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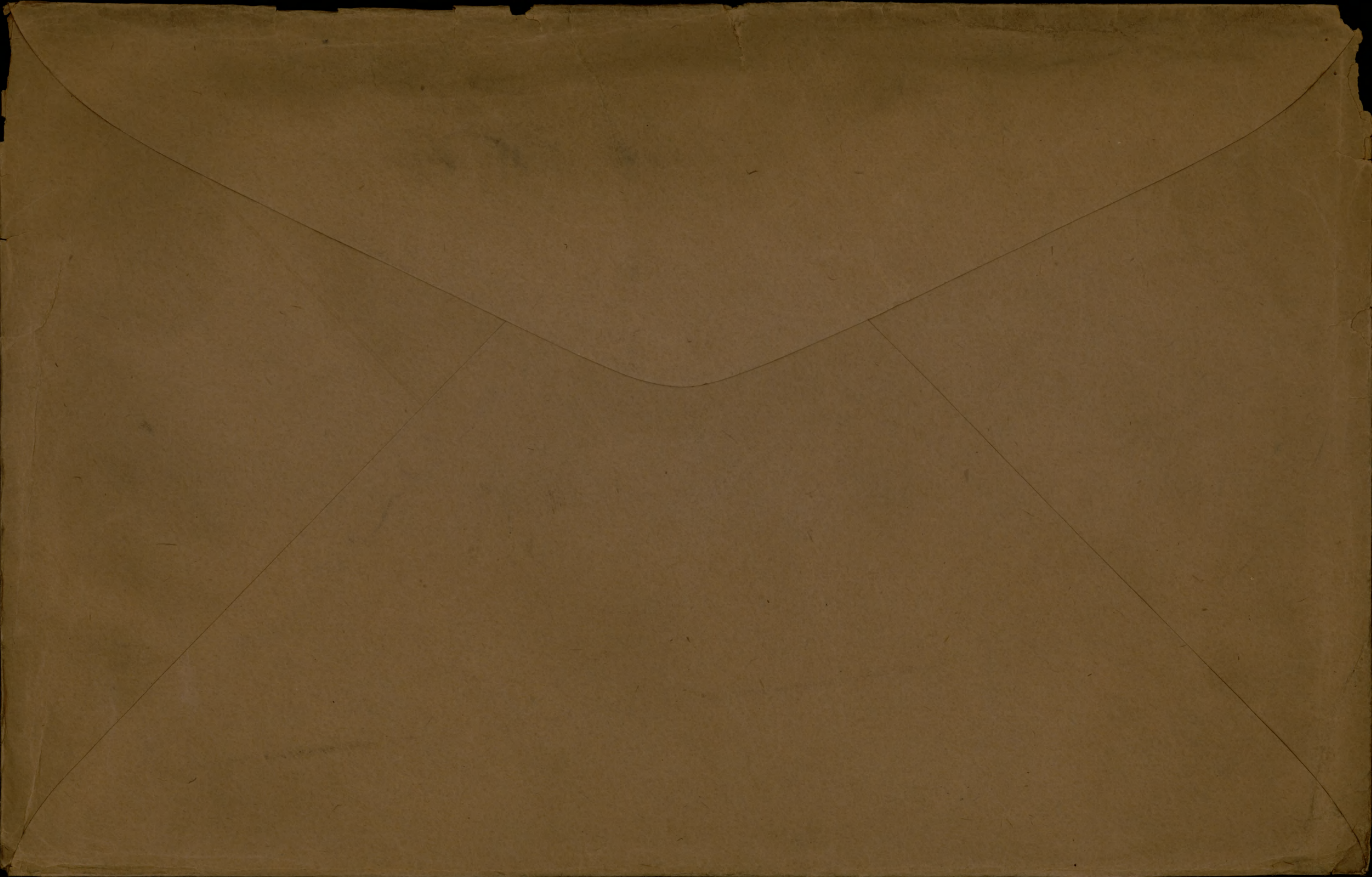
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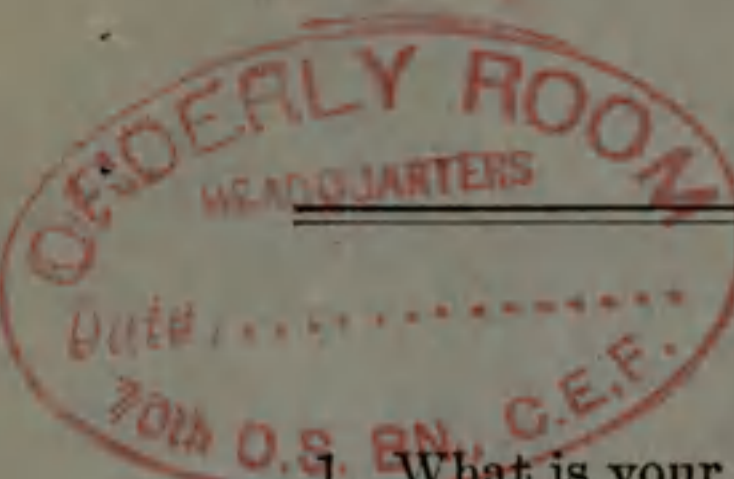
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CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.



