of Days	Field Allowance Rate	Field Allowance Amount	Other Credits	Total Credits	Voucher No.	Voucher Date	Cash Payments	Assigned pay	Other Charges	Total Debits	Balance	Remarks, Casualties, etc.
1915 July 1	July 31	31	1.00	31.00	31	10	3.10		34.10			24.33	10.00		34.33	.23	
Aug. 1	Aug. 31	31	1.	31.	31	10	3.10		34.10			29.19 XX	5.00		34.19 XX	.32	
Sept 1	Sept 30	30	1.	30.00	30	10	3.00		33.00			21.90	15.00		36.90	4.22	
Oct 1	Oct 31	31	1.00	31.00	31	10	3.10		34.10			5.23	15.00		29.25	9.65	
Nov. 1	Nov. 30	30	1.	30.	30	10	3.		33.			1.60	15.		26.60	16.05	
Dec 1	Dec 31	31	1.XX	31 -	31	10	3 10	10 ✓	44 10			27 85	15 -		42 85	17 30	Clothing allowance ✓
Jan 1	31	31	1.XX	31 -	31	10	3 10		34 10			7 84	15		22 84	28 56	
Feb 1	29	29	1.XX	29 -	29	10	2 90		31 90			5 23	15		20 23	40 23	
Mar 1	31	31	1.	31 -	31	10	3 10		34 10			2 62	15		17 62	56 71	Trans to G.O.A.B. 1/4/16 G.O. 16/16
		275		275	275		27 50	10	3,250			135 79	120 -		255 79		

Balance Transferred to New Ledger Sheet

Checked

BALANCE TRANSFERRED TO NEW LEDGER.

Cash found in effects

Sealed

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

MILITIA AND DEFENCE

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

M. F. W. 11a.
60m.—12-15.
1772—39—818.

Sheet No. 2.
L. L. Job 89002.—Req. 6213.

PAYMENTS.

Name of Soldier Coombes, Thomas Pte.

Mrs Mary Coombes Mother

Month	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.		Remarks.
			20	20	
April	1916	9577	20	20	Pension Granted 16/9/16
May		4.6267	20	20	B.K.C.L. 24-1-17
June		J 9093	20	20	auth Jan 21 8/17 to close 9/2 15/9/16
July		J 8139	20 -	20	& rcy. refund of overpayment
Aug.		L 12711	20	20	#
Sept.		K 15561	20	20	Overpayment 1/9 00 rcy 21/8/17 Braukin
Oct.		D 18204	20	20	
Nov.		J 21883	20	20	Killed in action 15/9/16 R.O. 2/12/16
Dec.		J 25325	20	20	
Jan.	1917	G 28496	20	20	
Feb.		G 31619	20	20	
March		G 34766	20	20	
April		H 583	20	20	
May		H 3722	20	20	=487
June		K 7112	20	20	507 D.B. J 9935 Cancelled
July		J 9935	20	20	
Aug.					Acct Suspended Pending further Enquiry — Tyld 3659-J1
Sept.					
Oct.					
Nov.					
Dec.					
Jan.	1918				
Feb.					
March					
April					
May					
June					
July					

Pensions Notified DATE .....

Killed in Action DATE 15-9-16

PENSION GRANTED 16-9-16

PER NO .....

ACCOUNT CLOSED

DATE ..... PER W

MILITIA AND DEFENCE

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

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.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1920			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				

Register No. 26.310.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY
TO
DEPENDENTS OF DECEASED SOLDIERS

A.P. File No. 36-5-9-T-1.

Regt'l No. 418903 Name Thomas Coombes
(Christian Name) (Surname)

Unit 42- Battn. Rank Pte. Date of enlistment

Date of casualty 15-9-16 B.P.C. File No. 865-0

Was service performed overseas ? Yes

DEPENDENT

Name ~~Mrs.~~ John Joseph Coombes Relationship ~~Mother~~ Father

Address 196 Williams St.
Montreal
P.Q.

