

ATTESTATION PAPER

No. 235194

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

Folio.....

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS).

1. What is your surname?..... **Garner**
- 1a. What are your Christian names?..... **Orion**
- 1b. What is your present address?..... **Colgate, Sask.**
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what County were you born?..... **Aylmer, Elgin Co. Ont.**
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?..... **Fred Garner.**
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... **Aylmer, ~~Ont.~~ Ont.**
- 4a. What is the relationship of your next-of-kin?..... **Father**
5. What is the date of your birth?..... **August 5th, 1891.**
6. What is your Trade or Calling?..... **Printer**
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, **Orion Garner**, 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.

Orion Garner (Signature of Recruit)

Date **1st July** 191**6.** *W. R. Green* (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, **Orion Garner**, 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.

Orion Garner (Signature of Recruit)

Date **1st July** 191**6.** *W. R. Green* (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 and replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me, at *Moose Jaw* this ^{1st} day of *July* 191**6.**

W. R. Green (Signature of Justice)

DESCRIPTION OF Orion Garner ON ENLISTMENT.

Apparent Age 18 years 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. 7 ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 34 1/2 ins.
 Range of expansion 4 ins.

Complexion Fair

Eyes Light Blue

Hair Auburn

Religious Denominations { Church of England
 Presbyterian
 Methodist Yes
 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 declares that he is not subject to fits of any description.

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

Date 1st July 1916.

Place Colgate, Sask

A. E. Hamill
 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.

Orion Garner 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.

J. E. Stinson
 Col. (Signature of Officer)
 C.O. 203rd. Overseas Batt. C.E.F.

Date 1st July 1916.

REGIMENTAL DOCUMENTS

NAME

Garner

REGT. NO.

