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NAME ALLEN. Edwin Charles. REGT. NO. 440951 UNIT 53rd Battn. H. Q. FILE NO. 5618

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ATTESTATION PAPER

No. 440951

Folio.

TRIPLICATE

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS)

1. What is your name? — EDWIN CHARLES ALLEN.
2. In what Town, Township, or Parish, and in what Country were you born? — PLYMOUTH. Devon. England.
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin? — Brther. Ernest. C. Allen.
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin? — 63. Denford St. Stonehouse. Devon. Eng.
5. What is the date of your birth? — Jan. 21. 1892.
6. What is your trade or calling? — Farmer.
7. Are you married? — No.
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? — Yes.
9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia? — No.
10. Have you ever served in any Military Force? If so, state particulars of former Service. — No.
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.

E C Allen (Signature of Man.)

Frank Lambert (Signature of Witness.)

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, EDWIN CHARLES ALLEN., 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.

E C Allen (Signature of Recruit.)

Date APRIL 9th. 191 5. Frank Lambert (Signature of Witness.)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, EDWIN CHARLES ALLEN., 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.

E C Allen (Signature of Recruit.)

Date APRIL 9th. 191 5. Frank Lambert (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 SEWELL CAMP. this SECOND day of JUNE. 191 5

(Signature of Justice.)

C.C. "A" Coy.

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

(Approving Officer.)

M. F. W. 23.
200 M.—2-15.
H.Q. 1779-99-241.

DESCRIPTION OF E. C. Allen ON ENLISTMENT.

Apparent Age 23 years 5 months.
(To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)

Height 5 ft. 4½ ins.

Chest measurement:
- Girth when fully expanded 37 ins.
- Range of expansion 3½ ins.

Complexion Fair

Eyes Grey

Hair Light Brown

Religious Denominations:
- Church of England Yes.
- Presbyterian
- Methodist
- Baptist or Congregationalist
- Other Protestants (Denomination to be stated.)
- Roman Catholic
- Jewish

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.)

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 June 31st 1915 L. E. Ingles

Place Stewart Capt A.M.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

E. C. Allen 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 of Officer.)

Date 23 June 1915

440951.

Pte Edward C. Allen

53rd Batt Canadians

Military Will.

I the above signed leave

all my personal effects

to Miss. A. Burrell

63 Durnford St

Stoneh ouse

Plymouth

Devon

England

E C Allen

Pte. 53 Batt'n

6 June 1916.

Extracted from Pay-book, Page 20.

Holograph.

Pte. E.C. Allen. No. 440951.

14th Battn.

~~40951~~

MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.

ORIGINAL

Surname Allen *Christian Name* Edward Charles

Examined { on 3rd day of June 1915
at Sewell Camp Wan.

Birthplace { City or Town Stonehouse.
County Devon. Eng.

Apparent age 23 yrs 5 Months.

Trade or occupation Farmer.

Height 5' Feet 4½ Inches.

Weight 145 Lbs.

Chest measurement { Minimum 33½ inches.
Maximum expansion 3½ inches.

Physical development Normal.

Small-Pox Marks None.

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right. Left.
Number 5

When Vaccinated last 1915

(*a*) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease nil

(*b*) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection nil.

Approved by A Lawther

Rank Capt RAMC M.O.

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.
1st June	+	A M.O.
12th June	+	A M.O.
23rd June	+	A M.O.

Enlisted on 9 *day of* April 1915 *at* Melfort

	Corps.	Regt'l Number.	Habits.	Date.
Joined on enlistment	53rd Batt. 14th Bn.	40951.	Temperate	9th. April. 1915.
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.

M. F. B. 313.

100M.—5-15.
H. Q. 1772-39-439

Surname Allen Christian Name Edwin Charles

STATION.	Date of Arrival at the Station.	Dates of Admission into Hospital. Day	Month	Year	Dates of Discharge from Hospital. Day	Month	Year	DISEASE.	Number of days in Hospital.	Remarks on nature of the disease: how induced: if mild or severe: if completely recovered from; whether any particular treatment was adopted. In venereal cases state nature of primary disease, and whether mercury has been given. If an accident, state whether it occurred on duty and whether a Court of inquiry was held. Date of issue and particulars of artificial teeth or surgical appliances supplied. Particulars of prophylactic inoculations.	Signature of Medical Officer.
No 1 Div Rest Stn		12	7	16	16	7	16	S.W. 7' head.	4	To duty A421-423.	

