

Unit 159th O.S.Bn.C.E.F. Rank Lieutenant Name Thomas Alexander Rowat

**OFFICERS' DECLARATION PAPER**

**CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE**

QUESTIONS TO BE ANSWERED BY OFFICER

(ANSWERS)

1. (a) What is your Surname? ..... Rowat .....
- (b) What are your Christian Names? ..... Thomas Alexander .....
2. (a) Where were you born? (State place and country)..... Winchester, Ontario, Canada......
- (b) What is your present address?..... Haileybury, Ontario .....
3. What is the date of your birth?..... August 19th 1878 <sup>16</sup>.....
4. What is (a) the name of your next-of-kin? ..... Andrew Rowat .....
- (b) the address of your next-of-kin? ..... 162 Victoria Ave. St. Lambert, Quebec .....
- (c) the relationship of your next-of-kin? ..... Father .....
5. What is your profession or occupation?..... Accountant .....
6. What is your religion? ..... Presbyterian .....
7. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated and inoculated? ..... Yes .....
8. To what Unit of the Active Militia do you belong? ..... 97th Regt. Canadian Militia......
9. State particulars of any former Military Service..... 1 yr. Huntingdon Borderers......
- ..... 4 yrs. D.C.R.C. Hussars......
10. Are you willing to serve in the  
     CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE?..... Yes .....

The undersigned hereby declares that the above answers made by him to the above questions are true.

T. A. Rowat ..... (Signature of Officer.)

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION

I have examined the above-named Officer in accordance with the Regulations for Army Medical Services.

I consider him\* fit ..... for the CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

Date Jan 14 ..... 1916.....

Place HAILEYBURY, ONT......

S. I. Jackson  
 Medical Officer.

\*Insert here "fit" or "unfit".  
 M. F. W. 51  
 40m.-12-15.  
 H. Q. 1772-39 917.

1917

BY THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

IN SENATE

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE

1917

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GENERAL LAND OFFICE

WASHINGTON, D. C.

1918

Original  
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**ATTESTATION PAPER.**

No.

Folio.

**CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.**

**QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.**

(ANSWERS).

- 1. What is your name?..... Thomas Alexander Rowat
- 2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... Sixtymarktpark, Winchester, Ont.
- 3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?..... Father, Andrew Rowat
- 4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... St. Lambert, Que.
- 5. What is the date of your birth?..... 19th August, 1888
- 6. What is your Trade or Calling?..... Brick Co. Manager.
- 7. Are you married?..... No
- 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?.. Yes, was Provisional Lieut. about  
If so, state particulars of former Service. 10 years ago, in Duke of
- 11. Do you understand the nature and terms of your engagement?..... Connaught's Can. Hussars, Montreal,  
Yes
- 12. Are you willing to be attested to serve in the) Yes  
CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE?)

**NOTE:- This man speaks French and holds a Model School Diploma as Teacher in Quebec Province.**

*Thomas A. Rowat* (Signature of Man).  
*J. Power* (Signature of Witness).

**DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.**

I, Thomas Alexander Rowat, 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.

*Thomas A. Rowat* (Signature of Recruit)

Date: 4th September 1915 . *J. Power* (Signature of Witness)

**OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.**

I, Thomas Alexander Rowat, 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.

*Thomas A. Rowat* (Signature of Recruit)

Date: 4th September 1915 . *J. Power* (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 4th day of September 1915 .

*[Signature]* (Signature of Justice)

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

*[Signature]* (Approving Officer)

Description of Thomas Alexander Rowat on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 27 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. 4 ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded ..... 34½ ins.  
 Range of expansion ..... 2½ ins.

Small wart on right side of back

Complexion ..... Fair

Eyes ..... Blue

Hair ..... Brown

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

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 Overseas Expeditionary Force.

Date 4th September 1915 191 .

*George J. Bell*  
 Capt Paul  
 Medical Officer.

Place Toronto

\*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.

Thomas Alexander Rowat 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.

*G. B. Schwarz* Capt (Signature of Officer)

Date Sept 4th 191 5

COMMANDING CYCLIST DEPOT

1st Enl  
2nd Enl  
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.....

*Officers*  
DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS

R. O. No.....  
H. Q. No.....

*28*

Name ROWAT. THOMAS. ALEXANDER.

Regt. No. 540450 Rank Lieut.

Corps 159th Bn.

