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ATTESTATION PAPER.

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CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS).

1. What is your name?..... William Dawson
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... Preston Lancashire Eng.
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?..... Wife Jane Dawson
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... 9 Smith St. Toronto
5. What is the date of your birth?..... March 9 1886
6. What is your Trade or Calling?..... Steamfitter
7. Are you married?..... Yes
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? or 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

W. Dawson (Signature of Man).
E. R. Harrison (Signature of Witness).

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, William Dawson, 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.

W. Dawson (Signature of Recruit)
Date: August 17 1915 E. R. Harrison (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, William Dawson, 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.

W. Dawson (Signature of Recruit)
Date: August 17 1915 E. R. Harrison (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 17 day of August 1915

M. S. M. (Signature of Justice)

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

W. Dawson (Approving Officer)

Description of William Dawson on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 22 years 5 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. 0 ins.

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

Complexion Fair

Eyes Blue

Hair Brown

Religious denominations. { Church of England U. of C.
Presbyterian U. of C.
Wesleyan U. of C.
Baptist or Congregationalist U. of C.
Other Protestants (Denomination to be stated.) U. of C.
Roman Catholic U. of C.
Jewish U. of C.

None

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 August 17 191 5

Place Toronto

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.

William Dawson 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. C. Condit Lee (Signature of Officer)

Date August 17 191 5

C.E.F.

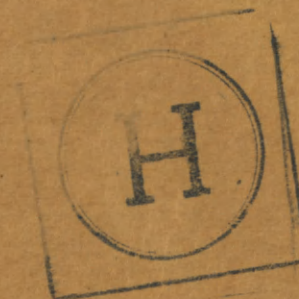
DAWSON WILLIAM

405242

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PERM UNFIT



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405242

I.D. number
No. d'identification

DAWSON

Surname
Nom de famille

WILLIAM

Given names
Prénoms

07159

PERSONNEL RECORDS CENTRE
CENTRE DES DOCUMENTS DU
PERSONNEL

Location
Lieu

2374

CS

Pt 63

Number 405-242

Rank

Surname

DAWSON

Christian Name

William

Units

18th Bn Can Exp Theatre of War France

Date of Service

16-3-16

Remarks

Mrs Jane Dawson 237 Langley Ave Toronto

Latest Address

9 Smith St
Toronto

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Roll No.

Out

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Pension

BPC
9266

AND HOW LONG

DISEASE OR INJURY

OPERATIONS

RESULT OF OPERATIONS

(A) DATE OF ARRIVAL AT HOSPITAL AS AN ADMISSION

(B) AS A TRANSFER (STATE WHERE FROM)
NAME OF HOSPITAL

DATE OF DISCHARGE TO UNIT

IN CAT

DATE OF DISCHARGE AS AN INVALID

DATE OF DEATH

DATE OF TRANSFER (STATE WHERE TO)
NAME OF HOSPITAL

OTHER INDEPENDENT CONDITIONS DIAGNOSED

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ADDRESS

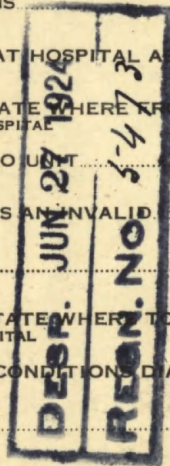
HOSPITAL

M. F. W. 142.

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* CROSS OU



Name **Dawson, W.** Rank **Pte.**Reg. No. **405242**Unit **18th. Battalion.**Next of Kin **Canada.**

Date 1916		Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
					A196		
14	4	No.8.S.H.	Wimereux	ICT.R.Thumb			
23	4	No.5.Conv.D Depot	do	do	A203		
29	4	Discharged to Base	Details	do	A209		
13	5	No.3.G.B.D.		do	A228		
3	6	Moore Barracks	H.Shorncliffe	do	B81	(CCAC)	
9	6	Granville C.S.H.	Ramsgate	do	B85	(CCAC)	
14-9		Discharged		-do-	B164		

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S.O.S. m.u. 29-1-17 m.d.2.

H.Q. 649-D-3526.

✓ Dawson, Pte. Wm., #4052427. ✓

18th Bn.

M. & D. (Widow)

Mrs. Jane Dawson,

237 Langley Ave., Toronto Ont.

Ditto

Ditto.

P. & S. " (Ser. #986213.)
Mem. C. "

" " (Mother)

Mrs. John Dawson,

880 Dundas St. E.,
Toronto, Ont.



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E " " Wm. Reg. 3/1/21 hwt/c. 39438.
E " " B.W. m.

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SURNAME.

CHRISTIAN NAMES

REGL. No.

UNIT

FORMER CORPS

CARD No.

(1049-10. 33-28)

S.O.S. Dis 29-1-17.2

RANK

plc



Bu

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAMES IN FULL

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER

ADDRESS

Dawson Mrs Jane

Wife

9 Smith St, Toronto. Ont.

COUNTRY OF BIRTH

PLACE OF ATTESTATION

DATE

DATE

England Preston. Lancs. Mar 9th 1886

Toronto. Ont. Aug 17th 1915

DS. 16-10-15 $\frac{225}{6}$ R./C. 6-10-16.

From Montreal Per S.S. Metagama Oct. 16. 1915

MARRIED

yes

SINGLE

WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING

Steamfitter

RELIGION

Church of England

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE

29

YEARS

5

MONTHS

HEIGHT

5

FEET

8 1/2

INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT

38

INCHES

EXPANSION

3

INCHES

COMPLEXION

Fair

EYES

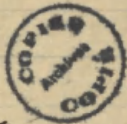
Blue

HAIR

Brown

DISTINGUISHING MARKS

Nil



MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

PLACE

Toronto. Ont

DATE

Aug 14th 1915

Present Address. Not stated.

NAME Dawson W. m.RANK AND CORPS Pte. 18th Bn.

CABLE

NO.

DATE

C

NATURE OF CASUALTY

12272

Sailed for Canada per Troopship
"Secret" Sept. 30/16 Rheumatism



LIST No.	HOSPITAL	DATE OF ADMISSION	M.B. 2	REMARKS
a196	No 8 Stat. Wimmerup	14-4-16	Ibt.	RT. Thumb.
a203	" 5 th Court. Depot "	23-4-16	...	" "
a209	" Disch to Band Details	29-4-16	" " "	" "
A228	Ex. No 3. Gen. Base Depot	13-5-16.	" " "	" "
C 81	Moore Bks. Shorncliffe	3-6-16	Neurosthenia	
B85	Grav. Can. Spec. Receipt	4-6-16	I.C.I. Right Thumb	
B164.	" " " "	14-9-16	I.C.I. Thumb. R.) Dis.	
12	M.H. C.C. Toronto	29-1-17	Disch. Cl. 3. Good	



99.
 T. 1700
 18th Batt.
 HOSPITAL.

A. & D. No.

Ward

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Chatham Ho.

Unit

Sick or Wounded.

Regtl. No.

Pl. of Act'n.

Rank

Name

Age

Religion

Service Compl'd.

Time with Field Force

Diagnosis

Admitted

Discharged

14 SEP 1916

Transferred

RECORD FURTHER REMARKS ON BACK.

HOSPITAL

CCAC Dis. Can.

A. & D. No.

Unit

Regt. No.

Rank

Name

Age

Religion

Service Compt'd

Time with Regt. Force

Diagnosis

Admitted

Transferred

RECORD FURTHER REMARKS ON BACK

OVERSEAS.
MOORE BARRACKS, CANADIAN HOSPITAL, SHORNCLIFFE.

ADMITTING CARD.

Regt. No. 405242 A. & D. No. 15345

Rank

pte

Name

Dawson William

Corps

18 Batt att @ @ a c

Religion

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Age

30

M. H. Rec'd

M. H. Requested

M. H. Ret'd

Disease

Neurasthenia

Admitted

JUN 2 1915

Discharged

Place in Hospital

16

Transferred

to Granville Hospital Ramsgate

JUN 8

1915

Results

1 1/2 Toronto

no

yes

230

P.T.O.

