

Original

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

No. *838355*
Folio.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS).

- 1. What is your surname? **MC CONNELL**
- 1a. What are your Christian names? **HAROLD FALCONER**
- 1b. What is your present address? **HILLSBURG ONT.**
- 2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born? **WELLINGTON COUNTY CANADA**
- 3. What is the name of your next-of-kin? **MRA. M.A. MCCONNELL**
- 4. What is the address of your next-of-kin? **HILLSBURG ONT.**
- 4a. What is the relationship of your next-of-kin? **MOTHER**
- 5. What is the date of your birth? **FEBRUARY 6th 1895**
- 6. What is your Trade or Calling? **TINSMITH AND PLUMBER**
- 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 } **YES**
CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE? }

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, **HAROLD FALCONER MCCONNELL**, 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.

H. F. Mc Connell (Signature of Recruit)

Date... **DEC 18th** 191 **5** *M. J. Lear* (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

HAROLD FALCONER MC CONNELL

I, 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.

H. F. Mc Connell (Signature of Recruit)

Date... **DEC 18th** 191 **5** *M. J. Lear* (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 *Dwan Sound* this *18* day of *Dec* 191 *5*.

W. B. Scholmeyer (Signature of Justice)

G. M. Farland Lieut. Col.
O. C. 147th Grey O. S. Bn., C. E. F.

Description of HAROLD FALCONER MC CONNELL on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 20 years 11 months.
 (To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)

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

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

Height 5 ft. 10³/₄ ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 37¹/₂ ins.
 Range of expansion 3 ins.

Complexion FAIR

None

Eyes BLUE

Hair DARK

Religious denominations

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

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

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

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

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

Date Dec 18th 1916

E. Edburn

Place Owen Sound

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.

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

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

Date Dec 18th 1916

REGIMENTAL DOCUMENTS

NAME McConnell, Harold Fabian ~~838355~~ 838355 UNIT _____

H. Q. FILE NO. _____

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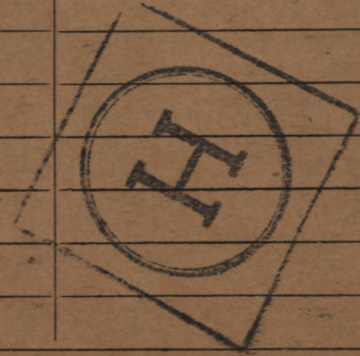
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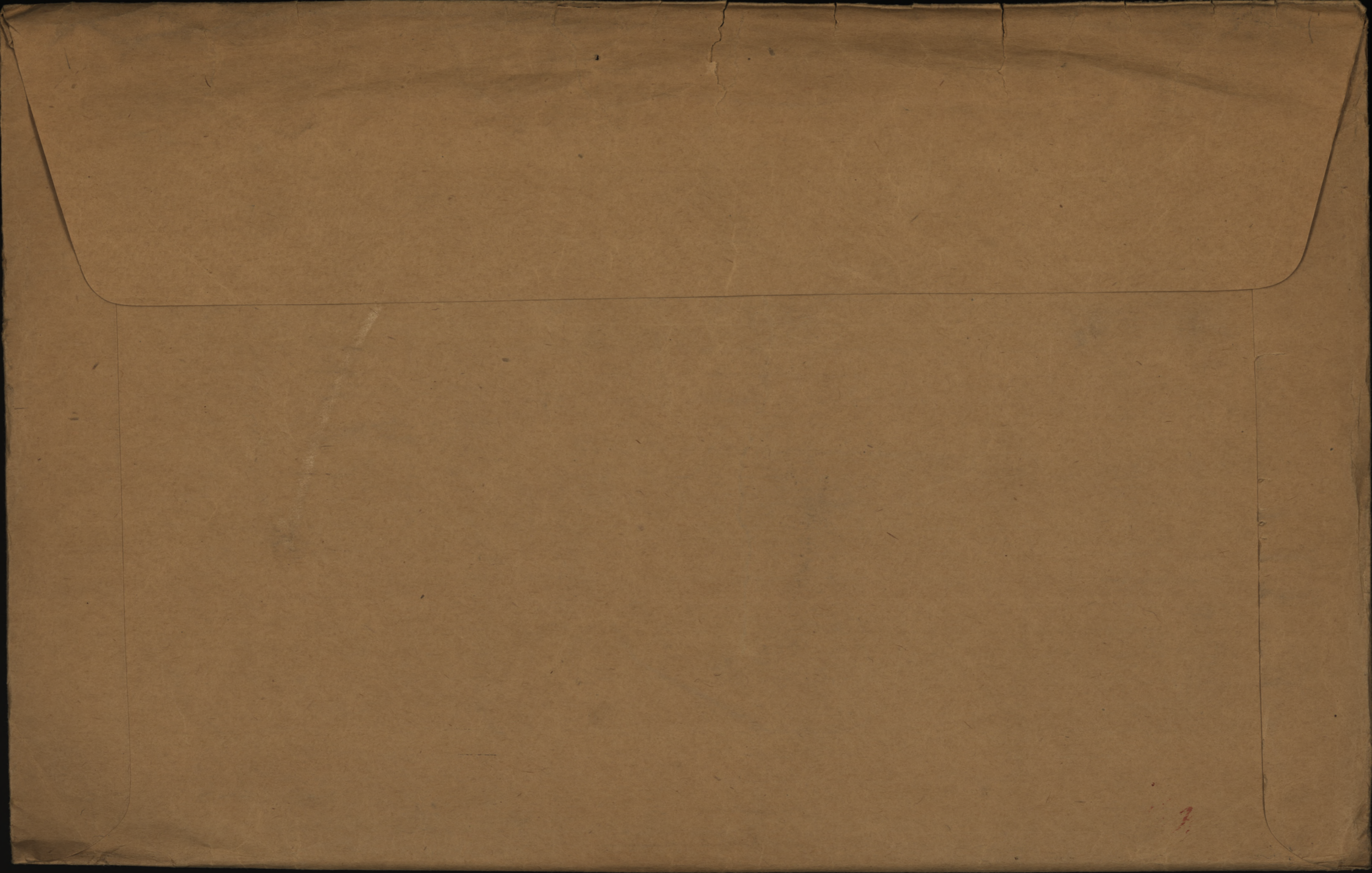
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McCONNELL, Harold F. 838355 Pte. 4th CMB