(2) *H. in A. 28.6.17.*

(1) *Taking a Commission*

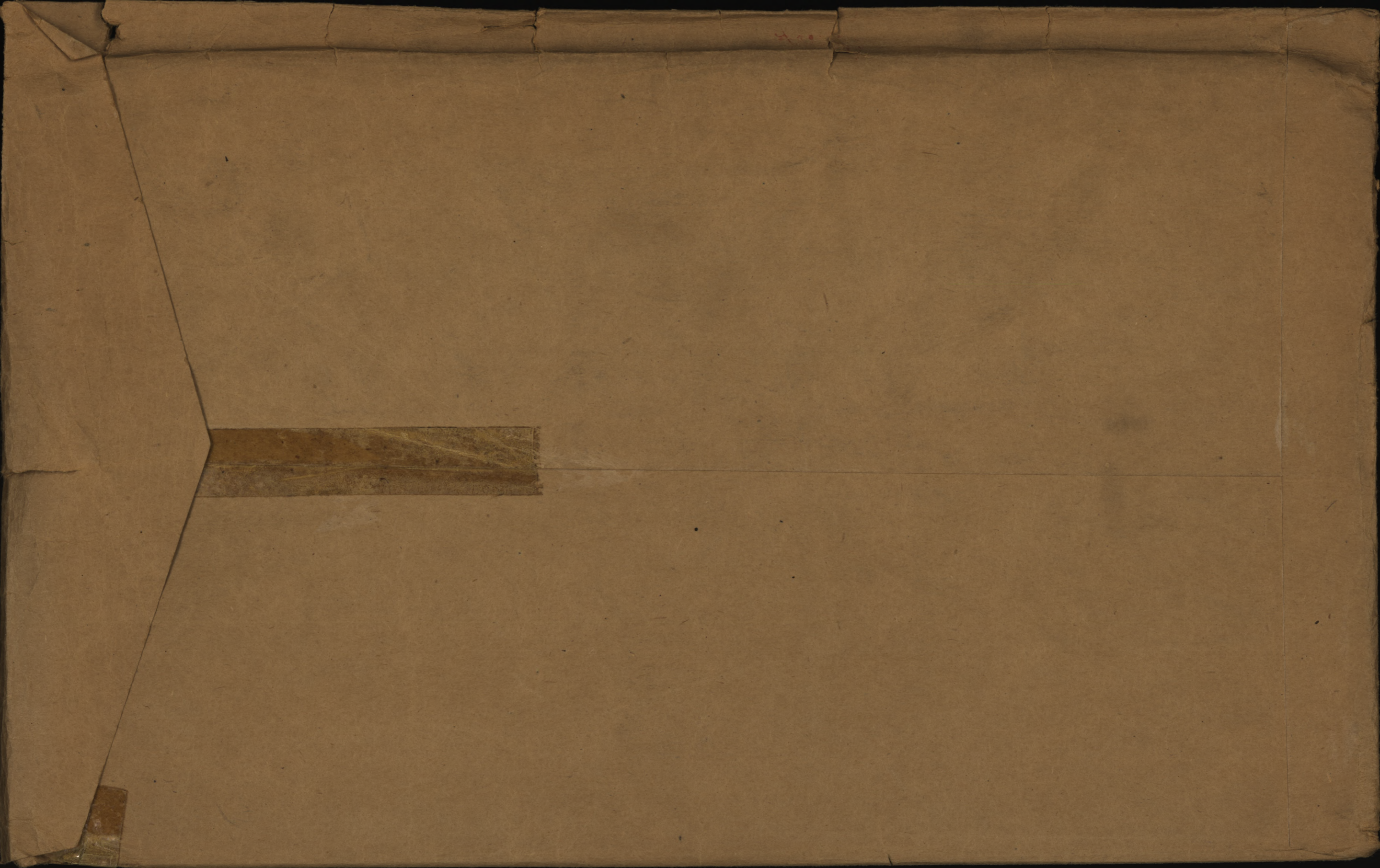


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*1-12*  
*1-79*  
*30-5-21*

*M. 18/6/20*



Number ..... Rank. **LIEUT**

Surname ..... **ROWAT.**

Christian Names ..... **THOMAS ALEXANDER**

Unit, **38<sup>th</sup> R.** Theatre of War, **FRANCE**

Date of Service **31.10.16** **30.11.16** **28.6.17**

Remarks ..... **D** Sister

Latest Address **Mrs. Margaret Agnes Rowat**

**9, Donald St. Rowat.**

Roll No. **B. Page 3161** Notary

**Royal Trust Chambers**  
**107 St. James, St. Montreal**

4. a. 3591

Recd APR 30 1871



No. 540,450 RANK Lt

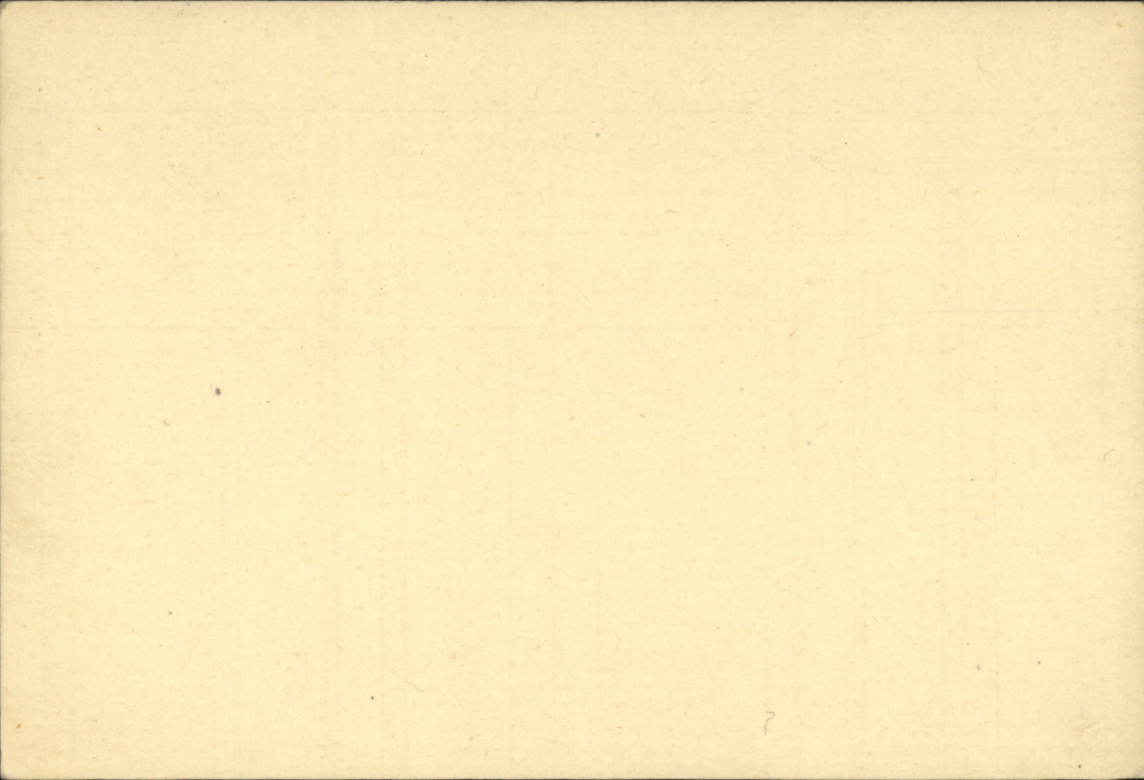
NAME Rawat V a

T. O. S. 7/9/15  
N. O. 12 of 7/9/15

UNIT Div. Cyclist Depot.

M. D. 2

PAID		SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
FROM	TO		PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
1915 Sept. 7	1915 Sept. 30	✓	Dischg d. taking Commission.	N.O. 56 of 2/11/15
	Oct. 1	✓		
Nov. 1	Nov. 12	✓		
			Closed by Payment P.	



NAME

Rowat, T. A.

RANK & No.

Pte.

540450

CORPS

Cyclist Depot

ENLISTMENT, PLACE

DATE

FORMER CORPS

COUNTRY OF BIRTH

NEXT OF KIN

ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

~~struck off strength~~  
DISCHARGE, PLACE

Toronto.

DATE