REMARKS:

Orig. Recd. Item	15.00	3 6 16
Orig. Recd. Local		1/181
Orig. Sent to	Ramsay	6 7 16
Orig. Sent to		1/191
Received from Registrar this Day		8 6 16
Received from Registrar this Day	9/8 of Robertson	Ward

No. 405242, RANK *Cte*

NAME

Dawson W.

T. O. S.

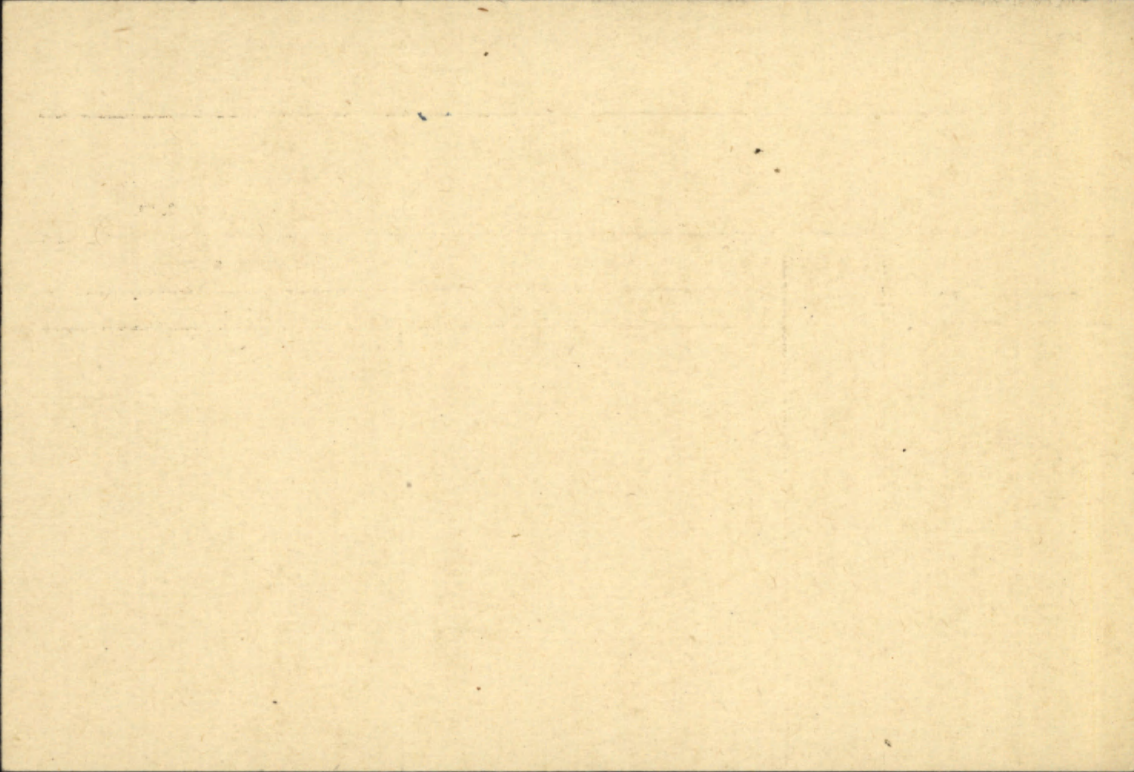
UNIT

Discharge Depot. Lebec

M. D.

5.

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
<i>1916</i> <i>Oct no dates</i>	<i>1916</i>	<i>✓</i>	<i>35 ch.</i>	



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Surname

Christian Name or Names

Reg. No.

Rank

Unit

Co.

Troop

Batty.

Hospital

Date of Admission

Transferred

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Diagnosis

(1) Later Diagnosis (if changed)

(2)

(3)

Additional Diagnoses: If more than one state present

DISPOSITION

Dis. to Base Details.
3 Gen Base Depch.

Date

C.L. 22.4.16 A196
 " 1.5.16. A203.¹
 " 8.5.16. A209.
 " 30.5.16. A228.
 " 7.6.16 B81.
 " 13.6.16 B85.
 " 16.9.16 B164.

Dis

REMARKS

29.4.16
 13.5.16
 14.9.16

A.M.D. 2 Dept.

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

WB-16

EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

Hospital

Adm.

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

6.

7.

11
Number 405242 Rank *Plt* Name *Dawson W*
Service Unit *18th* Reserve Unit *39th*
Former Occupation *Steam fitter* Date Med. Bd. *1-6-16*

FINDING:- Fit for former occupation?
Unfit for former occupation?

SUITABLE FOR:-

To be sent to Marine Bk for treatment
Clerk
Stenographer Working Batt
Hut Orderly Orderly
Cook Police
Fatigue Man
..... School of Stenography

Victor J. Hastings

UNIT FOR FORMER OCCUPATIONS
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Moore Barracks Laboratory.

REQUISITION:

Date. 7-6-16

Reg. No. 405242.

Name. Dawson.

Unit. 18th Batt.

Ward. 16.

Diagnosis. Neurosis.

Examination required. Urine.

REPORT:

Urinalysis:

Colour. straw

S.G. 1011

Reaction. acid

Sugar. neg

Albumin. neg

Microscopic.

A. J. Murray Capt.
Medical Officer.

H. L. Lambay

.....
Capt. C.A.M.C.
for O.I/c Laboratory.

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Path. Laboratory.,
Moore Barracks Hospital.

REQUISITION

Date 3/6/16

Reg. No. 405242

Name Dawson Pte.

Unit 18th Batt.

Age 16

Diagnosis Neurasthenia

Exam. required Routine

RESULTS

Crystals

Color amber

S-G 1018

Reaction acid

Sugar neg

Albumin neg

Microscopic

Amber, acid

W. S. MacFarlane
Medical Officer

A. L. Cunningham

.....
Capt. R.A.M.C.
O. i/c. Laboratory.

1870

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Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regimental Number

408242

Regiment or Corps

35th Canadian Reserve Battalion

Rank

Pte

Surname

DAWSON

Christian Name

Wm.

Religion

Age on Enlistment

years

months.

Enlisted (a)

17-8-15

Terms of Service (a)

War.

Service reckons from (a)

Date of promotion to present rank

Date of appointment to lance rank

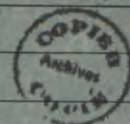
Extended

Re-engaged

Qualification (b)

or Corps Trade and Rate

Signature of Officer i/c Records.



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				
		Embarked ...			
		Disembarked ...			
15-3-16	35 Can Res Bn	To the 18th Bn., Ind. Can. Div.		15-3-16.	
		Arrived in France	Haarlem	16-3-16	N.R. of A. fol 727
16-3-16	Can Base Depot	Arrived from 35 Can Res Bn, Hemelippe, Can Base Dep.		16-3-16	Home Roll, 16 ³ / ₁₆ .
		taken on strength of 18th Can. Bn.			At II Order 14, 31 ³ / ₁₆ .
18-3-16	do	Proceeded to join unit	In the Yld.	18-3-16	Home Roll, 18 ³ / ₁₆ .
					DES. 142.
30-4-16	18th Bn.	Joined unit	do	20-3-16	Letter. DES. 180.
15-4-16	6 Can Yld Amb.	Infect. Thumb L, with lymphangitis	6 C.F.A.	13-4-16	A 36. DES. 177
do	do	do Admitted	to C.C.S.	14-4-16	do do
22-4-16	No. 17 C.C.S.	I.C.T. Thumb L. Admitted	No. 17 C.C.S.	14-4-16	do - DES. 178

(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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Date	From whom received				
22-4-16	No. 17 C.E.S.	I.C.T. Thumb R. Transferred	to No. 24 Train	14-4-16	A 36. DCS. 178.
14-4-16	No. 8 Stat.	I.C.T. Thumb R. Admitted	No. 8 Stat.	14-4-16	W 3034, 14 4/16.
23-4-16	do	do Transferred	to No. 5 Conv. Dep.	23-4-16	do 23 4/16.
1-5-16	C.E.F. Record Off.	do Adm	No. 5 Conv. Dep.	23-4-16	Cas. List A. 203.
8-5-16	do	Dischgd. ex No. 5 Conv. Dep.	to Base Details	29-4-16	do A. 209.
13-5-16	Can Base Dep.	Class A. Admitted	Can Base Dep.	13-5-16	Non. Roll. DCS. 193.
31-5-16	O.C., reinforcements,	Classified 'C' and transferred to England	30-5-16.	Non. Roll, 31 5/16.	
	Discharged.	(to Can Cas Des. Cent., Folkestone)		Pt. II Order 23, 7 6/16.	
		under Auth: I.G.C. Gent Order 208, 25/7/15.			
		Para 392, Sec. 16, K.R. & O. 1912.			
		Being no longer physically fit for war service.			
		<i>P. M. Handberg</i> for Commandant. Canadian Casualty Discharge Depot, BATH.			
		<i>A. B. Wright</i> Lieutenant for Lt Col. A.A.G.			
1/6/16		Taken on strength C.C.A.C. Pt. II D.O. No. 193			
16/9/16		ATTACHED TRANSFERRED FROM C.C.A.C. TO C.C.A.C. Bath PART II D.O. No.			
		<i>G. C. Edridge</i> <i>for</i> <i>ccac</i>			



Rank

Name DAWSON, William

Reg'l No. 405242

R-122.

