

ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. 213874

Folio.

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION. (ANSWERS.)

- 1. What is your surname? Meldrum
1a. What are your Christian names? John
1b. What is your present address? Windsor, Ontario
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born? Whitehills, Scotland.
3. What is the name of your next-of kin? Mrs. Jane Meldrum
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin? Whitehills, Scotland.
4a. What is the relationship of your next-of-kin? Mother
5. What is the date of your birth? June 6, 1875
6. What is your Trade or Calling? Salesman
7. Are you married? Single
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
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, John Meldrum, 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.

Signature of Recruit: John Meldrum
Signature of Witness: L. Cecilson
Date: February 9, 1916

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, John Meldrum, 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.

Signature of Recruit: John Meldrum
Signature of Witness: L. Cecilson
Date: February 9, 1916

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 Windsor, Ontario this 9th day of February 1916.

Signature of Justice: J. Powell

Description of John Meldrum on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 40 years 7 months.
 (To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)

Distinctive marks, and marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease.

(Should the Medical Officer be of opinion that the recruit has served before, he will, unless the man acknowledges to any previous service, attach a slip to that effect, for the information of the Approving Officer).

Height 5 ft. 7 ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 37 ins.
 Range of expansion 4 ins.

Complexion Fair

None

Eyes Blue

Hair Dark

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

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

I have examined the above-named Recruit and find that he does not present any of the causes of rejection specified in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.

He can see at the required distance with either eye; his heart and lungs are healthy; he has the free use of his joints and limbs, and he declares that he is not subject to fits of any description.

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

Date February 9, 1916. 191 .

[Signature]

Place Windsor, Ontario -

Major 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.

John Meldrum

.....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.

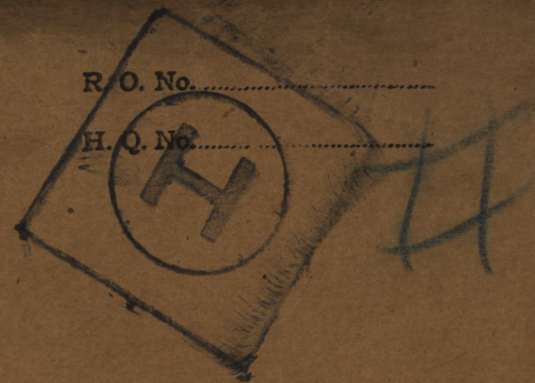
[Signature] LT. COL.
 O. C. 99TH BATT. C. E. F. (Signature of Officer)

Date February 9, 1916. 191 .

DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS

R. O. No.

H. Q. No.



Proceedings of Court of Inquiry or on men reported Missing on Active Service.....

Attestation Papers.....

Declaration of change of name.....

Authority for special enlistments.....

Documents of re-enlisted men.....

Regimental Conduct Sheet.....

Compulsory Stoppages.....

Casualty Forms.....

Proceedings on discharge.....

Corps History Sheet.....

Date and No. of Deposit Receipt for Purchase Money and Amount.....

Parchment Certificate.....

Medical Report for Invalids.....

Medical History Sheet.....

Proceedings of Regt. Court Martial.....

Copies of Convictions by Civil Power.....

Company Conduct Sheet.....

Clothing Transfer Certificate.....

Inventory of Kit.....

Last Pay Certificate.....

Name MELDRUM JOHN

Regt. No. 213874 Rank Pte.

Corps 19th Bn. (99th Bn)

