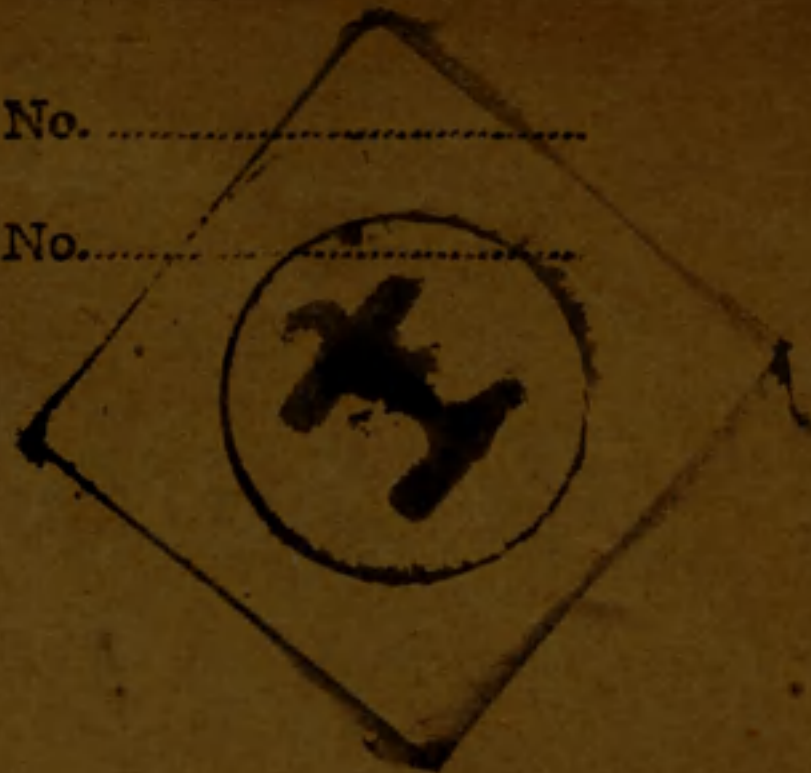


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DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS

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.....

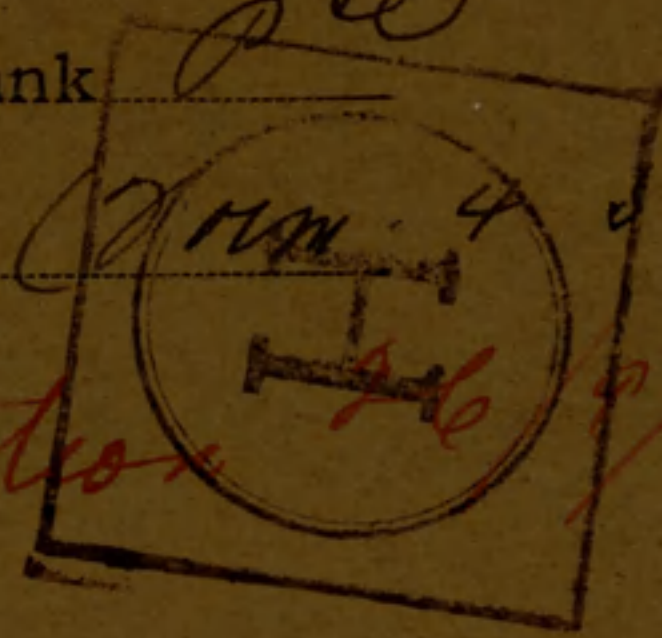
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Last Pay Certificate.....

Name BRIGHT JAMES C.

Regt. No. 424382 Rank Pvt

Corps 28th Bn (Imm. 4th - 4th Bn)



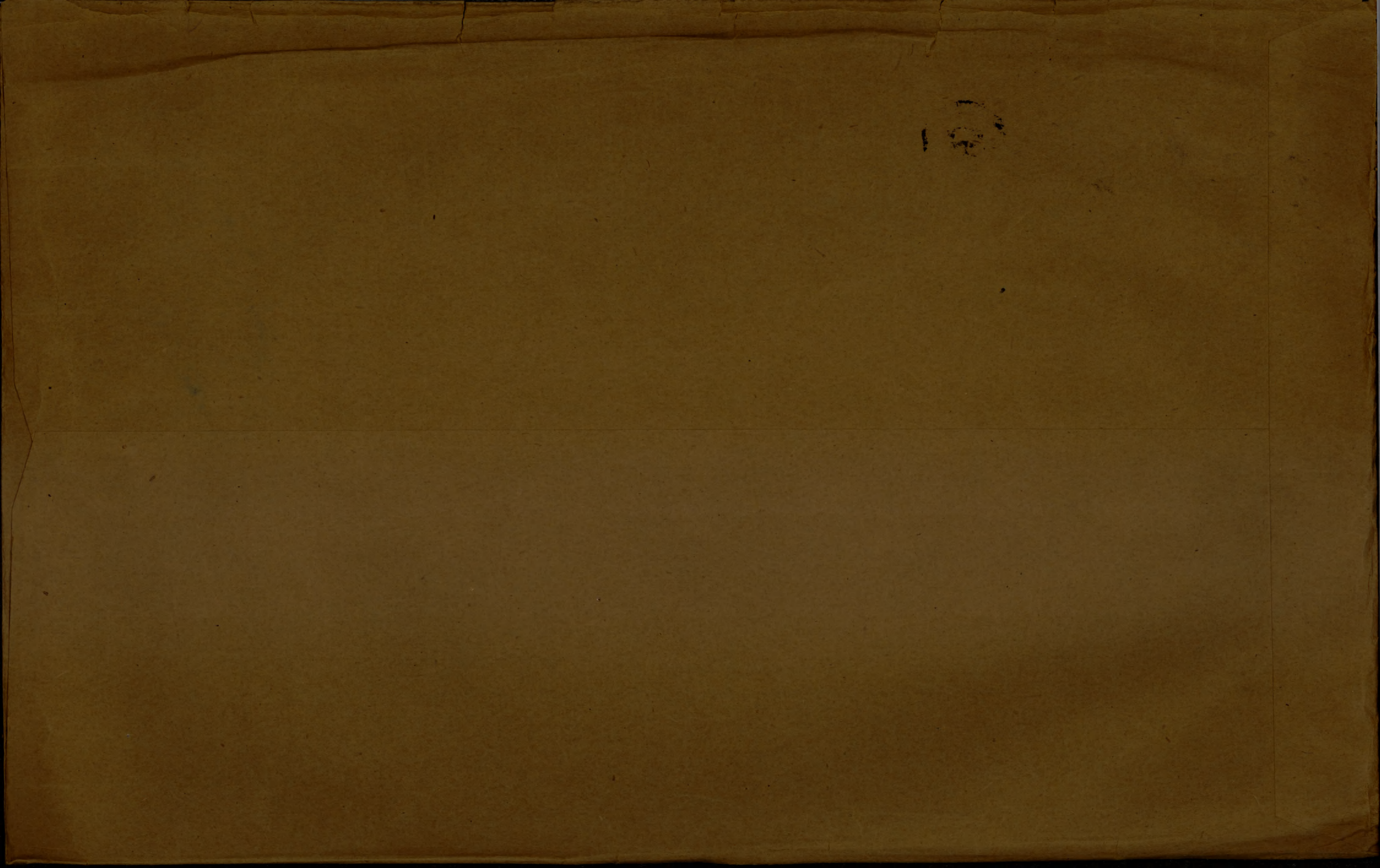
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*SM x 18-12-20
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ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. 224382

Folio.

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS).

1. What is your name?..... James Charles Bright
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... London England
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?..... William Bright
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... