









# ATTESTATION PAPER

No. A18841  
Folio. 112

## CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

### QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION. (ANSWERS)

1. What is your name? Lawrence F Annis
2. In what Town, Township, or Parish, and in what Country were you born? Canada
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin? Father Herbert Annis
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin? Halifax, Lunenburg Co. N.S.
5. What is the date of your birth? 31<sup>st</sup> Oct. 1894
6. What is your trade or calling? Driver
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?  
If so, state particulars of former Service. 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

Lawrence F Annis (Signature of Man.)  
J. G. W. Deard (Signature of Witness.)

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

I, Lawrence F Annis, 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.

Lawrence F Annis (Signature of Recruit.)  
Date 14<sup>th</sup> May 1915 J. G. W. Deard (Signature of Witness.)

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

I, Lawrence F Annis, 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.

Lawrence F Annis (Signature of Recruit.)  
Date 14<sup>th</sup> May 1915 J. G. W. Deard (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 Halifax this 14 day of May 1915.

John MacFarlane (Signature of Justice.)

I certify that the above is a true copy of the Attestation of the above-named Recruit.  
John MacFarlane (Approving Officer.)



DESCRIPTION OF Lawrence F. Annis ON ENLISTMENT.

Apparent Age 21 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. 5 1/4 ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 37 ins.  
 Range of expansion 3 ins.

1 Vac. mark on Left arm

Complexion Fair

Eyes Blue

Hair D. Brown

Religious Denominations { Church of England X  
 Presbyterian ✓  
 Methodist  
 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 14th May 1918

Place MONTREAL

A. A. Mackay  
 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

Lawrence F. Annis 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. B. Smith (Signature of Officer.)

Date \_\_\_\_\_ 1918



No card CR482.

# MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.

Surname Annis Christian Name Lawrence <sup>7</sup>

Examined { on 14<sup>th</sup> day of May 1915  
 at Montreal

Approved by A. A. Mackay

Birthplace { City or Town  
 County Canada

Rank bapt M.O.

Apparent age 27 years 4 mos

Trade or occupation Driver

Height 5 Feet 5 1/2 Inches

Weight 140 1/2 Lbs.

Chest measurement { Minimum 34 inches  
 Maximum expansion 3 inches

Physical development Good

Small-Pox Marks

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right 1 Left  
 Number

When Vaccinated last Feb. 1915

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection

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

Date	Result	VACCINATIONS.
<u>3/9/15</u>		<u>A. A. Mackay</u> M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Date	Result	ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.
<u>1915/15</u>		<u>500 million</u> <u>A. A. Mackay</u> M.O.
<u>16/6/15</u>		<u>1000 Do</u> <u>A. A. Mackay</u> M.O.
<u>26/6/15</u>		<u>1000 Do</u> <u>A. A. Mackay</u> M.O.

Enlisted on 14<sup>th</sup> day of May 1915 at Montreal

	CORPS.	REG'TL NUMBER.	HABITS.	DATE.
Joined on enlistment	<u>42<sup>nd</sup> Batt.</u> <u>C. C. F.</u>	<del><u>418841</u></del> <u>418841</u>		<u>14<sup>th</sup> May '15</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.







Rank *Plt* Name *ANNIS LAWRENCE F.* ✓ Reg'l No. *418841* ✓  
 Unit *42nd BN.* If in perm. Corps, } *Single.*   
 What Unit? }  
 Married or Single  
 Place and Date of Enlistment *Montreal, P.Q. 14th May 1915.* Place of Birth *Canada.*  
 Name and Address, Next-of-Kin *Herbert Annis, Caledonia, Queens County, N.S.*  
 Relationship *Father.*

Assigned Pay Monthly \$ *70.00* Payable to *A. Annis, Caledonia, Queen's County, N.S.*  
 Relationship

Separation Allowance \$ Payable to  
 Relationship

Discharge, Date and Place *16-9-16* Reason *Kind* Character *19/10/16*  
 Checked by *T. J. Williams*