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

CERTIFIED CORRECT.
Canadian Record Office,
Westminster House,
7, Millbank, S.W.

M. F. W. 54. (A. F. B. 103.)
250M.—1-16.
H. Q. 1772-39-920.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Unit, Regiment or Corps 53rd Bn

Regimental No. 440951 Rank Pte Name Allen, Edmund Charles

C. E. F.

Enlisted (a) 9/4/15 Terms of Service (a) Duration of War Service reckons from (a) Date of Enlistment

Date of promotion to present rank. } Date of appointment to lance rank } Numerical position on roll of N. C. Os. } Corrd

Extended Re-engaged Qualification (b) Farmer

Report Date	Report From whom received	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.
		Embarked. Canada.	Halifax	29.3.16	
		Disembarked. England.	Liverpool.	9.4.16	
		Proceeded Overseas for service with June 8th. 1916			5th Battalion
		Transferred to 1st Cdn. Bn. Canadian Infantry	Authority		
9.6.16.	C.B.D.	On Strength 14th Can Bn	Havre.	9.6.16.	N.R. No 24.14.6.16.
do	do	Left for Unit.	Field.	10.6.16.	do
16.6.16.	Unit.	Joined.	do	11.6.16.	B 213.
16.7.16	2 C.F.A.	Wd. Forehead Adm	2 C.F.A.	11.7.16	a 36 — 314
		do	1st D.R.S.	12.7.16	
Do	1 C.F.A.	Do Adm	1st C.F.A. "	12.7.16	a 36 — 316
		Do do	Duty	16.7.16	" — 317
23.7.16	"				
21.7.16	Unit	Reported from Hospital	Unit	17.7.16.	B213. 325. 18/8/16.
9.9.16	2nd General	C.S.O. VIII (2) L. arm. Ad	2nd General	9.9.16	60203d.

(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.

[P.T.O.

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				
17.9.16	22 General (Daag 2)	G.S.W. Hann. Died	22 General	17.9.16	Kt. 137/1201. 349. 22.9.16.
9.9.16.	3 C.C.S.	do VIII. 4. Adm	3 C.C.S.	8.9.16	A 36. 349. 22.9.16.
		To	18 A.T.	8.9.16	48. 22.9.16. J W Nogan Capt for Lt Col. aag

64G-A-1939

53rd Battalion Canadian Infantry

#440951 Private Edward C. Allen

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Perforated sheet for Will from Pay Book of Reg.

No. 440951

Name Pte Edward C. Allen

Unit 53rd Batt. Canadians

Military Will.

I the above signed leave all my personal effects to Miss A. Burrell 63 Durnford St. Stonehouse Plymouth Devon England

Signature E C Allen.

Rank and Regt. Pte. 53 Battn.

Date 6 June 1916.

Will form extracted by Lieut L. McMurray

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VES

Rank | Name ALLEN Edwin Charles | Reg'l No. 440951

Unit 53rd Bn | If in perm. Corps, What Unit? | Married or Single Single

Place and Date of Enlistment Sewell, 9th April 1915. | Place of Birth Plymouth, Eng. DEVON.

Name and Address, Next-of-Kin Ernest C. Allen
63 Donford St, Stonehouse, Devon, Eng. | Relationship Brother

Assigned Pay Monthly $ | Payable to | Relationship

Separation Allowance $ | Payable to | Relationship

Discharge, Date and Place | Reason | Character

Report. Date.	Report. From whom received.	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place.	Date.	D.W. BR. REMARKS. Taken from Official Documents.
		Arrived in England	S.S. Empress of Britain 9 APR 1916		
		Embarked for France.	8 JUN 1916		
14-6-16	o/c 14th	Taken on Str 14th	Field	9-6-16	Pt II 24
1.8.16	14th	1st Div Rest Sta	do	12.7.16	Cas L A421
3.8.16	do	To Duty	do	16.7.16	do A423
17.8.16	do	Rejoined Unit: reported from Base No 22 G. Hos.		17.7.16	" A434
19.9.16	14th Batt.	G.S.W. R. Arm.	Camiers	16.9.16	Ch. A 462.
19.9.16	" "	Died of wounds.	"	17.9.16	Ch. A462.
22.9.16	o.c. 14th	" " "	"	17.9.16	Pt. II 48

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.					

