

REGIMENTAL DOCUMENTS

NAME *ALLEN. Alexander. Giblon*

REGT. NO. *4 24 380*

UNIT *28<sup>d</sup> Batta*

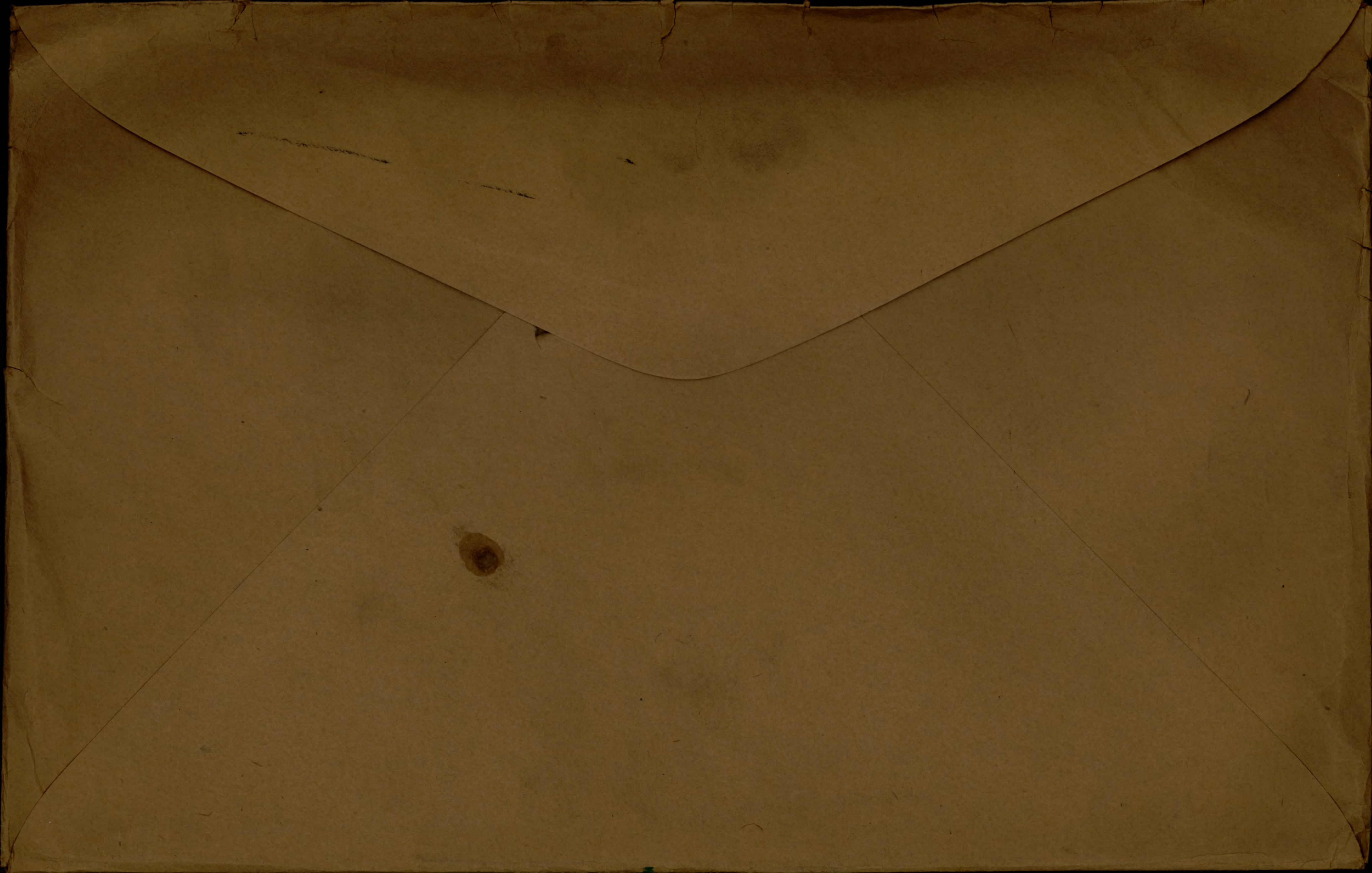
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# ATTESTATION PAPER

No.