Killed in action 1-10-16



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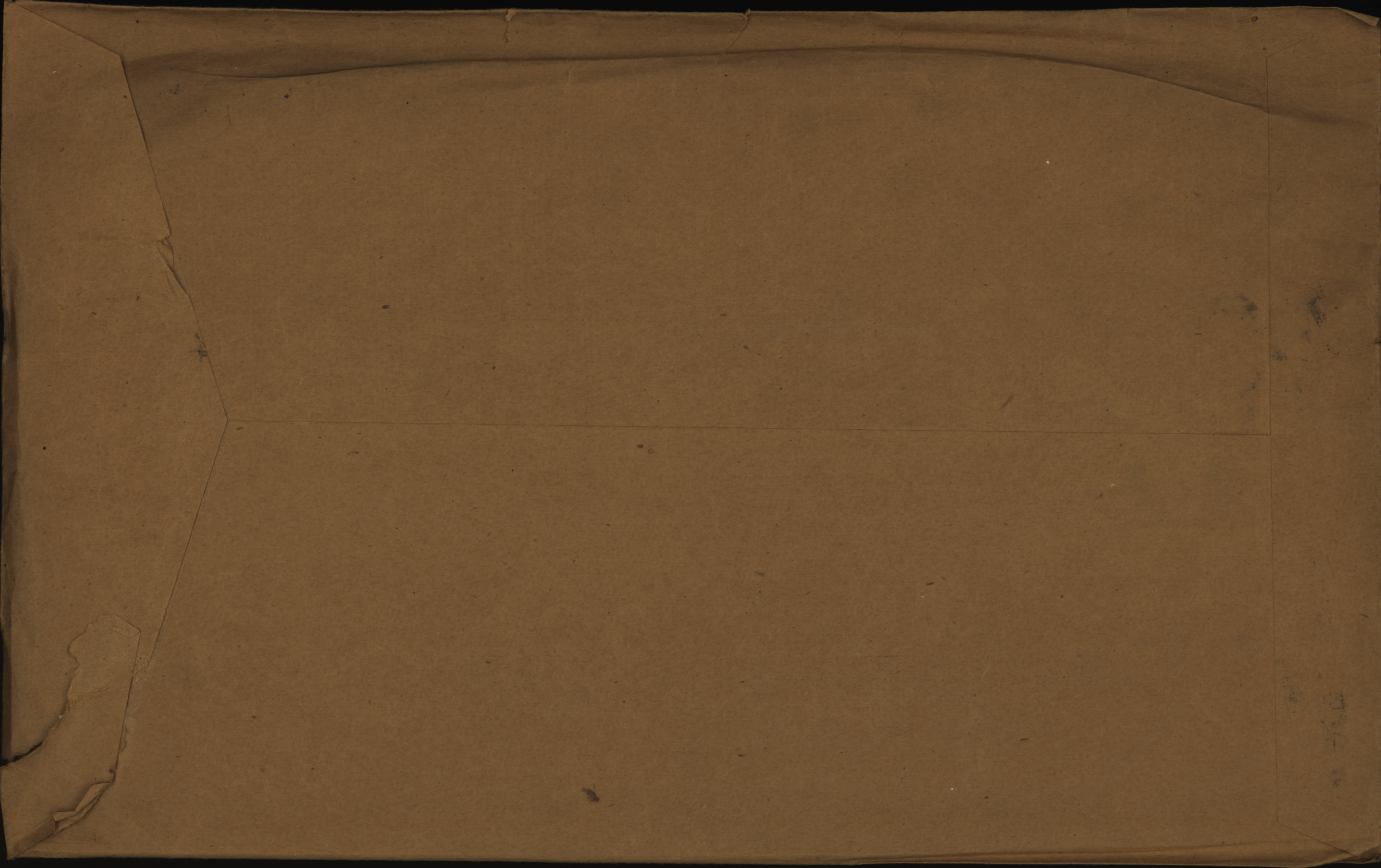
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DAS,



Number

213874 ✓

Rank

Pte ✓

Surname

MELDRUM ✓

Christian Name

John ✓

Units

19th Bn Leinster Inf ✓

Theatre of War

France ✓

Date of Service

28-8-16 ✓

Remarks

Latest Address

Mr. James Meldrum
20. Knock St.
Galtie,

Roll No.

B Page 8282

Whitchells, Banff.
Scotland.

No.

RANK

NAME

T. O. S.

UNIT

PAID
FROM

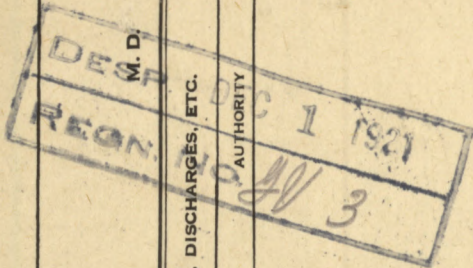
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SIG.
OR
REC'T

PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.

PARTICULARS

AUTHORITY



SURNAME.

Meldrum

649-M-13127.

CARD No

D

CHRISTIAN NAMES

John

FOLL.

REGL. No.

213874

RANK

Pte.

UNIT

99th

Batt.

FORMER CORPS

nil.

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAMES IN FULL

Meldrum, Mrs Jane

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER

Mother

ADDRESS

Whitehills, Scot

COUNTRY OF BIRTH

Scotland Whitehills,

DATE

June 6th 1875.

PLACE OF ATTESTATION

Windsor, Ont.

DATE

Feb. 9th 1915

Sailed from Halifax Per S. S. "Olympic". 31-5-16

MARRIED

SINGLE

Yes

WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING

Salesman

RELIGION

Presbyterian

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE

40 YEARS

7 MONTHS

HEIGHT

5 FEET

7 INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT

37 INCHES

EXPANSION

4 INCHES

COMPLEXION

Fair

EYES

Blue

HAIR

Dark

DISTINGUISHING MARKS

nil

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

PLACE

Windsor, Ont.

