

12th Battalion
4th Infantry Brigade
ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. *23075*
Folio. *757*

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS)

OK

1. What is your name?..... *John Reid*
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... *Tyone Ireland*
 What is the name of your next-of-kin?..... *Maggie Harley*
 What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... *119 Casgrave St. Belfast Ire*
 What is the date of your birth?..... *Sep 22 1895*
6. What is your Trade or Calling?..... *Policeman*
7. Are you married?..... *No*
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated?..... *as yes*
9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia?..... *Yes*
10. Have you ever served in any Military Force?.. *Yes*
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*

John Reid..... (Signature of Man).
A. Bunnell..... (Signature of Witness).

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, *John Reid*, 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.

Date *Jan 21 1914* *John Reid*..... (Signature of Recruit)
A. Bunnell..... (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, *John Reid*, do make Oath, that I will be faithful and true Allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will as 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 *Jan 21 1914* *John Reid*..... (Signature of Recruit)
A. Bunnell..... (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 entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath
e me, at *Daworth* this *20* day of *Jan* 1914

Long *A. J. MacLeod*..... (Signature of Justice)

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

A. J. MacLeod..... (Approving Officer)

Description of Pte John Reid on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 29 years 4 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. 8 ins.

Sattos. full rigged ship on breast

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 44 ins.
 Range of expansion 4 ins.

Complexion Fair

Eyes Gray blue

Hair Fair

Religious denominations. { Church of England Yes
 Presbyterian
 Wesleyan
 Baptist or Congregationalist
 Other Protestants (Denomination to be stated.)
 Roman Catholic
 Jewish

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 Jan 9 1914.

R. N. Fetherland
Capt R. N. C.
 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.

Pte John Reid 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.

Date Jan 24 1914.

[Signature] (Signature of Officer)



Proceedings of Court of Inquiry or on men reported Missing on Active Service..... 2

Attestation Papers.....

Declaration of change of name.....

Authority for special enlistments.....

Documents of re-enlisted men.....

Regimental Conduct Sheet 1

Compulsory Stoppages.....

Casualty Forms..... 1

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..... 2

Proceedings of Regt. Court Martial.....

Copies of Convictions by Civil Power.....

Company Conduct Sheet.....

Clothing Transfer Certificate.....

Inventory of Kit.....

Last Pay Certificate.....

3/8/18 ans



DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS

Name, *REID JOHN*

Regt, No, *23075* Rank, *1st Lt*

Corps, *No 1 Vet Hosp. CASH*

Died of Other Cause 25/7/15

Index Card.....

Casualty Card 1

Non-Effective Card *no*

Part II Order Card..... 1

Change of Address Card.....

Honour & Award Card.....

R. O. No.

H. Q. No.



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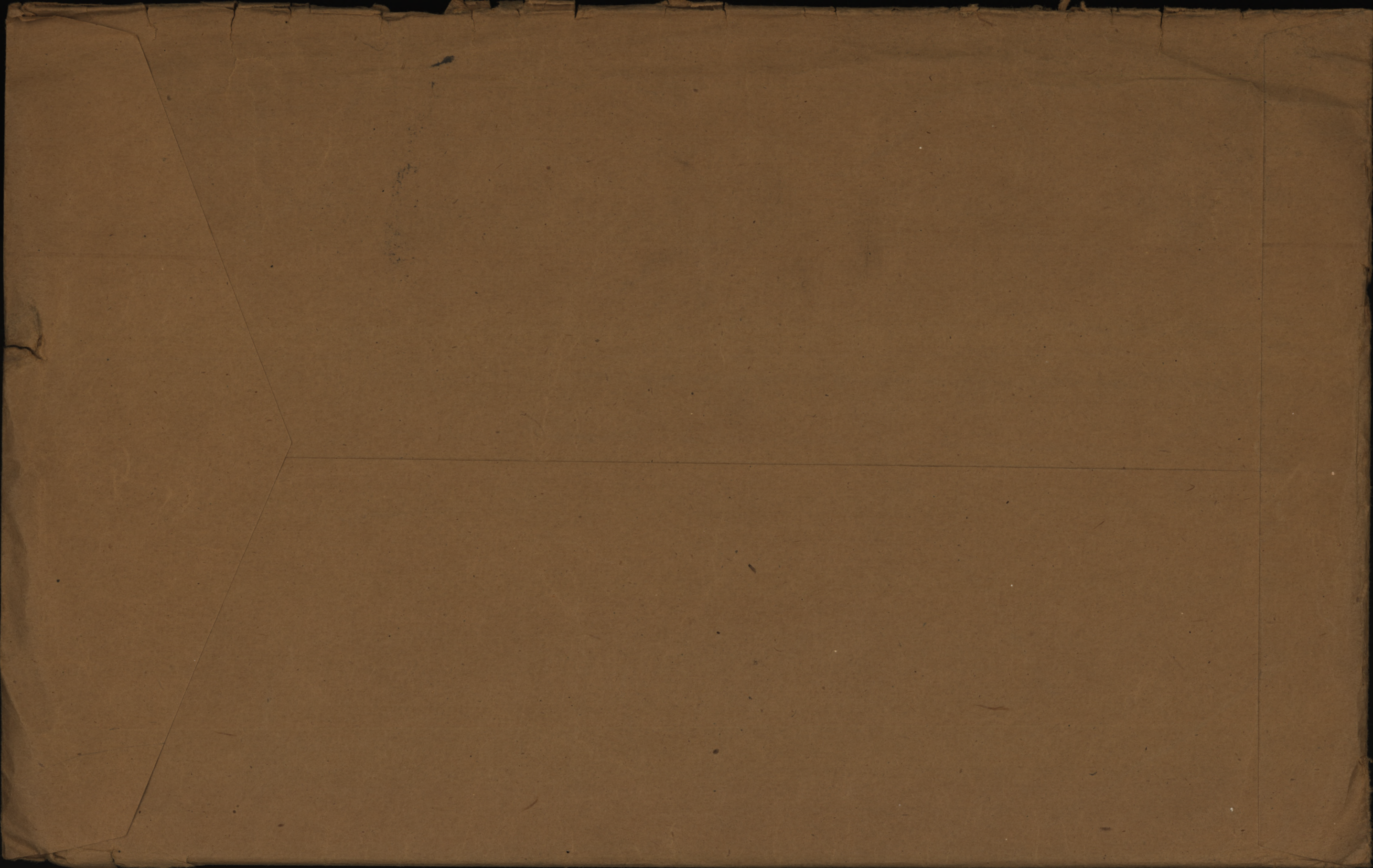
Correspondence