(ANSWERS.)

1. What is your name?..... *James Abercromby*
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... *Glasgow Scotland*
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?..... *Mrs Williamson (sister)*
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... *96 Springfield Place Bridgtown 10 Traganama St Toronto*
5. What is the date of your birth?..... *Glasgow Scot. 10th Jan 1896*
6. What is your Trade or Calling?..... *farmer*
7. Are you married?..... *no*
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated?..... *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*

James Abercromby (Signature of Man.)
Wm Taylor (Signature of Witness.)

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, *James Abercromby*, 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 *12 Oct* 191*5* *James Abercromby* (Signature of Recruit)
Wm Taylor (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, *James Abercromby*, 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 *12 Oct* 191*5* *James Abercromby* (Signature of Recruit)
Wm Taylor (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 *Chatham* this *12th* day of *Oct* 191*5*.

Wm Wood (Signature of Justice)

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

Neil Smith Major (Approving Officer)

Description of James Abercromby on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 19 years 6 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 4 ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 35 1/2 ins.
 Range of expansion 3 ins.

Complexion fair
 Eyes blue
 Hair brown

Religious denominations. { Church of England.....
 Presbyterian yes.....
 Wesleyan Methodist.....
 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 21 Oct 1915.

Place Chatham Ont.

B. B. Bell
Quint
 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.

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

[Signature] St. Col.
 (Signature of Officer)

Date Oct. 7th 1915.
Pr. Comd 70th Overseas Am. C. E. F.

REPORT ON ACCIDENTAL OR SELF-INFLICTED INJURIES.

To be rendered in accordance with instructions on the back of this form.

1. Number, Rank, Name, and Unit of injured man. *123978 Pte. Abercrombie J.*
18th Can. Battl. Date of Casualty. *14.6.17*

2. Nature, Location, and Severity of injury. (N.B. Field Ambulance to be notified at once if wound is believed to be self-inflicted.) *Flesh wound, hip, slight.*

3. Short statement of the circumstances of the case. (Signed statements of witnesses to be attached to this form.) *#174556 Pte. Edwards W. was instructing on the Lewis Gun. He put in a live round in mistake for a dummy and pressed the trigger, exploding the round. The bullet hit the spare part/wallet and entered the ground. A part of the spare parts hit. Pte Abercrombie J.*

