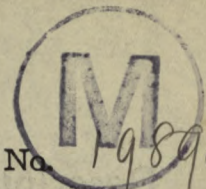


94th OVERSEAS BATTALION



ORIGINAL

ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. 198908

~~DUPLICATE~~

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

Folio.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS.)

1. What is your surname?..... Erickson
- 1a. What are your Christian names?..... Alex
- 1b. What is your present address?..... 327 Robertson St Ft William Ont
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... Sweden
3. What is the name of your next-of kin?..... Christina Erickson Fort William Ontario
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... 327 Robertson St Ft Wm Ont Canada
- 4a. What is the relationship of your next-of-kin?..... Mother
5. What is the date of your birth?..... 17 May 1890
6. What is your Trade or Calling?..... Plasterer
7. Are you married?..... No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated and inoculated?..... Yes
9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia?..... No
10. Have you ever served in any Military Force?..... No
If so, state particulars of former Service.
11. Do you understand the nature and terms of your engagement?..... Yes
12. Are you willing to be attested to serve in the }
CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE? } Yes

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

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

Date Feb 7th 1916 Alex Erickson (Signature of Recruit)
A. Borland (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

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

Date Feb 7th 1916 Alex Erickson (Signature of Recruit)
A. Borland (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 Fort William this 7th day of Feb 1916

W. H. M. M. M. (Signature of Justice)

Description of Alex Erickson on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 26 years months.
 (To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)

Height 5 ft. 3 ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 37 ins.
 Range of expansion 4 1/2 ins.

Complexion Fair

Eyes Blue

Hair Fair

Religious denominations. { Church of England
 Presbyterian Yes
 Methodist
 Baptist or Congregationalist
 Roman Catholic
 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).

*Tattoo right forearm
 Cobra & Skull
 Red Green & Black
 Left forearm Skull,
 with snake through
 upper left forearm Tiger.*

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 Feb 7th 1916.

Place Fort William

J. A. Christensen

 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.

Alex Erickson

..... 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.

W. Schmar Major
 _____ (Signature of Officer)
 Lieut. Col.

Date 7 Feb 1916.

O.C. 94th Overseas Battalion



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CERTIFIED CORRECT.

4 SEP 1916

CAN. RECORDS, LONDON.

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

Casualty Form—Active Service.

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

250M.—1-16.

H. Q. 1772-39-920.

Unit, Regiment or Corps

94th OVERSEAS BATTALION

Regimental No.

198908

Rank

Private

Name

Crickson, Alex

C. E. F.

Enlisted (a)

7/2/16

Terms of Service (a)

Duration of War

Service reckons from (a)

Enlistment

Date of promotion to present rank.

Date of appointment to lance rank

Numerical position on roll of N. C. Os.

Extended

Re-engaged

Qualification (b)

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				
		Emb'd Halifax 28 6 16 Disemb'd Liverpool 6 7 16			
18 JUL 1916		Taken on the Strength of the 32nd Battalion, C.E.F.			
AUG 27 1916		Proceeded on draft to 5th Battalion C.E.F.			Lieut. Asst. Adjt. for O.C.
		Taken on Strength of 5th Battalion 28.8.16			32nd Battalion, P.I. O. 35-2 2.9.16
13/9/16	C Body	Left to form 1st Coy 13/9/16			NR
16.9.16	5th Coy	Joined 5th Coy 14.9.16			B213. Des. 378-27.8.16
30.9.16	"	Missing			" 387-2 9.10.16 P.I. O. 73-2 9.11.16
					Chas. B. Maxwell Lieut. for Lt.-Col., A. A. G. Canadian Section, G. H. Q. 3rd Echelon, B. F.

(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.]

Amended Card

ERICKSON, Alex. No. 198908 Pte.

M & D.

sister



Mrs. Annie Carlson,
142 S. Algoma St.,
Port Arthur, Ont.

P & S. 751663

"

"

Memorial X

"

"



Mather deceased.

Erickson, Alex., Pte. 198908 5th Bn. 649-E-1226

Med. & Dec. (Mother) Mrs. Christina Erickson.
435 Prince Arthur Boulevard
Fort William, Ont. m

P. & S. (Mother) Address as above.

Serial # 751663

Mem. Cross. (Mother) " " "

*Not elig. for star.
" " U.M.
" " B.W.M.
M.J.*

J.R. 8621

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CARD NO. ✓

SURNAME. *Erickson*

CHRISTIAN NAMES *Alex.*

REGL. No. *198908*

RANK *Plc.*

FOLL.

UNIT *94th*

Batt.