235194

UNIT

H. Q. FILE NO.

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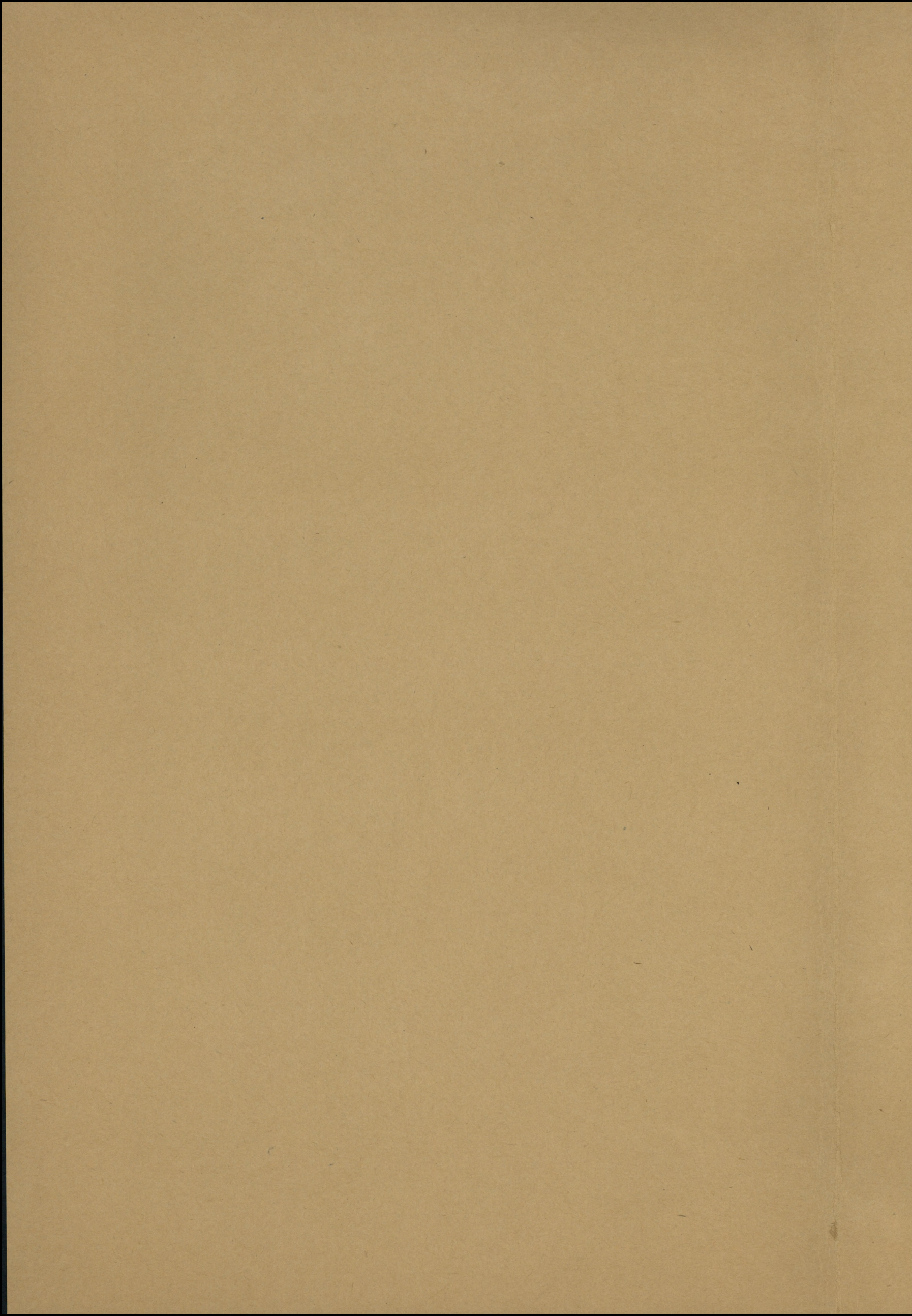
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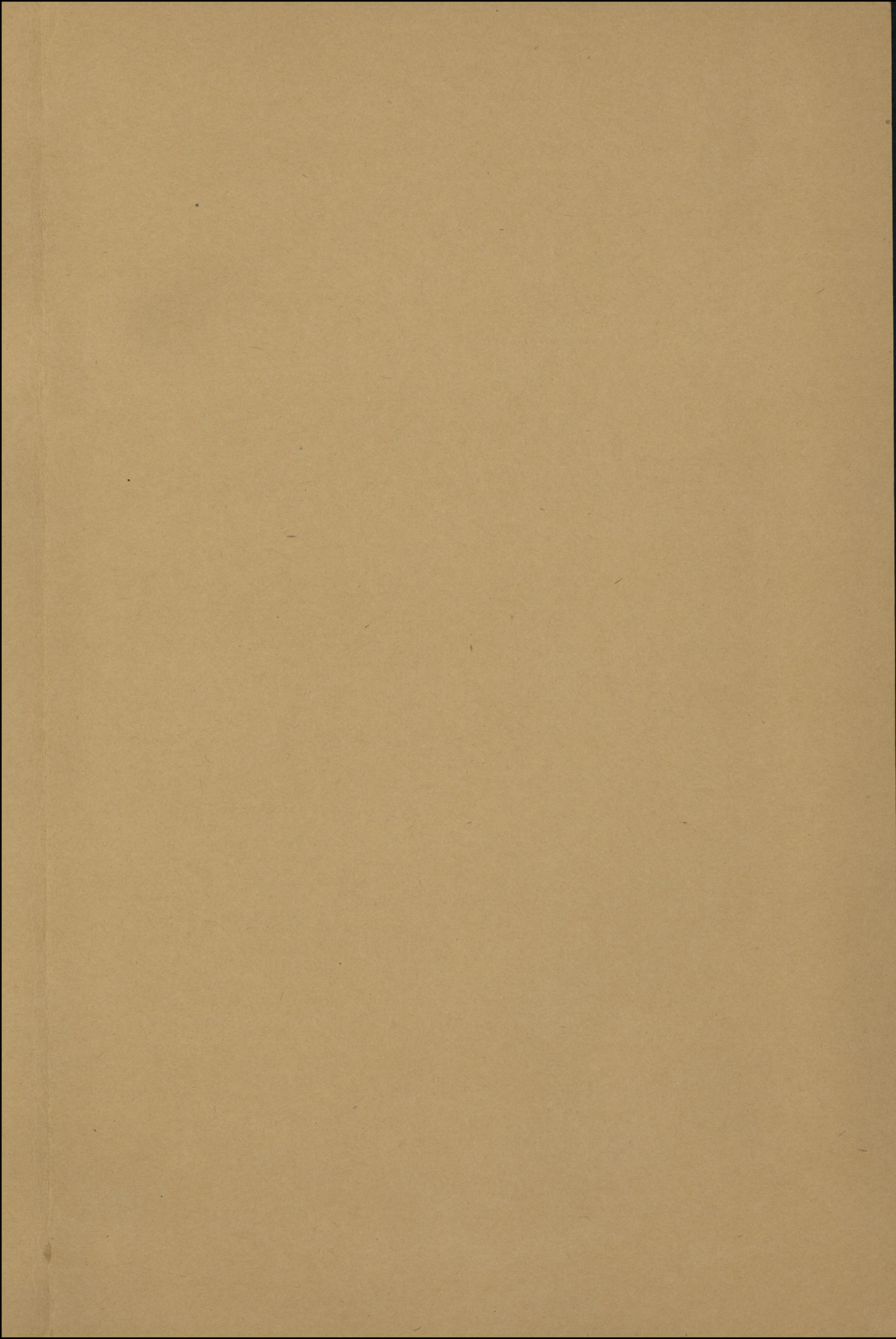