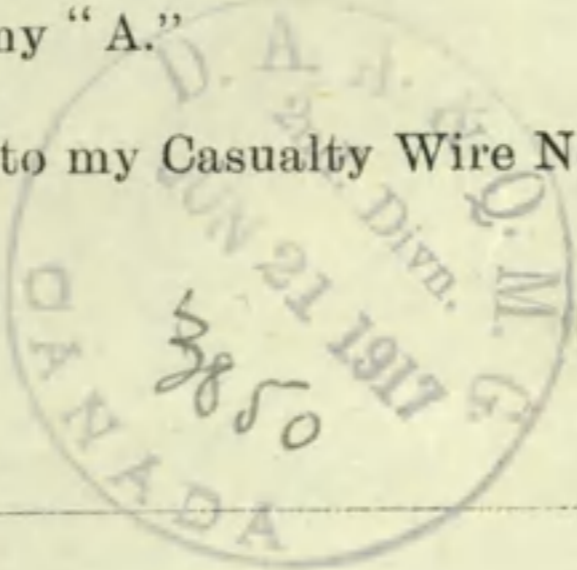
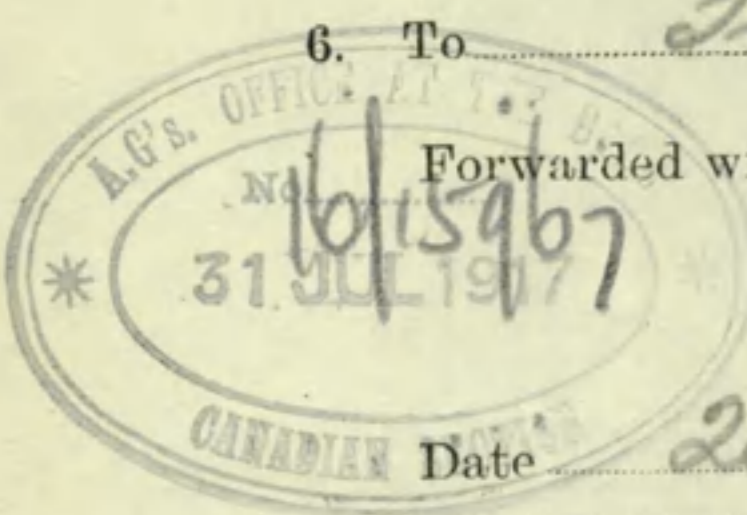
4. Commanding Officer's opinion as to whether the man was:—
 (a) In the performance of military duty, *yes.*
 (b) To blame, *no.*
 (c) Whether any other person was to blame. *yes.*

Date *15/6/17* Commanding *H. Jones Lt. Col 18th Can. Bn.*

5. (a) Opinion of G.O.C. Brigade. *(a) Unavoidable in so far as casualties are concerned.*
 (b) Disciplinary action taken or proposed, whether against injured man or another. *(b) The officer who failed to inspect the ammunition will be disciplined.*

Date *June 20 1917* Commanding *Br. Jones Lt. Col 4th C. Brigade.*

6. To *First* Army "A." Forwarded with reference to my Casualty Wire No. *2611144* dated *15/6/17*
 Date *20/6/17* *for soc 2nd Cdn. Division.*



7. To D.A.G., G.H.Q., 3rd Echelon.
 Forwarded for record. This casualty should be reported as.....
 Date..... Army.

INSTRUCTIONS.

1. These forms are to be completed in all cases of accidental or self-inflicted injuries, involving a soldier's absence from duty, whether due to the man's own act, or that of a comrade, or to other extraneous circumstances.

2. Where several casualties occur as the result of one accident, one form is to be completed for each Officer or other rank injured, but only one set of statements from the witnesses of the accident need be attached.

3. Full statements are to be taken by an Officer from the witnesses of the accident. These statements will be signed by the witnesses making them, and by the Officer who takes them, and will be forwarded with this Form. Where it is intended to take disciplinary action, copies of these statements should be retained by the Unit for use in lieu of a summary of evidence.

4. Where it is possible to obtain it, a statement from the injured man will also be forwarded. This, however, should not be used as evidence against him in any subsequent disciplinary proceedings.

Special Instructions as to Evidence in Cases of Self-Inflicted Wounds.