12-11-15

To take out Commission in 97th. Regt.

Doc. on file

16-1-25-

M. F. W. 22. 100 m.-9.15.



SURNAME.

*Rowat*

CARD NO.

✓

CHRISTIAN NAMES

*Thomas Alexander.*

**D**  
F. I.

REGL. NO.

RANK

*Lieut.*

UNIT

*15-9th. 38<sup>th</sup>*

*Bn.*

FORMER CORPS

*97th Regt. 1yr Huntingdon Borderers 4/15/02*

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAMES IN FULL

*Rowat, Andrew.*

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER

*Father.*

ADDRESS

*162 Victoria Ave, St. Lambert  
P.Q.*

COUNTRY OF BIRTH

*Canada, Winchester, Ont.*

DATE

*Aug. 19th. 1878.*

PLACE OF ATTESTATION

DATE

L. L. 6945. M. & D. 6904.

*auth for trans m5678-3.7-17.*

M. F. W. 22. 100M.-8-16. H. Q. 1772-39-339.

MARRIED

SINGLE

WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING

*Accountant*

RELIGION

*Presbyterian*

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE

YEARS

MONTHS

HEIGHT

FEET

INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT

INCHES

EXPANSION

INCHES

COMPLEXION

EYES

HAIR

DISTINGUISHING MARKS

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

PLACE

*Haileybury, Ont.*

DATE

*Jan. 14<sup>th</sup> 1915.*

*Present address:*

*Haileybury, Ont.*







REGT'L No. \_\_\_\_\_

NAME

Rowat. Thomas. Alexander

M.Q. FILE No. 649.