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R.L. 25-R-91

Name Reid J.

Rank Trooper

Reg. No. 23075

Unit C.A.V.C. No.1 Vet.Hospital

DIED No 1

Next of Kin *Mrs M. Reid, Mill St, Auchnacley,
Co Tyrone.*

| Date | Movement | Place | Casualty | List No. | Notified N/K O. | W.O. List |
|---------|----------------|--------|--------------------------------|----------|-----------------|-----------|
| 1915 | | | | | | |
| June 22 | No.2 Gen.Hosp. | Havre | <u>DANGEROUSLY ILL</u> | | | |
| | | | Cont.R.Eye | 27 | / | / 2423 |
| | | | PROGRESSING Satis. | C.2615 | | 02723 |
| " 27. | Ditto. | " | Injuries Head | 29 | | |
| July 1 | ditto | ditto | <u>CONDITION NOW CRITICAL</u> | | | |
| | | | Cont.R.Eye | C2769 | 31 | / / 2/15 |
| " 5. | ditto. | ditto | <u>CONDITION SATISFACTORY.</u> | M41 | | |
| | | | Contusion R.Eye. | 33 | / | |
| " 12. | Ditto. | Ditto. | <u>NO CHANGE.</u> | | | |
| | | | Cerebral Compression. | | | |
| | | | | 37 | | |

see over

| Date | Movement | Place | Casualty | List No. | Notified N/K O. | W.O. List |
|------|------------------------|-------------|------------------|----------|-----------------|-----------|
| 1915 | <u>DANGEROUSLY ILL</u> | <u>VERY</u> | <u>CRITICAL.</u> | | | |

| | | | | | | |
|---------|----------------|-------|-------------------------|-----------------|---|---|
| July 19 | No.2 Gen.Hosp. | Havre | Cerebral Compression | 62968/286 41 | ✓ | ✓ |
|---------|----------------|-------|-------------------------|-----------------|---|---|

| | | | | | | |
|---------|------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------|---|------------------------|
| July 25 | No.2 Gen.Hosp. Havre | | <u>DIED</u> Cerebral Haemorrhage | C3040 M421 5 | / | / ^{at} Aug 31 |
| | O.C.Reports C3040 M421 | | | | | |

CABLED:M.421-30-7-15. *de*
 Died; 25-7-15.

*Thomson
 DIED return*

NAME *Reid. John.*

H. Q. FILE No. 649-

REGT'L. No. *280 75*

RANK AND CORPS *Trooper.*

Canadian Veterinary Corps. (Hosp.)

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FOLL

CABLE

NATURE OF CASUALTY

NO.

