

ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. 928798

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

Folio.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS).

- 1. What is your surname? *Sutherland*
- 1a. What are your Christian names? *Tom Owen*
- 1b. What is your present address? *Garrison Ont Canada*
- 2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born? *Garrison, Ont Canada*
- 3. What is the name of your next-of-kin? *Mrs Blair Sutherland*
- 4. What is the address of your next-of-kin? *Garrison Ont Canada*
- 4a. What is the relationship of your next-of-kin? *Mother*
- 5. What is the date of your birth? *Sept. 26 1898*
- 6. What is your Trade or Calling? *Student*
- 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, *Tom Owen Sutherland*, 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 *Apr 11th* 1916 *Tom Owen Sutherland* (Signature of Recruit)
Wm Greer (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, *Tom Owen Sutherland*, 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 *Apr 11th* 1916 *Tom Owen Sutherland* (Signature of Recruit)
Wm Greer (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 *Garrison* this *11th* day of *April* 1916
Wm Greer (Signature of Justice)

Niven

Description of Thomas Sutherland on Enlistment.

Apparent Age... 18 years... 2 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. 11 ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded..... 35½ ins.
 Range of expansion..... 3 ins.

Complexion..... Dark

Eyes..... Gray

Hair..... Dark

Religious denominations { Church of England.....
 Presbyterian. Presby
 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..... Apr 11..... 1916

Place..... Warriston, Ont.

G. P. Macdougall
 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 Niven Sutherland..... naving 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. G. [Signature] Major
 Lt. Col. (Signature of Officer)

Date..... April..... 11th...... 1916..... O. C. 153rd. Bn. C.E.F.

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

DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS

R. O. No.

H. Q. No.

Attestation Papers..... 2 2 ✓

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..... 1 ✓

Corps History Sheet.....

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

Parchment Certificate.....

Medical Report for Invalids.....

Medical History Sheet..... 1 ✓

Proceedings of Regt. Court Martial.....

Copies of Convictions by Civil Power.....

Company Conduct Sheet..... 1 ✓

Clothing Transfer Certificate.....

Inventory of Kit..... 1 ✓

Last Pay Certificate.....

Name

Sutherland Tom Niven

Regt. No.

928798

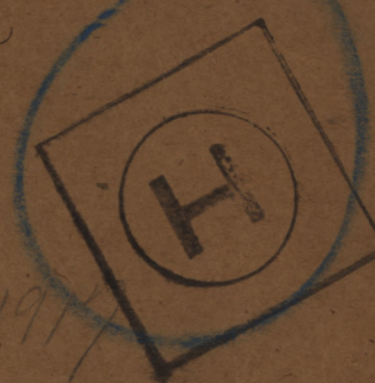
Rank

Pte

Corps

153rd Br. C. Co. F.