FORMER CORPS *Nil*

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAMES IN FULL *Erickson, Mrs. Christina*

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER *Mother*

ADDRESS ~~*327 Robertson St., Fort William,*~~

435, Prince Arthur Boulevard Ont.

Fort William, Ont. 649-8-1226, 24-8-17. a.m.s.

COUNTRY OF BIRTH *Sweden,*

DATE *May 17th 1890*

PLACE OF ATTESTATION *Fort William, Ont.*

DATE *Feby. 7th 1916*

of 3 28-6-16 ⁴⁶⁸/₉

MARRIED

SINGLE

Yes.

WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING

Plasterer,

RELIGION

Presbyterian.

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE

26

YEARS

— MONTHS

HEIGHT

5

FEET

3

INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT

37

INCHES

EXPANSION

4½

INCHES

COMPLEXION

Fair,

EYES

Blue.

HAIR

Fair.

DISTINGUISHING MARKS

Tattoo right forearm "Cobra & Skull" red, green, and black. Left forearm Skull with Snake through. Upper left forearm "Tiger".

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

PLACE

Fort William, Ont.

DATE

Feby. 7th 1916

No. 198908 RANK

Pte.

NAME

Crickson A

T. O. S. 7-2-16

UNIT

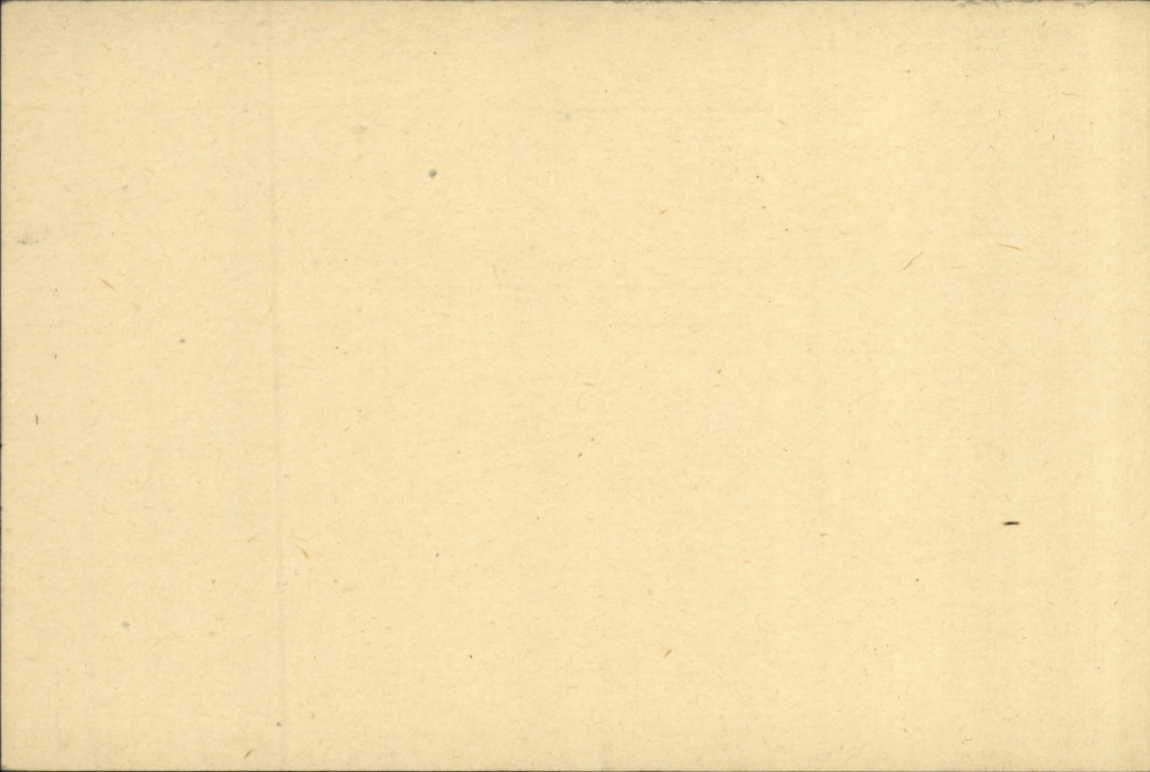
44th Battalion C. E. G.

(D076 of 8-2-16)

M. D. 18

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
1916 Feb. 7	1916. Feb. 29	✓		
	Mar.	✓		
	April	✓		
	May	✓		
	June	✓		
July 1	July 17	N	trans to 32nd Res Bn 17-7-16	B.0207-28-7-16.

UNIT SAILED
JUN 28 1916



Name **ERICKSON** ^{Alex} Rank **Pte.** ✓ Reg. No. 198908
 Unit **5th Battalion**
 Next of Kin **Canada** R.L. 25-E-381.