5. In these cases the statements mentioned in paragraphs 2 and 3 above should bring out all material points, *e.g.*, statements to the effect that the witness was with the accused standing on the fire step (or sitting in a dug-out); that the accused was cleaning his rifle; position of safety catch, magazine, etc., if known; muzzle of rifle on toe of foot; hand on muzzle; that accused pulled trigger; that the rifle was afterwards examined and an empty cartridge case was found in chamber; that accused was seen to be wounded; what accused said ("I have shot myself," "I did not know it was loaded," etc.).

6. A soldier is specially trained in the safe use of his rifle and revolver, and evidence of any neglect of the ordinary precautions as to their handling in such cases usually has considerable bearing on the question of negligence. In cases of wilful self-wounding the fullest possible evidence should be obtained; unless the evidence is conclusive this charge should not be used. The charge will therefore usually be laid under Sec. 40 Army Act—"Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline in wounding himself through negligently handling a rifle," and an alternative charge to this effect should be made, even if the accused is to be tried under Section 18 for wilful maiming.

ORIGINAL MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.

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123978

Surname Abercromby Christian Name James 123978

Examined { on 1st day of Oct. 1915
 at Blatham. Ont.
 Birthplace { City or Town Glasgow
 County Scotland

Approved by W. Bell
 Rank Capt. M.O.

Apparent age 19 1/2
 Trade or occupation farmer
 Height 5 Feet 4 Inches.
 Weight 130. Lbs.
 Chest measurement { Minimum 32 1/4 inches.
 Maximum expansion 35 1/4 inches.
 Physical development Good
 Small-Pox Marks None

Date	Fit or Unfit	EXAMINED FOR RE-ENGAGEMENT,

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right Left
 Number 1

Date	Result	VACCINATIONS.
<u>15/2/16</u>	<u>My</u>	<u>St. Stephens</u> M.O.
<u>28/2/16</u>	<u>Pos.</u>	<u>St. Stephens</u> M.O.

When Vaccinated last 1896.
 (a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease None

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

Date	Result	ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.
<u>10/23/15</u>	<u>OK</u>	<u>St. Stephens</u> M.O.
<u>11/3/15</u>	<u>OK</u>	<u>St. Stephens</u> M.O.

for attention of Dental Corps

Enlisted on 1st day of Oct. 1915 at Blatham. Ont.

	CORPS.	REG'TL NUMBER.	HABITS.	DATE.
Joined on enlistment	<u>70th. D. S. Battalion</u>	<u>123978.</u>	<u>Good</u>	<u>1-10-15.</u>
Transferred to..	Transferred to 35th Battalion, C.E.F., 10-7-16 Part II, D.O. 172, S.O. 2. <u>18th. Bn.</u>			

W. S. [Signature]
 Capt.,
 Adjutant, 70th.

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.

2nd. Contingent
MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY
OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

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 M. F. W. 12.
 50m.—4-16.
 H. Q. 1772-39-819.

To Whom Mrs. Annie Abercrombie By Whom Assigned Abercrombie J.
 Address 96 Springfield Rd, Regtl. No. 1203978
Bridgeton, Glasgow, Rank Pte.
Scotland. Corps 70th Bn.
 Rate # 15⁰⁰ **MAY 1 1916** DCo

PAYMENTS

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Duplicate.

To Whom *Mrs. Annie Abercrombie*

By Whom Assigned *Abercrombie J.*

Address *96 Springfield Rd,
Bridgeton, Glasgow,
Scotland.*

Regtl. No. *123978*

Rank *Pte.*

Corps *70th Bn.*

Rate *\$ 15⁰⁰*

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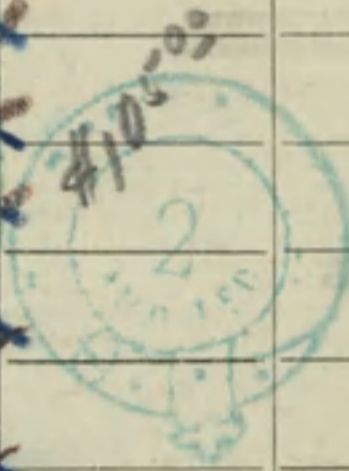
ASSIGNED PAY.