not elig for star

Medals &)
Decorations)

Mother, Mrs. D. McConnell
Hillsburg, Ont.

M

P. & S.

Father, Duncan McConnell
Above add.

(Serial no. 788570)

C. of S.

Mother, Mrs. D. McConnell
as above.

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Int'l

File B

Number 838355 Rank

Surname McCONNELL

Christian Name Harold Falconer

Units 4th C. M. R. Theatre of War France

Date of Service 22/2/17 D

Remarks ~~Detached~~

Latest Address Mrs. D. McConnell

Hillsburg, Ont.

Roll No. B Page 6085.

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REGN. NO. *1014846*

No. 838355

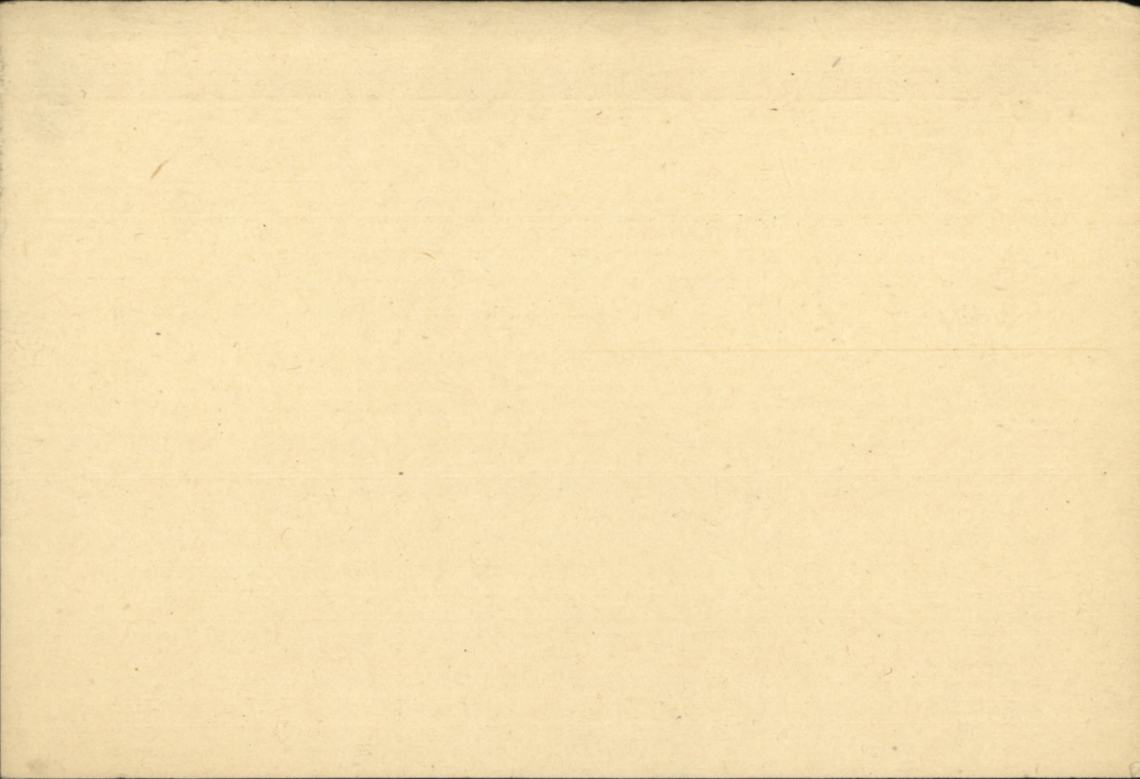
RANK *Pvt.*NAME *M. C. Connell, Harold F.*