RANK AND CORPS

Lieut

38<sup>th</sup> Bn. joinedFOLLOWS  
No.

FOLLOWS

CABLE

NO.

DATE

NATURE OF CASUALTY

NO.	DATE
M5675	3-7-17
A7B2090a	4-7-17

Rowen

c  
 Killed in Action June 28<sup>th</sup> 1917 ✓  
 Killed in action in the Field France  
 28-6-17 (Noted 29-8-17)

LIST No.

HOSPITAL

DATE OF  
ADMISSION

REMARKS

716 Reported from Base 28-6-17 Killed in action

*Not elig. for 1914-15 Star*

FEB 23 1921

✓ Scroll Desp.

Reqn No. *222641*

✓  
ROWAT,

Thos. Alexander, Lieut. 38th Bn.

Plaque Desp.

Reqn No. *PH/183*

JUN 16 1922

MEDALS &  
DECORATIONS

Margaret Agnes Rowat (Sister)  
c/o Donald M. Rowat, Notary,  
Royal Trust Chambers, 107 St. James  
St., Montreal, P. Q. *13055*

PLAQUE &  
SCROLL

Mrs. Margaret Rowat (Mother)  
174 Edison Ave., St. Lambert, P.Q.

*Serial No 783811*  
MEMORIAL  
CROSS

Mrs. Margaret Rowat (Mother)  
174 Edison Ave., St. Lambert, P.Q.

Desp JUN 25 1920 *Em 613354*

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*amp.*

17.

446

Surname. Christian Name.  
ROWAT T. A.  
Rank. Unit.  
Lieut. 38th. Batt.

Date of admission.

Hospital.

Transferred ..... Hosp.  
..... Hosp.  
..... Hosp.  
..... Hosp.

Reported from Base: -KILLED IN ACTION: -28-6-17  
Diagnosis. R

Later diagnosis. ....  
.....  
.....  
.....

Disposition.

Date.

4-7-17 716.

C.L. .... Remarks.  
C.L. ....  
C.L. ....  
C.L. ....  
C.L. ....  
C.L. ....  
C.L. ....

M.D. 2 DEPT.  
Beh. of D.G.M.S. O.M.F.G. London.

Surname

Christain Name

Reg. No.

Rank

Unit

MEDICAL BOARD held at

Date

Serial No.

(1)

Other Medical Boards at

Date

Serial No.

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

Condition found by Board

Disposition Recommended

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

PENSIONS & CLAIMS BOARD held at

Date .....

Disposition

Remarks

Register No. DR 783

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY  
TO  
DEPENDENTS OF DECEASED SOLDIERS

A.P. File No. 15719-T-9

Reg't No. .... Name Thomas Alexander Rowat  
(Christian Name) (Surname)  
Unit 38 Battr Rank Sient Date of enlistment Aug. 1915  
Date of casualty 28-6-17 B.P.C. File No. 102833  
Was service performed overseas? Yes

DEPENDENT

Name Mrs Margaret Rowat Relationship mother  
Address 174 Edison Ave  
St. Lambert

Amount of Special Pension Bonus \$ Nil Abstracted by J. D. Parlow

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: Not eligible for S.A.  
paid

Clerk J. H. Le Court.

Audited by  
Date .....

M.F.W. 2652  
25M-6-30.  
H.Q. 1772-89-1473

"Noted" 11/8/20  
Dy 17

# POST DISCHARGE PAY OFFICE

Three months pay and allowances after discharge.

Name

Surname

Christian Name

Regimental Number

Rank

Address (in full)

Unit

Original Unit

District where paid

Date of Discharge

P. D. P. Filing Number

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

L.L. 53961—M. & D. 9721

Total Credits 91 days	FIRST PAYMENT			SECOND PAYMENT			FINAL PAYMENT			Balance Overpayments 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		

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

Remarks:





N/R effective Nov 1/16.

L.P.C. to October 31/16. ✓

*month Dec chgd Dec.*

Assignment as at  
November 1st 1916. ✓

Rowat,

T. A.

Lieut.

159th Battalion.

30

\$ 30<sup>00</sup>

Payment Stopped  
A. 3 M Form

*Killed in action 1 July 1917.*

National Trust Co., Ltd

Montreal, P.Q.

Date	From	To	No. of Days	Rate	Amount	PAY	Field Allowance	Other Credits	Total Credits	Voucher No.	Date	Cash Payments	Assigned pay	Other Charges	Total Debits	Balance	Remarks, etc.
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MILITIA AND DEFENCE  
**ASSIGNED PAY**

M. F. W. 12a.  
 50m.-6-16.  
 1772-39-819.

OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

Sheet No. 2.

*National Trust Company.*

Name of Soldier

*Rawat T. G.  
 Lieut. - 109 Bn.*

PAYMENTS.