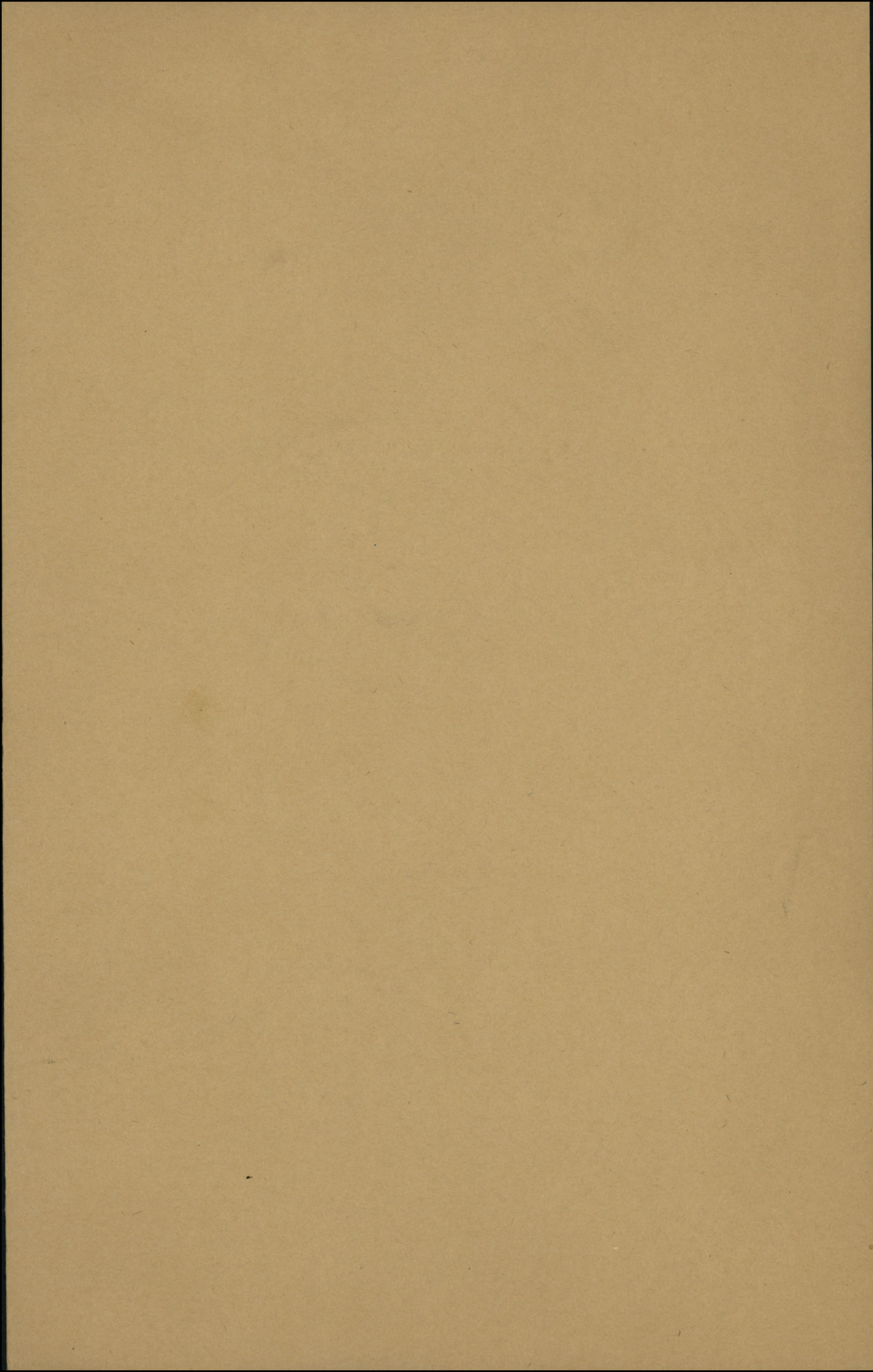
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Garner Orion

235194







mid:
Number

235194

Rank Pte.