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
26/27-9-16	Rep. fr. Base	Missing		A481.	02726	
<p><i>McDonald</i> <i>April 13</i></p>	<p><i>Erwin to</i> <i>Res X</i> <i>Canada.</i></p>	<p><i>Souy.</i></p>				
27.9.16	Presumed	Dead		A 28.		4/10/17

NAME Erickson Alvin

REG'TL. NO. 198908

RANK AND CORPS

Platoon 5th Bn. form 94th Bn.

CABLE

NO.

DATE

NATURE OF CASUALTY

02426 12-16-16

Cas B Rept 12-4-17

A.D.B. 20900

9-10-17

c.

Missing since Sept 26 + 27/16 ✓
 Prev rept Missing now for official purposes
 presumed to have died on or since ^{the} 26/27 Sept
 (Recd. 17-11-17.) 1916

LIST No.

HOSPITAL

DATE OF
ADMISSION

REMARKS

LIST No.	HOSPITAL	DATE OF ADMISSION	REMARKS
a 481 ⁽¹⁾	Rep from Base	26/9-16	Missing
a 281	Crew. reptd missing now for presumed to have died	²⁷	official purposes on or since 27 9-16

MM
J. Law

Number

198908

Rank

Pfc

~~B~~
~~X~~

Surname

ERICKSON

Christian Name

Alexander

Units

5th Bn Can Inf

Theatre of War

France

Date of Service

27-8-16

D

Remarks

Supplementary Card Mrs. Christina Erickson (m.)

Latest Address

435 Prince Arthur Boulevard

Mrs Annie Carlsson

142 S. Algoma St

Fort William

Post Arthur

Roll No.

R Page 16101

Ont.

out

200m.-2-21.M.

CASUALTY BRANCH

(FILES)

NAME..... *18891* H. o.

NO. RANK M. D.

UNIT (C.E.F.) UNIT *21111111*

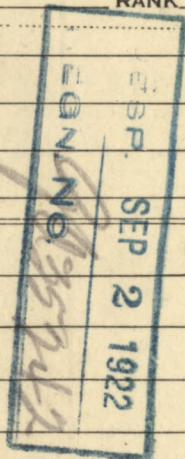
ADDRESS

NEXT OF KIN

ADDRESS (KIN)

HISTORY

DATE



Name **ERICKSON** ^{Alex} Rank Pte

Reg. No. 198908

Unit 5th Battalion

25. E. 381

Next of Kin Canada

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
26/27-9-16	Rep. fr. Base	Missing		A481.	02726	
<p><i>For off. purposes pres. to have died on or since 27/9/16.</i></p>				A. 288		

Rayson

SURNAME

CHRISTIAN NAME OR NAMES

REG. NO.

ERICKSON

A.

198908

RANK

UNIT

Co.

TROOP

BATTY.

Pte.

Sask. 5.

HOSPITAL

DATE OF ADMISSION

1.

HOSP.

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HOSP.

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HOSP.

4.

HOSP.

DIAGNOSIS

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A.M.D. 2 DEPT.

Beh. of D.G.M.S. O.M.F.C. London.

PRM. NO FOR OFF.PURP.PRES. TO HAVE DIED ON DISPOSITION OR SINCE 27-9-16. *Ru*

DATE

CL. 5-10-17 A28.

REMARKS

EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT

HOSPITAL

ADM.

1.

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ORIGINAMEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.

Surname Erickson Christian Name Alex

Examined { on 7th day of July 1916
at Fort William

Approved by J. A. Christensen
Rank Captain M.O.

Birthplace { City or Town Sweden
County _____

Apparent age 26

Trade or occupation Plasterer

Height 5 Feet 3 Inches.

Weight 145 Lbs.

Chest measurement { Minimum 32 1/2 inches.
Maximum expansion 4 1/2 inches.

Physical development _____

Small-Pox Marks _____

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right Left.
Number 1 on left arm

When Vaccinated last 1907

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease _____

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

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

Date.	Result.	VACCINATIONS.
<u>4/2/16</u>		<u>J. A. Christensen</u>
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Date.	Result.	ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.
<u>8/5/16</u>	<u>good</u>	
<u>18/5/16</u>	<u>good</u>	
<u>27/5/16</u>	<u>good</u>	
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Enlisted on 7th day of July 1916 at Fort William

	CORPS.	REG'TL NUMBER.	HABITS.	DATE.
Joined on enlistment	<u>4th M.O.S.</u> <u>32nd Battalion C.E.F.</u>	<u>198908</u>		<u>7 July 1916</u>
Transferred to	<u>5th Bn</u>			

EXAMINED OR DISCHARGED BY A MEDICAL BOARD.