Amount of Special Pension Bonus $ Nil Abstracted by (illegible) E. Mc. Ross

M.F.W. 2652
25M—6-20.
H.Q. 1772—30-1473

Eligible for Gratuity $ 180 00

Less amount of Special Pension Bonus paid $ —

Less Debit Balance of S. A. or A.P. $ 190 00

Total deductions $ 190 00

Balance due $ "Nil"

DG18

Cheque No. Date issued

REMARKS: Cr. Slip #224 for $180 00 to apply against Overpayment $190 00 SD issued to Acc Dr bal of 10 00 still outstanding

Clerk W. Mitchell

Audited by
Date 6/19/20

POST DISCHARGE PAY OFFICE

Three months pay and allowances after discharge.

Name

Surname Christian Name

Regimental Number Rank

Unit

Original Unit

District where paid

Date of Discharge

P. D. P. Filing Number

Address (in full)

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

L.L. 53961—M. & D. 9721

	Total Credits 91 days	FIRST PAYMENT			SECOND PAYMENT			FINAL PAYMENT			Balance Overpayments 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		

Remarks:

M. F. W. 127
300M-1-19
1772-39-1140

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OTTAWA, CANADA

2nd. Contingent

MILITIA AND DEFENCE

ASSIGNED PAY

OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

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To Whom Mary Coombes
Address 196 Fullum street
Montreal Que.

By Whom Assigned Coombes J.
Regtl. No. 418903 (Cas.)
Rank Pte.
Corps B. Coy. 42nd. Batt'n.
P. C. 148

Rate $15.00 Aug 1st
P.C.148.

PAYMENTS

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.	REMARKS
Aug.	1914			Casualties
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1915			
Feb.				
March				Killed in action Sept. 15/16. C.L.(3) 1/10/16. J.H.G.
Apl.				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.		K.24	15 --	
Sept.		V11224	15 00	
Oct.		W11494	15 00	
Nov.		Z2824	15 —	
Dec.		T6117	15 —	
Jan.	1916	K8841	15 —	
Feb.		L11390	15	
March		P15283	15	

20/3/15

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MILITIA AND DEFENCE

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

Name Coombes Wm Mary.

Address 196 Fullum St. Montreal.

Name of Soldier Coombes Thomas

Regtl. No. ~~A~~ 418903. 418903

Rank Pte

Corps 42nd

Relation to Soldier wife, child or mother } Mother

To what Corps belonging when called out }

PAYMENTS

42229 M. CO.

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.		REMARKS
Aug.	1914				
Sept.					
Oct.					
Nov.					
Dec.					
Jan.	1915				
Feb.					
March					
Apl.					
May					
June					
July		M 2794	47-	47	Mar 3/7/15.
Aug.		M6811	20	20	
Sept.		K 4872	20	20	
Oct.		M6327	20 —	20	
Nov.		F 18482	20	20	
Dec.		K 14040	20	20	
Jan.	1916	D 16506	20	20	
Feb.		G28136	20 —	20	
March		L 25104	20	20	707

CONSOLIDATED 4 ACCOUNT

ACCOUNT CLOSED

DATE..... PER.....

MILITIA AND DEFENCE

ASSIGNED PAY

OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

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M. F. W. 12a.
60m.—12-15.
1772—39—819.

Sheet No. 2.

L. L. Job 89002.—Req. 6213.

Mary Coombes

PAYMENTS.

Name of Soldier Coombes, T.
Pte. B. Coy. 42nd Bn.

$15.00

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
April	1916	O 2714	15	
May		P 3128	15	
June		Q 6740	15	
July		F 6127	15	
Aug.		I 13436	15	
Sept.		F 16905	15	
Oct.		~~I 21995~~	~~15~~	Account closed. Cas. $15 to pay. Spec Req. 9-11-16. Cancelled
		X 27181	15	also 3/11 Oct 4/16 L. & to Nov. 1-16 -
Nov.				Please issue cheque for above adjustment L
Dec.				
Jan.	1917			
Feb.				
March				
April				
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June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1918			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				

Casualties

Pension granted 16/9/16 DCH

F. X. Rend. Dec. Total Pay $225.00
E.F.X. " 8/6/17 = A.D.

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				
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June				
July				
Aug.				
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Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1920			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				

42nd Bat Quebec N.T.