Folio.

## CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

42480

### QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS).

1. What is your name?..... Alexander Gibbon Allen
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... South Shields England
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?..... R. S. Allen, (father)
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... 4 Westoe Crescent, South Shields Sy
5. What is the date of your birth?..... Oct. 12. 1885
6. What is your Trade or Calling?..... farmer
7. Are you married?..... no
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated?..... yes
9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia?..... no
10. Have you ever served in any Military Force?.. 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 } yes  
CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE? }

A. G. Allen.....(Signature of Man).  
H. Ashford.....(Signature of Witness).

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

I, Alexander Gibbon Allen, do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements by me now made, and I hereby engage and agree to serve in the **Canadian Over-Seas Expeditionary Force**, and to be attached to any arm of the service therein, for the term of one year, or during the war now existing between Great Britain and Germany should that war last longer than one year, and for six months after the termination of that war provided His Majesty should so long require my services, or until legally discharged.

Date Jan 4 1914. A. G. Allen.....(Signature of Recruit)  
H. Ashford.....(Signature of Witness)

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

I, Alexander Gibbon Allen, do make Oath, that I will be faithful and bear true Allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will as in duty bound honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity, against all enemies, and will observe and obey all orders of His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, and of all the Generals and Officers set over me. So help me God.

Date.....1914. A. G. Allen.....(Signature of Recruit)  
H. Ashford.....(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 MELVILLE this 4th day of Jan 1914

John H. Wilson.....(Signature of Justice)

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

W. H. Mackenzie.....(Approving Officer)

Description of Alexander Gilman Allen on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 30 years 3 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<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 34<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> ins.  
 Range of expansion 3<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> ins.

Complexion fresh

Eyes Blue

Hair Brown

Religious denominations { Church of England Yes  
 Presbyterian  
 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 Over-Seas Expeditionary Force.

Date Jan 4 1914.

Place Melville

W R Huntington  
 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.**

Alexander Gilman Allen having been finally approved and inspected by me this day, and his Name, Age, Date of Attestation, and every prescribed particular having been recorded, I certify that I am satisfied with the correctness of this Attestation.

Wes M. Watson (Signature of Officer)

Date Jan 4 1914.

M. J.

1-3-20.

H. G.

CERTIFIED Form B. 103.  
Army CORRECT  
Canadian Record Office,  
Westminster House,  
7, Millbank, S.W.

Casualty Form—Active Service.  
45th Battalion. C.E.F.

Regiment or Corps 45th Battalion. C.E.F.  
Regimental No. 424380 Rank Private. Name Allen. Alexander Gibbon.  
Enlisted (a) H/1/15 Terms of Service (a) \_\_\_\_\_ Duration of war \_\_\_\_\_ Service reckons from (a) H/1/15  
Date of promotion to } \_\_\_\_\_ Date of appointment } \_\_\_\_\_ Numerical position on } \_\_\_\_\_  
present rank } to lance rank } roll of N.C.Os. }  
Extended \_\_\_\_\_ Re-engaged \_\_\_\_\_ Qualification (b) \_\_\_\_\_

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				

NOV 2 1915  
SHORNCLIFFE.  
23 APR 1916

Transferred to 32nd Reserve Battalion C.E.F.

Proceeded on draft to 282 Battalion C.E.F.

[Signature] Lieut. Asst. Adj.  
for O.C. 32nd Res. Battalion,  
CANADIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

EMBARKED FOR FRANCE.

23 4 16

Notes: - 1002.23.22. 23/4/16.