T. O. S. 20-12-15

UNIT *147th (Inf.) Battalion, C. C. F.**Unit not stated. June Paylist.*M. D. *2.*

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
<i>Jan. 1</i>	<i>Jan. 31</i>	<i>✓</i>	<i>31st d/s. Quota of Recruits</i>	
<i>Feb.</i>		<i>✓</i>		
<i>Mar.</i>		<i>✓</i>		
<i>April</i>		<i>✓</i>		
<i>May</i>		<i>✓</i>		
<i>June</i>		<i>✓</i>	<i>Awarded 5 days c.b. for a.w.l.</i>	<i>O.O. 104 of 9-5-16.</i>
<i>July</i>		<i>✓</i>	<i>Forfeits 3 days pay</i>	<i>O.O. of 9-5-16.</i>
<i>Aug.</i>		<i>✓</i>	<i>Forfeits 5 days pay</i>	<i>O.O. 164 of 22-7-16.</i>
<i>Sept.</i>		<i>O.S.</i>		
<i>Oct.</i>		<i>✓</i>	<i>Awarded 10 days detention for a.w.l.</i>	<i>O.O. 203 of 17-16.</i>
<i>Nov.</i>		<i>✓</i>		

UNIT SAILED**NOV 13 1916**



649-M-16487

CARD NO.

✓

SURNAME.

McConnell

CHRISTIAN NAMES

Harold Falconer

REGL. NO.

838355

RANK

Pte.

UNIT

147th

Rm.

FORMER CORPS

nil

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAMES IN FULL

McConnell, Mrs. M.A.

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER

Mother

ADDRESS

Hillsburgh Ont.

COUNTRY OF BIRTH

Canada, Wellington Ont.

DATE

Feb. 6th 1895

PLACE OF ATTESTATION

Ulven Sound, Ont.

DATE

Dec. 18th 1915

sailed from Halifax per S. S. Olympic 14-11-16

MARRIED

SINGLE ^{ye}

WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING

Fine Smith ^{ye} ✓

RELIGION

Presbyterian

Plumber

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE

20

YEARS

11

MONTHS

HEIGHT

5

FEET

10 ³/₄

INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT

37 ¹/₂

INCHES

EXPANSION

3

INCHES

COMPLEXION

Fair

EYES

Blue

HAIR

Dark

DISTINGUISHING MARKS

nil

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

PLACE

Owen Sound, Ont.

DATE

Dec. 18th 1915

Present Address, Hillsburgh, Ont

REGT'L No 838355

NAME *McConnell Harold Falconer*

H. Q. FILE NO. 649-

RANK AND CORPS *Pte 4th Rgt 6th M.R. (Form 147th Bn)*

FOLLOWS

No.

CABLE

NATURE OF CASUALTY

FOLLOWS

No.