DATE

Feb. 9th 1916

NAME

Meldrum John

REG'T L NO

213874

RANK AND CORPS

Plt. 19th Battalion (Gunnery) (3rd)

H. Q. FILE NO. 649-

FOLLOWS

CABLE

NATURE OF CASUALTY

FOLLOWS

No.

DATE

No.	DATE	NATURE OF CASUALTY
02920	14-10-16	Killed in action Oct. 1st, 1916.
A. S. B 2090a		Killed in action 1-10-1916.
Rouen	11-10-16	Rec'd 14-2-17.

LIST No

HOSPITAL

DATE OF
ADMISSION

REMARKS

A. 337

Rep. from Base

1-10-16

Killed in action

Name **MELDRUM,** ^{John} Rank **Private** Reg. No. **213874**

Unit **19th Battalion**

RF 25. No. 2915

Next of Kin **Mrs Jane Meldrum, Whitehills, Banff, Scotland**

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
1-10-16.	Reported from Base KILLED IN ACTION			A337	0.2920	14-10 16-10

No. *213874* RANK *Pvt.*

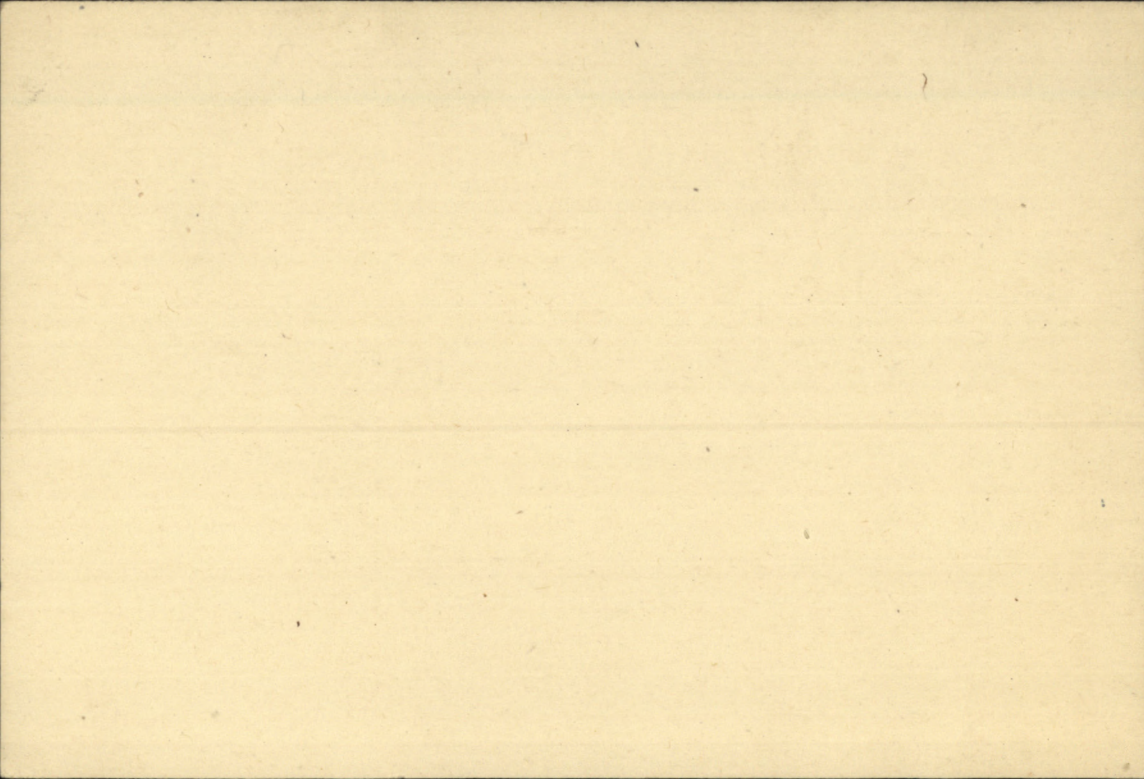
NAME *Meldrum, John.*

T. O. S. *9-2-16*
(Sub. Paylist) UNIT *99th Battalion.*

M. D. /

PAID		SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
FROM	TO		PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
<i>1916</i>	<i>1916</i>			
<i>Feb. 9.</i>	<i>Feb. 29.</i>	<i>n.</i>		
<i>Mar.</i>		<i>v</i>		
<i>Apr.</i>		<i>v</i>		
<i>May.</i>		<i>n.</i>		
<i>June</i>		<i>n</i>		

UNIT SAILED
MAY 31 1916



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Meldrum, J. ^{John} Pte. # 213874-19th. Bn.

