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- Last Pay Certificate.....

Name *WOOD CHARLES ALBERT*

Regt. No *767116* Rank *Pte*

Corps *123rd Bn*

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DUPLICATE

123rd Battn

ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. 767116

Folio.

6 CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.
(ANSWERS.)

1. What is your surname?.....Wood
- 1a. What are your Christian names?.....Charles Albert
- 1b. What is your present address?.....115 Broadview Ave., Toronto, Ont.
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?.....Toronto, Ont.
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?.....Annie Wood,
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?.....17 Cobourg Ave., Toronto, Ont.
- 4a. What is the relationship of your next-of-kin?.....Mother Wife
5. What is the date of your birth?.....Sep. 16, 1891
6. What is your Trade or Calling?.....Ry. Switchman
7. Are you married?.....Yes.
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, Charles Albert Wood, 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.

Charles Albert Wood (Signature of Recruit)

Date 31st December 1915 . A. Malone (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Charles Albert Wood, 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.

Charles Albert Wood (Signature of Recruit)

Date 31st December 1915 . A. Malone (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 Toronto this 31st day of December 1915 .

[Signature] (Signature of Justice)

Description of Charles Albert Wood on Enlistment.

Apparent Age.....24 years 3 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. 9½ ins.

Scar on top of right thumb.

Scar on right knee.

Chest measurement. { Girth, when fully expanded.....38 ins.
Range of expansion.....3 ins.

Complexion.....Dark

Eyes.....Brown

Hair.....Dk. Brown

Religious denominations { Church of England.....C. of E.

Presbyterian.....

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 he declares that he is not subject to fits of any description.

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

Date.....31st December 1915

Place.....Toronto, Ont.

*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:—

Toronto Recruiting Depot.

Medical Officer.

CERTIFICATE OF OFFICER COMMANDING UNIT.

Charles Albert Wood

.....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.

123rd BN C.E.F.

ROYAL GRENADIERS

Date.....JAN-4 1915 1915

ORDERLY ROOM

.....(Signature of Officer)

W. H. H. H. Lieut Col.
O.C. 123rd Bn. C.E.F.
Royal Grenadiers

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

Casualty Form—Active Service.

M. F. W. 54.
156M. 10-15.
H.Q. 1772-39-920.

Unit, Regiment or Corps 123rd Bn. C.E.F., ROYAL GRENADIERS

Regimental No. 767116 Rank Pte Name Wood, Charles Albert

Enlisted (a) 31.12.15 Terms of Service (a) 2 1/2 Service reckons from (a) 31.12.15

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) _____

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				
28.6.16	123 Bn	AWOL since 3.6.16 - So S. Deserter by C of I here 28.6.16	Myana	3.6.16	Pt II DO #142

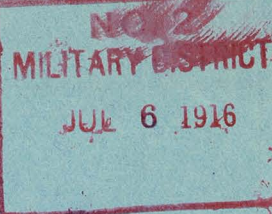
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(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D. Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.
(b) e.g. Signaller, Shoeing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps 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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This space to be for numbers.

Proceedings on Discharge.



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

No.	767116
Rank	Private
Name	Wood, Charles Albert
NOTE—The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment unless changed subsequently by authority.	
Corps (Squadron, Battery or Company)	123rd Bn. C.E.F., ROYAL GRENADIERS
Date of Discharge	June 3rd 1916
Place of Discharge	Niagara Camp. Ont. Can.
1. DESCRIPTION AT THE TIME OF DISCHARGE.	
Age.....24.....years.....3.....months.	Descriptive Marks Scar on top of right thumb Scar on right knee
Height.....5.....feet.....9 1/2.....inches.	
Complexion Dark	
Eyes Brown	
Hair Dark Brown	
Trade Switchman	
Intended place of residence	115 Broadview Ave. Toronto Canada.
(To be given as fully as practicable.)	
2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of being "Illegally Absent." Absent	
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.	
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. Good.
	 H. H. Smith Lieut Col. O.C. 123rd Bn. C.E.F. Royal Grenadiers
	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:
4. Special qualifications for employment in civil life. (Vide para. 332, K. R. & O., Canada.)	

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

Nil

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

6. Medals and Decorations.....

Nil

To be copied by the Commanding Officer on 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.

Illegally Absent.

(Place)

Niagara Ont.

W. H. Munn Lieut Col.

O.C. 123rd Bn. C.E.F.