26-4-16	O.C.B.D.	Arrived Can. Base Depot	C.B.D.	24-4-16	N.R.101/BD/3/294 Part 2 Order No 18 dated 30-4-16
24-4-16	O.C.B.D.	Left " " "	In the Field	13-5-16	N.R.B.D.D.C.S. <del>159</del> 159
19-5-16	O.C. Unit	Arrived Battalion	"	14-5-16	B.213 D.C.S.165
22.9.16	a	Killed in action	"	15.9.16	B313 Phytanus 48 30 1/2

[Signature] Capt.  
For Officer i/c Can. Records,  
Canadian Section.  
G.H.Q. 3rd Echelon.

(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, Shoing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

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Date	From whom received				

# ORIGINAL MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.

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Surname Allen Christian Name Alexander Gibbon

Examined { on 4<sup>th</sup> day of January 1915  
 at Melville  
 Birthplace { City or Town South Shields  
 County England

Approved by W Ross  
 Rank Captain RMC M.O.

Apparent age 30 years 3 months  
 Trade or occupation Farmer  
 Height 5 Feet 4 3/4 Inches.  
 Weight 1 Lbs.  
 Chest measurement { Minimum 33 3/4 inches.  
 Maximum expansion 34 inches.  
 Physical development Fair  
 Small-Pox Marks

Date	Fit or Unfit	EXAMINED FOR RE-ENGAGEMENT,
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right Left.  
 Number

Date	Result	VACCINATIONS,
<u>3-4-15</u>	<u>Effective</u>	<u>WR</u>
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

When Vaccinated last  
 (a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection

Date	Result	ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.
<u>21-5-15</u>		
<u>18-6-15</u>		
<u>28-6-15</u>	<u>Effective</u>	<u>WR</u>
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Enlisted on 4<sup>th</sup> day of January 1915 at Melville

	CORPS	REG'TL NUMBER.	HABITS.	DATE.
Joined on enlistment	<u>45<sup>th</sup> BATT. C.E.F.</u>	<u>424380</u> <u>424380</u>		
Transferred to..				

### EXAMINED OR DISCHARGED BY A MEDICAL BOARD.

STATION.	DATE.	DISEASE.	RESULT.

N. B.—This sheet to be disposed of in accordance with instructions in the Regulations for Army Medical Service, on the man becoming non-effective; the date and cause being stated on next page.

This Medical History Sheet of all men proceeding overseas, must be submitted by the Officer commanding their unit to the Record Office when they leave England.  
 Lt.-Col. McEwen  
 In Charge of Records,  
 Canadian Expeditionary Force.



Surname Allen Christian Name Alexander Gibbon

STATION.	Date of Arrival at the Station.	DATES OF						DISEASE.	Number of days in Hospital.	Remarks on nature of the disease : how induced: if mild or severe: if completely recovered from; whether any particular treatment was adopted. In venereal cases state nature of primary disease, and whether mercury has been given. If an accident, state whether it occurred on duty and whether a Court of inquiry was held. Date of issue and particulars of artificial teeth or surgical appliances supplied. Particulars of prophylactic inoculations.	Signature of Medical Officer.
		Admission into Hospital.			Discharge from Hospital.						
		Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
<u>S.M.H.</u>		<u>16</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>Gonorrhoea</u>	<u>8.</u>	<u>Depot &amp; L. Duty.</u>	<u>J. Campbell</u>

Duplicate Medical History Sheet  
posted to here.  
Medical Registrar  
Barr. Office.

Rank *plé* Name ALLEN, Alexander Gibbon Reg'l No. 424380.  
 Unit 45th to <sup>32nd</sup> 30th Bn. If in perm. Corps, }  
 What Unit? Married or Single Single.  
 Place and Date of Enlistment Jan. 4th 1915. Malville. Place of Birth South Shields, Eng.  
 Name and Address, Next-of-Kin R. S. Allen,  
 4, Westoe Cres. South Shields, England. Relationship Father. *N/E R. B. No. 3*  
 Assigned Pay Monthly \$ Payable to Relationship *N/E R. B. No. 3*  
 Separation Allowance \$ Payable to Relationship *N/E R. B. 3*  
 Discharge, Date and Place *15-9-16 France* Reason *K.A.* Character *16*