Deceased April 24th 1917



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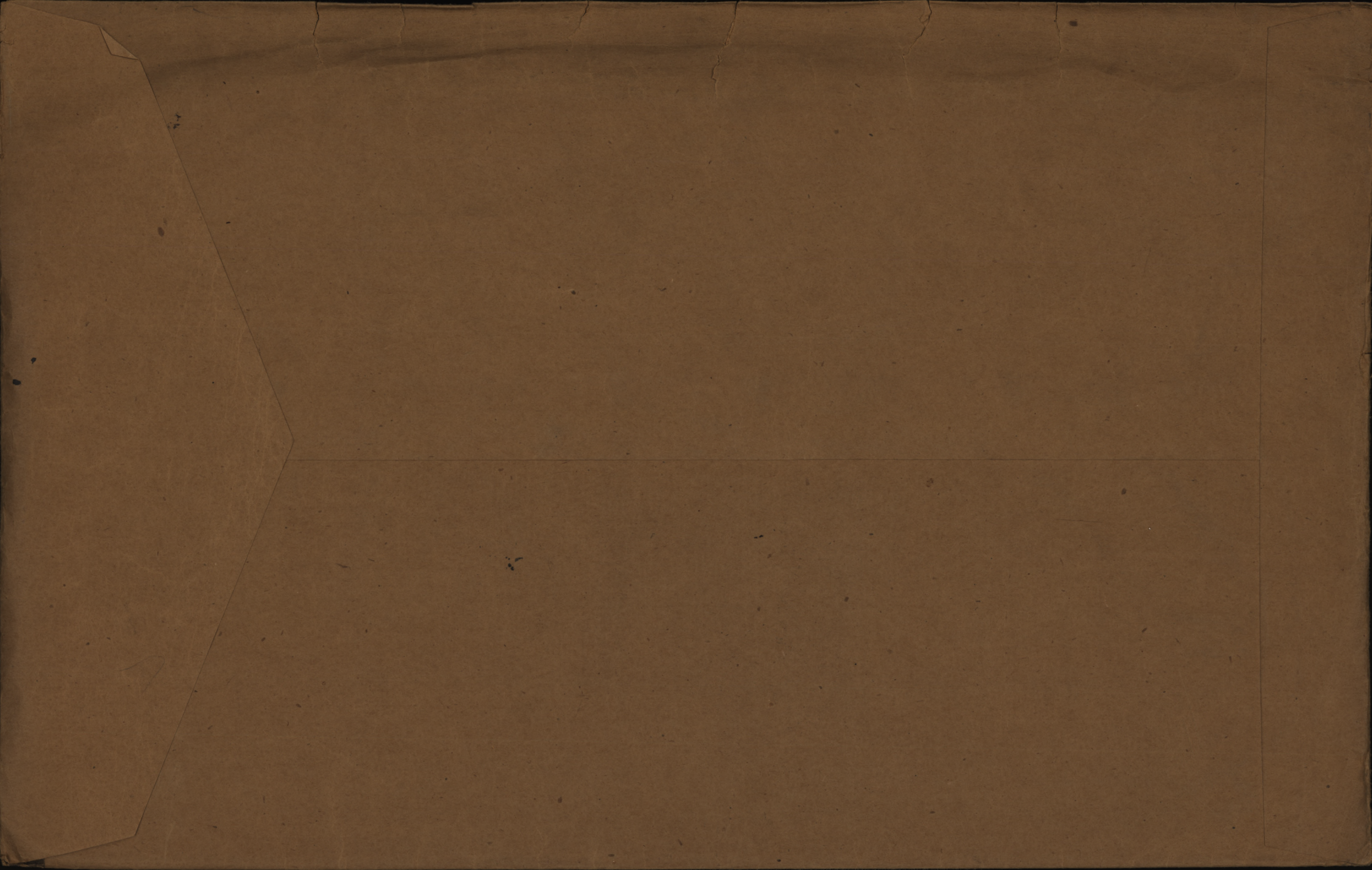
Particulars of Family 2 ✓



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*M. F. W. 62.
2/19/17*



SURNAME. *Sutherland*

649 S-75-82.

CARD NO. ✓

CHRISTIAN NAMES

Tom Given

FOLL.

D

REGL. NO.

928798

RANK

Plt.

UNIT

~~153rd~~ *No 1 Spec Serv Co.*

~~Am.~~

FORMER CORPS

Nil

NEXT OF KIN.

NAMES IN FULL

Sutherland Mrs David

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER

Mother

ADDRESS

Harriston Ont.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

COUNTRY OF BIRTH

Canada Harriston Ont.

DATE

Sept 26th 1898.

PLACE OF ATTESTATION

Harriston

DATE

Apr 11th 1916.

Trans from 153rd Bn to No 1 Spec Serv Co.

Auth No 1 S.S. Co. N.R. 10-10-17.

MARRIED

SINGLE *Yes*

WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING

Student.

RELIGION

Presbyterian

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE

18 YEARS

2 MONTHS

HEIGHT

5- FEET

11 INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT

38 $\frac{1}{2}$ INCHES

EXPANSION

3 INCHES

COMPLEXION

Dark

EYES

Grey

HAIR

Dark.

DISTINGUISHING MARKS

Nil

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

PLACE

Harriston Ont.

DATE

April 12 1916.

Present Address: - Harriston, Ont.

649-S-7582. 928798 Pte. T. Sutherland. CEF.,

15 3rd Bn.

Medals & Dec. (Father) Mr. Sutherland,
Harriston,
Ont.,

Scroll Desp. ~~Reqn. No. 2: 53339~~

Plaque Desp. ~~Reqn. No. PH 4172~~

Plaque & Scroll. (Father) Same as above.

Ser # 808641

Memorial Cross. (Father) Same as above.

Note. Mother died subsequently.

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*Canada only
M.J.*

C 51912 28/9/21

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

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

500M.—9-16

H. Q. 1772-39-920.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Unit, Regiment or Corps 153rd Bn

Regimental No. 928798 Rank Pte Name Rutherford Tom Steven

Enlisted (a) 11/4/16 Terms of Service (a) 10y Service reckons from (a) 11/4/16

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				
<u>7th/₁₇</u>	<u>S.S. Coy</u>	<u>S.O.S on trans. from 153rd Bn. for further disposition</u>	<u>London</u>	<u>6th/₁₇</u>	<u>A 2064</u>
<u>24th/₁₇</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>S.O.S deceased Auth p+1+879 d/22-4-17.</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>21st/₁₇</u>	<u>A 2077</u> <u>[Signature]</u> <u>[Signature]</u>

(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.