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						
<i>1915 July</i>	<i>July 31</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>1.00</i>	<i>31.00</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>3.10</i>		<i>34.10</i>			<i>9.74</i>	<i>20.00</i>		<i>29.74</i>	<i>14.36</i>	
<i>Aug. 1</i>	<i>Aug. 31</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>1.00</i>	<i>31.00</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>3.10</i>		<i>34.10</i>			<i>12.17</i>	<i>20.00</i>		<i>32.17</i>	<i>6.29</i>	
<i>Sept 1</i>	<i>Sept 30</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>1.00</i>	<i>30.00</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>3.00</i>		<i>33.00</i>			<i>14.60</i>	<i>20.00</i>		<i>34.60</i>	<i>4.69</i>	
<i>Oct 1</i>	<i>Oct 31</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>1.00</i>	<i>31.00</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>3.10</i>		<i>34.10</i>			<i>5.24</i>	<i>20.00</i>		<i>25.24</i>	<i>13.55</i>	
<i>Nov. 1</i>	<i>Nov 30</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>1.00</i>	<i>30.00</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>3.00</i>		<i>33.00</i>			<i>11.60</i>	<i>20.00</i>		<i>31.60</i>	<i>14.95</i>	
<i>Dec 1</i>	<i>Dec 31</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>1.00</i>	<i>31.00</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>3.10</i>	<i>10.</i>	<i>44.10</i>			<i>7.85</i>	<i>20.00</i>		<i>27.85</i>	<i>31.20</i>	<i>blo refund</i>
<i>Jan 1</i>	<i>Jan 31</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>1.00</i>	<i>31.00</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>3.10</i>		<i>34.10</i>			<i>5.23</i>	<i>20.00</i>		<i>25.23</i>	<i>40.07</i>	
<i>Feb 1</i>	<i>Feb 29</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>1.00</i>	<i>29.00</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>2.90</i>		<i>31.90</i>			<i>5.22</i>	<i>20.00</i>		<i>25.22</i>	<i>46.75</i>	
<i>Mar 1</i>	<i>Mar 31</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>1.00</i>	<i>31.00</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>3.10</i>		<i>34.10</i>			<i>5.23</i>	<i>20.00</i>		<i>25.23</i>	<i>55.62</i>	

BALANCE TRANSFERRED TO NEW LEDGER.

*Settled*

Checked 

Statement of  
*Feb 17/17*  
 Account rendered

Cash found in effects *N.R.*

*275*    *275 -*    *2750 10 -*    *312 50*    *7688 180 -*    *1*    *256.88*







MILITIA AND DEFENCE  
**ASSIGNED PAY**  
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

M. F. W. 12a.  
 60m.-12-15.  
 1772-39-818

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Sheet No. 2.

*Mrs. Clara Annis*  
**PAYMENTS.**

Name of Soldier *Annis, Lawrence, F.*  
*Pte. 418841 42nd Bn, D. Coy.*

L. L. Job 89002.-Req. 6213.

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amnt.	Remarks.
				<b>\$20<sup>00</sup></b>
April	1916	J 694	20 -	<div style="border: 1px solid red; padding: 10px; display: inline-block;"> <i>Casualties</i> </div>
May		K 3878	20 -	
June		L 7089	20 -	
July		A 7620	20	
Aug. ✓		Q 12141	20	
Sept.		F 16319	20	
Oct. ✓		F 20661	20	
Nov.				<i>a/c closed (cas)</i>
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MILITIA AND DEFENCE  
**ASSIGNED PAY**  
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

Sheet No. 2 (Contd.)

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

**PAYMENTS.**

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
Aug.	1918			
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Nov.				



*United  
10/1/16/14/15*

### Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 42<sup>nd</sup> Bn: C.E.F.

Regimental No. <sup>418841</sup>~~A. 18841~~ Rank Plt Name Annis, Lawrence J.

Enlisted (a) 4/5/15 Terms of Service (a) d: of War + 6 mrs: Service reckons from (a) \_\_\_\_\_

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) \_\_\_\_\_

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				
<i>Oct 12/15</i>	<i>42nd</i>	<b>DISEMBARKED BOULOGNE</b>			<i>N.R.</i>
<i>9/10/16</i>	<i>DO</i>	<i>Killed in Action</i>	<b>9 10 15</b>	<i>16/9/16</i>	<i>SRMS. consd. file KE. 137-1702 8/12/16. P20. 89 8/18/16.</i>

*[Signature]*  
Lieutenant  
for Lt Col. A. A. G.