~~X~~
~~X~~

Smd
Surname

GARNER

Christian Name

Orion

Units 78th Bn Can. Inf.

Theatre of War France

Date of Service

28-12-16

"D" ..

Remarks

Latest Address

F. F. Garner, Esq. (Father)
Aylmer, Ont.

Roll No.

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GV 11112

GARNER, O. No. 235794 (Pte)

649-G-6946

18th Dec

Not elig. for 4.1.32 star

MEDALS AND DECORATIONS. (Father) F.F. Garner, Esq.,
Aylmer, Ont.

PLAQUES AND SCROLL (Father) same as above.

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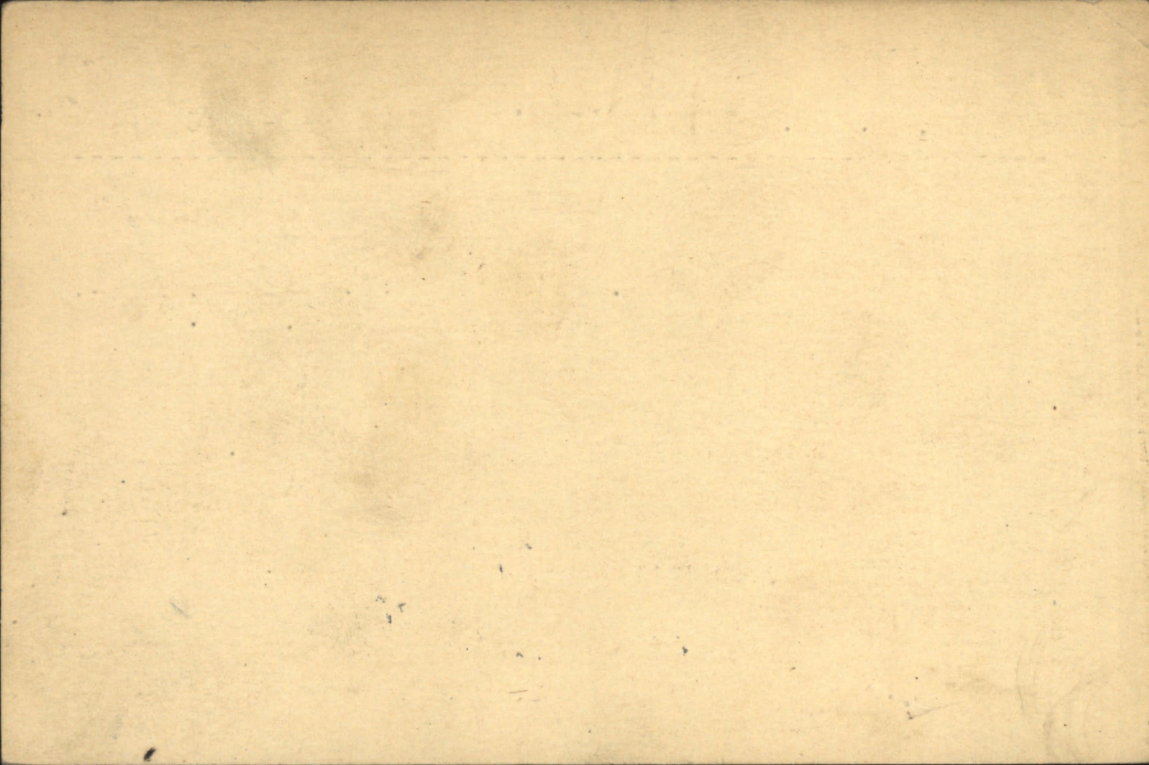
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CARD NO.

SURNAME.

Garner,

CHRISTIAN NAMES

Orion

FOLL.

D

REGL. NO. *235194*

RANK *Pte*

UNIT *203rd*

Bn.

FORMER CORPS *nil*

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAMES IN FULL

Garner, Fred

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER

father

ADDRESS

Aylmer, Ont.

COUNTRY OF BIRTH

Canada Aylmer

Elgin Co.