DATE

- | | | |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|--|
| <i>C. 2423.</i> | <i>30/6/15</i> | <i>Dangerously ill at 2 Gen. Hospital, Havre, suffering from injuries, head. (progressing satisfactorily).</i> |
| <i>M. 41.</i> | <i>3/7/15.</i> | <i>Suffering from contusion rt. eye No. 2 Gen. Hosp. Havre, condition critical.</i> |
| <i>M. 286.</i> | <i>21/7/15.</i> | <i>Suffering from cerebral compression, condition very critical, No. 2 Gen. Hosp. Havre.</i> |
| <i>R. 311</i> <i>C. 2723</i> | <i>30/6/15.</i> | <i>Dangerously ill, No. 2 Gen. Hosp. Havre. Suffering from injuries head, progressing satisfactorily.</i> |
| <i>M. 421.</i> | <i>30/7/15.</i> | <i>Died at No. 2 Gen. Hosp. Havre. July 25th. Cerebral hemorrhage.</i> |

| LIST No. | HOSPITAL | DATE OF ADMISSION | REMARKS |
|----------|------------------------|----------------------|--|
| ✓ 27. | No. 2 Gen. Havre. | 22/6/15. | O.C. reports 26 th June 1915. Dangerously ill. |
| ✓ 29. | No. 2 Gen. Havre. | 27/6/15. | O.C. reports - Dangerously ill. Progressing satis. Contusion rt. eye. |
| ✓ 31. | No. 2 Gen. Havre. | 1/7/15. | O.C. reports - Condition now critical. Contusion rt eye. |
| ✓ 33. | No. 2 Gen. Havre. | 5/7/15. | O.C. rep. Condition satis. Contusion rt. eye. |
| ✓ 37. | No. 2 Gen. Havre. | 12/7/15. | O.C. rep. Dangerously ill, no change Cerebral compression. |
| ✓ 41. | No. 2 Gen. Havre. | 19/7/15. | O.C. rep. Dan. ill, very crit. Cer. Comp- ression |
| 5 | " " " " etc reports | 25/7/15 | cerebral hemorrhage Died July 25/15 in France |

had

649-R-553

✓ Reid, J. #23075 ✓

✓ Pte., #1 *Vet Hosp.*
*E. Reg. for other Pte. #17 *Vet. Hosp.**
C.A.V.C.

Medals & Decs.

Mother

Mrs. Martha Reid,
22 McRath St.,
Cadzow, Hamilton,
Lannarkshire, Scotland.

P. & S.

Mother

See above.

Des II 455086

Mem. Cross

Mother

See above.

Scroll Desp.

AUG 27 1921

Reqn. No

25227 219718

Plague Desp.

NOV 24 1921

Reqn. No

P17887

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desp. AUG 26 1920 (m) C19940

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l.m. B.R.

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Number 23075 Rank Pte.

Surname REID

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Christian Names J. L.

Unit L.A.V. Co. Theatre of War France

Dates of Service

"10"

Remarks Mother

Latest Address Mrs. Martha Reid

22 Mc Rath St.

Roll No. B Cadzow Hamilton

Page 804 Lanarkshire, Scot.

99.26673 Refs

JUL 20 1921

Surname

Christian Name or Names

Reg. No.

Reid

J.

23075.

Rank

Unit

Co.

Troop

Batty.

Tpr.

C.A.V.C. #1 Can. Vet. Hosp.

Hospital #2 Gen. Hosp. Havre.

Date of Admission

19. 7. 15.

Transferred

Hosp.

22. 6. 15

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Diagnosis Cerebral Compression

(1) Later Diagnosis (if changed)

Contusion R. Eye.

(2)
(3)

Cerebral Haemorrhage.

Additional Diagnoses, if more than one state present

Died C.L. 30. 7. 15

DISPOSITION

Date

C.L. 21. 7. 15 #41.

.. 30. 6. 15 29

.. 8. 7. 15 33

.. 30. 7. 15 5

.. 28. 6. 15 27

.. 3. 7. 15 31.

.. 13. 7. 15 13.

.. 21. 7. 15 41

REMARKS

Rep. "Dangerously Ill" 22. 6. 15
 P.C. reports, "Satisfactory Progress" 27. 6. 15
 .. "Died" up 5 27. 7. 15
 O.C. Gen up 5, "Critical Condition now" 1. 7. 15.
 .. "Dangerously Ill, no change."
 .. "Dangerously ill, very critical." 12. 7. 15
 19. 7. 15

11.11.12
EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

Hospital

Adm.

1.

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Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps No 1 Vet. Hospital C. A. U. C.

Regimental No. 23075 Rank Trooper Name Ruid J.

Enlisted (a) 12/9/14 Terms of Service (a) Duration of war Service reckons from (a) _____

Date of promotion to } Date of appointment } Numerical position on }
 present rank } to lance rank } 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 | | | | |
| 19.4.15. | O.C. | Absent at Tatos | France. | 18.4.15. | Admitted. |
| 24/6/15 | 2 Gen Hos | Confusion R. eye. | " | 21/6/15 | AB 117. 24/6/15 2 Gen Hos |
| 21/6/15. | 9c. | n.g. s. | " | " | B 100. 21/6/15 |
| 27/6/15 | G.C. 2 Gen Hos | Injuries to head. Dangerously ill. | Havre. | 27/6/15 | N ^o 2789. 27/6/15. |
| 15/7/15 | - do - | Cerebral compression. No change in condition. | 2 Gen Hosp. | 12.7.15 | C1491 15/7/15 |
| 25/7/15 | - do - | Cerebral Haemorrhage Died 5.15 am 25/7/15 | 2 Gen Hosp | 25.7.15 | W4-11-1 25/7/15 |

[Signature]
CAPT.
 OFFICER IN CHARGE
 CANADIAN SECTION

62.72 at Bath

(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.


| 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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10th Wisconsin
(Cont).