*Not Eligible for 14-15 Star,
Medals & Dec.*

(Father) Mr. James Meldrum,
20 Knock St.
Whitehills,
Banff. SCOTLAND

JM

P. & S.

(Father) See above.

Serial No. 488173

Mem. Cross.

(Mother) Mrs. Jane Meldrum,
20 Knock St.
Whitehills, Banff.
SCOTLAND

MAR 9 - 1921

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Reqn. No. *226428*

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Plague Desp.

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*JAS.
5-8-20*

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M SCHNITZLER, E., Pte. No.257712, 46th Battn.

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Sh.No.4845

Surname

Christian Name or Names

Reg. No.

Meldrum. J.

213874

Rank

Unit

Co.

Troop

Batty.

Pte. 19 Bat.

Hospital

Date of Admission

Transferred

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Diagnosis

Killed in action 1.10.16

(1) Later Diagnosis (if changed)

Base report.

(2)

(3)

Additional Diagnosis: if more than one state present

DISPOSITION

Date

REMARKS

L.L. 16.10.16. A337.

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

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EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

Hospital

Adm.

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CERTIFIED CORRECT.

6 SEP. 1916

CAN. RECORDS, LONDON.

Casualty Form Active Service.

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

250M.—1-16,
H. Q. 1772-39-920.

Unit, Regiment or Corps 99th. Battalion C.E.F.

V.B.L.

Regimental No. 213874. Rank Private. Name Meldrum. John

C. E. F.

Enlisted (a) Feb 9/16 Terms of Service (a) Do for Service reckons from (a) Feb 9/16

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) Salesman

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B 213, Army Form A. 38, 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. 38, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked	Valioso Quads	May 31 st	
		Disembarked	Liverpool Eng	June 8 th	
<i>6/7/16</i>	<i>OC. 99th</i>	<i>Transferred to 35th Cmn. Reserve Battalion (Bde Ord 1533)</i>	<i>Wot Sandling</i>	<i>July 6/16</i>	<i>E. B. Baxter</i> Capt. <i>Adjutant, 99th Os. Bn. C.E.F.</i>
<i>27-8-16</i>	<i>35th. Bn.</i>	<i>Transferred to 19th. Batt.</i>	<i>France.</i>	<i>27-8-16.</i>	<i>P. M. Adie</i> Capt. <i>..... A/Adjt. 35th. Battalion C.E.F. In Roll Part II Orders No 34 of 30th In Roll 16 9/16 B 213.</i>
<i>28th 12th</i>	<i>Base Depot</i>	<i>Arrived & taken on strength 19th Bn Proceeding to 2nd Ent Bn</i>	<i>Base Depot</i>	<i>on route</i>	
<i>23rd 9th</i>	<i>19th Bn</i>	<i>Joined Unit</i>	<i>field</i>		
<i>5th 16</i>	<i>do</i>	<i>Killed in action Buried. Ref Map France, 57c. & U. M. 20. a. 6. 4.</i>	<i>do</i>		<i>1.10.16 Letter K.G. 137-1629. PT II Orders 63-11th 16</i>

(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.

For Officer i/c Can. Records,

G.H.Q. 3rd Echelon.

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Date	From whom received				

W.W.J.

Rank

Name

MELDRUM, John. ✓

Reg'l No. 213874 ✓

Unit

99TH BN

If in perm. Corps,
What Unit? }

~~Married or Single~~

Place and Date of Enlistment

Windsor Ont. 9/2/16

Place of Birth

White Hills
Banff Scotland

Name and Address, Next-of-Kin

Meldrum Mrs Jane. Whitehills.
Banff Scotland

Relationship

Mother

Assigned Pay Monthly \$

Payable to

Relationship

Separation Allowance \$

Payable to

Relationship

Discharge, Date and Place

Reason

Character

RL25 M-295

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.	SS. Olympic	8 JUN 1916	
8.7.16	35 Bn	Taken on Strength	W. Sdling	6.7.16	PTII. O, I62-I77
28.8.16	do	Struck off to 19th Bn Officers	do	29.8.16	" " 205
31.8.16	O.C. 19th	7. O. D. from 35th	Field	28.8.16	" " 34
11.10.16	19th	Killed in Action	Field	1.10.16	Part II b3
16.10.16	"	" " "	"	1.10.16	Cas. List A 337.

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