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				
		<i>Arrived in England.</i>		<i>13. 9. 15</i>	
<i>16. 9. 15</i>	<i>O.C 30?</i>	<i>Taken on strength</i>	<i>Shoucliffe</i>	<i>13. 9. 15</i>	<i>Pr II 211</i>
<i>7-1-16</i>	<i>B.L. 94</i>	<i>Adm. G.M. Hoopl</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>29 1/15</i>	<i>429</i>
<i>83. 4. 16.</i>	<i>of 35</i>	<i>Trans. 28<sup>th</sup> Bn O.S.</i>	<i>do.</i>	<i>83 4/16</i>	<i>Pr 101</i> <i>a-F13103 20113 4/5/16</i>
<i>30. 4. 16.</i>	<i>28<sup>th</sup> Bn</i>	<i>Taken on strength 28<sup>th</sup> Bn</i>	<i>In the field</i>	<i>24. 4. 16.</i>	<i>Pr II 818</i>
<i>5. 10. 16</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>Killed in action</i>	<i>France</i>	<i>15. 9. 16</i>	<i>bil. a. 337 on. n. k.</i>
<i>30. 9. 16</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>" " "</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>15. 9. 16</i>	<i>Pr II U. 45</i>



Rank *Rt* Name **ALLEN. Alexander Gibbon**

Reg'l No. **424380.**

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Unit **45th to 30th Bn.**

If in perm. Corps,  
What Unit?

Married or Single **Single.**

Place and Date of Enlistment **Jan. 4th 1915. Malville.**

Place of Birth **South Shields. Eng.**

Name and Address, Next-of-Kin **R. S. Allen,  
4, Westoe Cres. South Shields. England.**

Relationship **Father.**

Assigned Pay Monthly \$ Payable to

Relationship

Separation Allowance \$ Payable to

Relationship

Discharge, Date and Place **15<sup>9</sup>/<sub>16</sub>**

Reason **Kind** Character **b.L.A 337**  $\frac{5}{10}$ /<sub>16</sub>



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						
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Nov 1	30	20	1	30	20	10	3		33			29 20			29 20	8 14	
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Jan 1	31	31	1	31	31	10	3 10		34 10			9 73			12 17	27 70	
Feb 1	29	29	1	29	29	10	2 90		31 90			2 44			17 03	42 57	
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Statement of  
DEC 14 1918  
Account rendered

Checked.....

Cash found in effects

Settled



ALLEN, Pte. Alexander G. #424380- 28th. Bn. 649-A-2370

*note elig. for 1914-1915 Star*

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MEDALS &  
DECORATIONS.

(M)

Robert S. Allen, Esq.,  
4 Westoe Cres.  
South Shields,  
England.

FATHER

✓

P. & S.

*(Serial no. 750557.)*

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*N.G.*

*W.B.B.*

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NAME

Allen Alexander Gibbon

REGT'L No.

424380

RANK AND CORPS

Pte 28<sup>th</sup> (32<sup>nd</sup>) Batt.

NO.

313X

CABLE

NO.

DATE

NATURE OF CASUALTY

FOLL

CABLE NO.	DATE	NATURE OF CASUALTY
02129	4-10-16	Killed in action Sept. 15 <sup>th</sup> 1916. ✓
B20909	Rouen 30-9-16.	" " " France " "

(From 45<sup>th</sup> Bn (2<sup>nd</sup> A.O.))

LIST No.