DATE

*6.**Killed in action April 9th 1917 ✓**m 2878 26-4-17*
Runen
a. H.B. 2090 a 21-4-17 Killed in action 9-4-17 (Rec'd 21-6-17)

LIST No

HOSPITAL

DATE OF
ADMISSION

REMARKS

a 405

Rep. from Base

9-4-17

Killed in action

Surname **McConnell.** Christian Name or Names **H. F.** Reg. No. **838355.**
Rank Pte. Unit **4th. CMR.** Co. Troop Batty.
Hospital Date of Admission

Transferred

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Diagnosis

(1)
Later Diagnosis (if changed)

(2)

(3)

Additional Diagnosis: if more than one state present

KILLED IN ACTION:-. 9-4-17.

DISPOSITION

Date

REMARKS

C .L. 26-4-17. A.405.

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EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

Hospital

Adm.

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

6.

7.

FORM OF WILL.

Harold Falconer McConnell (Name in full)

Regimental Number 838351 serving in 147th GREY O.S. BN. C.E.F.

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

I bequeath all my real estate unto

Mary Ann McConnell,
Hillsburg,
Ontario.

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

absolutely, and my personal estate I bequeath to

Mary Ann McConnell,
Hillsburg,
Ontario.

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

IMPORTANT NOTE
This must be Signed and Dated by THE SOLDIER HIMSELF.

this 25 day of September A. D. 191

Harold Falconer McConnell signature of Soldier.

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

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

THE TWO WITNESSES MUST SIGN HERE

Signature of First Witness W. B. ...
Address of Witness Owen Sound Ont. Can.
Occupation of Witness Sailor
Signature of Second Witness W. D. Mercer
Address of Witness Markdale, Ont.
Occupation of Witness Merchant

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MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.

838355

147th GREY O. S. BATTALION, G. E. F.

Surname Mc Connell

Christian Name Harold Falconer

Examined { on 18th day of December 1915
at Owen Sound Ont.

Approved by D. E. Howes
[Signature]

Birthplace { City or Town Wellington county
County Canada

Rank Capt M.O.

Apparent age 20

Trade or occupation Tinsmith and Plumber

Height 5 Feet 10 $\frac{3}{4}$ Inches

Weight 160 Lbs.

Chest measurement { Minimum 34 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches

{ Maximum expansion 37 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches

Physical development Good

Small-Pox Marks None

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right Left
{ Number

When Vaccinated last

Date Result VACCINATIONS.
20/6/16 + D. E. Howes M.O.

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous

disease None

M.O.

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection

None

Date Result ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.
2/5/16 + D. E. Howes M.O.
3/5/16 + D. E. Howes M.O.
20/1/17 Para D. E. Howes M.O.

Enlisted on 18th day of December 1915 at Owen Sound

	CORPS.	REG'TL NUMBER.	HABITS.	DATE.
Joined on enlistment	<u>147th Os Btn C. E. F.</u>	<u>838355</u>		<u>18/12/15</u>
Transferred to.. ..	<u>8th Can.</u>	<u>838355</u>		<u>1/1/17</u>
	<u>Res. Bn 4th C.M.F.O.S.</u>	<u>838355</u>		<u>17/2/17</u>

EXAMINED OR DISCHARGED BY A MEDICAL BOARD.

STATION.	DATE.	DISEASE.	RESULT.

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

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

WDR

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

Casualty Form—Active Service.

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

Unit, Regiment or Corps

Regimental No. 838355 Rank Pte. Name Mc Connell Harold Falconer

Enlisted (a) 18/12/15 Terms of Service (a) End of War Service reckons from (a) 18/12/15

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) Transmitting & P. Number

CERTIFIED CORRECT.
 29 FEB 1917
 CAMPS RECORDS, LONDON.

Date	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.
		Embarked Arrived	Canada England	12/11/16 10/11/16	
1-1-17	147th Bn	Transferred to 8th Res. Bn	Shoreham	1-1-17	F D.O. Pt 2 # 1 <i>Proctor</i>
1-1-17	8th Res.	Taken on Strength 8th Res.	Shoreham	1-1-17	D.O. PT 2 # 1 <i>Proctor</i>
17-2-17	8th Res.	Trans. to 388 4th CMB. Bn	Shoreham	17-2-17	D.O. PT 2 # 48 <i>Proctor</i>
		(overseas)			
22.2.17	C. B. D.	ARRIVED C. B. D.	FRANCE	22.2.17	N. R. D <u>22.2.17</u> PART II ORDERS No <u>15</u> D <u>26.2.17</u>
24.2.17	C. B. D.	LEFT C. B. D. FOR	4th CMB	24.2.17	N. R. D <u>24.2.17</u>
3.3.17	O. C. ... BN	ARRIVED 4th CMB BN.	FIELD	27.2.17	B. 213 D <u>3.3.17</u>
14.4.17	Unit	Killed in action		9.4.17	B213 808203. PHILCO 2040d/21.4.17

J. Robinson

Lieut. for ... A. A. G.
Canadian Section, G. H. Q. 3rd Echelon, B. E. 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.]