L. L. Job 4503.-Req. 683.

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
				30
April	1916			
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.		23857	30	
Dec.		36795	30	
Jan.	✓ 1917	41593	30	
Feb.		47141	30	
March		052881	30	30 B.
April		04570	30	30 C.
May		010985	30	
June		118686	30	30 T. Mc closed 30/6/17 Cas Stewart 9/17 Mc closed 1.7.17. 3M.
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1918			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				

NOV 1 1916

*NAE*

F. X. Rend. Date *Total* By *240.00*  
 F. F. X. " Date *6-12-17* By *T. G.*

MILITIA AND DEFENCE  
**ASSIGNED PAY**  
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

Sheet No. 2 (Contd.)

Name of Soldier \_\_\_\_\_

**PAYMENTS.**

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

MILITIA AND DEFENCE  
**ASSIGNED PAY**  
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

M. F. W. 12.  
 50m.—6-16.  
 H. Q. 1772-39-319.

To Whom *National Trust Company.*  
 Address *St. James St.*  
*Montreal*  
*Que.*

By Whom Assigned *Rowat J. A.*  
 Regtl. No.  
 Rank *Lieut.*  
 Corps *159 Bw*

Rate *30*

NOV 1 1916

## PAYMENTS

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.	REMARKS
Aug.	1914			<i>acc closed 17/7</i> <i>Killed in action.</i> <i>377. 15<sup>8</sup>/<sub>77</sub> Cd. 20<sup>8</sup>/<sub>77</sub>.</i>
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1915			<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">           Pensions Notified Date <i>9. 7. 16</i>            Killed in Action }            Died of Wounds } Date <i>28. 6. 19</i>            Missing }            C. L. <i>4/1/14</i> Clerk <i>Stew ark</i>            Date Noted <i>9. 7. 1916</i> </div>
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1916			
Feb.				
March				

1950  
1951

# FORM OF WILL.

I, Thomas Alexander Rowat (Name in full)

Regimental Number Lieutenant serving in 159th Bn. C.E.F.

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

I bequeath all my real estate unto

Margaret Rowat (Mrs Rev. Andrew Rowat) Name and Address  
561 Victoria Ave. of person or  
St. Lambert Que. Canada persons to whom  
it is to go.

absolutely, and my personal estate I bequeath to

Margaret Rowat ( Mrs Rev. Andrew Rowat ) Name and Address  
561 Victoria Ave. of person or  
St. Lambert Que. Canada persons to receive  
personal estate\*  
( See note ).

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

this First day of October A. D. 191

T. A. Rowat 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.

**THE TWO  
WITNESSES  
MUST  
SIGN HERE**

Signature of First Witness Geo. E. Cole

Address of Witness 159th Bn. C.E.F.

Occupation of Witness Lieutenant

Signature of Second Witness W. J. Somman

Address of Witness 159th Bn C.E.F.

Occupation of Witness Enlisted soldier





CERTIFIED CORRECT

14 DEC. 1916

CANADIAN RECORD OFFICE

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

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

250M.—1-16.

H. Q. 1772-39-920.

# Casualty Form—Active Service

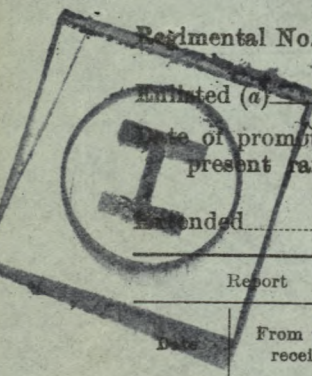
Unit, Regiment or Corps 159 C. I. Bn. C. E. F.

Regimental No. \_\_\_\_\_ Rank Lieut. Name Thomas Alexander Rowat.

Enlisted (a) 14.1.16 Terms of Service (a) C. E. F. Service reckons from (a) Jan. 14/1916

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

Re-engaged \_\_\_\_\_ Qualification (b) Lieut. Accountant.



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.
		Embarked Halifax		Oct 31/16-	
		Disembarked Liverpool		Nov 11/16-	
		transferred to 38 <sup>th</sup> Bn	Oreanao		Pt # 175. No 30/16.
					Red W. P. on 159 <sup>th</sup> No. Battalion C.E.F.
1.12.16.	W.D.	TAKEN on STRENGTH 38 <sup>th</sup> Havre		1.12.16	PR. 7022 PNO. 239 d 9.12.16.
	"	Left for Unit	FIELD		WO Rets 12/10/3991 264 d 28.11.16.
9.12.16	Unit	Joined Unit	FIELD	5.12.16	B213 Dec 65 d 22.12.16.
23.12.16	"	Att. 182 <sup>nd</sup> Imperial Tunnelling Coy.	Field	9.12.16	B213 Dec 79 d 20.1.17.
14.4.17	"	Rejoined unit	"	11.4.17.	" " 114.
1.7.17	1st Army H.Q.	Killed in Action	"	28.6.17.	LIST 1033 DCS 132 PNO. 66 d 4.7.17.
			Lieut. for Lt Col.		A. A. G.