By whom assigned

Abercrombie J

Regtl. No. 123978 - Ste - 70th Batten

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Jan.	1916				
Feb.					
March					
Apl.					
May.					
June		✓ 80048	30	-	
July		85516	15	-	
Aug.		Cancelled 118014	15	-	
Sept.		129522	15	-	
		157517	15	-	
Oct		187519	15	-	
Nov		105 ⁰⁰ ✓ 224518	15	-	
Dec.		265020	15	-	
Jan.	1917	306522	15	-	
Feb.		247021	15	-	
March		390021	15	-	
Apl.			165		A.P. checked and found correct
May					31.3.17 H. Mademan pay high 18 hr.
June					
July					
Aug.					
Sept.					
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A.G.R.

Rank Name ABERCROMBY, James. Reg'l No 123978
 Unit 70th Bn. If in perm. Corps, }
 What Unit? } Married or Single Single.
 Place and Date of Enlistment Chatham, 1st Octr., 1915. Place of Birth Glasgow, Scotland.
 Name and Address, Next-of-Kin Annie Abercrombie, 96 Springfield Place, Bridgtown, Glasgow, Scotland. Relationship Aunt.
 Assigned Pay Monthly \$ Payable to Scotland. Relationship
 Separation Allowance \$ Payable to Relationship

N/E. R.B. N. 3165
 File R.L. 25-A-1481
 Category Kin A

Discharge, Date and Place Reason Character

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>Arrived in England</i>	<i>Emb. 24.4.16</i> <i>S. J. Lapland</i>	<i>5 MAY 1916</i>	
<i>26. 6. 16.</i>	<i>OC. 40</i>	<i>adv. to sep. (Bde)</i>	<i>St. Cliffe.</i>	<i>25.6.16</i>	<i>RES DO 158. Influenza.</i>
<i>1. 7. 16.</i>	<i>do</i>	<i>Dis from sep.</i>	<i>✓</i>	<i>30.6.16</i>	<i>✓ ✓ 163.</i>
<i>5. 7. 16</i>	<i>do</i>	<i>Stop of 2 for issue of kit. 1/4</i>	<i>✓</i>	<i>5. 7. 16</i>	<i>✓ ✓ 164.</i>
<i>10. 7. 16</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>Md to 39th Bn</i>	<i>✓</i>	<i>6. 7. 16</i>	<i>✓ 172</i>
<i>11. 7. 16</i>	<i>" 39th</i>	<i>Taken on strength.</i>	<i>W. Sandling</i>	<i>6. 7. 16</i>	<i>" 163.</i>
<i>7. 8. 16</i>	<i>do</i>	<i>SOS to reinforce 16th Bn</i>	<i>France</i>	<i>6. 8. 16</i>	<i>--- 16</i>
<i>21. 8. 16</i>	<i>O.C. 18th</i>	<i>J.O.D. from 39th Bn</i>	<i>Field</i>	<i>7. 8. 16</i>	<i>" " 33.</i>
<i>23. 6. 17</i>	<i>do</i>	<i>Accidentally Wounded</i>	<i>Base</i>	<i>14. 6. 17</i>	<i>6 LA 540. (Int. Stated)</i>
<i>25. 6. 17</i>	<i>do</i>	<i>No 7 Gen. Hosp.</i>	<i>Staples</i>	<i>16. 6. 17</i>	<i>" 541 5 SW B. W. W. Doc</i>

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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.				
14.7.17	18th Bn Coy to No 6 Comd. Hoop.		Etaples	4.7.17	Ch. A 554 Gen Retip acc.
17.7.17	" - - Disch'd to Details Camp		Field	6.7.17	" " 556 " " "
16.11.17	" Killed in Action		"	9.11.17	Plu-85 " " ACLA 67d/1917 HOR

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 10 AUG. 1916
 CAN. RECORDS, LONDON.