My brother was getting the better of the fight. I cannot swear how many times Reed went down, but don't think it was more than twice. Once I am sure of, when he slipped. The fight lasted about 3 minutes when a Corporal stopped it. My brother offered to shake hands, but Reed refused, saying he would have it out another time, as he had had enough for that time. His nose was bleeding & his eye was beginning to swell. He was never knocked out & looked all right. He walked well & spoke quite right & there did not seem much the matter with him. They were both excited when the fight began, but were quite cool when it ended.

I do not know of any previous trouble between the two. Both are quiet good-tempered men.

I know my brother did not want to fight. Reed was a very good man with horses - had charge of 3 horses "ribs" which were very savage. One had kicked the plank off the top of the corral. I know that Reed had been kicked on the head by a mule a few days before.



Opinion

The Court are of opinion that Trooper Reed died as the result of injuries received to his head.

On the day he was taken ill, Trooper Reed engaged in a short fight with Trooper J. W. Byers, in which neither man appears to have suffered much injury.

Trooper Reed stated that the injury was caused by a kick from a horse. He was in charge of 3 savage horses but there is no evidence of a kick that day beyond his own statement. The 10th witness states that Trooper Reed had been kicked on the head by a mule a few days earlier, but there is no further evidence of this. The Court are, therefore, of opinion that there is not sufficient evidence to show how & when the fatal injury was caused.

Signed at Stame this fourteenth day of August 1915.

R. H. Storr Major. President

Richard Kirk Capt. }
H. Warburton } Members
2 Lieut. }

Dupl. No. 163

The Court reassemble on the 25th
Aug. 1915

Additional opinion.

The Court having considered the
additional evidence of the 2nd witness
are of opinion that the injuries which
resulted in the death of Lt Reed were
not caused during the fight between him
& Lt Byers & they consider that, as stated
in their original opinion, there is not sufficient
evidence to show how the injuries which
resulted in Lt Reed's death were
received.

Signed at Hare this twenty fifth
day of August 1915

R. R. Army Major. President
Richard Kirk Capt. } members.
H. H. Arbuckle }
2nd Lieut.

I concur

Hare

27-8-1915

(Ed) J. Asser,
Pr. Genl.

Baron Commandant

Duplicate n° 163

The Court reassemble on the 25th August
1915

Lieut E. W. Alment R.A.M.C

2nd witness

states: -

(heard again)

In my opinion the force of the blow of a
fist on the deceased's forehead would not have
been sufficient to have caused the injuries
that resulted in his death.

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Register No. D.R. 209

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY
TO
DEPENDENTS OF DECEASED SOLDIERS

A.P. File No. 115206. J 30

Reg't No. 23075 Name John (Christian Name) Reid (Surname)
Unit C.A.V.C. Rank Spr. Date of enlistment
Date of casualty 25.7.15 B.P.C. File No. 11808
Was service performed overseas? Yes

DEPENDENT

Name W.J. Moore Relationship W. Mother
Address For Mrs. Martha Reid
Boat Warehouse, Augnacloy
Co. Tyrone, Ireland
Amount of Special Pension Bonus \$ nil Abstracted by A. Quinn

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

Eligible for Gratuity \$ 180.00 ✓
Less amount of Special Pension Bonus paid \$ ✓
Less Debit Balance of S. A. or A.P. \$

Total deductions \$ ✓

Balance due \$ 180.00 ✓

Cheque No. G. 1792713 Date issued 20.7.20 mejo

Clerk J. W. Muller

REMARKS :
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Audited by
W. S. ...
Date 19/7/20 \$180⁰⁰

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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

Rates:—Regimental pay \$ of S. A. per diem; Field Allowance \$ per diem. Separation Allowance \$ per month.

Date

Amount paid

Address (in full)

Clerk

Balance due \$

Total deductions \$

U. S. 53061—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 | | |
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Remarks:

Date of casualty

Unit Rank

Reg't No. Name (Christian Name) (Surname)

Relationship

DEPENDENT

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

DEPENDENTS OF DECEASED SOLDIERS
 TO
 WAR SERVICE GRATUITY

20241

MILITIA AND DEFENCE

996

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

Name Reid, Mrs Martha

Address Mill Street,

Aughnacloy

Cp. Tyrone, Ireland

Relation to Soldier

wife, child or mother

Mother. (Widow)

Name of Soldier Reid, John.

Regtl. No. 23075.

Rank Pte.

Corps 12th Batten. Transferred (I.C.A.S.B.)

To what Corps belonging

when called out

East Kintenny Cont.

The Postmaster,
Aughnacloy,
Co. Tyrone,
Ireland.