FORM OF WILL.

I, Tom Steven Sutherland (Name in full) REC'D
MILITIA & DEFENCE
MAY 11 1917
CANADA
 Regimental Number 22498 serving in 153 Bn
 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

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

absolutely, and my personal estate I bequeath to

My Mother Mrs D Sutherland } Name and Address
Harriston } of person or
Ont } persons to receive
 _____ } personal estate*
 _____ } (See note).

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

this 23 day of February A. D. 1917

Plo Tom Sutherland 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**

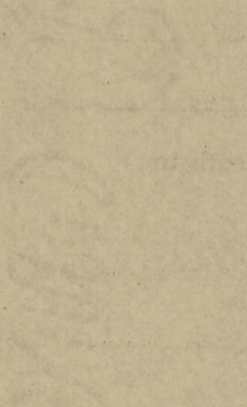
Signature of First Witness D Sutherland
 Address of Witness Harriston
 Occupation of Witness Merchant
 Signature of Second Witness M. J. [unclear]
 Address of Witness 21 Kitchener Ave London
 Occupation of Witness Ins agent

FORM OF WILL

1911-11-08-1

I, the undersigned, of the County of ... State of ... do hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original of the within and foregoing as the same appears in the records of the County of ... State of ...

Witness my hand and seal of office this ... day of ... 1911.



Notary Public for the County of ... State of ...

Subscribed and sworn to before me this ... day of ... 1911.

Notary Public for the County of ... State of ...

MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.

ORIGINAL

Surname Sutherland Christian Name Thomas Niven

Examined { on 11th day of April 1916
 at Harriston

Approved by G. I. [Signature]

Birthplace { City or Town Harriston
 County Wellington

Rank Capt. AmL. M.O.

Apparent age 18

Trade or occupation Student

Height 5 Feet 11 Inches.

Weight 145 Lbs.

Chest measurement { Minimum 32 inches.
 Maximum expansion 3 1/2 inches.

Physical development Good

Small-Pox Marks None

Vaccination Marks { A r m Right. Left.
 Number 0 0

When Vaccinated last 1902

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease None

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection None

Date.	Fit or Unfit.	EXAMINED FOR RE-ENGAGEMENT.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
Date.	Result.	VACCINATIONS.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
Date.	Result.	ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Enlisted on 11 day of April 1916 at Harriston

	CORPS.	REG'TL NUMBER.	HABITS.	DATE.
Joined on enlistment	<u>153rd. Bn.</u> <u>C. E. F.</u>	<u>928798</u>		<u>11/4/16</u>
Transferred to				

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.

To be made out in duplicate.

H.Q. 54-21-23-53

PARTICULARS OF FAMILY OF AN OFFICER OR MAN ENLISTED IN C. E. F.

INSTRUCTIONS.

- (a) This form is only required for men joining units for Overseas Service and must be completed immediately the man is warned for draft overseas.
- (b) Care must be taken to see that a man is allotted his correct Regimental Number. No numbers must be duplicated and once it has been allotted to a man, even if he is subsequently discharged, the same number must never be allotted to another man.
- (c) All questions, etc., must be answered.
- (d) One copy of the form is to be forwarded by Officer Commanding unit for each Officer and man to Officer Commanding Division or District at least seven days before man leaves his station to proceed overseas, for transmission to Accountant and Paymaster General, Ottawa.
- (e) Duplicate copy is to be forwarded direct to Officer in charge of Records, C.E.F. London, immediately after arrival in England.

(1) Name of Overseas Unit which Soldier joins.....153rd. Battalion C.E.F.....

(2) Regimental Number 928.798

(3) Full Name of Soldier..... Thomas Niven Sutherland

(4) Place of Birth..... Harriston .Ont.

(5) Are you married, or not ?..... no

(6) If married, state,
(a) Full name of your wife..... no

(b) Present Postal Address.....

(7) Are you a widower ?..... no

(8) Have you any children ?..... no

If so, give number of boys and girls.....

Also their names and ages.....

(9) Is your Father alive?..... yes

If so, state name and address David Sutherland Harriston Ont.

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

If so, state name and address..... Mrs. David Sutherland Harriston Ont.

(11) If your Mother is a widow..... no

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

(12) If sole support of widowed mother, state what amount you have given her per month prior to your enlistment, also reason she has no other support than yourself.