Army Form B. 103.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regimental Number 123978

Regiment or Corps 70th Overseas Bn C.E.F.
 Rank Pte. Surname Abercromby Christian Name James

Religion Presby. Age on Enlistment 19 years 5 months.

Enlisted (a) 1.10.15 Terms of Service (a) D. of war Service reckons from (a) 1.10.15

Date of promotion to present rank _____ Date of appointment to lance rank _____

Extended { _____ } Re-engaged { _____ } Qualification (b) wit.
 or Corps Trade and Rate Hammer

Signature of Officer i/c Records.

Date	Report From whom received	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., 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 of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents
	S. S. <u>Lapland</u>	Embarked ... Disembarked ...	<u>26.4.16</u> <u>5.5.16</u>		
<u>10.7.16</u>	<u>D.O. 172</u>	<u>Transfd. to 39th Bn</u>	<u>W Sandling.</u>		<u>W Gray</u>
<u>6-8-16</u>	<u>39th Bn.</u>	<u>Drafted to 18th Bn.</u>	<u>France</u>		<u>Capt. Adj.</u>
			<u>Thos McManus</u> Lt. Col. for - Commanding 39th Battalion, C.E.F.		
<u>7-8-16</u>	<u>Can Base Dep</u>	<u>Arrived from 39th Can Res Bn, Shorncliffe, & taken on strength of 18th Can Bn.</u>	<u>Can Base Depot</u>	<u>7-8-16</u>	<u>Nom Roll. Pt II Order 33, 21/8/16.</u>
<u>12-8-16</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>Proceeded to join unit</u>	<u>In the Fld</u>	<u>12-8-16</u>	<u>Nom Roll.</u>
<u>14-8-16</u>	<u>2 Can Trench Bn.</u>	<u>Arrived at _____</u>	<u>2 Can Trench Bn.</u>	<u>14-8-16</u>	<u>Nom. Roll. Dec. 21/6.</u>
<u>23-9-16</u>	<u>18th Bn.</u>	<u>Joined unit</u>	<u>In the Fld.</u>	<u>17-9-16</u>	<u>B. 213.</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) Signaller, Shoeing Smith, &c.

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[P.T.O.]

123978 Pte. Abercromby J.

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., 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 of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
14-6-17	18th Bn.	Accidentally wounded by Lewis Gun fire.	In the Fld.	14-6-17	Telegram 14/6/17. DCS. 298, 18/6/17
9-6-17	S.C.F.A.	Acc. M.G. wound, hip R. Adm. S.C.F.A.		14-6-17	A36. DCS. 299.
16-6-17	O.C., 18th Bn	Accidental wound 14/6/17, (M.G. wd. R. hip) certified to have occurred while instructing on Lewis gun. In no way to blame.	In the Fld.	14-6-17	A.F.B. 117 (Can. Sect. No. KI. 16/11847)
16-6-17	7 Can Gen.	Adm. 7 Can Gen.		16-6-17	W. 3034.
7-7-17	2 C.I.B. Dep.	Adm. 2 C.I.B. Dep.		7-7-17	Nom. Roll.
26-7-17	do	Proceeded to 2nd. Can. Entrench. Bn.		26-7-17	do.
27-7-17	2 Can. Ent. Bn.	Arrived at 2nd. Can. Ent. Bn.	In the Fld.	27-7-17	do
4-8-17	18th Bn.	Rejoined 18th Bn.	do	31-7-17	B. 213 DCS. 311.
15-9-17	18th Bn.	Granted 10 days leave to Paris		11-9-17	B. 213. Pt. II Ord. 68, 30/9/17.
31-11-17	18 Bn	KILLED IN ACTION	In the Fld	9.11.17	Letter Pt. II Ord. 85, 16/11/17

Whogan

Major for Lt.-Col., A. A. G.
Canadian Section, G. H. Q. 3rd Echelon B.E.F.

REPORT ON WOUNDS OR OTHER INJURIES RECEIVED OTHERWISE THAN IN ACTION.

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Gen. No.
4269

Certificate of Medical Officer.