Unit

35th Bn.

If in perm. Corps,
What Unit?

Married or Single Married

Place and Date of Enlistment

Toronto, 17th Aug. 1915.

Place of Birth Preston, Lancs.,
Eng.

Name and Address, Next-of-Kin

Jane Dawson,

9, Smith Street, Toronto.

Relationship Wife.

Assigned Pay Monthly \$

Payable to

Relationship

Separation Allowance \$

Payable to

Relationship

ccac
N/E. R.B. No 2126
File R.L.
Category *mu loan*

Discharge, Date and Place

Reason

Character



Report

Date

From whom
receivedRecord of promotions, reductions,
transfers, casualties, etc., during active
service. The authority to be quoted
in each case.

Place

Date

REMARKS
Taken from Official Documents

*Arrived in England.
Per S.S. Metagama*

25 OCT. 1915

AEB Lhd. 21/2/16

17. 3. 16 00. 35thStruck off to 18th Batt Overseas.

15. 3. 16

PIIO 66

31. 3. 16 O.C. 18thArrived as Recpt from 35th
and taken on strength from

In field

16. 3. 16

Part II no 14.

22. 4. 16 18th

No. 8 Stationary Hospital

Wimereux

14. 4. 16

Cas. List A196 ICT Right Thumb

1. 5. 16 "

No 5 Conv. Depot

23. 4. 16

203 "

8. 5. 16 "

Discharged to Base Details

29. 4. 16

209 "

30. 5. 16 "

No 3 General Base Depot

15. 5. 16

228 "

7. 6. 16 O.C. 18thClassified "C" and transfrd to CCAC
and struck off strength from

30. 5. 16

Part II 23

3. 6. 16 CCAC

Adm. Moore Brecks Hosp for treatment

2. 6. 16

Part II O. 198.

13. 6. 16 18th Batt.

Transfrd. Gran. Spec Can Hosp.

Ramsgate

9. 6. 16

Pt. C.L. B. 85. K.T. Rt Thumb

7. 6. 16 do.

Adm. Moore Brecks Hosp.

S'cliffe

3. 6. 16

C.L. B. 81. Demasthenia

1. 6. 16 CCAC

Taken on strength.

1. 6. 16

Part II O. 193.



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				
15-9-16	C.C.A.B.	Reported ex Bromley		14-9-16	Pt #0 398
16-9-16	18 th Bn	Dischgd from can Hosp. Ramsgate		14-9-16	CL B 164
20-9-16	C.C.A.B.	on com to C.O.O. Bath for Disch		18-9-16	Pt #0 408
2-10-16	C.D.D.	Discharge in Canada M.L. Bath		29-9-16	Pt II 0197
4-10-16	C.C.A.B.	SOS on Dis to Can	F. Lton	29-9-16	" " 440
CHECKED. 5th Dec, 1916.					
Dis Depot To Convalescent Home			M.D. No 2 Toronto	6-10-16	Worm Roll No 70

MEDICAL CASE SHEET.*

Bathurst House

No. in
Admission
and
Discharge
Book.

Regimental No.

Rank.

Surname.

Christian Name.

405243

Pte

Hawson

William

Year

Unit.

Age.

Service.

18th Bn



30

1/12

Station
and Date.

Disease

neurasthenia - Height 154 lbs.

Occupation: Steam-fitter

Arrived in France: March 5th 16

Reported Sick: April 15th 16

Hospitals: Boulogne: 1 month

La Harve Base - 2 weeks

England: Moore Barracks - 4 days

H.C.S.H.: June 8

Complaint: Nervousness & shakiness
in any noise or excitement.History: Patient says he has always been
very nervous & easily depressed. He had
an attack of "boils" just before going
to France & while in France which
'undermined' his health. Under shell
fire he lost all control of himself
becoming perfectly helpless. Has felt some
better in hospital but any excitement
soon unnerves him completely. (A.H.)Present Condition: Nervous & shakiness
Head & lungs. Neg.

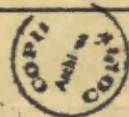
Heart & lungs neg. Considerable tremor

of head & hands. The latter markedly

exaggerated. Pupils equal & active. No general history.

*The first and last entries will be signed, and transfers from one Medical Officer to another, attested by their signatures.

Station
and Date.



Reported sick on account of boil first but
carried on. Three weeks later his nerves
gave out. Was sent to Boulogne.

Feeling less nervous but any excitement
caused heart to palpitate & he gets
short of breath. Was always troubled with
"nerves" - he says - to slight extent.
Heart action - normal. Lungs - negative.
All reflexes normal.

Recommend transfer to Ch. House. & have
graduated Swedish exercises.

14/6/16. For exam. room 15/6/16.

15/6/16

Cold spinal douche daily.

Swedish dress several times. Report in a
week. June 22 '16.

27/6/16

Carry on. Report in 10 days 3/7/16

3/7/16

Slight improvement. Carry on - Report in 10 days 13/7/16

18/7/16

Condition very much the same. Carry on Report 10 days 28/7/16

27-7-16

Wt. 140 1/2 lbs.

28/7/16

No improvement to be noticed. Discontinue Cold Spinal Douche
H. 7. to head daily. Report in 10 days 6/8/16

2/8/16

Wt. 165 lbs.

7/8/16

Head much better. Bothers him some at
night. Still nervous, carry on, Report in
a week 14/8/16 Wt. 163 lbs.

14/8/16

Head still improving. - Complains of not feeling much better.
in nervous condition - Carry on. Report in 10 days 24/8/16
Wt. 163 lbs.

19.8.16

Complaining of stomach. Says he has had
discharges of mucus & blood from bowels.

23.8.16

Vomiting last night. Stools today P. & T. normal.

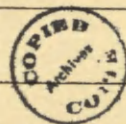
24/8/16

Tongue very foul. Bad today.
Carry on Report Saturday 26/8/16.

MEDICAL CASE SHEET.*

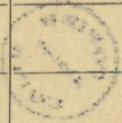
Shatham House

No. in Admission and Discharge Book.	Regimental No.	Rank.	Surname.	Christian Name.
Year 1916	405242	Pte	Dawson	William
	Unit. 18 th Battr.		Age. 30	Service. 11 12
Station and Date.	Disease	Neurasthenia		
C. L. H. 8-6-16	Occupation - Steamfitter			
26/8/16	For Medical Board Monday 28/8/16			
1/9/16	Leavey On Report in a week 8/9/16			
5-9-16	Gym Report. This patient needs encouragement.			
6-9-16	Patient in bed this morning. Says he had a bad night. "Paralyzed" feeling all over body. Vomited this morning. Bowels regular. No pulse & temperature Wt. 161 Const.			
7-9-16	Patient somewhat better this morning but the case is not doing well. Subject to vomiting attacks. Recommended for transfer to General Hospital.			
7-9-16	Prepare 179 Discharge & Certificate.			
8/9/16	Discharge Δ Russell pulse is 120. - at present.			



*The first and last entries will be signed, and transfers from one Medical Officer to another, attested by their signatures.

Station
and Date.



MEDICAL CASE SHEET.*

No. in
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Surname.

Dawson

Christian Name.