FILE No. 440951 VOL.

SUBJECT Allen, Edwin Charles

CHARGED TO	PER	DATE	CHARGED TO	PER	DATE
HAG		16/10/22			

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SUBJECT

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M. & D. FORM O.S.S. 5
12070--50M--7-22.

D.M.S. 1500.

Surname	Christian Name or Names	Reg. No.
Allen	R. C.	440951

Rank	Unit	Co.	Troop	Batty
Pte	14 Bde			

Hospital #1 Div. Rest Station — Date of Admission 12-7-16

Transferred 22 Gen Canadian Hosp. 16.9.16.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Diagnosis S.W. Forehead

(1)

Later Diagnosis (if changed) G.S.W. R. arm. sw.

(2)

(3) Died of wounds. 17.9.16.

Additional Diagnoses: If more than one state present

DISPOSITION	Date	REMARKS
Ch.	1-8-16	A421
"	3.8.16	a423
Ch.	17.8.16	a434
	19.9.16.	A462.

To Duty 16.7.16

Rejoined Unit 17.7.16

Rep.t from Base

Dang. ill 16.9.16.

A.M.D. 2 DEPT.

Bch. of D.G.M.S. O.M.F.C. London.

A/R

EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

	Hospital	Adm.
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		
6.		
7.		

Allen. Pte. Edwin. C. harles 440951. 649A - 1939.
Not elig. for 1914-15 Star. 14th Bn.

3979

Medals. & Decorations } Step-Mother. Mrs. Annie Burrell
63 Durnford St.
Stonehouse.
Plymouth. Eng.

P&S. Brother. Courtney Ernest Allen.
mab. Serial No 464344
Same address.

Copy. Nil

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Scroll Desp. DEC 31 1920 Reqn. No. Z 7183

Plague Desp. AUG 9 - 1922 Reqn. No. P 44079

H. Q. FILE No. 649-

NAME Allen Edwin Charles. REGT'L. NO. 44 8951

RANK AND CORPS Pte. 14th. Bn. (Form. 53rd. Bn.)

CABLE NO.	CABLE DATE	NATURE OF CASUALTY
M 10579	31-7-16	Adm. 1st Div. rest Stat July 12th. 1916 GSW. forehead.
0909	17-9-16	Dangerously ill at No 22 General Hosp. Camiers Sept. 16th 1916 (cause not stated)
0968	18-9-16	Died of wounds at 22 General Hosp. Camiers Sept. 17th 1916
A.G.B2	090a.	Rouen 22-9-16 Died of wounds received in action. No. 22 Gen. Hosp France 17-9-16

LIST No.	HOSPITAL	DATE OF ADMISSION	REMARKS
a421.	1st Div. Rest Stat.	12-7-16	S. W. forehead.
a423	To duty	16-7-16	S. W. forehead.
a434.	Refat from. Base. Rejaired Unit	17-7-16	S. W. forehead.
a462.	#22 Gen. Camiers	16. 9. 16	Hang. ill
a462	Died of wnds. #22 Gen. Camiers	17. 9. 16	G. S. W. R. arm. Sev.

No. A40,951 Rank Pte Name Allen Edwin C

440,951 Sept. paylist

T. O. S. Unit 53rd Battalion C. E. F.

M. D. 10

Paid From	Paid To	Sig. or Rec't	Promotions, Transfers, Discharges, etc.	
			Particulars	Authority
1915 apr 19	1915 apr 30	✓	Struck Melfort Detachment	Apr. paylist
May		✓		
June		✓		
July		✓		
Aug		✓		
Sept		✓		
Oct		✓		
Nov		✓		
Dec		✓		
1916 Jan	1916	✓		
Feb		✓		
mar.		✓.		
April.		✓.		

UNIT SAILED
MAR 29 1916

R. 149.

Name Allen E. C. Rank Pte. Reg. No. 440951

Unit 14th ~~13th~~ Edwin Charles Battn

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Next of Kin Ernest C Allen, 63, Donford St, Stonehouse, Devon.

Date 1916		Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
12	7	1st Divisional Rest Station.		S.W. Forehead	A421	17/10579.	125
16	7	To duty			423.		
17	7	Rejoined Unit.			434	C/7761	
16-9.		No 22. G.H. Camiers. Dangerously Ill.			A462.	16/9.	0/909. 16/9.
17-9.		do Died. Cause of wounds		not stated G.S.W. R Arm	A462.	18/9	0/968 18/9.