'Died' 25th/₁₅ nos.

PAYMENTS.

| Month | Year | Cheque No. | Amt. | REMARKS |
|-------|------|------------|--------|--|
| Aug. | 1914 | H-7575. | 10 | } Marriage Certificate P'duc'd JAN 19 1915. jw |
| Sept. | | | | |
| Oct. | | | | |
| Nov. | | | | } P.O. Drafts. P. 632707 / 632749 6/1/15 |
| Dec. | | I 2872 | 70 | |
| Jan. | 1915 | | | } Not entitled to Sep Allow. or Pension Mrs Reid in receipt of £300 per year see corres. |
| Feb. | | | 60 | |
| March | | | | } cc 021178/90 ✓ |
| Apr. | | | 60 | |
| May | | | | } cc 079197/209 ✓ |
| July | | | 60 | |
| Aug. | | | | } cc 181039-051 ✓ Returned intact. Pension granted. 26-7-15. Unpaid \$43.87. to Sept 30-1915 ✓ 2m7. |
| Sept. | | | | |
| Oct. | | | | |
| Nov. | | | | |
| Dec. | | | | |
| Jan. | 1916 | | | |
| Feb. | | | | |
| March | | | | |
| | | | 250 00 | |

RECEIVED

Stop payment form rec'd
21st/₁₅ A.C.G.
Died. 25th/₁₅.

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

Name of Dependant

Name of Soldier

Relation to Soldier

Regtl. No.

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Rank

P.O.

P.O.

Corps

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To what Corps belonging)

when called out)

P.O.

P.O.

| Month. | Year. | Cheque No. or Postal Draft Book No. | Amount. | | Date. | Amount. | | | REMARKS. |
|--------|-------|-------------------------------------|---------|----|-------|---------|----|----|----------|
| | | | \$ | c. | | £ | s. | d. | |
| | | Brought Forward ... | | | | | | | |
| Apl. | 1916 | | | | | | | | |
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| Dec. | | | | | | | | | |
| Jan. | 1917 | | | | | | | | |
| Feb. | | | | | | | | | |
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| Apl. | | | | | | | | | |
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| Aug. | | | | | | | | | |
| Sept. | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Carried Forward ... | | | | | | | |

MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY.

To whom *Mrs. Martha Reid,*
Address *Mill Street, Quehnaclay,*
Co. Tyrone, Ireland.

By whom assigned *Reid, J.*
Regtl. No. *23075*
Rank *Pte.*
Corps, &c.

Rate *\$10.00*

Date to Commence

12 Battalion.

PAYMENTS.

| Month | Year | Cheque No. | Amt. | REMARKS |
|-------|------|--------------|----------|---|
| Aug. | 1914 | | | |
| Oct. | | 262 | 10 00 | ✓ |
| Nov. | | 2047 | 10 00 | ✓ |
| Dec. | | 2259 | 10 | ✓ |
| Jan. | 1915 | Oct. 9. 1227 | 10 | } Transferred from other sheet. See file 201. |
| Feb. | | Nov. 1226 | 10 | |
| March | | Dec. 2281 | 10 | |
| Apr. | | | | |
| May | | 4015 | 20 | |
| June | | 10226 | 10 | |
| July | | 14905 | 10 | |
| Aug. | | 21310 | 10 | |
| Sept. | | | | |
| Nov. | | | \$ 110 0 | ✓ |
| Dec. | | | | |
| Jan. | 1916 | | | |
| Feb. | | | | |
| March | | | | |

FALSE

Payment Stopped
A.3M Form.

SHAW AND BROWN

ASSIGNED PAY

By whom assigned

Reg. No.

Name

Comp. No.

PAYMENTS

MARKS

NO.

DATE

AMOUNT

REMARKS

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MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY
OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

To Whom *Mrs. Martha Reid,*
Address *Mill St.*
Aughnacloy, Co. Tyrone,
Ireland.

By Whom Assigned *Reid John*
Regtl. No. *23075.*
Rank *Pte. now CA T.C.*
Corps *12th. Batta. 4th. Bde.*

Rate *\$ 10.00*

PAYMENTS

| Month | Year | Cheque No. | Amt. | REMARKS |
|-------|------|----------------|-------------|--|
| Aug. | 1914 | | | |
| Sept. | | | | <i>Payment for October & November To be made.</i> |
| Oct. | | <i>2. 1227</i> | <i>10.-</i> | |
| Nov. | | <i>2. 1226</i> | <i>10.-</i> | |
| Dec. | | <i>2281</i> | <i>10.-</i> | |
| Jan. | 1915 | | | <i>Paid 30p amount.</i> |
| Feb. | | | | <i>See other sheet. No further payments until this is adjusted</i> |
| March | | | | |
| Apr. | | | | |
| May | | <i>4015</i> | <i>20.</i> | |
| June | | | | |
| July | | | | <i>See page 2014</i> |
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NAME Reid J.