No. #123978 Pte Abercrombie

was admitted to hospital on the 14/6/17 suffering from (acc) M. Gun. w. R.H. Hip

†Here insert "trivial" or "serious."

The disability is of a trivial nature, and in all probability

‡Here insert "will" or "will not."

‡ will not interfere with his future efficiency as a soldier.

*Here insert "claims" or "does not claim."

*He claims that he was in the performance of military duty at the time of the accident.

(If the soldier makes no claim that he was on duty at the time, the certificate below should be signed by him.)

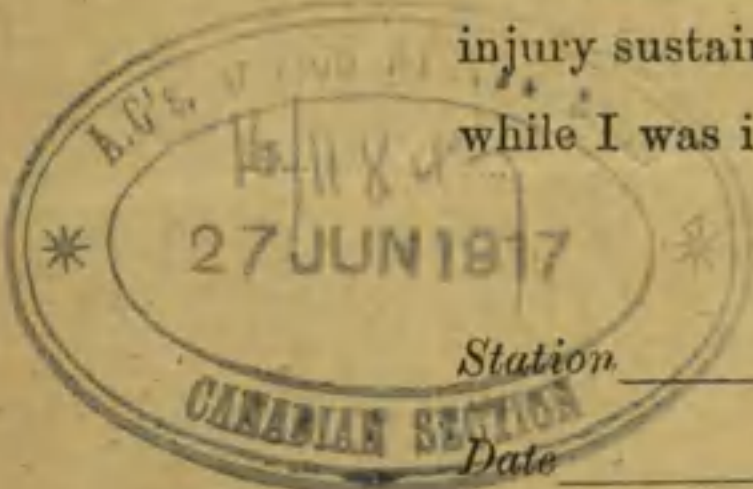
Station Field

Date 14/6/17

[Signature]
Medical Officer in Charge.

Certificate to be signed by Soldier.

I, _____ hereby declare that the injury sustained by me on the _____ did not occur while I was in the performance of military duty.



Station _____

Date _____

{ Soldier's
Signature.
Signature
of Medical
Officer.

Certificate of Commanding Officer.

(This certificate will be completed only in cases of trivial injury where the soldier claims to have been injured while on duty.)

I certify that the injury to the above-named soldier † occurred while he was in the performance of military duty.

†Here insert "occurred" or "did not occur."

‡If on duty, state—
(a) The date of the injury.
(b) The place where it occurred.
(c) The nature of the duty.
(d) Whether the soldier was in any way to blame.

‡ wounded (accidentally) 14.6.17

While instructing on Lewis gun - no blame to be attached to soldier

The soldier has been so informed.

Station Field

Date 14/6/17

[Signature]
Commanding 18th Can Div.

This Army Form will be attached to the Medical History Sheet, on which it will be recorded whether the soldier was on duty, and whether he was to blame.

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Surname **Abercrombie** Christian Name or Names **J.** Reg. No. **123978**
Rank **Pte** Unit **18th Bn** Co. Troop Batty.

Hospital **7 Can. Gen. Etaples** Date of Admission **16.6.17.**
Transferred **6 Cornwall Depot Etaples** Hosp. **4.7.17**

Hosp.
Hosp.
Hosp.

Diagnosis **G.I.W. R. Hip. Acc. Sgt. Jt**

- (1) Later Diagnosis (if changed)
- (2)
- (3)

Additional Diagnosis: if more than one state present

Killed in action 9.11.17

A.M.D. 2 DEPT.

DISPOSITION **Bch. of D.G.M.S. O.M.F.C. London.** Date

C.L.23-6-17 A540 R.F.B.Acc. Wd 14-6-17

REMARKS

25.6.17 A541. Dis. to Details Camp. 6.7.17
14.7.17 A.554
14.7.17 A556
20.11.17 abt

EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

Hospital

Adm.