Royal Grenadiers

(Date)

June 3rd. 1916

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)

Niagara Ont.

"Illegally Absent"

(Signature of Soldier.)

(Date)

June 3rd. 1916

"Illegally Absent"

(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)

Niagara Ont.

(Signature)

W. H. Munn

Lieut Col.

O.C. 123rd Bn. C.E.F.

Royal Grenadiers

(Date)

June 3rd. 1916

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.)

Signature not obtainable

Illegally Absent.

List of Discharge Documents.

Reg. Conduct Sheet, / Militia form B. 263.	Attestation Paper, 2 Militia Form B. 235.
<div> Squadron } Battery } Company } </div> Conduct Sheet, / " B. 263a.	Proceedings on Discharge / " B. 218.
Copies of Convictions, by C. P. in MS.	<div> In the case of recruits who are rejected on final approval, the discharge documents will consist of </div> <div> (a) Proceedings on Discharge. </div> <div> (b) Attestation. </div> <div> (c) Medical History Sheet (in the event of such having been prepared.) </div>
Med. Hist. Sheet, 2 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."	

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.

MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.

Surname Wood Christian Name Charles Albert

Examined	{	on <u>31st</u> day of <u>December</u> 191 <u>5</u>	Approved by <u>T. H. Havel</u>
		at <u>Toronto, Ont.</u>	
Birthplace	{	City or Town <u>Toronto,</u>	Rank <u>Capt</u> M.O.
		County <u>Ontario.</u>	
Apparent age <u>24</u> Yrs. <u>3</u> Mos.		Date	
Trade or occupation <u>Ry. Switchman</u>		Fit or Unfit	
Height <u>5</u> Feet <u>9½</u> Inches.		EXAMINED FOR RE-ENGAGEMENT,	
Weight <u>166</u> Lbs.		M.O.	
Chest measurement	{	Minimum <u>35</u> inches.	M.O.
		Maximum expansion <u>38</u> inches.	M.O.
Physical development <u>Good</u>		M.O.	
Small-Pox Marks <u>NIL</u>		M.O.	
Vaccination Marks	{	Arm Right. Left. <u>1</u>	Date
		Number <u>1</u>	
When Vaccinated last <u>Childhood</u>		VACCINATIONS.	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease <u>NIL</u>		18/1/16 > E. Lewis Capt M.O.	
		M.O.	
		M.O.	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection <u>NIL</u>		Date	
		Result	
		ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.	
		11/1/16 > M.O.	
		15/1/16 > E. Lewis Capt M.O.	
		19/1/16 > M.O.	

Enlisted on 31st day of December 1915 at Toronto, Ont.

	CORPS.	REG'T L NUMBER.	HABITS.	DATE.
Joined on enlistment	<u>123rd Battn.</u>			
Transferred to.. ..		<u>767116</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.

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CANADIAN CONTINGENT EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE.

"A" Company.

This form to be used for all Ranks (Vide Article 71, Financial Instructions C.E.F., 1914).

Regimental No. 767116 Rank Private Name Wood, Charles A.

Corps 123rd Battalion C.E.F. who was * Struck off as a Deserter

On 3rd June 1916 1915, to

* Insert "discharged" or "transferred".

The following is a statement of the account of the above-named to date of transfer or discharge inclusive :—

DR.		\$	c.	CR.		\$	c.
From 1st To 28th	Bal. Dr. from previous month.....			From 1st To 28th	Regimental pay 28 days at \$.....	1 c. 00	28. 00
	Total payments during period				Field allowance 28 "	\$..... c. 10	2 80
	from.....				Other allowances.....		
	Assigned Pay.....		70		Other Credits (give particulars).....		
	Other Charges (give particulars) and Reg. Charges	29	45		Held for Uniform		10. 00
	Bal. Cr. on discharge or transfer.....	10	10		Bal. Dr. on discharge or transfer.....		
	TOTAL.....	40	80		Total.....		40. 80

The amount shewn as Balance Cr. due on discharge or transfer has † not been paid.

Monthly stoppage on account of assignment of pay is \$15.00, and has been charged in Paylist for month of June 1916.

† Insert "been" or "not been", as case may be.