Canadian Section, G. H. Q. - 3<sup>rd</sup>, Ech.

(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.

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Date	From whom received				

*Mr. Becking*





ASSIGNED PAY.

UNIT.

RANK.

NAME.

Beneficiary

Address

Amount.

Separation Allowance issued. Yes or No.....

NAME OF

DATE

AUTHORITY

Mess. DATE

AUTHORITY

159<sup>th</sup> Bn.  
38<sup>th</sup> Bn.

Lieut

11<sup>th</sup>/<sub>16</sub>

Tobanada  
R.O #61 (Brig)  
629. d/14-11-16

Name Rowat  
Initials Thos. Alexander  
Bank of Montreal

Canada

\$ 30.<sup>00</sup> fr 1<sup>11</sup>/<sub>16</sub>

*Killed in action 28<sup>th</sup>/<sub>17</sub> c.h. 716-47*

DATE	PARTICULARS	CK. NO.	CR.	DR.	ASSIGNED PAY PAID IN CANADA	BALANCE	SPECIAL AUTHORITIES To be initialled by P.M. in every case.	INITIALS
1916								
Nov 20	PA 1-30 <sup>th</sup> / <sub>16</sub> . <i>ker Bal \$5<sup>00</sup> at 30<sup>th</sup></i> Missing 11-30 <sup>th</sup> / <sub>16</sub> . Bank			73 60				
Dec 11	A.P. Can <i>v mos.</i>				60			
	<i>17 Adjt as above 214903 x 329</i>		103 60					
	Pay Dec		111 60					
15	Bank			81 60				
1917								
Jan 18	A.P. Can				30			
20	Pay Jan		111 60					
25	Bank	19289		81 60				
Feb 17	Pay Feb		100 80					
19	A.P. Can				30			
22	Bank	21943		70 80				
Mar 14	A.P. Can				30			
21	Pay Mar		111 60					
26	Bank			81 60				
Apr 19	A.P. Can				30			
23	Pay Apr		108					
26	Bank	3010		78				
May 17	A.P. Can				30			
21	Pay May		111 60					
24	Bank	6029		81 60				
June 13	Admin Field 125 for 9 <sup>th</sup> / <sub>17</sub> List 3957 Genant.			21 80		21 80		
15	" " " 50 " 31 <sup>st</sup> / <sub>17</sub> " v. 1012 "			8 72				
	" " " 125 " 4 <sup>th</sup> / <sub>17</sub> " 3 871 "			21 80				
	" " " 125 " 16 <sup>th</sup> / <sub>17</sub> " 2 722 "			21 80				
16	A.P. Can				30			
19	Pay June		108					
21	Bank	7999		388				

*Tfr. H. Ledger  
7412 L. 23-12. Aug 1917*

*49/7*

ASSIGNED PAY.

UNIT.

RANK.

NAME.

NAME OF

DATE

AUTHORITY

DATE

AUTHORITY

Beneficiary

Address

Amount. \$

Separation Allowance issued. Yes or No.....

Name

Initials

Bank

DATE

PARTICULARS

CK. NO.

CR.

DR.

ASSIGNED  
PAY PAID IN  
CANADA

BALANCE

SPECIAL AUTHORITIES  
To be initialled by P.M. in every case.

INITIALS

ASSIGNED PAY.

UNIT.

RANK.

Entered on N.E. Card Index... *V19*  
NAME.  
Checked by .....

NAME OF DATE AUTHORITY

*Mess*  
DATE AUTHORITY

Beneficiary

*38<sup>th</sup> Batt.*

*Lieut*

*11<sup>th</sup>*

*In Canada  
2d Regt. 61. 210 1/2*

Name *Rowah*

Address

*Canada*

Initials *Thos. Alexander*

Amount. \$ *30<sup>00</sup>*

*1/6*

Bank



Separation Allowance issued. Yes or No.....