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				

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A.C. Rank _____ Name **McCONNELL, Harold Falconer.** Reg'l No. **838355**
 Unit **147th. Bn.** If in perm. Corps, }
 What Unit? } Married or Single **Single.**
 Place and Date of Enlistment **Owen Sound, Dec 18th. 1915.** Place of Birth **Wellington Co. Canada.**
 Name and Address, Next-of-Kin **Mrs. ~~Mrs.~~ A. McConnell,**
Hillsburg, Ont. * Relationship **Mother. †**

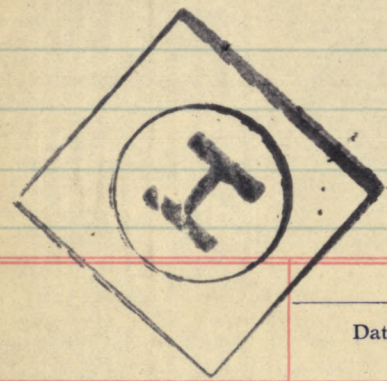
Assigned Pay Monthly \$ **4 CMR** Payable to _____

Separation Allowance \$ _____ Relationship _____
 File R.L. _____ Payable to _____

Discharge, Date and Place _____ Relationship _____
 Reason _____ Character _____

N/E. R.B. No. **11807**
 File R.L. _____
 Category _____

N/E. R.B. No. **1236**
 File R.L. **25-M-44185**
 Category **KinA.**



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.				
	<i>C</i>				
		Arrive ^d in England. S S Olympic	20-11-16		
1-1-17	147th Bn.	S. O. S. to 8th Res. Bn.	Shoreham	1-1-17	D, O 1a
1-1-17	8th Res. Bn.	T. O. S, FROM 147th. Bn.	Shoreham	1-1-17	Pt, 2, P. C. 1
17.2.17	8th Res Bn	SOS TO 4th. C, M, R Overseas	Shoreham	17.2.17	DO, 48.
26-2-17	4 CMR	<i>Taken on strength.</i>	<i>Field</i>		<i>Pt II 0. 15.</i>
21-4-17	"	<i>Killed in action</i>	"	9-4-17	<i>Pt II 0 40.</i>
26-4-17	"	"	"	9-4-17	<i>CZA 405.</i>

A.F.B. 103 CHECKED
 23 FEB. 1917
 WZR.

MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY
OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

M. F. W. 12
50m.—7-16
H. Q. 1772-39-819

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To Whom

Address

Rate

By Whom Assigned

Regtl. No.

Rank

Corps

*AS
JMD*
Mary Ann McCormell
Hillsburg
ont.