(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.]



Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 35, 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				



MILITIA AND DEFENCE  
ASSIGNED PAY  
OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

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*gms*

To Whom *Mrs. Clara Amis*  
Address *Calcutta*  
*Queens City N.S.*

By Whom Assigned *Amis Lawrence*  
Regtl. No. *418841 C.S.*  
Rank *Pte*  
Corps *D. Coy 42nd Battalion*

Rate *\$ 20.<sup>00</sup>/<sub>xx</sub>* JUL 1 1915

PAYMENTS

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.	REMARKS
Aug.	1914			<div style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 10px; display: inline-block; transform: rotate(-5deg);"> <i>Casualties</i> </div>
Sept.				
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July		<i>R2471</i>	<i>40 -</i>	
Aug.		<i>S2867</i>	<i>20 -</i>	
Sept.		<i>V4423</i>	<i>20 00</i>	
Oct.		<i>W1673</i>	<i>20 00</i>	<i>Killed in action Sep 16. C.S. 7) 19/10/16</i>
Nov.		<i>Z3023</i>	<i>20 -</i>	
Dec.		<i>K6310</i>	<i>20 -</i>	
Jan.	1916	<i>K9835</i>	<i>20 -</i>	<i>"Deceased" 3 M. Oct. 21/16</i>
Feb.		<i>L11586</i>	<i>20 -</i>	
March		<i>Q15477</i>	<i>20</i>	

*Stop Nov. 1/16*  
*J.H.*  
*14/11/16*



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1912



Rank *Pte* Name ANNIS Lawrence F.

Reg'l No. *A* 18841

Unit 42nd BN. If in perm. Corps, What Unit?

Married or Single *Single.*

Place and Date of Enlistment *Montreal.P.Q. 14th May.1915.* Place of Birth *Canada.*

Name and Address, Next-of-Kin *Herbert Annis, Caledonian Queens County, N.S.*

Relationship *Father.*

Assigned Pay Monthly \$ Payable to

Relationship

Separation Allowance \$ Payable to

Relationship

Discharge, Date and Place Reason *R.L. 25 A. 729. 28.11.16* 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				
		<i>Arrived</i>	<i>England</i>	<i>19/6-15</i>	
		<i>Embarked for France.</i>	<i>Folkestone</i>	<i>9.10.15</i>	
<i>15.10.16</i>	<i>OC. 42<sup>nd</sup></i>	<i>Accia in Action</i>	<i>Accia</i>	<i>16.9.16</i>	<i>Pr II D.O. 59</i>
<i>19.10.16</i>	<i>OC 42</i>	<i>Rep from Base Accia in Action</i>	<i>do.</i>	<i>16.9.16</i>	<i>C.L. A. 276.</i>