DATE

Aug 5th 1891

PLACE OF ATTESTATION

Moose Jaw, Sask.

DATE

July 1st 1916.

From Halifax per S.S.

"Grampian"

26-10-16

MARRIED

SINGLE

Yes.

WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING

Printer

RELIGION

Methodist

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE

18 YEARS

MONTHS

HEIGHT

5 FEET

INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT

34½ INCHES

EXPANSION

4 INCHES

COMPLEXION

Fair

EYES

Light Blue

HAIR

Auburn

DISTINGUISHING MARKS

not stated.

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

PLACE

Colgate, Sask.

DATE

July 1st. 1916.

Present Address

Colgate, Sask.

No. 235 194 RANK Pte.

NAME

Garner Orion

T. O. S. 1-7-16 UNIT 203rd Battalion C. I. G.
(Do 132 of 8-7-16)

M. D. 10

PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.

PARTICULARS

AUTHORITY

PAID
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PAID
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OR
REC'T

1916

1916

July 1 July 31
Aug.
Sept.
Oct.

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NAME

Garner Orion

REGT'L. No. 235794

H. Q. FILE NO. 649

RANK AND CORPS

Pte

78th Battal (Comm 203rd Div)

FOLLOWS

NO.

203rd Div

CABLE

NO.

DATE

C

NATURE OF CASUALTY

FOLLOWS

M 3651 5-5-17

Killed in action Apr. 9th 1917 ✓

Co 902 Pown 30-4-17

" " " 9-4-17 (rec'd 14-7-17)

LIST NO.

HOSPITAL

DATE OF
ADMISSION

REMARKS

9190⁹¹

Rep from Base Killed in action 9-4-17

Surname

Christian Name or Names

Reg. No.

Garner

O,

235194

Rank

Unit

Co.

Troop

Batty.

Hospital ^{Pte}

78th Bn

Date of Admission

Transferred

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Diagnosis

(1)

Later Diagnosis (if changed)

(2)

(3)

Additional Diagnosis: if more than one state present

Killed in Action 9-4-17

DISPOSITION

Date

C.L. 5-5-17 a 190

REMARKS

A.M.D. 2 Dept.

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

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EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

Hospital

Adm.

1.

2.

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5.

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MILITIA AND DEFENCE
 ASSIGNED PAY
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

To Whom

Alfred Garner

By Whom Assigned

Garner O

Address

*Gloucester
 Cuth*

Regtl. No.