*Killed in action 28<sup>th</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> c. l. 716. 4<sup>th</sup> 7<sup>th</sup>*

DATE 1917 PARTICULARS CK. NO. CR. DR. ASSIGNED PAY PAID IN CANADA BALANCE SPECIAL AUTHORITIES To be initialed by P.M. in every case. INITIALS

DATE	PARTICULARS	CK. NO.	CR.	DR.	ASSIGNED PAY PAID IN CANADA	BALANCE	SPECIAL AUTHORITIES	INITIALS
Apr 18	A.P. Can.		539 20		30			
23	Pay R.		108					
26	Bank	3010		78		0		
May 17	A.P. Can.				30			
21	Pay R.		111 60					
24	Bank	6029		81 60				
June 13	Adv. in Fed. 125 Feb. 9 <sup>th</sup> List 370957 Genes			21 80		21 80		
15	" " " 50 " 31 <sup>st</sup> " 211012 "			8 72				
	" " " 125 " 4 <sup>th</sup> " 31871 "			21 80				
	" " " 125 " 16 <sup>th</sup> " 21722 "			21 80		74 12		
16	A.P. Can				30	104 12		
19	Pay R.		108					
21	Bank	7999		3 88				
			86680	23 60				

*Tfr. McLedger.  
Tfr. fr. Led 23  
to Led. 12. Aug. 1917.  
w/ transfr to Canada  
forsett 28-11-17 V 23/6.*

Statement of  
OCT 25 1917  
Account rendered

*Lieut Rates  
Rates Pay 2<sup>00</sup>  
" " Allow 60  
" " Misc 1<sup>00</sup>*

ASSIGNED PAY.

UNIT.

RANK.

NAME.

NAME OF

DATE

AUTHORITY

DATE

AUTHORITY

Beneficiary

Address

Amount. \$

Separation Allowance issued. Yes or No.....

Name

Initials

Bank

DATE

PARTICULARS

CK. NO.

CR.

DR.

ASSIGNED  
PAY PAID IN  
CANADA

BALANCE

SPECIAL AUTHORITIES  
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INITIALS



ASSIGNED PAY.

UNIT.

RANK.

NAME.

NAME OF DATE AUTHORITY

DATE AUTHORITY

Beneficiary

Address

Amount.

Separation Allowance issued. Yes or No.

159<sup>th</sup> Batt

Canada

\$ 30<sup>00</sup> fr. 1.11.16

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Lieut

11.11.16

From Canada

R.O. # 61 (Brig)

CD of 11.11.16

Name

Initials

Bank

Entered on N.E. Card Index

Checked by



Thomas Alexander of Montreal

DATE	PARTICULARS	CK. NO.	CR.	DR.	ASSIGNED PAY PAID IN CANADA	BALANCE	SPECIAL AUTHORITIES To be initialed by P.M. in every case	INITIALS
1916								
Nov 20	At Bal. 5.60 A.P. 30 <sup>00</sup> Missing 11-30/16 Bank			73 60		73 60		
Dec 11	A.P. can 2 mos				60			
12	Adjustment as above V. 14903 + V339		103 60					
	Pay Dec. R.		111 60					
15	Bank			81 60				
1917								
Jan 18	A.P. can.				30			
20	Jan Pay R.		111 60					
25	Bank	19289		81 60				
Feb 17	Feb Pay R.		100 80					
19	A.P. can				30			
22	Bank	2943		70 80				
March 4	A.P. can.				30			
21	Pay R.		111 60					
26	Bank			81 60				
			539 70	389 70				

Statement of OCT 25 1917 Account rendered

8/2/17

Chandy

Bedger 53

T. a. Rowat

Should read

Thomas Alexander Rowat

1/3/18

PARTICULARS

SUNDRY PAYMENTS

TO	ALLOWANCES						PAY						PERIOD		
	TOTAL	Subsistence	Messing	P. F. Allowance	Field Allowance	Rate of Allowance	TOTAL PAY	Or. From Prev. Account	Adjutant	Command	Amount of Regimental	Rate		No. of Days	From
ALL															

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF APPOINTMENT \_\_\_\_\_

MARRIED (YES OR NO) \_\_\_\_\_

NEXT OF KIN:— \_\_\_\_\_

DATE NON-EFFECTIVE \_\_\_\_\_

AND GA \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT \_\_\_\_\_

ASSIGNED PAY:— \_\_\_\_\_

MONTHLY AMOUNT \_\_\_\_\_

TO WHOM PAYABLE \_\_\_\_\_

BANK IN WHICH PAY & ALLOWANCES DEPOSITED \_\_\_\_\_

# Proceedings on Discharge.

(When forwarded for confirmation these proceedings should be accompanied by the documents specified on fourth page.)