No 18841 RANK

Pte

NAME

Annie L 97

T. O. S.

UNIT

42nd Battalion

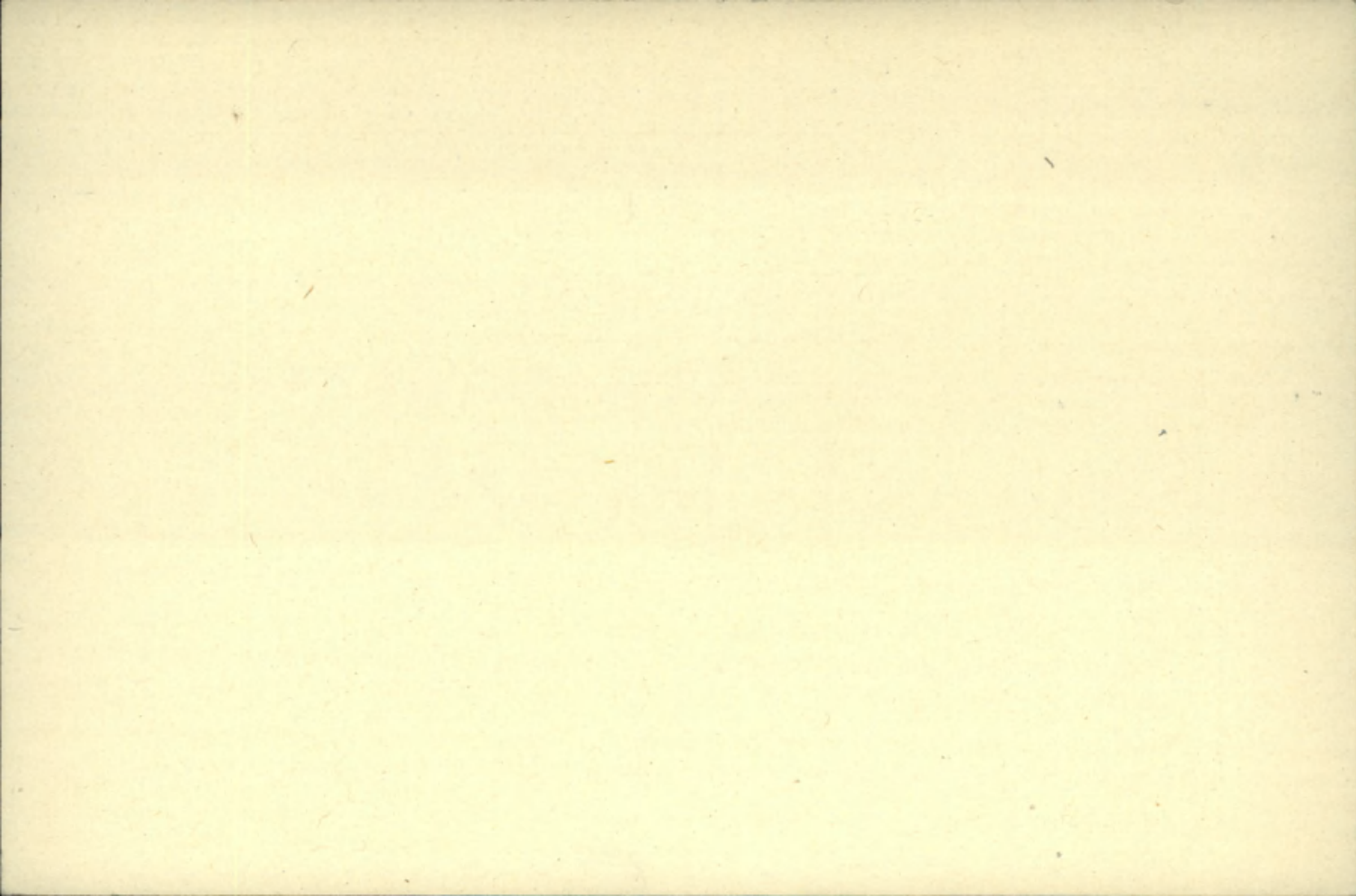
M. D.

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PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
1915 May 14	1915 May 31 June	<i>v</i>		

UNIT SAILED  
JUN 1 0 1915







Number 418841 Rank Pte

Surname ANNIS

Christian Name Lawrence H.

Units 42nd Bul Camp Theatre of War France

Date of Service 9-10-15.

Remarks (F) Herbert S. Annis

Latest Address Caledonia Queens Co.,  
Nova Scotia.

Roll No. \_\_\_\_\_

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GRATUITY (IMPERIAL)

CHRISTIAN NAME

SURNAME

REG. No.

SCHEDULE No.

LINE No.

UNIT RETIRED OR DISCHARGED FROM

PLACE OF RETIREMENT OR DISCHARGE

DATE RECEIVED FROM OTTAWA

IMPERIAL DEPOT No.

DATE RECEIVED FROM REG. DEPOT.