235194

Rank

pte

Corps

203rd of 2 Batta

Rate

\$20.00

NOV 1 1916

PAYMENTS

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.	REMARKS
Aug.	1914			
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1915			
Feb.				
March				
April				
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Jan.	1916			
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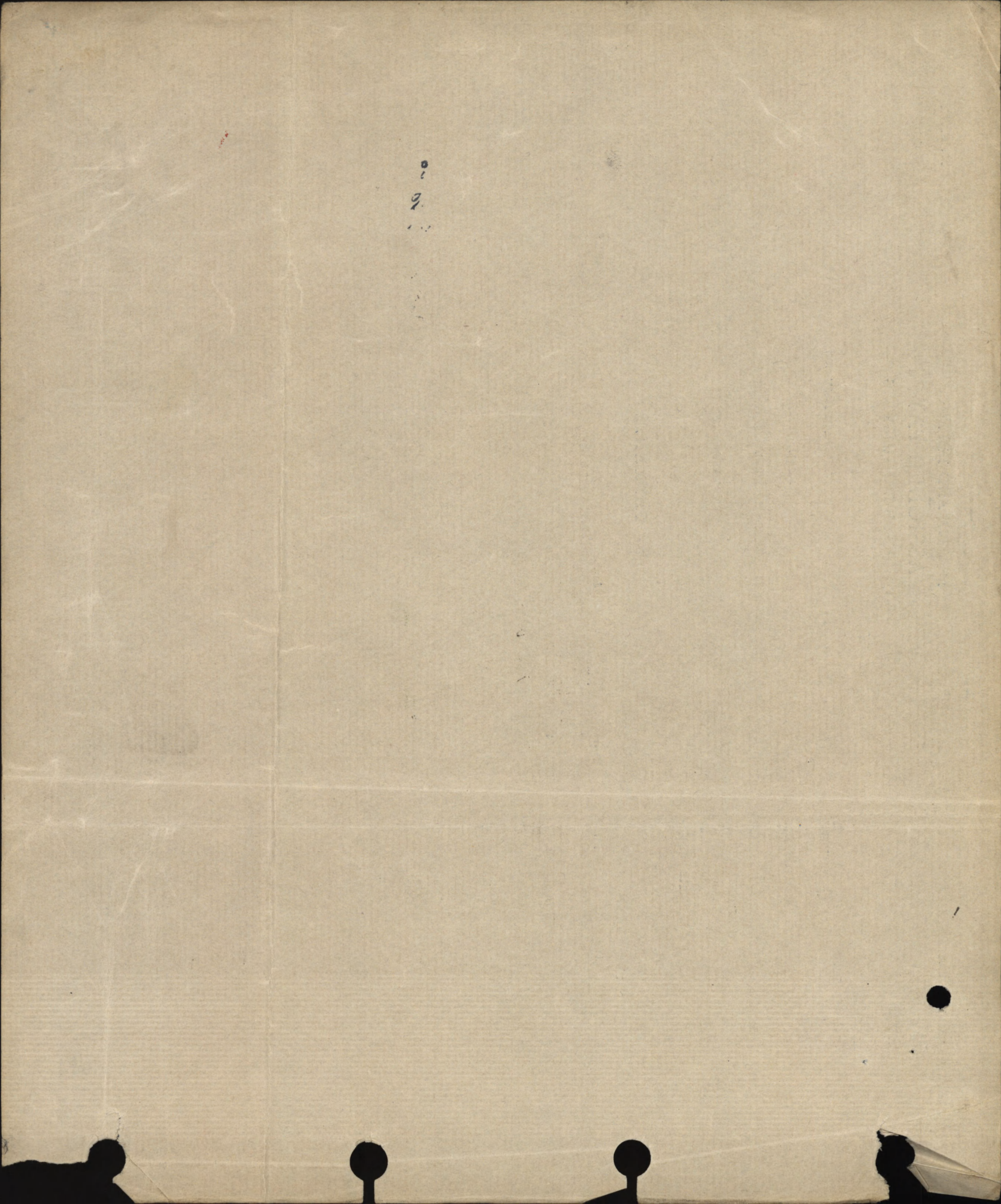
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Killed in Action

DATE

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MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

M. F. W. 12a.
 50m.—7-16
 1772—39—819.

Sheet No. 2
 (Assignee)

L. L. Job 5470—Req. 6888.

PAYMENTS.

Name of Soldier

And Turner
Turner O
 235194 - Pte - 20 3rd ofa Bu
 \$20.00

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amnt.
April	1916		
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Jan.	1917	I 38035	20
Feb.		J 44401	20
March		G 50331	20
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Jan.	1918		
Feb.			
March			
April			
May			
June			
July			

Remarks

NOV 1 1916

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 20 B. 140.00 = 31-5-17. 22-5-17
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F. X. Rend. Date. *Postal* \$140.00
 E.F.X. " Date *18/17*

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MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

Sheet No. 2 (Contd.)

PAYMENTS.

Name of Soldier _____

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
Aug.	1918			
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April				
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June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
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Nov.				

MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET

235194

Surname Garner Christian Name Orion

Examined { on 1st day of July 1916.
at Colgate, Sask.

Approved by

W.D. Bence
Rank *Capt* M.O.

Birthplace { City or Town Aylmer
County Elgin Co. Ont.

Apparent age 18

Trade or occupation Printer

Height 5 feet 7 Inches

Weight 144 lbs.

Chest measurement { Minimum 31½ inches
Maximum expansion 4 inches

Physical development Fair

Small-pox Marks nil

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right Left 1
Number 1

When Vaccinated Childhood

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease nil

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

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
<u>5/8/16</u>	<u>Reg.</u>	M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
Date	Result	ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.
<u>25/9/16</u>	<u>O.K.</u>	<i>W.D.B.</i> M.O.
<u>5/10/16</u>	<u>O.K.</u>	<i>W.D.B.</i> M.O.
<u>10/10/16</u>	<u>O.K.</u>	M.O.

Enlisted on 1st day of July 1916 at Colgate, Sask.

	CORPS	REG'TL NUMBER	HABITS	DATE
Joined on enlistment	<u>203rd Batt'n.</u>	<u>235194</u>		<u>1st July 1916</u>
Transferred to	<u>78th Batt'n.</u>		<u>Good</u>	<u>DEC 28 1916</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.