REMARKS :—

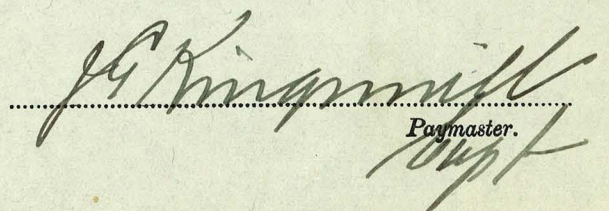
State cause of discharge and authority Struck Off by Court of Enquiry as a Deserter on 28-6-16

If discharged from the Contingent, state if Stop Payment advice for Assigned Pay has been forwarded, and date

I have carefully examined this statement of account and find it to be a correct extract from the Paylist of the unit.

Date 29th June 1916.

Place Niagara Camp.


Paymaster.

No. 767116

RANK

Plt.

NAME

Wood C. A.

T. O. S. 31-12-15

UNIT

123rd Battalion

DO 2 of 4-1-16

M. D. 2

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
1915	1916			
Dec 31	Jan 31	✓		
Feb		✓		
Mar		✓		
April		✓		
May		✓		
June 1.	June 25	N.	<p>multet. forfeits 5 days pay DO 49 of 7-3-16</p> <p>Full L. from 29.3.16 onward. 1 day 68 DO 73 of 14-4-16</p> <p>SO Deserter 25-6-16 DO 142 of 25-6-16</p>	<p>UNIT SAILED</p> <p>AUG 7 1916</p>
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SURNAME.

Wood,

CHRISTIAN NAMES

Charles Albert

REGL. No.

467116.

RANK

Pte.

UNIT

123rd

FORMER CORPS

Nil.

CARD NO.

S.O.S. Dec. 3-6-16. 2
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Batt.

NAMES IN FULL

Wood, Mrs Annie

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER

Wife

ADDRESS

17 Cobourg Ave., Toronto,
Ont.

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

COUNTRY OF BIRTH

Canada, Toronto.

DATE

Sept. 16th 1891.

PLACE OF ATTESTATION

Toronto.

DATE

Dec. 31st, 1915.

MARRIED

Yes.

SINGLE

WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING

Railway
Switchman.

RELIGION

C. of E.

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE

24

YEARS

3

MONTHS

HEIGHT

5

FEET

9 1/2

INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT

38

INCHES

EXPANSION

3

INCHES

COMPLEXION

Dark.

EYES

Brown.

HAIR

D. Brown.

DISTINGUISHING MARKS

Scar on top of right thumb.
Scar on right knee.

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

PLACE

Toronto, Ont.

DATE

Dec. 31st, 1915.

REG. NO. 767116 NAME Wood C. A.
(SURNAME FIRST)

RANK Pfc CORPS 123 Batt.

AGE 25 SERVICE

NAME OF HOSPITAL Ey Camp. PLACE Toronto

DATE OF ADMISSION 4-5-16

DISEASE Cellulitis of foot

DISCHARGE 13-5-16

OPERATION

DISCHARGED TO DUTY yes.

TRANSFERRED TO

DISCHARGED BY MEDICAL BOARD

REMARKS

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1-3-16

MILITIA AND DEFENCE

M. F. W. 11. 12
15m.—3-16.
H. Q. 1772-39-818.

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

Name

Annie M. Wood,
17 Bobburg Ave.,
Toronto, Ont.

Address

Name of Soldier

Wood, Chas. Albert

Regtl. No.

Rank

Ote

Corps

" B.D. " 123rd Batten

Relation to Soldier

wife, child or mother

}

wife

To what Corps belonging

when called out

}

J. S.

PAYMENTS

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.	REMARKS
Aug.	1914			
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1915			
Feb.				
March				
Apl.				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1916			
Feb.				
March				

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

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

Sheet No. 2.

L. L. Job 95618-M. & D. 6555.

PAYMENTS.

Name of Soldier

Wood, Chas A
(Pte)

Annie M. Wood,

wife

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
April	1916	E283	40	40
May		M7601	20	20
June		W 7268	20	20 absent
July			12	No. CK absent without leave
Aug.				3/6/16 P.M. 29/6/16 - 7/7/16
Sept.				Deserted 28/6/16 P.M. 30/6/16
Oct.				XXX ✓
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1917			
Feb.				
March				
April				
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June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1918			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				

ACCOUNT CLOSED

DATE PER W.

MILITIA AND DEFENCE
SEPARATION ALLOWANCE
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				
April				
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July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
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Dec.				
Jan.	1920			
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March				
April				
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June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				



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