William

Unit.

18. Batt

Age.

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Service.

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and Date.June 3/16.
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Disease

Complaint: General nervous breakdown. Can't sleep & eat, very nervous.

Duration 7 weeks

P. H. Had typhoid fever 10 years ago, pneumonia about the same time. Was laid up for 6 months.

History Negative.

About 10th of April a shell exploded near him and as a result patient collapsed. He was not directly struck, but had to be carried to the rear completely incapacitated. Was taken to No 6 Field Ambulance & then to Balloona. Remained here 4 weeks. During this time was suffering intensely from shock anæsthesia; had no pain except that due to a septic thrust which had no relation to shell wound. He was then at Le Havre 2 weeks, then here. Hears. Apex beat is hardly felt in normal position. Cardiac

dullness is normal in extent. First sound is muffled & indistinct, but no murmur is present. Nothing abnormal in gait or palpation. Lungs: a few

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less chest in

lungs. Abdomen is
soft compressible, &
nothing abnormal is
found. Liver dullness is
normal. Spleen
not palpable.

TRANSFERRED.

8 - JUN 1916

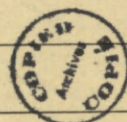
Spanville
Special
Hospital
Ramsgate

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Station
and Date.

4-6-16

Patient is extremely nervous and moans. Has some
twitching of muscles of arm & leg. Eye reflexes are normal
Knee jerks active. H. G. Drury Capt



EXAMINATION
BY
STANDING MEDICAL BOARD, SHORNCLIFFE.

No. 405242 Unit. 18th Batta June 1 1916.
Rank. Pt-
Name. Dawson W. Age. 30

Examination held at. SHORNCLIFFE - C. C. A. C.
(19, Westbourne Gardens, Folkestone.)

DISABILITY.

Overseas—Local.
(scratch one out)

Present Condition :

Neurasthenia M.B.C. 11
to hospital -
for treatment

Board recommends :

1. Fit for Duty.
2. Fit for duty after.....weeks physical training.
3. Fit for light duty.....weeks.
4. Fit for permanent Base duty.
5. Discharge.

Signatures :

Members {		Pres.

Approved.

Shorncliffe _____ 1916. _____ Capt.

for A.D.M.S.
Canadian Training Division.

EXAMINATION

STANDING MEDICAL BOARD, SHORCLIFFE

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C. V. P. C.
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C. V. P. C.
Capt.

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DECLARATION

MADE BY SOLDIER BEFORE PENSIONS AND CLAIMS BOARD, CANADIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

Name WILLIAM DAWSON.

Regimental No. 405242 Rank Pte. Unit 35th Bn.

Date of Birth 4th March 1886 Place of Birth Preston, England.

Occupation or Trade previous to Enlistment Steam Fitter

Date of Enlistment 6th August, 1915.

Place of Enlistment Toronto

Are you married or single? Married.

If married, how many children have you? (Boys) 1 (Girls)

What are their ages? 2 years.

Have you been to France or Belgium? Yes.

How long were you on full duty there? 6 weeks.

Give general details of duty: General Service.

Were you in trenches? Yes.

Were you on base duty? No.

State any other duty performed

What is your present condition of health? Poor.

What work, if any, are you fit for? None

Have you work promised you when discharged? No.

What is your present address? C.D.D. Bath.

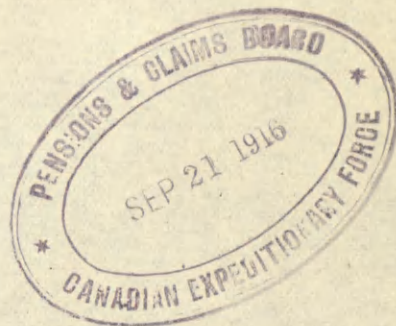
Where do you wish to take your discharge? Canada.

I, having been duly sworn, declare that I have read the answers given by me to the above questions, which are true and correct, and I have signed—

Pte W. Dawson

Witnessed by

G. H. H. H. H.



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18/1/17

W. J. J.

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DECLARATION

MADE BY SOLDIER BEFORE PENSIONS AND BOARD
CANADIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

Name _____
Regimental No. _____ Rank _____
Date of Birth _____ Place of Birth _____
Occupation or Trade previous to Enlistment _____
Date of Enlistment _____
Place of Enlistment _____
Are you married or single? _____
If married, how many children have you? _____
What are their ages? _____
Have you been to France or Belgium? _____
How long were you on full duty there? _____
Give general details of duty: _____
Were you in trenches? _____
Were you on base duty? _____
State any other duty performed _____
What is your present condition of health? _____
What work if any are you fit for? _____
Have you work promised you when discharged? _____
What is your present address? _____
Where do you wish to take your discharge? _____

I, having been duly sworn, declare that I have read the answers given by
me to the above questions, which are true and correct, and I have signed—

W. J. J.

Witnessed by _____

MARRIED OR SINGLE *m*
PLACE OF BIRTH *Auston, Lancs. Eng.*
NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN *Jane Dawson*
9 Smith St. Toronto, Ont.
RELATIONSHIP OF NEXT OF KIN *wife*
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

ADMISSIONS TO HOSPITAL, &c.			
DATE ADMITTED	DATE DISCHARGED	V. OR A.	NAME OF HOSPITAL

REG'L NO. *405242* RANK *Pt* NAME *Dawson, William.*
IF IN PERMT. CORPS WHAT UNIT UNIT *18th Batta* TRANSFERRED TO *b. b. A. b.* DATE *b. b. 16* AUTHORITY *D 237 1/2*
PERMANENT FORCE ALLOWANCES TRANSFERRED TO *N. E.* DATE *25-9-16* AUTHORITY *L 238*
PLACE OF ATTESTATION *Toronto Ont.* TRANSFERRED TO DATE AUTHORITY
DATE OF ATTESTATION *17th August 1915.* TRANSFERRED TO DATE AUTHORITY
ASSIGNED PAY MONTHLY \$ *25.00* *20.00* DATE EFFECTIVE *reduced 1/16, Auth: CPM letter 3/16. 2 M from red? 8/16*
PAYABLE TO *Mrs Jane Dawson, 9 Smith St. Toronto, Ont.* RELATIONSHIP *wife*
ASSIGNED PAY MONTHLY \$ DATE EFFECTIVE
PAYABLE TO RELATIONSHIP
STOP-PAYMENT FORM (ASSIGNED PAY) RENDERED (DATE) *22/9/16* EFFECTIVE *1/10/16* REASON *Discharged*
DISCHARGE DATE AND PLACE *to Canada 22/9/16* REASON AND AUTHORITY *CC1 L 238 19/9/16*
ACCOUNT TRANSFERRED TO NON-EFFECTIVE BRANCH (DATE) *28.9.16*
ACCOUNT TRANSFERRED TO OFFICERS' PAY BRANCH (DATE)

DATE	PAY				FIELD ALLOWANCE				WORKING OR SPECIAL PAY				ASSIGNED PAY CREDITS	OTHER CREDITS	TOTAL CREDITS	ACQUITTANCE ROLLS								CASH PAYMENTS				ASSIGNED PAY	OTHER CHARGES	TOTAL DEBITS	BALANCE		PAY WITHHELD OR DEFERRED	PAY AVAILABLE FOR ISSUE	REMARKS																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																							
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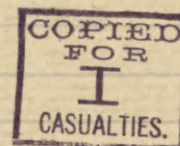
MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY
OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

M. F. W. 12.
20m—9-15.
H. Q. 1772-80-819.

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To Whom *Mrs. Jane Dawson*By Whom Assigned *Dawson. W.*Address *G. Smith Street.
Toronto.*Regtl. No. *401742* *405242*Rank *Pte.*Corps *35th Batt. "C" Company*Rate *\$20.00**\$20.00 May 1 - p.c. 973**OCT 1 - 1915**2M 19/5/16**1/8/16**4/7/16**PAYMENTS*

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.	REMARKS
Aug.	1914			
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Nov.		<i>4057</i>	<i>25</i>	
Dec.		<i>16236</i>	<i>25-</i>	
Jan.	1916	<i>9703</i>	<i>25</i>	
Feb.		<i>213009</i>	<i>25</i>	
March		<i>116256</i>	<i>25</i>	



POST DISCHARGE PAY OFFICE

Three months pay and allowances after discharge.