STATION.	DATE.	DISEASE.	RESULT.

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

9 May
1989
198908
EP.

Register No. DB 113

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY
TO
DEPENDENTS OF DECEASED SOLDIERS

A.P. File No. 5561-A4

Reg'tl No. 198909 Name Alex Erickson
(Christian Name) (Surname)
Unit 94th Bw Rank Pte Date of enlistment
Date of casualty 27-9-1916 B.P.C. File No. 15974
Was service performed overseas? yes

DEPENDENT

Name Mrs Christina Erickson Relationship W Mother
Address 142 S Algoma St
Port Arthur Ont

Amount of Special Pension Bonus \$ nil Abstracted by E Mother

Eligible for Gratuity \$ 18000

Less amount of Special Pension Bonus paid \$ nil

Less Debit Balance of S. A. or A.P. \$

Total deductions \$ nil

Balance due \$ 18000

Cheque No. 21843706 Date issued 11/17/20

Clerk J. Le Court

REMARKS :
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Audited by
[Signature]
Date 20/1/20 18000

Dec 17

M.F.W. 2652
25M-6-20
H.Q. 1772-39-1473

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

Name Ms Christina Erickson Name of Soldier Erickson Alex
 Address ~~331 Heron St.~~ Fort William Regtl. No. 198908
435 Prince Arthur, Boulevard Rank Pfc
 Relation to Soldier Widowed Corps 94 d/s Btu
 wife, child or mother Mother To what Corps belonging }
 when called out } ✓

PAYMENTS

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.	REMARKS
Aug.	1914			
Sept.				
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Jan.	1915			
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Jan.	1916			
Feb.				
March				



ACCOUNT CLOSED
 DATE..... PER.....
 W-

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5 12020
11

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

Sheet No. 2.

L. L. Job 310.—Req. 6574.

Ms Christina Erickson
MOTHER
PAYMENTS.

Name of Soldier

Erickson Alex
PLC

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
April	1916			
May		<i>S 3157</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>46</i>
June		<i>0 9258</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>
July		<i>J 10579</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>
Aug.		<i>J 11670</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>
Sept.		<i>E 15650</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>
Oct.		<i>Q 18422</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>
Nov.		<i>4 22401</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>
Dec.		<i>4 25450</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>
Jan.	1917	<i>I 28218</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>
Feb.		<i>J 31325</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>
March		<i>9 34418</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>
April		<i>8 759</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>
May		<i>9 3792</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>
June		<i>N 7519</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>
July		<i>M 11005</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>
Aug.		<i>R 14363</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>
Sept.		<i>J 017731</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>
Oct.		<i>W.G. 20109</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1918			
Feb.				
March				
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June				
July				

Pensions Notified Date *20-9-17*
 Killed in Action }
 Died of Wounds } Date *26-9-17*
 Missing }
 C. L. 15-17-9-17 Clerk *J. W. Water...*
 Date Noted *20-9-17*.....191

Pension Granted *1-10-17*
 B.P.C. to Recover \$.....
 Clerk *J. Ph.* Date *2-10-17*

N 7518 *Grant.*
Pence *Boulevard Fort William Ont.*

CANCELLED PENSION
 A. CLOSED *30/9/17*
 OVER-PAYT.....
 RECOVERED
 BY *M 3/10/17*
GRANTED

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.
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MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

M. F. W. 12a.
 50m.-416.
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Sheet No. Mrs Christina Erickson

Name of Soldier Erickson Alex.

L. L. Job 310.-Req. 6574.

PAYMENTS # 198908, Pte. "B." 94th Btn.

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
			20 ⁰⁰	JUL 1 1916
April	1916			<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;">Casualties</div> 80 ⁰⁰ C.F.X. to 31/10/16 J.A. Goldsmith. 5/10/17 a/c closed Nov. 1. 1916. Canceled a/c closes Dec 31 st 1916 missing E.H.B.
May				
June				
July		13138	20	
Aug.		14449	20	
Sept.		17241	20	
Oct.		22148	20	
Nov.		2639	20	
Dec.				
Jan.	1917			
Feb.				<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> F.X. Remd: Date... <u>21st</u> By <u>880⁰⁰</u> E.F.X. " Date... <u>9/17</u> By <u>Wf</u> </div>
March				435 Prince Arthur Boulevard Fort William Ont 2/24/17
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> Pension Granted... <u>1-10-17</u> B.P.C. to Resover \$... Clerk: <u>W.H.</u> Date <u>2/10/17</u> </div>
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1918			
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July				

J.B.

MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

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Name of Soldier.....

PAYMENTS.

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