Regimental No. 23075

Name and address of next-of-kin

Unit ~~12th Battalion~~ *C.A.V.C.*

Mrs. Martha Reid

Date of enlistment *12th Aug*

Mill St. Aughnacloy

Place of " *Fernie B.C.*

Co. Tyrone, Ireland

Married (yes or no) *No*

Date and place discharged *Died in France 25.7.15*

Amount of pay assigned monthly \$ *10⁰⁰*

Reason for discharge

To whom payable *Next of kin*

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 | | | | | |
| <i>22/9</i> | <i>31/10</i> | <i>40</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>40</i> | <i>40</i> | <i>10</i> | <i>4</i> | | | <i>34</i> | <i>10</i> | | <i>44</i> | |
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| <i>McBranch</i> | | | | | | | | <i>490</i> | | | | | | <i>Effect: 1/9/15: of pay for aug and recover 10: of pay</i> |
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| <i>May 17.</i> | | | | | | | | <i>3260</i> | | | | | | <i>10: of pay</i> |

Cash found in effects *Nil*

Statement
APR 25 1916
Account rendered

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PAY OFFICE, N.E. BRANCH
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CANADIAN CONTINGENTS

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536

To Whom *Mr. Martha Reid*
Address *Mill Street -
Aughnacloy, Co. Tyrone
Ireland*
Rate *\$10⁰⁰ - From Oct-1st 1914*

By Whom Assigned *Reid J.*
Regtl. No. *23075*
Rank *Private*
Corps *12th Battⁿ*

PAYMENTS

| Month | Year | Cheque No. | Amt. | REMARKS |
|-------|------|------------|------|-------------------------------------|
| Aug. | 1914 | | | |
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Casualties

Death 25th / 15 (C.R. 30th / 15)

Pension Granted *26/7/15*...
B.P.C. to Recover \$
Clerk *M. H. Hill* Date *26/7/17*

18-19-1918
To the
Hon. Secy. War Dept.
Washington, D.C.

To be used for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army only.
Army Form B. 178^A to be used for Special Reserve recruits
and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname Reid Christian Name John

Crisp

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace .. Parish Tyrone County Ireland

Examined { on 21st day of Jan. 1915.
at Tidworth

Declared Age 29 years 4 mths days.

Trade or Occupation .. Policeman

Height 5 feet 8 inches.

Weight lbs.

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded 44 inches.
Range of Expansion 4 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) Tattoo full rigged ship on breast

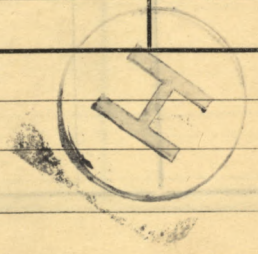
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection { (b)

Approved by .. (Signature) R.H.Sutherland
(Rank) Capt; A.M.C. Medical Officer.

Enlisted { at Tidworth
on 21st A.V. day of Jan; 1915.

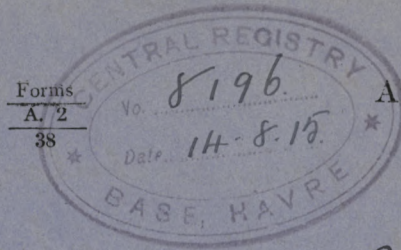
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| Joined on Enlistment .. | Corps. <u>C.A.V.C.</u> | Regtl. No. <u>23075</u> |
| Transferred to .. | | |

Became non-effective by
on .. day of .. 191 ..
(Signature) ..
(Rank) ..



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Army Form A. 2.

PROCEEDINGS of a* Court of Enquiry
 assembled at No 131 Boulevard de Strasbourg Havre
 on the 11th August 1915
 by order of Brig. General J. J. Asser C. B.
Commandant, Base, Havre
 for the purpose of enquiring into the circumstances
under which Trooper Reed C A V C received
injuries which resulted in his death

*N.B. — The Form being applicable to any Board of Officers, or Committee, or Court of Inquiry, this blank to be filled in accordingly.

The proceedings should be signed by each Officer composing the Board, etc.

PRESIDENT.

Major R. Rostron 6/Cheshire Regt.

MEMBERS.

Captain R. Kirk 6/Cheshire Regt.

2 Lieut. R. G. Parkhurst 6/Cheshire Regt.

IN ATTENDANCE.

The Court having assembled pursuant to order, proceed to take evidence.

1st witness

Major C. G. Saunders C A V C states:—

On the 21st June 1915 I was Orderly Officer at the Canadian Veterinary Hospital, Havre. About 11.15 pm I was called by the Orderly Staff Sergeant

No 48512 Sergeant W. Wenham C.A.V.C

5th witness

States: -

On the 21st June 1915 at the Canadian Veterinary Hospital, Havre about 1.30 p.m. I heard there was going to be a fight, so went across to the field to stop it. When I arrived I found that Cpl Vance had already done so & I ordered both the men to go back to the Camp. The 2 men, Troopers Reed & Byers (F.W.) were apparently none the worse for their scrap & went back when I told them. The whole occurrence could not have lasted more than about 2 minutes as I followed as soon as I saw the crowd pass my door & when I got there they were separated.