AMB

418903

DUPLICATE

ARMY FORM B. 178.

To be used (*a*) for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army and (*b*) for men of the Territorial Force when they are admitted to Hospital. Army Form B. 178A to be used for Special Reserve recruits and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname COOMBES *Christian Name* T J

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish _____ County _____

Examined ... ... on _____ day of _____ 191
at _____

Declared Age ... ... _____ years _____ days.

Trade or occupation ... _____

Height ... ... _____ feet _____ inches.

Weight ... ... _____ lbs.

Chest Measurement — Girth when fully Expanded _____ inches.
Range of Expansion _____ inches.

Physical Development ... _____

Vaccination Marks — Arm ... Right _____ Left _____
Number ... _____

When Vaccinated ... _____

Vision ... ... R.E.—V= _____
L.E.—V= _____

(*a*) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease ... (*a*) _____

(*b*) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection ... ... (*b*) _____

Approved by (*Signature*) _____

(*Rank*) _____

Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... ... at _____
on _____ day of _____ 191 .

Joined on Enlistment ...	Corps.	Regtl. No.
	42nd Battalion, C.E.F.	418903
Transferred to		

Became non-effective by _____

This Medical History Sheet has been compared with the Corresponding Attestation Paper, and entries made in red have been taken from the Attestation Paper.

on _____ day of _____ 191 .

(*Signature*) _____

(*Rank*) _____

Lieut. Col.
In Charge of Records
Canadian Contingent.

(5506.) W. 14971/M. 89. 750M. 1/16. C.P.Ltd.

Forms B 178 39

P.T.O.

Table II.—Only for Admissions to Hospital or to the Sick

Name of Hospital	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number of days in Hospital	Rem
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year			
Duchess of Connaught, Can.Red X Hosp.Taplow	5	3	16	25	4	16	G.S.W. of right arm.		
Can.Conv. Hospital, Bear Wood, Wokingham.	25	4	16	17	5	16	G.S.W. Right arm.	22	

List in the case of Warrant Officers treated in quarters.

rks bearing on the cause, nature, or treatment of the case, likely to be of interest or of uture use. In cases of syphilis, admissions and re-admissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers, &c., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.	Signature of Medical Officer
Wound flesh. Healed on admission.	H.W. Lockhart. Capt.
Discharged to C.C.A.C. to duty, 17.5.1916.	H.R. Hay. Capt.

Table III.—Boards; Courts of Inquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, etc.; Examinations for Field or Foreign Service, Extension, Re-engagement, or Prolongation of Service; Issue of Surgical Appliances; Particulars of Dental Treatment, etc.

Date	Brief details, and signature
17.5.1916.	Folkestone. Fit for duty. G.L. Cockburn.Major. C.A.M.C.

Table IV.—Service Table.

Station or Troopship	Date of arrival or embarkation	Date of departure or disembarkation	Station or Troopship	Date of arrival or embarkation	Date of departure or disembarkation

MARRIED OR SINGLE S.

PLACE OF BIRTH Montreal.

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN Mrs M. Coombes.
196 Fullum St. Montreal.

RELATIONSHIP OF NEXT OF KIN Mother.

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

RELATIONSHIP OF NEXT OF KIN

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE MONTHLY $ EFFECTIVE (DATE)

PAYABLE TO

RELATIONSHIP OF DEPENDANT

CASUALTIES. PROMOTIONS, &c.

PARTICULARS	EFFECTIVE DATE	AUTHORITY
Killed in Action	15.9.16	C.R.A. 26 d 30.9

ADMISSIONS TO HOSPITAL, &c.