..... no

(13) If you have no wife, father, mother or children, state the name and relationship with full postal address of your next of kin, to whom you would desire any communication to be sent concerning you.

..... no

(14) If you have a wife, or children, or a widowed mother who depends on you as her sole support, have you applied to the Paymaster of your unit for Separation Allowance? If not, this must be done.

..... no

(15) Are you insured?..... no

If so, in what Company?..... no

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

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

W. G. Jones
Major
O. C. 153rd Battalion, C. E. F.

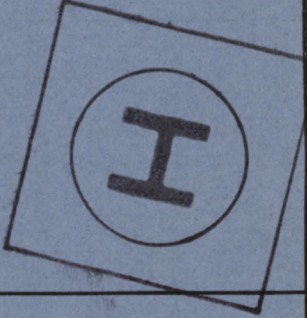
Date..... 22/5/16

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Military District No. 1
MAY 31 1917
I. D. 205187

Proceedings on Discharge.

(When forwarded for confirmation these proceedings should be accompanied by the documents specified on fourth page.)

No. <i>928498</i>	
Rank <i>Private</i>	
Name <i>Tom Mervin Sutherland</i> <small>NOTE—The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment unless changed subsequently by authority.</small>	
Corps (Squadron, Battery or Company) <i>No 1 S. S. Co</i>	
Date of Discharge <i>April 24th 1917</i>	
Place of Discharge <i>London Ontario</i>	
1. DESCRIPTION AT THE TIME OF DISCHARGE.	
Age.....years.....months.	Descriptive Marks 
Height..... feet..... inches.	
Complexion	
Eyes	
Hair	
Trade	
Intended place of residence (To be given as fully as practicable.)	
2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of <i>Deceased</i>	
<small>N.B.—The cause of discharge must be worded as prescribed in the King's Regulations and be identified with that on the character certificate. If discharged by superior authority, the number and date of the letter to be quoted.</small>	
To be in the handwriting of the Commanding Officer, who will himself make identical entries on the character certificate and initial them.	3. Conduct and character while in the service have been, according to the records, etc.
	<small>N. B.—This will be assessed when practicable, by the Commanding Officer, in the presence of the soldier and the Officer Commanding his Squadron, Battery or Company:</small>
	4. Special qualifications for employment in civil life. (Vide para. 332, K. R. & O., Canada.)

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5. He is in possession of the following number of G. C. Badges:

No reference to G. C. Badges is to be made on either the discharge or character certificate.

6. Medals and Decorations.....

To be copied by the Commanding Officer on to the parchment Discharge Certificate.

7. His account is correctly balanced, and signed by the Officer Commanding his Company. (Squadron or Battery), and I have impartially enquired into all matters brought before me in accordance with Regulations.

(Place).....

(Date)..... Commanding

8. Certificate to be signed by the Soldier on Discharge

I hereby acknowledge that I received all my Pay, Allowances and Clothing, and all just demands, up to the present date, subject to the reservations of the claims noted on the third page.

(Place)..... (Signature of Soldier.)

(Date)..... (Signature of Witness.)

When a soldier is absent through illness or any other cause and it is not desirable to forward these proceedings to him for signature, a manuscript copy should be sent for the man to sign, and when returned, should be attached here.

9. Additional Certificate in the case of a Soldier who takes his discharge on his own request.

I hereby declare that I do of my own free will request to be discharged from His Majesty's Service.

..... (Signature of Soldier.)

10. Statement of Service.

Service toward Engagement to.....(the date to which the Record of Service is completed).....years.....days.

Total.....years.....days.

11. Confirmation of Discharge.

The discharge of the above-named man is hereby confirmed.

(Place).....

(Signature)

(Date)

Reservations referred to at Para. 8.

(To be signed by the soldier. When there are none, it is to be so stated, and signed by the soldier.)

(OVER)

List of Discharge Documents.

Reg. Conduct Sheet, Militia form B. 263. Squadron } Battery } Conduct Sheet, " B. 263a. Company }	Attestation Paper, Militia Form B. 235. Proceedings on Discharge " B. 218.
Copies of Convictions, by C. P. in MS. Med. Hist. Sheet, Militia Form B. 313 Medical Report for Invalid* " B. 227. Statement of Man's Account on Transfer and Last Pay Certificate, " D. 877. *Only if discharged "Medically unfit."	<p style="text-align: center;">In the case of recruits who are rejected on final approval, the discharge documents will consist of</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(a) Proceedings on Discharge.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(b) Attestation.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(c) Medical History Sheet (in the event of such having been prepared.)</p>

N. B.—In the case of a man discharged by purchase, the date and number of Deposit Receipt with amount of same is to be noted hereon.