DATE FORWARDED TO OTTAWA



DATE IN	DATE OUT	P. A. OR B. F.	DATE REQUIRED	REMARKS
	<i>Lawrence</i>			<i>42<sup>nd</sup> Dec</i>
	<i>Reg<sup>n</sup> 14/15 st<sup>r</sup>.</i>			<i>9a. 4. ✓</i>
<i>medal &amp; Decorations</i>	<i>Father</i>	<i>Robert S Annis</i>		<i>M</i>
		<i>Baledonia Queens Co.</i>		
		<i>nova Scotia</i>		
	<i>JAN 4 1921</i>			
	<i>Scroll Desp.</i>		<i>Reqn. No. 7466</i>	
	<i>FEB 1 1922</i>			
	<i>Plaque Desp.</i>		<i>Reqn. No. P 27637</i>	
<i>Plaque + S</i>	<i>Father</i>	<i>as above</i>		
<i>Serial No 764409</i>				<i>9<sup>2</sup>/<sub>20</sub></i>
<i>R of S</i>	<i>mother</i>	<i>Blara V. Annis</i>		<i>9e</i>
		<i>as above</i>		<i>4B</i>



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CARD NO.

D

SURNAME.

*Annis.*

CHRISTIAN NAMES

*Lawrence F.*

REGL. No.

*418841.*

RANK

*pte*

FOLL.

UNIT

*42<sup>nd</sup>*

*Br.*

FORMER CORPS

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAMES IN FULL

*Annis, Herbert.*

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER

*(father)*

ADDRESS

*Caledonia Queen's Co.  
W.S.*

COUNTRY OF BIRTH

*Canada.*

DATE

*Oct. 31, 1894.*

PLACE OF ATTESTATION

*Montreal, P.Q.*

DATE

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

*Q/S-10-6-15<sup>102</sup>  
1*



*From Montreal Per*

*S. S. Wespersen" 18-6-15.*

MARRIED

SINGLE

WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING

RELIGION

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE

YEARS

MONTHS

HEIGHT

FEET

INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT

INCHES

EXPANSION

INCHES

COMPLEXION

EYES

HAIR

DISTINGUISHING MARKS

MEDICAL EXAMINATION. PLACE

DATE

*Present Address-*



REGT'L No 418841.

H. Q. FILE No. 649-

NAME *Annis Lawrence, Y.*

RANK AND CORPS *Pte 42nd Bu. (Form 92nd Bn.)*

FOLLOWS  
NO. *92nd Bn.*

CABLE		NATURE OF CASUALTY	FOLLOWS
No.	DATE		
<i>03118</i>	<i>18-10-16</i>	<i>Killed in action Sept. 16th 1916 ✓</i>	
<i>B2090 a</i>	<i>15-10-16</i>	<i>" " " " "</i>	



LIST No

HOSPITAL

DATE OF  
ADMISSION

REMARKS

A 276

Reported from Base

16-9-16

Killed in action



Name Annis, Lawrence Rank  
F. Pte.

Reg. No. 418841

Unit 42nd. Batt.

R.L. 25-a-729

Next of Kin Canada.

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
1916.						
16-9	REPORTED FROM BASE KILLED IN ACTION.			A. 276.3118	0	19/10







Surname  
**Annis**

Christian Name or Names  
**L.F.**

Reg. No.  
**418841**

Rank  
**Pte.**

Unit  
**4~~th~~nd Bn.**

Co.

Troop

Batty

Hospital

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 16.9.16**

DISPOSITION

Date

**C.L. 19.10.16 A276**

REMARKS

**Reported from Base**

**A.M.D. 2 DEPT.**

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

*Handwritten mark*



EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

Hospital

Adm

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7.











Regtl. No. A79000 Rank Pte John  
 Name Webb Sidney James  
(Christian Names in full) (Surname)  
 Unit General Regt. R C R  
 or B T I Corps  
 CATEGORY B T I NEXT OF KIN Sister

REASONS FOR RETURN

Medical Board Witley 19-12-18

INTENDED PLACE OF RESIDENCE Vancouver BC

#21

**COVER**  
**FOR**  
**DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS.**  
*Engineer*

CAMPAIGNS, MEDALS AND DECORATIONS

78 mo.

*France*  
 H. M. Forces "AQUITANIA"  
 EMBK. LVR. 11.13.1911  
 DEBKD. HALIFAX, N.S.  
 JAN. 24. 1919



41841 Anns, Laurence F.

42 Battalion

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