HOSPITAL

DATE OF  
ADMISSION

REMARKS

94. A337	mil., Shorne. Reported from Base	29-12-15 15-9-16	W. W. G. Killed in action
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No. *A 24380* RANK *Pte.*

NAME *Allan Alex. G. Gibson*  
*Allen*

T. O. S.

UNIT *45th Av.*  
*(3rd Cav. D. S. Cont. C. C. Fr.)*  
*(Melville Iusta)*

M. D. *10*

PAID		SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
FROM	TO		PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
<i>1915</i> <i>Jan. 4</i>	<i>1915</i> <i>Jan. 31</i>	<i>✓</i> <i>✓</i> <i>✓</i> <i>✓</i> <i>✓</i> <i>✓</i>		
				<b>UNIT SAILED</b> <b>MAR 13 1916</b>



No. *A 24380*

RANK

*Pte.*

NAME

*Allen, Alex G.*

T. O. S.

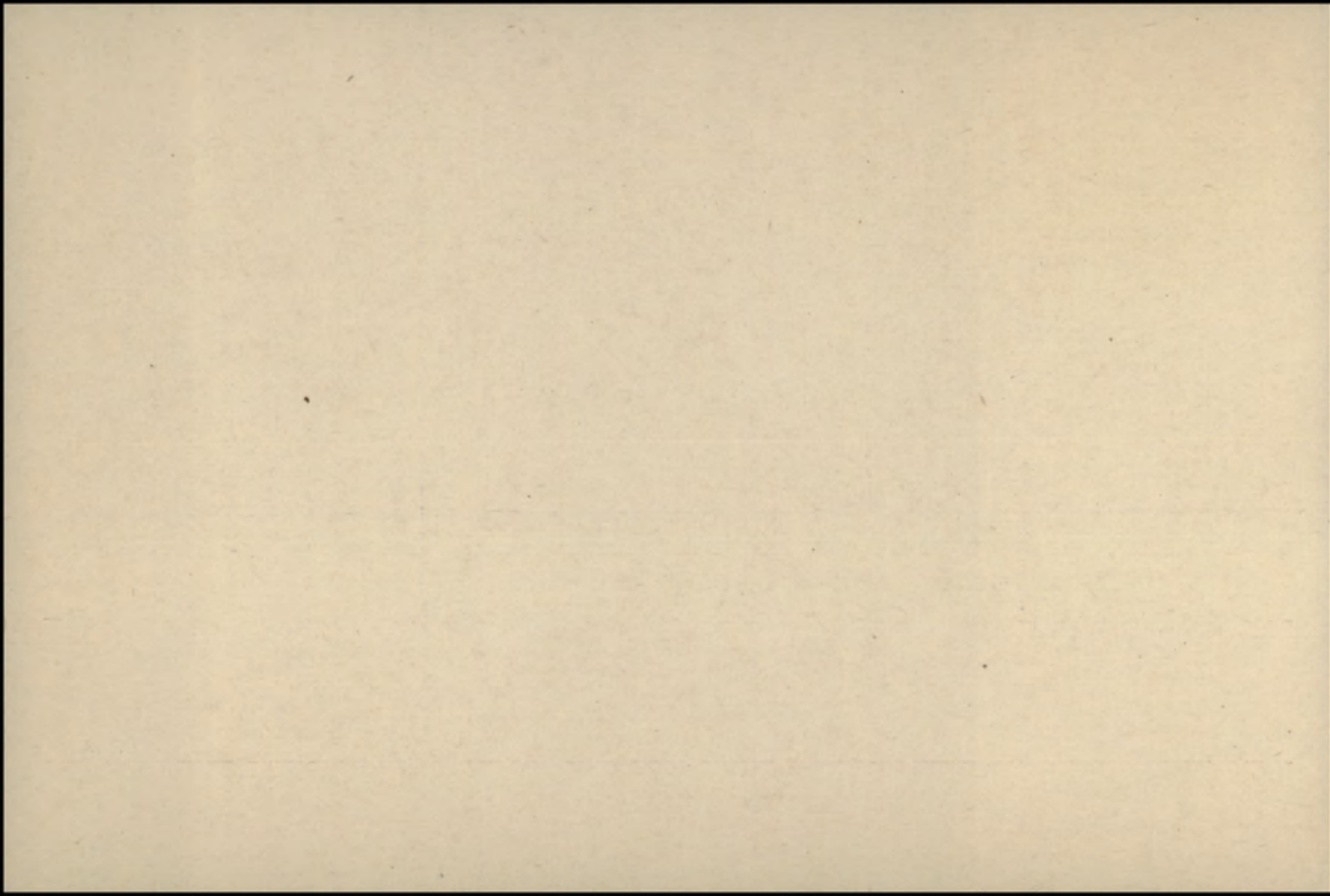
UNIT

*45<sup>th</sup> Battalion*

M. D. *18.*

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
			<i>See Allan Alex G.</i>	





Surname

Christian Name or Names

Reg. No.

Allen

A.G.

424380

Rank

Unit

Co.

Troop

Batty.

Sgt  
Hospital

32 Bn 28 Bat.

Date of Admission

Transferred

Mil Hosp Thorncliffe

Hosp. 29.12.15

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Diagnosis

P.S.G.

(1) Later Diagnosis (if changed)

(2)

(3)

Killed in action. 15.9.16.

Additional Diagnoses: If more than one state present

Base report.

A.M.D. 2 DEPT.

DISPOSITION

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

REMARKS

by 7-1-16  
8.10.16.

#94  
A337.1.

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# EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

Hospital

Adm.

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

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7.

MARRIED OR SINGLE S  
 PLACE OF BIRTH South Shields Eng.  
 NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN R. S. Allen.  