No 48605 Corporal J. Vance C.A.V.C states: - 6th witness

On the 21st June 1915 at the Canadian Veterinary Hospital Havre, when we were all having dinner, I heard a bit of an argument going on, but did not pay any attention to it, as it sounded more like ordinary conversation. I then saw all the men going off in a body & heard some one say there was going to be a fight, so I followed them & found Troopers Reed & Byers (F.W.) already fighting. As I approached I saw one of them fall, I could not see which, but he was up instantly & when I got through the crowd they were holding each other. I ordered them to stop & Sergt Wenham who arrived just after me, ordered them to go back to Camp, which they did. The whole thing could not have lasted more than 3 minutes. I noticed that Trooper Reed had a small mark on one of his cheekbones, near the eye; except for that both

to see Trooper Reed who was reported to be ill. I went to see him & found him unconscious. The Staff Serjt had already sent for an ambulance. I roused Trooper Reed & asked him what had happened & he told me he had been kicked by a horse & then relapsed into unconsciousness again.

Lieut E. W. Alurent R A M C states:- 2nd witness

Early on the morning of the 22nd June 1915 I was going round with the orderly officer at No General Hospital Quai's' Scale when I saw Trooper Reed admitted to the Hospital. He was conscious & said that he had been kicked on the head by a horse. I examined him & found that he had a contused swelling on the forehead, above the right eye. His condition at the time did not appear grave. During that night he became unconscious for a short time & he was seen by the orderly officer. From that date onwards his condition remained without change, his principal symptom being a headache until about the 8th July. He began to develop symptoms of compression. He was trephined, as a result of this it became evident that the seat of his trouble lay at the base of the brain. His condition gradually got worse until July 25th when he died. He told me several times during his stay in the Hospital that he had been kicked by a horse & there was nothing in his condition to make me doubt that statement.

Death was due to an abscess at the back of the skull, following haemorrhage caused by the injury. It was a very unusual case as up to the 8th July, there was nothing in his symptoms which might not have been caused by severe stunning. The blow must have been a very severe one.

3rd witness

No 48504 Staff Sergeant J. W. Butchling C.A.V.C.

States: —

On the 21st June I was Orderly Staff Sergeant at the Canadian Veterinary Hospital, Hare. About 11.20 pm the Sergeant of the Picket reported to me that Trooper Reed was seriously ill. I went to see him & as soon as I saw his condition I told Sergeant Gales to telephone for an Ambulance. I asked Trooper Reed what had happened to him & he said he had been kicked by a horse. I went for the Orderly officer when the ambulance arrived took Trooper Reed to the Hospital.

No 48548 Sergeant F. S. Gales C.A.V.C.

4th witness

States: —

On the 21st June 1915 I was N.C.O. in charge of the Picket at the Canadian Veterinary Hospital, Hare. About 11.10 pm Trooper Dukeshire came to me & reported that Trooper Reed was very ill. I went to see him & found him lying outside his tent holding his head. I asked him what the matter was, but got no reply, except being asked to send him away to the Hospital, as he could not stand the pain any longer. The pain was so bad that he was trying to get his razor to cut his throat with. I left him in charge of Trooper Dukeshire & went to inform Staff Supt Butchling about it.

6th witness
[Cont.]

men were apparently none the worse for the fight - Trooper Reed was working under me that afternoon in the Skin Disease Lines & he looked after 3 horses which he had been looking after for about a month. These 3 horses, to my knowledge, are very bad tempered & I had put Trooper Reed in charge of them especially, as he was very fond of horses & a very capable man with them. About 10.30 pm I heard from Trooper Dukeshire that Trooper Reed was feeling ill & had told Trooper Dukeshire that he had been kicked by a horse. I told him to tell the Sergeant of the Guard.

7th witness

No 48558 Corporal R. Eustace C.A.V.C

States: —

On the 21st June 1915 at the Canadian Veterinary Hospital, Havre, during the dinner hour in the mess tent, I heard a bit of an argument & Reed who often talked about wrestling & fighting, was arguing with several other men & one of them said "Somebody will put you in the horse-trough if you don't look out." Reed then said there wasn't anybody there who could put him in. Trooper J. Byers, who is a fairly big man & as far as I know, had taken

that no blow I gave him could have done any damage.
I know it is necessary to put heel-ropes on the 3 horses
which Reed had to look after. I am quite sure I did
not hit him in the eye. I tried 3 times to see him when
he was in Hospital, but was always refused because he was
in such a bad condition.

No 46058 Trooper C. Dukeshire C. a. v. c. 9th witness

States: -

I slept in the same tent as the late Trooper Reed at the
Canadian Veterinary Hospital, Hare. On the night in
question, he was in bed when I got to the tent about 8.30 pm.
He woke me up about 10.30 pm., told me he had been kicked
by a horse & felt very ill & asked me to get an ambulance.
I reported to Corp. Vance who told me to tell the Sergeant of
the Picket.