9366-186
4329-W-3

Name Dawson, Wm.
Surname

Christian Name

Regimental Number 405242 Rank Pte.

Address (in full) 9 Smith St.

Unit 30th Bn.

Toronto, Ont.

Original Unit 35th Bn.

District where paid M.D.2

Date of Discharge 29-1-17

P. D. P. Filing Number 2-1-2



Rates:—Regimental pay \$1.00 per diem: Field Allowance \$.10 per diem. Separation Allowance \$ 20.00 per month.

L. L. 22573—M. & D. 8008.

Total Credits 91 days	FIRST PAYMENT			SECOND PAYMENT			FINAL PAYMENT			Balance Over- payments to be Recovered	Total Amount Paid
	Cheque No. A	Date	Amount 30 days	Cheque No. B	Date	Amount 30 days	Cheque No. C	Date	Amount 31 days		
160 10	2	25-7-17	53 00	2	27-8-17	53 00	2	1-10-17	54 10		160 10
	1 st 811861	25/2/19	70 00								
	1 st 811862	25/2/19	30 00								
	449A 2 nd 427371	7-3-19	49 90								
	1353 2 nd 431711	10-3-19	30 00								

Remarks:

M. F. W. 127.
50M-617.
1172 39-1140.

Dec'n No 9366/186 W. S. G. File No 4329-10-29
Award ... days at \$ 100 per ^{mo} day \$ 400.00
S. A. months at \$ per mo. \$ \$
Less P. D. P. Credited \$ 160.10
\$
Less further debit balance \$
Net due paid as below 239.90

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GEN'L AUDITOR
Posting checked by *P. Putman*
Date *17 79*

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MILITIA AND DEFENCE
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M. F. W. 12a.
 60m. 15.
 1772 815

Sheet No. 2.

Mrs Jane Dawson

Wife
PAYMENTS.

Name of Soldier

Dawson, W.

404742

35th Batt. C. Coy.

L. L. Job 89002.—Req. 6213.

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
April	1916	P536	25	<i>25⁰⁰ 20⁰⁰ May</i>
May		P3314	20	<i>4200</i>
June		P6549	20	
July		G6461	20	
Aug.		K14221	20	
Sept.		G16040	20	
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1917			<i>Amt. Closed, paid: S. S. Secrete 30/9/16</i>
Feb.				<i>AK-5/10/16</i>
March				<i>also 2 M Sept 22/16 WDC</i>
April				
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Jan.	1918			
Feb.				
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April				
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July				



Pension granted June 30/16
A.K.

MILITIA AND DEFENCE
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PAYMENTS.

Name of Soldier.....

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
Aug.	1918			
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Name and address of next of kin

9 Smith St Toronto Ont

Place of

Married (yes or no) *Yes S. 17.*

Amount of pay assigned monthly

To whom payable *Mr. Lane Dawson*

Date and place discharged

Reason for discharge

Character on discharge

L. L. Job 502 M. & D. 6578.

[illegible]

Rank

Name

DAWSON, William

Reg'l No.

405242

P-56

Unit

C.C.A.C.
35th Bn.If in perm. Corps,
What Unit?

Married or Single

Married

Place and Date of Enlistment

Toronto, 17th Aug. 1915.

Place of Birth Preston, Lancs.,
Eng.

Name and Address, Next-of-Kin

Jane Dawson,

9, Smith Street, Toronto.

Relationship

Wife.

Assigned Pay Monthly \$

25 20⁰⁰

Payable to

2 m. from recd. 8/5/16 effect 1/5/16 25⁰⁰ to 20⁰⁰

Relationship

Separation Allowance \$

Payable to

Relationship

Discharge, Date and Place

Reason

Character

Date		PAY			Field Allowance			Other Credits	Total Credits	Voucher		Cash Payments	Assigned pay	Other Charges	Total Debits	Balance	Remarks, Casualties, etc
From	To	No. of Days	Rate	Amount	No. of Days	Rate	Amount			No.	Date						
1915																	
Nov 1	Nov 30	30	1-	30 -	30	.10	3 -	10 -	43 -			4 86	25 -		29 86	13 14	10 ⁰⁰ Clothing Ref.
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1916																	
Jan 1	31	31	1-	31 -	31	.10	3 10	12 50	68 74			14 86	25 -		29 86	16 74	
Feb 1	29	29	1-	29 -	29	.10	2 90		31 90	338		1 243	25 -		27 43	21 21	1st to 18th Bn
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BALANCE TRANSFERRED TO NEW LEDGER

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9 Smith St., Toronto

Regimental No. 403 242.

Name and address of next-of-kin

Unit

Date of enlistment

Place of “

Married (yes or no)

Date and place discharged

Amount of pay assigned monthly \$ 15⁰⁰

Reason for discharge

To whom payable

Character on discharge

Rob 2376, M. & D. 6692

Date		PAY		Field Allowance			Other Credits	Total Credits	Voucher		Cash Payments	Assigned Pay	Other Charges	Total Debits	Remarks, Casualties, etc.
From	To	No. of Days	Rate	Amount	No. of Days	Rate			Amount	No.					
1916															
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Name and address of next-of-kin

Unit

Date of enlistment

Place of “

Married (yes or no)

Date and place discharged

Amount of pay assigned monthly \$

Reason for discharge

To whom payable

Character on discharge

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Register No.

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WAR SERVICE GRATUITY

TO

DEPENDENTS OF DECEASED SOLDIERS

A.P. File No.

04329-28-29

Reg'tl No. 405242. Name William Lawson.
(Christian Name) (Surname)
Unit 18th Bw. Rank Pte. Date of enlistment 17-8-15.
Date of casualty 3-2-19. B.P.C. File No. 9266.
Was service performed overseas? Yes.



DEPENDENT

Name Mrs. Jane Lawson. Relationship Widow.
Address 237 Langley Ave.,
Toronto,
Ont.

M.F.W. 2652
25M-6-90.
H.Q. 1173-89-1473

Amount of Special Pension Bonus \$ 80.00. Abstracted by J.M. Davidson.

Eligible for Gratuity \$

Less amount of Special Pension Bonus paid \$

Less Debit Balance of S. A. or A.P. \$

Total deductions \$

Balance due \$

Cheque No. Date issued

REMARKS: Soldier discharged 29-1-17.
Eligible as H.S.G. was paid

Clerk J.C. McMillan

Audited by
Date

D.B. 24

Three months pay and allowances after discharge.

Surname

Christian Name

Address (in full)

P. D. P. Filing Number

Rates:—Regimental pay \$ per diem; Field Allowance \$ per diem. Separation Allowance \$ per month.

Total
Credits
91 days

FIRST PAYMENT

Cheque No.
A

Date _____

Amount
30 days

SECOND PAYMENT

Cheque No.
B

Date _____

Amount
30 days

FINAL PAYMENT

Cheque No.
C

Date _____

Amount
31 days

Balance	
Overpayments	
to be	
Recovered	

Total
Amount
Paid

M. F. W. 127
300M-1-19
1772-39-1140

Remarks:

21-8-15

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MILITIA AND DEFENCE

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

Name *Mrs. Jane Dawson*Name of Soldier *Dawson, W.*Address *9 Smith St.*Regtl. No. *404 742-405242*Rank *Pte*Corps *35th Battalion*

Relation to Soldier

To what Corps belonging

wife, child or mother

when called out

} *Wife*

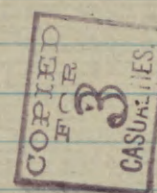
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PAYMENTS

42229 M. CO.

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.	REMARKS
Aug.	1914			2
Sept.				
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Jan.	1915			
Feb.				
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Oct.		<i>216121</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>
Nov.		<i>M 10639</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>
Dec.		<i>E 23149</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>
Jan.	1916	<i>524799</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>
Feb.		<i>O 20669</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>
March		<i>E 30960</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20</i>



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



q1/21 follow q1/22

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

Sheet No. 2.

L. L. Job 89002.—Req. 6213.

PAYMENTS.