4 Westoe Cres, South Shields Eng.  
 RELATIONSHIP OF NEXT OF KIN  
 NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN  
 RELATIONSHIP OF NEXT OF  
 SEPARATION ALLOWANCE MONTHLY \$ EFFECTIVE (DATE)  
 PAYABLE TO  
 RELATIONSHIP OF DEPENDANT

CASUALTIES, PROMOTIONS, &C.

PARTICULARS Killed in Action EFFECTIVE DATE 15/9/16 AUTHORITY 624337 5/10/16

ADMISSIONS TO HOSPITAL, &C.

DATE ADMITTED	DATE DISCHARGED	V. OR A.	NAME OF HOSPITAL

REG'L NO. 424380 RANK Private NAME Allen, Alexander Gibbon

IF IN PERM. CORPS | WHAT UNIT 32<sup>d</sup> Batta TRANSFERRED TO 28 Batta DATE 15-4-16. AUTHORITY BA118 22/16

PERMANENT FORCE ALLOWANCES TRANSFERRED TO Non-Eff DATE 16-9-16 AUTHORITY 624337 5/10/16

PLACE OF ATTESTATION Malville TRANSFERRED TO DATE AUTHORITY

DATE OF ATTESTATION January 4<sup>th</sup> 1915 TRANSFERRED TO DATE AUTHORITY

ASSIGNED PAY MONTHLY \$ nil DATE EFFECTIVE

PAYABLE TO RELATIONSHIP

ASSIGNED PAY MONTHLY \$ DATE EFFECTIVE

PAYABLE TO RELATIONSHIP

STOP-PAYMENT FORM (ASSIGNED PAY) RENDERED (DATE) EFFECTIVE REASON

DISCHARGE DATE AND PLACE REASON AND AUTHORITY

ACCOUNT TRANSFERRED TO NON-EFFECTIVE BRANCH (DATE) 18-10-16

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	REMA						
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July	31	1 <sup>00</sup>	31		31	10	3	10																													
Aug 1	31	1 <sup>00</sup>	31		31	10	3	10																													
Sept	30	1	30		30	10	3																														
Oct	-	-	-		-	-	-	-																													

Checked [Signature]

Statement of  
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 Account rendered

Q. E. March 1917.

Cash found in effects [Signature]

Final BA118 22/16  
Non Eff Branch 16-9-16  
624337 5/10/16  
debit back pay to date of  
casualty 16/9/16  
20746 Coly 26465. 16/2/17