Date		Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.		W.O. List

Married or Single S.

Place of Birth Plymouth · Devon · England

Name and Address of Next of Kin Ernest · C. Allen

63 · Donford · St · Stonehouse · Devon · Eng

Relationship of Next of Kin Brother

Name and Address of Next of Kin

Relationship of Next of Kin

Separation Allowance Monthly $ Effective (Date)

Payable to

Relationship of Dependant

Casualties, Promotions, &c.

Particulars	Effective Date	Authority
~~Killed~~ Died of wounds	17/9/16	C.L.A. 462 19/9/16

Admissions to Hospital, &c.

Date Admitted	Date Discharged	V. or A.	Name of Hospital

Reg'l. No. 440951 Rank Private Name Allen, Edwin Charles

If in Permt. Corps What Unit Unit 53rd Batt Transferred to 14th Bn Date 9/6/16 Authority 14th B.O. Pt II No 24 14/6/16

Permanent Force Allowances Transferred to N.E. Date 18/9/16 Authority C.L.A. 464 19/9

Place of Attestation Sewell · Camp · Transferred to Date Authority

Date of Attestation 9th April · 1915 Transferred to Date Authority

Assigned Pay Monthly $ Date Effective

Payable to Relationship

Assigned Pay Monthly $ Date Effective

Payable to Relationship

Stop-Payment Form (Assigned Pay) Rendered (Date) Effective Reason

Discharge Date and Place Reason and Authority Died of wounds 17.9.16 C.L.A. 462 19/9

Account transferred to Non-Effective Branch (Date) 18/9/16

Account transferred to Officers' Pay Branch (Date)

PAY OFFICE, N. E. BRANCH NOV 21 1916 CANADIAN CONTINGENTS

Entered on N.E. Card Index N.W.

Checked by H. Tillotson

Date	Pay No. of Days	Pay Rate	Pay Amount $	Pay Amount c.	Field Allowance No. of Days	Field Allowance Rate	Field Allowance Amount $	Field Allowance Amount c.	Working or Special Pay No. of Days	Working or Special Pay Rate	Working or Special Pay Amount $	Working or Special Pay Amount c.	Assigned Pay Credits	Other Credits	Total Credits	Acquittance Rolls 1 No.	Acquittance Rolls 1 Date	Acquittance Rolls 2 No.	Acquittance Rolls 2 Date	Acquittance Rolls 3 No.	Acquittance Rolls 3 Date	Acquittance Rolls 4 No.	Acquittance Rolls 4 Date	Cash Payments 1	Cash Payments 2	Cash Payments 3	Cash Payments 4	Assigned Pay	Other Charges	Total Debits	Balance Credit	Balance Debit	Pay Withheld or Deferred	Pay Available for Issue	Remarks
1916															18 10																18 10				
April 1/30	30	1.00	30	00	30	10	3	00							33 00	20	15/4/16	72	30/4/16					14 60	19 47					34 07	17 03				
May 1/31	31	"	31		31	"	31	10							34 10	128	15/5/16	171	31/5/16					9 73	9 74					19 47	31 66				
June 1/8	8	"	8		8	"		80							8 80																40 46				
June	22		22		22		2	20							94 00 / 24 20															53 54	64 66				
July	31		31		31		3	10							34 10	1400	28/7	1467	9/7					2 56	2 62					5 18	93 58				
Aug	31		31		31		3	10							34 10	1512	27/7	1574	15/7					2 61	2 62					5 23	122 45				
Sept.	30		30		30		3								33	1622	27/8							2 62						2 62	152 83				
Oct.	-	-	-	-	-										- -									32 12	34 45				14 30	14 30	138 53				
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														1 81	1 81																140 34				
April 1917																								140 34						140 34	0				

Balance transferred to N. E. Branch.

Checked W.P. Hill

Checked S. Meroton

N.E.B. March / 1917

April 1917.

Statement of MAR 9 1917 Account rendered

Sch. No. 686

Cash found in effects 1.81

O/a. 13 hrs. Sep. Tsfr. N.E. 18/9/16. D of 15 17.9.16 C.L.A. 462 19/9

1.81 C.I.E. Sch 686 5/1/17

140.34 cheque 688. 23.4.17