Name of Soldier

Pte.

Month.

Year.

Cheque No.

Amt.

Remarks.

April

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Nov.

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Jan.

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Acct. Closed, Rekd: S S Secrete 30/9/16
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May

June

July

Aug.

Sept.

Oct.

Nov.

Dec.

Jan.

1918

Feb.

March

April

May

June

July



ACCOUNT CLOSED

DATE.....PER.....

Pension granted 30/6/17.

N.P. 23/2/17.

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

MILITIA AND DEFENCE

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				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1920			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				

MEDICAL HISTORY OF AN INVALID.

1. Station. *Sfadia Military Hosp.*

Regiment or Corps.

35th (39th Res.)

3. Regimental No. and Rank.

405242

Pte

4. Name.

Dawson, William.

5. Age last Birthday.

30

6. Enlisted on

Aug. 1915

at

Toronto

7. Former trade or occupation.

Steam fitter

8. General remarks on his:—

(a) Conduct.

C

(b) Habits.

(c) Temperance.

(For this purpose the Company defaulter sheets will be obtained from the man's Commanding Officer.)

Date.

Dec. 29. 1916

*"D" UNIT
TORONTO, ONT.
JAN 2 1917*

9. Service.

Years.

Days.

PERIODS

FROM

TO

In Canada

Aug. 1915

Oct. 1915

In England

Oct. 1915

March 1916

In France

March 1916

May 1916

10. (a) Disease or disability.

Neurosthenic Trauma

(b) Date of origin.

March 12 1916

(c) Place of origin.

France

(d) Cause.

Shell shock (no actual trauma)

11. Present condition. (Most Important.)

(To include full description of present disabling condition or conditions, and of the immediate and direct cause of incapacity, i.e., debility, breathlessness on exertion, necessity of treatment by rest, etc.)

*Feels pretty well but cannot do heavy work as in
boarding now gets dizzy but this goes away. He soon
tires & becomes exhausted. - Refuses any exercise & no
sign of organic disease*

12. (a) Is the disability the result of service or climate?

Service

(b) Has it been aggravated by intemperance, vice or misconduct?

No

*carded
15-1-17
JMS*

(At Station or Hospital where finally disposed of.)

Arrived
from

Date _____

[illegible]

Summary of Causes of invaliding, or remarks as to remand to Regiment, Station or Depot.

Date of final Medical Board or decision.

Administrative Medical Officer.

Militia Form B. 227.

H. Q. 1772-39-117.
200m. 8.6.

DETAILED MEDICAL HISTORY OF INVALID.

Station

Corps

Regimental No.

Rank

Name

Disability

Date _____

Hospital or Station
transferred to for
final disposal.

Date of final disposal }

How finally
disposed of }

The original Report is invariably to accompany the discharge documents of invalids.

13. (a) For purpose of Identification. (Here a full description of wounds, scars, deformities, etc., is to be given.)

4 Vaccination scars - left arm.

- (b) In case of wounds, or other injuries, state whether sustained on or off duty. If not received in action, was a Court of Inquiry held?

- (c) In the event of the disability being attributed to exposure on duty, state clearly the nature of such exposure, and whether it was exceptional or otherwise.

14. Treatment.

Boulogne - 6 wks - sedatives
Ramsgate - 3 mos. - spinal douches.
Spalding Hosp - 6 wks - rest, baths.

15. If the disabling condition had its origin before enlistment, has it been aggravated by service, and to what extent?

Aggravated by service
but no direct injury.

16. What is the probable duration of the disability or of each disabling condition, if more than one contributes?

1 year

17. To what extent will it prevent his earning a full livelihood in the general labour market? Please state in fractions. When more than one disabling condition is present, the extent of the disability due to each should be stated.

$\frac{1}{5}$ for 6 months.

18. State if for discharge on account of unfitness for Service.

Yes

Grantline

Capt Lane

Medical Officer by whom the case is brought forward.

OPINION OF THE MEDICAL BOARD.

Does the Board concur with the preceding report? If not, give differing opinion.

10.

yes

11.

yes

12.

yes

15.

No, The disability is due to service

16.

No, 6 mos

17.

yes

18. Is he unfit for Military Service.

yes

Recommendations :

that he be discharged with suitable compensation



Signatures :—

C. J. Currie May

President.

W. Ogden Capt

Members.

J. H. Thompson Capt

Station.

SPADINA MILITARY HOSPITAL

Date.

Dec. 29th 1916

Date.

6/1/17

Approved.

Date.

24/1/17

F. J. Munro, M.D.

Asst. Director of Medical Services

Haynes Ellis Capt.

Director-General of Medical Services.

Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station GRANVILLE CAN. SPEC. HOSPITAL.
RAMSGATE

Date SEPT. 8th 1916

1. Unit. 15th B.N. 39th Res 5. Age last birthday 30
2. Regimental No. 405242. 6. Enlisted { on AUG. 6th 1915
3. Rank PTE. at TORONTO.
4. Name DAWSON, W^m 7. Former Trade { STEAM FITTER.
or Occupation {

8. Disability.

NEURASTHENIA.

Statement of Case.

Note.—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Officer in medical charge of the case. In answering them he will carefully discriminate between the man's unsupported statements and evidence recorded in his military and medical documents. He will also carefully distinguish cases entirely due to venereal disease.

9. Date of origin of disability. APRIL 15th 1916

10. Place of origin of disability. ST. ELOI.

11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case.

State that he was always nervous. While under shell fire in the trenches went all to pieces, and could not control himself. Hospital: - BOULOGNE, LE HAVRE, MOORE BARRACKS, on admission to GRANVILLE, was very nervous and shaky. Tremor of hands and head. Hands cyanosed. Has palpitation of heart. Under treatment. Druggist.

12. (a) Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability.

(b) If you consider it to have been caused by wounds received or illness contracted (1) in the presence of the enemy (2) on active service, explain the specific conditions to which you attribute it. (See notes on page 3).

Original nervousness aggravated by shell fire.

① *aggravated.*

② *aggravated by shell fire.*

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OCT 25 1916

PENSIONS AND CLAIMS BOARD, Canadian Expeditionary Force, assembled at
~~Folkestone, Kent~~, England, on the Twentyfirst day of September, 1916.
Prior Park, Bath,

Members of Board.

LIEUT.-COL. SIR H. MONTAGU ALLAN, C.V.O., *President.*

LIEUT.-COL. W. GRANT MORDEN.

Lieut. Col. D. McLean,

Proceedings.

Major R. Raikes,

~~Major John L. Toon~~ C.A.M.C.

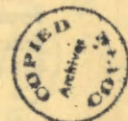
~~Major Mackenzie Alexander~~,

Legal Adviser.

Major Hume Blake,

The Board having considered the evidence of the man marginally noted, and the documents submitted, hereto attached, which form part of these Presents, marked

No. 405242,
Pte. Dawson, W.,
35th Bn.



RECOMMENDS:-

When this man is discharged that he be granted a
Gratuity of One Hundred Dollars under Class 6 of
the Pay and Allowance Regulations 1914 as amended
by P.C. 1334 of 3rd June 1916.

SIGNED AT PRIOR PARK, BATH, THIS TWENTYFIRST DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1916.

H. Montagu Allan
Lt.-Col. *President.*
D. McLean
Lt.-Col.

R. Raikes
Major.
C.A.M.C.
Major.

13. What is his present condition?

Weight should be given in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.

Patient is very nervous and is still shaky. Complain of "pressure" on his head. Heart and lungs negative. Tongue foul. Does not sleep well. And can stand no excitement pulse 120.



14. If the disability is an injury, was caused

not applicable.

(a) In action?

(b) On field service?

(c) On duty?

(d) Off duty?

15. Was a Court of Inquiry held on the injury?

no.

If so—(a) When?

(b) Where?

(c) Opinion?

16. Was an operation performed? If so, what?

no

17. If not, was an operation advised and declined?

no

18. In case of loss or decay of teeth. Is the loss of teeth the result of wounds, injury or disease, directly* attributable to active service?

not applicable.

19. Do you recommend

(a) Fit for duty?

no

(b) Fit for light duty?

no

(c) Invalided to Canada?

no

(d) Discharge as permanently unfit?

yes.

