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R. O. No.

H. Q. No.

Name *Smith, Walter Wm.*

Regt. No. *769109* Rank *Pte.*

Corps *124th O. Bn. C. E. F.*

Deceased.



31219



30/29
17/29
9/29



M.F.W. 62

ATTESTATION PAPER.

Original
No. 769109

G.G.B.G.
(124)
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CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

Folio.
GOVERNOR GENERAL
MILITIA & DEFENCE

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.
(ANSWERS.)

OCT 12 1916

H.Q. CANADA

- 1. What is your surname?..... Smith
- 1a. What are your Christian names?..... Walter William
- 1b. What is your present address?..... 114 Sherbourne St., Toronto, Ont.
- 2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... Renfrew, Ont.
- 3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?..... George Smith
- 4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... Renfrew, Ont.
- 4a. What is the relationship of your next-of-kin?..... Father
- 5. What is the date of your birth?..... May 30, 1896
- 6. What is your Trade or Calling?..... Engineer
- 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, Walter William Smith, 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.

Walter W. Smith (Signature of Recruit)
Malone (Signature of Witness)
Date 23d December 1915.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Walter William Smith, 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.

Walter W. Smith (Signature of Recruit)
Malone (Signature of Witness)
Date 23d December 1915.

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 23d day of December 1915.

Malone (Signature of Justice)

Corrected
17/10/16
EB

Description of Walter William Smith on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 19 years 7 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. 6½ ins.
 Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded..... 36 ins.
 Range of expansion..... 3 ins.
 Complexion Fresh
 Eyes Hazel
 Hair Dk. Brown

Scar on left leg. 2 Moles on left side. Mole on R. side.

Religious denominations. { Church of England.....
 Presbyterian..... Pres.
 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..... 23d December 1915.

Place..... Toronto, Ont.

W. H. ...
Capra
 Medical Officer.
 Toronto Recruiting Depot

*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:—

Walter W. Smith

CERTIFICATE OF OFFICER COMMANDING UNIT.

Walter William Smith.....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.

W. H. ... (Signature of Officer)
 O.C. 124th OVERSEAS BN. C.E.F.

Date..... DEC. 24 1915 1915 .

DUPLICATE



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.

REPT
MILITIA & DEFENCE
OCT 12 1916
H.Q. CANADA

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 124 Bn. C.E.F.

(2) Regimental Number 769109

(3) Full Name of Soldier Walter William Smith

(4) Place of Birth Renfrew, Ont.

(5) Are you married, or not? not

(6) If married, state,
(a) Full name of your wife.....

(b) Present Postal Address.....

(7) Are you a widower?

(8) Have you any children?

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 *G. W. Smith, Renfrew, Ont.*

(10) Is your Mother alive?

If so, state name and address.....

(11) If your Mother is a widow.....

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.

(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.

(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.

15) Are you insured? *no.*

If so, in what Company?.....

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.

[Handwritten Signature]

Officer Commanding.

Date *3/17/16.*

FORM OF WILL.



I, Walter William Smith (Name in full)

Regimental Number 769109 serving in 124 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

George W. Smith
Renfrew
Ont.

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

absolutely, and my personal estate I bequeath to

George W. Smith
Renfrew
Ont

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

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

this 1st day of August A. D. 1916

W. W. Smith 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.

Signature of First Witness L. B. Dukuath

Address of Witness 165 Yonge St Toronto Ont.

Occupation of Witness Soldier

Signature of Second Witness W. H. Swainston

Address of Witness 141 Gladstone ave

Occupation of Witness Soldier

THE TWO WITNESSES MUST SIGN HERE

No. 769109.

RANK

Plt.

NAME

Smith, W. W.

T. O. S. 23-12-15,

UNIT

124th. Battalion. I. F.

(D.O 22 of 24-12-15.)

M. D. 2.

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
1915.	1915.			
Dec. 23.	Dec. 31.	Dis.		
	1916.			
	Jan.	✓		
	Feb.	✓		
	Mar.	✓		
	Apr.	✓		
	May	✓		
	June	✓		
	July.	✓		
Aug 1.	Aug. 10	n.	Deceased 10-8.16.16.	200 154 of 14.8.16.
			apc Not closed n.	

SMITH, Walter W. (Pte) No. 769109 124th Bn.

Medals and Decorations (Father) George W. Smith, Esq.,
70 Kenilworth Ave.,
Toronto, Ont.

Plaques and scroll (Father) Geo. W. Smith, Esq.,
address as above.

Memorial Cross. (Nil)

Not elig. for star.

" " " V.M.

" " " B.W.M. Died at sea.

34271

Q

my 7-25MS.

H. Q. FILE No. 649-

NAME

Smith, Walter William

REG'TL. No.

769109

RANK AND CORPS

Pte. 124th Bn.

CABLE

NO.