DATE ADMITTED	DATE DISCHARGED	V. OR A.	NAME OF HOSPITAL

DATE	PAY NO. OF DAYS	PAY RATE	PAY AMOUNT $	PAY AMOUNT c.	FIELD ALLOWANCE NO. OF DAYS	FIELD ALLOWANCE RATE	FIELD ALLOWANCE AMOUNT $	FIELD ALLOWANCE AMOUNT c.	WORKING OR SPECIAL PAY NO. OF DAYS	WORKING OR SPECIAL PAY RATE	WORKING OR SPECIAL PAY AMOUNT $	WORKING OR SPECIAL PAY AMOUNT c.	ASSIGNED PAY CREDITS	OTHER CREDITS	TOTAL CREDITS	ACQUITTANCE ROLLS 1 No	1 Date	2 No.	2 Date	3 No.	3 Date	4 No.
1916 March 31			2 75	-			27 50							10	31 250							
April 30	30	1	30	-	30	10	3	-						56 71	33							
May 31	31		31		31		3	10							34	10						
JUNE 1-5	5		5		5			50							5	50						
6 30	25		25		25		2	50							27	50	1		1253	26/5	1504	925/4
July 1-31	31		31		31		3	10							34	10	1305	30/6	1233 1320	31/5		
Aug 1-31	31		31	-	31		3	10							34	10			11 by	12/8/16		
Sept 1-15	15		15		15		1	50							16	00	1202	23/8	1247	6/9	831 Nothing 486 608	2/3 27/7
															94	30						

Checked J Mann

Checked J Newton

Checked Smiley

E.E. March 1917 -
April 1917.
Oct

	243	2 43

Cash found in effects A.R.

C
Brit 723 29/1 Bank

MOTIONS, &c.

Effective Date	Authority
15.9.16	C.R.A. 2160 d 30.9.16

HOSPITAL, &c.

NAME OF HOSPITAL

C1

REG'L NO. 418903 RANK Ste. NAME Coombes. Thomas. nov

IF IN PERMT. CORPS WHAT UNIT } UNIT ~~42~~ Battn.

PERMANENT FORCE ALLOWANCES

PLACE OF ATTESTATION Montreal P.Q

DATE OF ATTESTATION 18th May 1915

TRANSFERRED TO t.l.a.b. DATE 1st April 16 AUTHORITY B.O. 16/16

TRANSFERRED TO 17th Res Bn DATE 6/6/16 AUTHORITY D.O. 170 18/5

TRANSFERRED TO 42 nd Bn DATE 1/6/16 AUTHORITY B.O. 195 12/7

TRANSFERRED TO N.E. Bch DATE 16.9.16 AUTHORITY C.R.A. 2160 d 30.9.16

ASSIGNED PAY MONTHLY $ ~~1500~~ B.S. DATE EFFECTIVE 1st August 1915

PAYABLE TO Mrs M Coombes 196 Fullum St Montreal P.Q RELATIONSHIP

PAY OFFICE N.E. BRANCH OCT 20 1916 CANADIAN CONTINGENTS

ASSIGNED PAY MONTHLY $ DATE EFFECTIVE

PAYABLE TO RELATIONSHIP Killed in Action

STOP-PAYMENT FORM (ASSIGNED PAY) RENDERED (DATE) 2.10.16 EFFECTIVE 1.11.16 REASON 15.9.16 C.R.A. 2160 d 30.9.16

DISCHARGE DATE AND PLACE Field REASON AND AUTHORITY Killed in Action 15.9.16 C.R.A. 2160 d 30.9.16

ACCOUNT TRANSFERRED TO NON-EFFECTIVE BRANCH (DATE) 16.9.16

ACCOUNT TRANSFERRED TO OFFICERS' PAY BRANCH (DATE)