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

M. F. W. 54. (A. F. B. 103.)

350M.—5-16
H. Q. 1772-39-930.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Unit, Regiment or Corps 298th OVERSEAS BATTALION C.E.F.

Regimental No. 235194 Rank Private Name Garner, Orion
C. E. F.

Enlisted (a) 1-7-16 Terms of Service (a) 6 mos. after end of war Service reckons from (a) 1-7-16

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

Extended Re-engaged Qualification (b) 24 yrs. 11 mos.

CERTIFIED CORRECT.
4 JAN. 1917
CAN. RECORDS, LONDON

Report Date	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
		<i>Subarked</i>	<i>Halifax</i>	<i>Oct 24/16</i>	
		<i>Disembarked</i>	<i>Liverpool</i>	<i>Nov. 5/16</i>	
<i>29.12.16</i>	<i>203rd</i>	<i>Transferred overseas to 78th Bn.</i>	<i>Bramshott</i>	<i>28.12.16</i>	<i>Part 2 D.O. 306</i> <i>Witnessed Capt. P.O.C. 203rd Bn.</i>
29-12-16	78th Bn.	Arrived T.O.S. 78th Bn.	HAVRE	29-12-16	H.R. Pt 2 No 3 d/8-1-17-
<i>1-1-17</i>	<i>E.B.D.</i>	<i>Left for unit</i>	<i>Fleed</i>	<i>1-1-17</i>	<i>nd</i>
<i>6-1-17</i>	<i>Ob 78th</i>	<i>joined unit</i>	<i>do</i>	<i>4-1-17</i>	<i>B213 d/8-1-17</i>
21.4.17	do	KILLED IN ACTION	do	9.4.17	B213 Pt II Ord 48 d/30.4.17
			<i>J.M. Anderson</i>		Lieutenant for Major A.A.G. Canadian Section

(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.]

A.C. Rank Name GARNER, Orion. Reg'l No. 235194
 Unit 203rd. Bn. If in perm. Corps, } Married or Single Single.
What Unit? }
 Place and Date of Enlistment Moose Jaw, 1st. July. 1916. Place of Birth Aylmer, Elgin Co.
Ont.
 Name and Address, Next-of-Kin Fred Garner,
Aylmer, Ont. Relationship Father.

m-v.
22-10-16
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Assigned Pay Monthly \$ Payable to Relationship

Separation Allowance \$ Payable to Relationship

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N/E. R.B. No. 4555
 File R.L. 25.9 1847
 Category Kinial

Discharge, Date and Place Reason Character

Report.		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place.	Date.	REMARKS Taken from Official Documents.
Date.	From whom received.				
ARRIVED IN ENGLAND, S-S- GRAMPIAN 4.11.16,					
29.12.16	^{OC} 203 ^{id.}	On transfer to 78 th Bn. W. Bramshott		28.12.16	A. II. D. 306.
8.1.17	^{sk} 78 Bn	S.O.S. from 203 rd Bn Field		29.12.16	R II No. 3
5.5.17.	"	Killed in Action	"	9.4.17.	C.S.A. 190.
20.4.17	"	S.O.S. killed in Action	"	9.4.17	A. II B.O. 48

A.F.B. REB CHECKED
 3 JAN 1917

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FORM OF WILL

I, Orion Garner (Name in full)

Regimental Number 235194 serving in 203rd Batt.

of the Canadian Expeditionary Force, do hereby revoke all former Wills by me made and declare this to be my last Will.

bequeath
I ~~devise~~ all my real estate unto

My Father Mr. Frederick F. Garner

Aylmer

Ont. Canada.

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

absolutely, and my personal estate I bequeath to

My Father Mr. Frederick F. Garner

Aylmer

Ont.

Canada.

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

NOTE

This space for the
appointment of
Executor if
necessary.

IMPORTANT NOTE

This must be signed
and Dated by
THE SOLDIER
HIMSELF.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
this 21 day of December A.D. 191 6

Orion Garner

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 Archd L.G. Younger

Address of Witness 203rd Batt.

THE TWO
WITNESSES

Occupation of Witness Corporal

Robt. C. Orr,

MUST
SIGN HERE

Signature of Second Witness

Address of Witness 203rd Batt.

Occupation of Witness L. Sergt.

Handwritten signatures:
Stanley Lewis
Edwin P. ...