No. <i>540.450</i>	
Rank <i>Private</i>	
Name <i>Rowat, Thomas Alexander</i> <small>NOTE—The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment unless changed subsequently by authority.</small>	
Corps (Squadron, Battery or Company) <i>Divisional Cyclists</i>	
Date of Discharge <i>Nov. 12th 1915</i>	
Place of Discharge <i>Toronto, Ont.</i>	
1. DESCRIPTION AT THE TIME OF DISCHARGE.	
Age..... <i>27</i> .....years..... <i>3</i> .....months.	Descriptive Marks. <i>Small wart on right side of back</i>
Height..... <i>5</i> .....feet..... <i>4</i> .....inches.	
Complexion <i>Fair</i>	
Eyes <i>Blue</i>	
Hair <i>Brown</i>	
Trade <i>Brick Co. Manager</i>	
Inten led place of residence. } (To be given as fully as practicable.)	
2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of <i>taking a commission in the 97th Regiment.</i> <i>good</i>	
<small>N.B.—The cause of discharge must be worded as prescribed in the King's Regulations and be identified with that on the character certificate. If discharged by superior authority, the number and date of the letter to be quoted.</small>	
<small>To be in the handwriting of the Commanding Officer, who will himself make identical entries on the character certificate and initial them.</small>	3. Conduct and character while in the service have been, according to the records, etc. <i>good.</i> <i>C.O.S.</i>
	<small>N.B.—This will be assessed when practicable, by the Commanding Officer, in the presence of the soldier and the Officer Commanding his Squadron, Battery or Company.</small>
4. Special qualifications for employment in civil life. (Vide para. 332, K. R. & O., Canada.)	

*Carded*  
*11.30.15.*  
*L.L.*

5. He is in possession of the following number of G. C. Badges :

No reference to G. C. Badges is to be made on either the discharge or character certificate.

6. Medals and Decorations.....

Three horizontal dashed lines for listing medals and decorations.

To be copied by the Commanding Officer on to the parchment Discharge Certificate.

7. His account is correctly balanced, and signed by the Officer Commanding his Company. (Squadron or Battery), and I have impartially enquired into all matters brought before me in accordance with Regulations.

(Place) Toronto

(Date) Nov. 15th 1915

Commanding G. B. Schwarz capt.

8. Certificate to be signed by the Soldier on Discharge.

I hereby acknowledge that I received all my Pay, Allowances and Clothing, and all just demands, up to the present date, subject to the reservations of the claims noted on the third 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 on 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 toward Engagement to.....(the date to which the Record of Service is completed).....years 69 days.

Total.....years 69 days.

11. Confirmation of Discharge.

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

(Place) Toronto

(Date) Nov. 15th 1915

(Signature) G. B. Schwarz capt. Cuddy. Dir. G. C. Dept.

**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.)

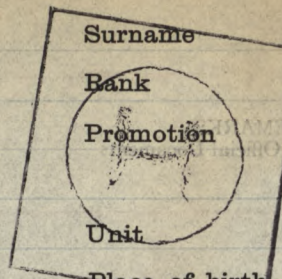
## List of Discharge Documents.

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<p>Reg. Conduct Sheet, Militia Form B. 263.</p> <p>Squadron }          Battery } Conduct Sheet, " B. 263a.          Company }</p> <p>Copies of Convictions, by C. P. in MS.</p> <p>Med. Hist. Sheet, Militia Form B. 313.</p> <p>Medical Report for Invalid* " B. 227.</p> <p>Statement of Man's Account on          Transfer and Last Pay Cer-          tificate, " D. 877.</p> <p>*Only if discharged "Medically unfit."</p>	<p>Attestation Paper, Militia Form B. 235.</p> <p>Proceedings on Discharge " B. 218.</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">In the case of recruits who are rejected on final approval, the discharge documents will consist</p> <p>(a) Proceedings on Discharge.</p> <p>(b) Attestation.</p> <p>(c) Medical History Sheet (in the event of such having been prepared).</p>
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*N.B.—In the case of a man discharged by purchase, the date and number of Deposit Receipt with amount of same is to be noted hereon.*

E.T.



Surname ROWAT ✓

Rank Lieut ✓

Promotion

Unit 159th Battn ✓

Place of birth Winchester. Ontario. Canada. ✓

Married (Yes or No)

Appointments

Christian Names Thomas Alexander ✓

Name and Address of Next-of-Kin Father ✓

Andrew Rowat.  
162. Victoria Ave. St. Lambert.  
Quebec. Canada ✓

27B 158  
38th Rev 1.1.17  
do 1.2.17  
do 1.3.17  
do 1-4-17  
15-17

117  
38th Bn  
to  
NE

Date of leaving Canada 31. 10. 16 11. 18. 11. 16 Date and Cause of Resignation

Report		Record of Promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service. The authority to be quoted in each case.	80R Place	Date	REMARKS Taken from Official Documents
Date	From whom received				
7/14/16	OC Btm	9 seas to 38 Bm		30/11/16	Reg ord 172 159 Rev RO 324 A.F.B. 103
9/12/16	38th Rev	Having arrived from England is CO8.		1/12/16	Reg ord 239. 14 DEC. 1916
4. 7. 17	CRO	Reported from Base "Killed in Action"		28.6.17	CL 716. Reg ord. 66. 38th Rev (27B 104-93-20901) estate, 27-7-17