Crossman - Capt
Officer in medical charge of case. Cause

I have satisfied myself of the general accuracy of this report, and concur therewith,

except

Station



Date

Hub Major, C.A.M.C.
For O.C. Granville Canadian
Officer in charge of Hospital Ramsgate.

* Loss of teeth or, or immediately after, active service, should be attributed thereto, unless there is evidence that it is due to some other cause.

† Delete this word if no exceptions are to be made.

Opinion of the Medical Board.

NOTES.—(i.) Clear and decisive answers to the following questions are to be carefully filled in by the Board, as it is essential that the Members of the Pensions and Claims Board should be in possession of the most reliable information to enable them to decide upon the man's claim to pension.

(ii.) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," &c., should be avoided.

(iii.) The rates of pensions vary according to whether the disability is attributed to wounds or injuries received or illness contracted, (1) in the presence of the enemy, (2) on active service. It is therefore essential when assigning the cause of the disability to differentiate between them (*see* Article 591 to 598 of the Canadian Pay and Allowance Regulations as amended G.O., 57, May 1st, 1915).

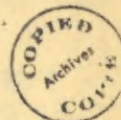
(iv.) In answering question 20 the Board should be careful to discriminate between disease resulting from military conditions and disease to which the soldier would have been equally liable in civil life.

20. (a) State whether the disability is the result of injuries received or illness contracted, (1) in the presence of the enemy, (2) on active service.

(b) If due to one of these causes, to what specific condition do the Board attribute it?

1/4 yes " yes

General Service Conditions aggravating a previous disability



21. Has the disability been aggravated by

(a) Intemperance? *no*

(b) Misconduct? *no*

22. Is the disability permanent?

yes military life not applicable

23. If not permanent, what is its probable minimum duration?

To be stated in months.

24. To what extent is his capacity for earning a full livelihood in the general labour market lessened at present?

In defining the extent of his inability to earn a livelihood, estimate it at $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{3}{4}$, or total incapacity.

1/4 for 6 months due to aggravation by service and then none compared with capacity on enlistment

25. If an operation was advised and declined, was the refusal unreasonable?

not applicable

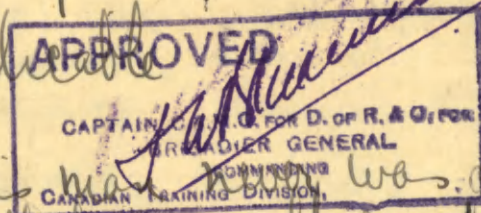
26. Do the Board recommend

(a) Fit for duty? *no*

(b) Fit for light duty? *no*

(c) Invalided to Canada? *no*

(d) Discharge as permanently unfit *yes*



This man was and never will be an efficient soldier

Signatures:—

SHORNCLIFFE—
(19, Westbourne Gardens, Folkestone.)

Station _____

Date *Sept 18/16*

R. H. Ferguson Capt President.

J. R. Irvine Capt. Members.

Approved.

Station *Shorncliffe*

Date *15 SEP 1916*

A. J. McInnes
Administrative Medical Officer.

To be used (a) for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army, and (b) for men of the Territorial Force when they are admitted to Hospital.
Army Form B. 178^A to be used for Special Reserve recruits and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname Dawson Christian Name W.

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish ... County ...

Examined ... { on ... day of ... 191...
at ...

Declared Age ... years ... days.

Trade or Occupation ...

Height ... feet ... inches.

Weight ... lbs.

Chest { Girth when fully Expanded ... inches.
Measurement { Range of Expansion ... inches.

Physical Development ...

Vaccination Marks { Arm ... Right Left
Number ...

When Vaccinated ...

Vision ... { R.E.—V=
L.E.—V=

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease ... (a) ...

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

Approved by (Signature) ...
(Rank) ...

Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... { at ...
on ... day of ... 191...

Joined on Enlistment ...

Transferred to ...

Became non-effective by ...

(Sgd) R.M. Hazelton. Lieut.

on ... day of for ... 191...

(Signature)

(Rank)

Commandant.
Canadian Casualty
Discharge Depot.

BATH

P.T.O.

Table IV.—Service Table.

[illegible]

Table II.—Only for Admissions to Hospital or to the Sick

[illegible]

List in the case of Warrant Officers treated in quarters.

orks bearing on the cause, nature, or treatment of the case, likely to be of interest or of future use. In cases of syphilis, admissions and re-admissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers, &c., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.

Signature of Medical Officer

Shell Shock Symptoms Largely Nervous

H.B.Munro Capt.

Transferred to C.C.A.C. Folkestone.

J. B. Edmison. Capt.

(To be attached to Case Sheet).

Military Hospital — M. B. G. H.

No. 405.242.

Rank and Name Plt Dawson, Wm.

Age 30

Service 11/12Disease Neurasthenia

Date of admission 2-6-16

Date of discharge

Result.

Dates of Observation	2	3
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Days of Disease

[illegible]

107°

106°

105°

104°

103°

102°

101°

100°

99°

98°

97°

Pulse per Minute

Respirations per Minute

Motions per 24
hours

Wt. W. 7106-623. 350,000m. 11/14. J. J. K. & Co., Ltd., Forms B 181/3.

Signature.

—In Charge Case.

MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.

Surname Dawson Christian Name William

Examined { on 17 August 1915
at Toronto
Birthplace { City or Town Preston Lancashire
County England

Approved by W. MacLaurin

Rank Rifle M.O.

Apparent age 29 years 5 months

Trade or occupation steamfitter

Height 5 Feet 8 1/2 Inches.

Weight 143 Lbs.

Chest measurement { Minimum 35 inches.
Maximum expansion 38 inches.

Physical development Good

Small-Pox Marks None

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right Left
Number 1888 5

When Vaccinated last 13.9.15

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease None

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection

None

EXAMINED FOR RE-ENGAGEMENT 8 JUN 1916

VACCINATIONS.

ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.

Enlisted on 17 day of August 1915 at Toronto

	CORPS.	REG'TL NUMBER.	MARKS.	DATE.
Joined on enlistment	<u>12 York Rangers</u>	<u>404742</u>		
Transferred to.....	<u>35th Batta</u>	<u>400242</u>		
	<u>Greenwich</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.

Christian Name.

W. H. L. L.

CAPT. A. M. C.
REGISTRAR.

A. & D. 153015

Regtl. No., Rank and Name Pt Dawson #53242 Corps 18th Batt C.C.C.
Disease Parasitosis Hospital M. B. C. H.
To Officer i/c Laboratory. Ward 16

Please carry out an examination of the accompanying specimen of Sputum
with special regard to T. B.

Date June 4. 1916 S. G. Inman
O. i/c Capt Ward.

LABORATORY REPORT.

No T. B. found



Date of Examination 5-6-16

R. L. Montague
Capt.

S. G. Inman O. i/c Laboratory.

Company

Rank and Name

Hospital

Branch

Ward

To Officer in Charge

Please carry out an examination of the accompanying specimen of

with special regard to

Date

Ward

LABORATORY REPORT



4.

Reference Examination

Officer in Charge



Form to be used instead of blank space on Army Form 179

Proceedings of Medical Board at Discharge Depot

Number Rank Name and corps of disabled Soldier.

405242 Pte Dawson W⁴ 187 Bn - 392 Res. P.T.

Previous Civilian Occupation, *Steam Fitter.*

MILITIA SERVICE
001211916
H.Q. 3528
CANADA

Cause of disability.

Nervousness - aggravated by service -

Condition in detail, which prevent the Soldier earning a full Livelihood.

Disabled is nervous and easily startled by noise or excitement and says that he is then useless - cannot concentrate. Sleeps well - but has occasional headaches.

Has always been of a nervous disposition but broke down entirely under shell fire. With rest & quiet will be as well as before entering. Says he has improved considerably recently.

Opinion of the Board

Degree of incapacity (Please state in fractions))

1/4 - 75% due to aggravation of his condition

Probable duration of incapacity:-

Permanent to small degree - Aggravation will cease in 2 months.

Does it render him permanently unfit for Military Service? *Yes.*

Would operation, special treatment, or the use of appliances etc., lessen incapacity? *Convalescent Home*

Signature.