20⁰⁰ Mch/17

W. Cornell Hardie Jr.

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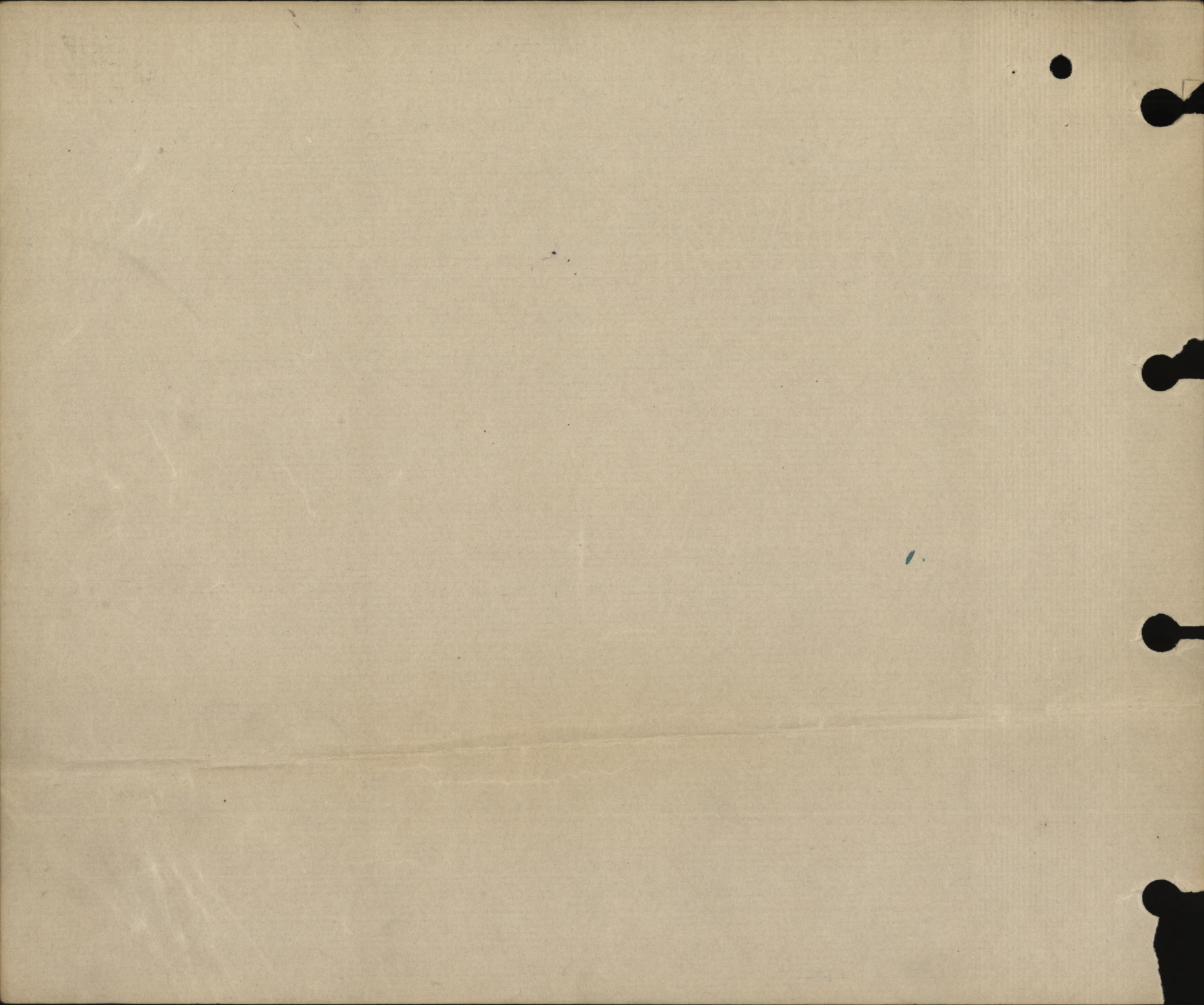
Pvt.

147th Bn.

PAYMENTS

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.	REMARKS
Aug.	1914			2. M. 3/3/17 J.F. 20/4/17 W.P. 26
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1915			
Feb.				
March				
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Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1916			
Feb.				
March				

Pensions Notified DATE 11/5/17
 Killed in Action DATE 9/4/17
 C. L. 330 27/4/17
 J. H. Peterson 11-5-17



MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY

M. F. W. 121.

50-7-1
 772-39-819

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Sheet No. 2.

Mary Ann McConall
 (Assignee)

OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

Name of Soldier

McConnell Harold H.

PAYMENTS.

Pte. 838255

147th Bn

L. L. Job 5470—Req. 6888.

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
				<i>20⁰⁰ Mch/17</i>
April	1916			
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1917			<i>\$40⁰⁰ to 30-4-17. C. 7 X. 21-5-17 240.</i>
Feb.				
March				
April		<i>35624</i>	<i>40⁰⁰</i>	<i>→ 256 of 6524 Remailed, 5/17/17</i>
May		<i>6056</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>40.00 u 6056 Cancelled 2/17/17</i>
June		<i>Y10342</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20. future w. Y10342 Cancelled (Cas.) 7-11-17</i>
July				<i>Acct. closed 30-4-17. (Cas)</i>
Aug.				<i>J. H. Ostrom 11-5-17.</i>
Sept.				<i>EFX 40. 24⁰⁰ 17 B.F.</i>
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1918			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				

W.A.E.

MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

Sheet No. 2 (Contd.)

PAYMENTS.

Name of Soldier _____

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
Aug.	1918			
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1919			
Feb.				
March				
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