ACQUITTANCE ROLLS 2 No.	2 Date	3 No.	3 Date	4 No.	4 Date	CASH PAYMENTS 1	2	3	4	ASSIGNED PAY	OTHER CHARGES	TOTAL DEBITS	BALANCE CREDIT	BALANCE DEBIT	PAY WITHHELD OR DEFERRED	PAY AVAILABLE FOR ISSUE	REMARKS
										120 79	–	25 79	56 71				
										15		15 –	71 71				
Bde 723	29/1	Cash	25/5					24 4	14 60 2 33	15 –		56 37	52 44				
										15		15	42 94				
1283	26/5	504	225/4				24 33	24 4				26 77	43 67				
1233	31/5						19 47										
1320						12 17	4 86			15		51 50	26 27				
1167	12/8/16						2 62			15 –		17 62	42 75				
		831	Motor	22/5				24 3									
1247	6/9	4861	Bde	27/7		26 2	26 2	24 3		15 –		27 05	32 22				
										15 –		15 –	17 22				
						Bal Trans M&B Branch							17 22				
						243						243	14 79				
						17 22						17 22		243			

Statement of FEB 23 1917 Account rendered

Killed in action 15/9/16 C.R.A. 2160 30/9/16
B.B.M. rend. 3/10/16 effects 7/11/16
Trans to N.E. Bch 16.9.16
C.R.A. 2160 d 30.9.16

24 3 C.W.R. 1255 – B. 1025 – 17th Bn 5/6/16

17 22 to Canada per Sch. 28/4/17

24 3 To Ottawa for collection
D 19/2 13/10/17

DATE	PAY				FIELD ALLOWANCE				WORKING OR SPECIAL PAY				ASSIGNED PAY CREDITS	OTHER CREDITS	TOTAL CREDITS	ACQUITTANCE ROLLS								CASH PAYMENTS			
	No. of Days	Rate	Amount $	Amount c.	No. of Days	Rate	Amount $	Amount c.	No. of Days	Rate	Amount $	Amount c.				1 No.	1 Date	2 No.	2 Date	3 No.	3 Date	4 No.	4 Date	1	2	3	4

CASH PAYMENTS			ASSIGNED PAY	OTHER CHARGES	TOTAL DEBITS	BALANCE		PAY WITHHELD OR DEFERRED	PAY AVAILABLE FOR ISSUE	REMARKS
2	3	4				CREDIT	DEBIT			

Date of Enlistment

20-5-15

MILITIA AND DEFENCE

Separation and Assigned Pay Branch

OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

Date of Assignment

RATE OF SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

20				

RATE OF ASSIGNMENT

1-1-7-25 Mar 1925

PARTICULARS OF SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

No. A 18903 418903

Rank Pte Promoted Reverted Discharge

Soldier's Name Thomas Coombes

Battalion 42nd Battn

Beneficiary Mrs Mary Coombes

Relationship Mother

Address 196 Fullum St. Montreal

PARTICULARS OF ASSIGNMENT

Name

Address

Change of Address

1

2

3

4

Date 1917	Cheque No.	Amount S/A	Amount A/P	Total
Dec 31		50/-		50/-

REMARKS

Acct suspended pending further Enquiry

Pension granted 16/2/18. Killed in action 9/4/18

Over payment $190.00 Reg 21-8-17

M. F. W. 128
400M.—6-17—1772-39-1141
L. L. 22320—M. & D. 7993.

Date of Enlistment

MILITIA AND DEFENCE

Separation and Assigned Pay Branch

OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

Date of Assignment

RATE OF SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

RATE OF ASSIGNMENT

PARTICULARS OF SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

No.

Rank Promoted Reverted Discharge

Soldier's Name

Battalion

Beneficiary

Relationship

Address

PARTICULARS OF ASSIGNMENT

Name

Address

Change of Address

1

2

3

4

Date	Cheque No.	Amount S/A	Amount A/P	Total	REMARKS

M. F. W. 128
400M.—6-17—1772-39-1141
L. L. 22320—M. & D. 7993.