No 2113 Trooper F. C. Byers C. a. v. c. States: - 10th witness

on the 21st June about 1.30 pm. I was in my tent
at the Canadian Veterinary Hospital, Hare, when
I was told that my brother, (Trooper F. W. Byers) &
Trooper Reed were going to fight. I went out & found
they were going up to the field. They started fighting.
It was all quite fair. My brother was going to
take up boxing, but his temper spoilt him. He tells
me that he has had 12 to 18 months' training, but I
have not seen much of him lately until he joined the army.

no part in the discussion, was suggested as one ~~who~~
could put him in. The two men got rather warm
about it - left the men-tent with the idea of settling
the matter. When I got outside I saw a crowd of men going
towards one of the fields, so I followed them - when I arrived,
they were already fighting. I saw Reed knocked down
twice, - after the second time, he got up & staggered
Byers with one or two body blows. Whilst Reed was on
his knees the second time, Byers wanted to shake
hands, but Reed refused. After getting in the body blows
Reed said he did not feel well enough to finish it that
day, but would continue it some other time. Byers &
his friends wanted him to settle the matter then or else
shake hands, but Reed refused to shake. after an
argument between the two sections of the crowd, they
dispersed. I noticed that Reed's eye looked bad & his
cheek was swollen, but he was able to walk away quite
all right. He had never been knocked out. The fight
was absolutely fair, except that Reed once hit Byers when
he was on his knees, at which the crowd protested. The
whole affair was very short. I know the 3 horses which
Reed was in charge of. They were "rigs", but have been
operated on since. They were bad-tempered & Reed prided
himself on being able to manage them.

8th witness .

No 21112 Trooper T.W. Byers C.A.V.C.

States: —

On the 21st June 1915 at the Canadian Veterinary Hospital, Haere, during the dinner hour in the Mess Tent, a discussion started about horses & I & several other men were chaffing Trooper Reed about not being able to look after them properly. It was only chaff, because we all knew that he was a very good man with horses & had 3 difficult ones to look after. He got annoyed & not liking the way I was teasing him, said if I did not shut up, he would make me & I told him he could not do it. He said he could & then said "Come up to the field & I'll soon show you whether I can or not." We went up to the field & had not been at it more than 2 or 3 minutes, when some N.C.O.s came up & stopped it. During the fight, the grass being slippery, we both of us slipped on to our knees several times, but did not fall hard enough to hurt ourselves in any way. We went back to the Camp, but before doing so I asked Reed to shake hands, but he refused to do so & said that he would get me some other time.

We were always very good friends together & never had any disputes before. I was chaffing him more than the others & he got annoyed & picked on me as being the chief one. I have done a little boxing & am certain

Rank and Name REID John.

Regimental No. 23075

Name and Address of Next-of-kin

Unit 12th. Battalion,

Mrs. Martha Reid.

Date of enlistment 12th. Aug. 1914.

Mill Street Aughnacley

Co. Tyrone Ireland.

Place of birth B.C.

No.

Married (Yes or No)

Date and place of discharge

If in Permanent Force

Reason for discharge

Character on discharge

Promotions or appointments

N/E. R.B. No

File R.L.

Category Died

| 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 |
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| Date | From whom received | | | | |
| 22-4-15 | Sub. R.O. | appears on C.A.V. from Roll. Shorncliffe | | 22-4-15 | Mustn Parade Roll |
| | | Contracted with No. 1. Vets. Hosp. | | | |
| 26 6/15 | OC No. 1 Vets. Hpl. | Dangerously ill. Adm 2 S.H. Havre | | 22 6/15 | Rpt. No. 27. b.a.v.c N.K. |
| 30 6/15 | WO | Contusion r. eye. Progressing satisf. | Do. | 27 6/15 | Rpt. No. 29 |
| 3 7/15 | " | condition now critical. | Do. | 1 7/15 | Rpt. No. 31. ON NK |
| 8 7/15 | " | condition satisfactory. | Do. | 5 7/15 | Rpt. No. 33 N.K. |
| 13 7/15 | " | Dangerously ill - no change. | Do. | 12 7/15 | Rpt. No. 37. |
| 21 7/15 | OC No. 2 S.H. Havre | Dangerously ill - Very critical. | Do. | 19 7/15 | Rpt No. 41 ON N.K. |
| 21.7.15 | OC C.V. Hpl | Died | | 25 7/15 | Part 2 orders p 0 |
| | | grave no 95 Div 19 sect:1 | | | Burial Report 4. 8.15 |
| | | Cimetiere Ste Marie Havre | | | Reported by Rev. H.T.A. Tracy CP |
| 20-7-15 | WO | of 2 Genl Hpl reports Death | do | 25.7.15 | Car + 5. Cerebral Hemorrhage |



Enw. #13453