DATE

NATURE OF CASUALTY

Message received from
H. M.S. Carnarvon
Halifax N.S. 10-8-16.
M 11712 24-8-16

Regret to report death on
board transport "Cameronia"
from blood poisoning.
Died at sea August 10. 1916
"Septic Poisoning" L

A. F. B. 2090
London P.C. 25-8-16

Died at sea (on H. M. S. Cameronia)
Aug 10 th. 1916 (Septic Poisoning)

LIST No.

HOSPITAL

DATE OF
ADMISSION

REMARKS

1

Died at Sea

10-8-16

Septic Poisoning

SURNAME.

Smith.

649-S-4447.

CARD NO.

CHRISTIAN NAMES

Walter William,

FOLL.

D

REGL. No.

769109

RANK

Pte.

UNIT

124th

Bn.

FORMER CORPS

nil.

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAMES IN FULL

George Smith

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER

Father

ADDRESS

~~*Renfrew, Ont.*~~ *C/o Canadian Stewart*
~~*Sudbury*~~ *Co. Toronto Ont*

~~*(Auth. C.P.R.)*~~

~~*Aug 12th 1916*~~

~~*(auth. C.P.R. Tel. 522.18/8/16)*~~

COUNTRY OF BIRTH

Canada, Renfrew, Ont.

DATE

May 30th 1896

PLACE OF ATTESTATION

Toronto, Ont

DATE

Dec 23rd 1915

Sailed from Halifax

Per SS. Cameronia

7/8/16 575-40

MARRIED

SINGLE

WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING

Engineer.

Yes,
RELIGION

Presbyterian.

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE

19 YEARS

7 MONTHS

HEIGHT

5 FEET

6 1/2 INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT

36 INCHES

EXPANSION

3 INCHES

COMPLEXION

Fresh.

EYES

Hazel.

HAIR

Dark Brown.

DISTINGUISHING MARKS

Scar on left leg, 2 moles on left side. Mole on right side

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

PLACE

Toronto.

DATE

Dec 2nd 1915

Surname

Christian Name or Names

Reg. No.

Smith

W.W.

769109.

Rank

Unit

Co.

Troop

Batty

Pte.

124th. Battalion.

Hospital

Date of Admission

Transferred

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Septic Poisoning.

Diagnosis

(1) Later Diagnosis (if changed)

(2)

(3)

Additional Diagnoses: If more than one state present

DIED AT SEA. 10-8-16.

DISPOSITION

Date

C.I. 25-8-16.

1.

REMARKS

A.M.D. 2 DEPT.
Bch. of D.G.M.S. O.M.F.C. London.

EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

Hospital

Adm.

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

6.

7.

MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY
OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

To Whom

Address

Rate

Mrs Jessie Burton

R. M. D. # 5
Renfrew. Ont

\$ 15.00 aug 1/16

By Whom Assigned

Regtl. No.

Rank

Corps

Smith Wm Walter

769109

Pte

124 H Batts "D" Co

PAYMENTS

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.	REMARKS
Aug.	1914			<i>Casualties</i>
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1915			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				<i>Died Aug Co. L. 14/8/16</i>
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1916			
Feb.				
March				

ASSIGNED PAY

50m.-4-16.
1772-30-319.

OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

Sheet No. 2.

Mrs Jessie Burdon

Name of Soldier

Smith Wm Walter

L. L. Job 310.-Req. 6374.

PAYMENTS

*pte 769109**124 # Bath 3rd Co**\$ 15.00*

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
April	1916			
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1917			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1918			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				

*Stop Payt Decreased August 1/16 3/17 6th 10th can.***Casualties***7x 16/2/17 SHS.**Account closed (cas)*

MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

Sheet No. 2 (Contd.)

Name of Soldier _____

PAYMENTS.

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
Aug.	1918			
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1919			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1920			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				

RANK *Private* NAME *Smith Frank William*

UNIT *12th Bn.*

TRANSFERRED TO

DATE

AUTHORITY

PROMOTIONS

TRANSFERRED TO

DATE

AUTHORITY

TRANSFERRED TO

DATE

AUTHORITY

3.12.15

TRANSFERRED TO

DATE

AUTHORITY

\$ *15.00* DATE EFFECTIVE *Aug 1. 1916*

essie Burton R.M. #5 Renfrew, Ont

RELATIONSHIP

\$ DATE EFFECTIVE

RELATIONSHIP

SIGNED PAY) RENDERED (DATE) *Sept 4/1916* EFFECTIVE *Aug 1/1916* REASON *deceased*

FACE *10/8/16* REASON AND AUTHORITY

NON-EFFECTIVE BRANCH (DATE) *Sept 4/1916*

No small sheet

OFFICERS' PAY BRANCH (DATE)

MONTHS	ASSIGNED PAY	OTHER CHARGES	TOTAL DEBITS	BALANCE		PAY WITHHELD OR DEFERRED	PAY AVAILABLE FOR ISSUE	REMARKS
				CREDIT	DEBIT			
<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>							
					<i>90</i>			<i>Balance from July 90⁺</i>
				<i>10 10</i>				
				<i>10 10</i>				
			<i>10 10</i>					<i>Ottawa for Sept 27.117</i>