W. H. Carnock Major
President

E. Robertson Capt
McGloglin Capt Members

Station. *Quebec*

Date *Oct 16/16*

Approved.

Date *Oct 16/16*

W. H. Carnock Major
Assistant Director Medical Service

Date *26/1/16*

D. C. B. Cameron Capt
Director General Medical Service.

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ROYAL RECORD

There is a need to have a more complete record of the work of the various departments of the Government.

The Government of India has decided to set up a Royal Commission to inquire into the working of the various departments of the Government.

The Commission will consist of a Chairman and four members, one of whom will be a member of the Council of Ministers.

The Commission will be appointed by the President of India.

The Commission will report to the President of India.

The Commission will also have the right to call for any documents or papers which it may require for its inquiry.

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CERTIFICATE re DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS.

Proceedings on Discharge.

Name i

forwarded for confirmation the documents named on page 4 should be enclosed.)

Se

405242

Army Rank

Pvt

Place

Dawson, William.

Militar

(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)

Classi

C.C.A.C.

(or

Battery, Company, Depot, &c.

attached to the Regular Establishment of the Special Reserve or Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force, &c., or to General Staff of the Army, it should be so stated.)

Comm

Date of discharge Jan 29th/17

Loc

of discharge Toronto.

If original

Description at the time of discharge.

If original

30 years 4 months
5 feet 9 1/2 inches

Descriptive marks.

4 Yacc mfg. Lt arm

girth when fully expanded ins.
range of expansion ins.

Complexion

Fair

Eyes

Blue

Hair

Brown

Trade

Steam fitter

tended place of
residence
to be given as fully
as practicable)

(The measurements and description should be carefully taken on the day the man leaves his unit, but in the case of men sent home from hospital for discharge, the age and intended place of residence should be left blank to be filled in by the Officer who confirms the discharge at home.)

Above-named man is discharged in consequence of Para. 392, Sec. 16, K. R. & O. 1912.

Being no longer physically fit for war service.

Commandant,

Canadian Discharge Depot, BATH.

of discharge must be worded as prescribed in the King's Regulations and be identical with that on the discharge discharged by superior authority, the No. and date of the letter to be quoted.)

Militar

VERY GOOD

Character awarded in accordance with King's Regulations:—

CANADIAN DISCHARGE DEPÔT.

Dec.

accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 268 and that Army Form D. 469 was awarded in this case.

Lieut. Col
A. D. of R. & O.,

Officer Commanding
Initials of Commanding Officer.

CANADIAN CAS

D. & L. Sch. 39

Forms
B. 268
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* Strike out if not applicable.

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5. He is in possession of the following number of G.C. badges (if the man is a N.C.O. and enlisted prior to 1st July, 1881, the number he would have been entitled to had he not been promoted should be stated).

Is it probable that he will be entitled to another good conduct badge before the confirmation of these proceedings?

Classification for service, or proficiency pay... .. Class

6. Campaigns, Medals and Decorations

Certificate of education

7. His accounts are correctly balanced, and I have impartially inquired into all matters brought before me in accordance with Regulations.

(Place)

(Date)

SEP 22 1916

FILE

Commanding

Lieut.-Col,
A. D. of R. & O.,
Officer Commanding,

8. Certificate to be signed by the soldier on discharge.

hereby acknowledge that I have received all my pay and allowances (including clothing allowance), and all just demands up to the present date, subject to the reservations of the claims noted on the 3rd 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 at 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 towards engagement to (the date to which the record of service is completed) years days.

Further service " " (the date of confirmation of discharge)

Total

11. Confirmation of discharge.

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

(Place)

(Date)

Signature

(date)

O. C. "D" Unit M. H. C. Command

Commanding officers (or the Paymaster, if at Netley) will issue to every discharged soldier whose claim to pension, either on account of service or disability, is to be brought under the consideration of the Chelsea Board, a memorandum for his guidance on Army Form D. 401, and will at the same time transmit to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, a descriptive return of the man on Army Form D. 400.

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.)

LIST OF DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS.

1. Proceedings on discharge (Army Form B. 268)
2. Proceedings on transfer to reserve (if any) (Army Form B. 2056)
3. Duplicate attestation
4. Army Form B. 97 (if any)
5. Declaration of change of name (if any)
6. Re-engagement paper (if any) (Army Form B. 136)
7. Authority for continuance, or extension, of service (if any) (Army Form B. 221)
8. Court of Inquiry on an injury (if any) (Army Form A. 2)
9. Regimental conduct sheet (Army Form B. 120)
10. Company conduct sheet (Army Form B. 121)
11. Copies of convictions by Civil Power (if any)
12. Medical history sheet (Army Form B. 178)
13. Medical report on invalid (if any) (Army Form B. 179)
14. Copy of receipt for purchase money (if any)
15. Attestation of fraudulently enlisted man for corps in which he has not been held to serve (if any)
16. Detailed statement of former service allowed to reckon towards pension (if any)
17. Copy of 3rd page attestation (in the case of men from abroad entitled to deferred pay who go to Netley or the discharge depot for discharge)
18. Descriptive return (Army Form D. 400), where required
See section 11 on second page
19. Active service casualty form (Army Form B. 103)
20. Employment sheet (Army Form B. 2066)

In the case of recruits who are rejected before, or on, final approval, the discharge documents will consist of—

1. Duplicate attestation.
(On third page the date and cause of discharge will be entered and signed by the competent military authority)
2. Medical history sheet (if any)
(Army Form B. 178)

Instructions as to the preparation, despatch, and custody, of discharge documents.

1. When a soldier is to be discharged, the documents retained with the duplicate attestation will be placed inside this form. Should any of the documents be missing, an explanation of the deficiency, signed by the commanding officer, must be substituted for the missing document. The Officer in charge of records will then extract from the original attestation, any documents required to complete the list of discharge documents enumerated in the margin, which will then be placed in this form in the sequence given.

2. When men are discharged from the colours at home as medically unfit, or with claims to pension, Army Form B. 268 will be sent confirmed, together with the duplicate attestation and documents retained therein to the officer in charge of records 10 days in advance of the date for discharge in the case of invalids, and 14 days in other cases. This officer will then extract from the original attestation any documents required to complete the list of discharge documents enumerated in the margin, place them in this form, and after carefully checking the duplicate attestation with the original forward the whole to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea. When such men are discharged abroad, the same procedure will be adopted as above, with the exception that the discharge documents will be sent to the officer in charge of records immediately after discharge takes place (except in the case of men who are granted gratuities on discharge from local battalions or companies, Royal Artillery).

3. When soldiers are sent home from abroad for discharge, the documents retained with the duplicate attestation will be placed inside this form and sent home with the men for transmission to the officer who carries out the discharge together with the following additional forms:—

- (a) Discharge certificate (Army Form B. 2079 or Army Form B. 264).
- (b) Character certificate (Army Form B. 2067) if entitled.
- (c) Copy company conduct sheet (Army Form B. 121) when required under King's Regulations.

The duplicate attestation and documents retained therein will be sent to the officer in charge of records, who will extract from the original attestation any documents required to complete the list of discharge documents enumerated in the margin and place them in this form.

4. The discharge documents of re-enlisted pensioners, on re-discharge, will be sent to the officer in charge of records, who will extract from the original attestation any documents required to complete the list of discharge documents enumerated in the margin, place them inside this form, and forward the whole to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, irrespective of the cause of discharge.

5. The original and duplicate attestations of recruits who are rejected before, or on, final approval will be retained by the approving officer for one year, when they will be destroyed.

6. In all other cases the discharge documents will be sent, directly the discharge is carried out, to the officer in charge of records of the unit concerned.

7. Postage need not be paid, and receipts are not required, in the case of documents sent to Chelsea or to the War Office.

8. When the discharge documents of men not entitled to pension are sent to the officer who will have final charge of them, they are to be accompanied by Army Form B. 279, and that officer will, if they are found to be correct, sign and return Army Form B. 279. Should any document be missing, he must at once apply for it.

9. The officers having final charge of the discharge documents will arrange them according to regimental numbers, and enter the names in the alphabetical index, Army Book No. 129.