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Number *123978* Rank *Pte*

Surname *A. B. E. R. C. R. O. M. B. Y.*

Christian Name *James*

Unit *1st Bn. Can. Inf. Theatre of War. France*

Date of Service *6.8.16* *D*

Remarks

Latest Address *Miss. J. W. Williamson*

Sister
8. Trejams Place

Roll No. *19* *Mount Heron's*

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Q 16269 *Map*

APR 29 1871

REGT'L. No. 123978
H. Q. FILE No. 649

~~NAME~~ Abercromby James
RANK AND CORPS P.M. 15th Bn

Form 10th Bn

FOLLOWS
No. 10th Bn
FOLLOWS

CABLE	
No.	DATE
M 5618	22-6-17
M 6384	21-11-14
B 209a	31-1-18

S. NATURE OF CASUALTY

Wounded accidentally June 14th 1917

Killed in action Nov. 9th 1914 ✓

" " " " 9-11-17

(Rec'd. 5-3-18.)

(Western Outfit)

LIST NO.	HOSPITAL	DATE OF ADMISSION	REMARKS
A541.	#7 Can. Gen. Staples	16-6-17	Gsw. rt. hip Acc. Slt (See above)
A540	Rep. from Base	14-6-17	Acc. wounded. Not stated
A554.	#6 lowvl. Dep. Staples	4-7-17.	Gsw. rt. hip. Acc.
	Ex. #6 lowvl. Dep. Staples		
A556.	Misc. to Details Camp	6-7-17	Gsw. rt. hip. Acc.
A67 ^I	Reported from Base.	9-11-17.	Killed in Action.

✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓
ABERCROMBY, Joseph, Pte. #123978 18th Bn. W.O.R.
649-A-6921

Not Elig. for 1914-15 Star.

MEDALS &
DECORATIONS, Sister, Tina Williamson, 3916
8 Frejams Place,
Mount Dennis, Ont.

P. & S. Sister, as above.

(Serial no. 756474.)

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JAN 13 1921
Scroll Desp. _____ Reqn. No. 29595

DEC 1 1921
Plague Desp. _____ Reqn. No. P18875

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James

Name **ABERCROMBY**

Rank

Pte

Reg. No. 123978

Unit **18th. Battalion**

Bridgtown. Glasgow.

Next of Kin **Mrs. Annie Abercromby, 96, Springfield Place**

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
1917						
14-6	Reported from Base					
	Accidentally Wounded	N.S.			A.540.M5618.23-6	
16.6	7 Can G.H. Staples	2nd Lt	Hip, Acc Ill	A.541		
4.7	6 Can Dept. of			A.534		
6.7	Dist to Camp			A.536		

16-6-17 gsw

6-7-17

9-11-17

✓ killed in action



MARRIED

SINGLE

WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING

Farmer

RELIGION

Presbyterian

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE

19

YEARS

8

MONTHS

HEIGHT

5

FEET

4

INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT

35 1/2

INCHES

EXPANSION

3

INCHES

COMPLEXION

Fair

EYES

Blue

HAIR

Brown

DISTINGUISHING MARKS

nil

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

PLACE

Chatham, Ont.

DATE

Oct. 1st 1915

Present address not stated.

(649-a-6921)

CARD NO.

SURNAME.

Abercromby

CHRISTIAN NAMES

James

a.d.

FOLL.

REGL. NO.

123978

RANK

pte

UNIT

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B.M.

FORMER CORPS

mil.

N
R
A

Abercromby, Annie
Aunt,

96 Springfield Place, Bridgton,
Glasgow, Scot.

also notify:
~~CHANGE OF ADDRESS~~
Mrs. Wm. R. Williams
8 Friar's Place
Mount Dennis
Ont.

Old Index card 9-12-17 with 4-1-18 letter

COUNTRY OF BIRTH

Scotland Glasgow

DATE

Jan. 10th 1896

PLACE OF ATTESTATION

Chatham, Ont.

DATE

Oct 1st 1915-

Sailed from Halifax per S.S. "Lapland" 24/4/16

L. L. 10437. M. & D. 7253.

M. F. W. 22. 100M.-11-16. H. Q. 1772-39-339.

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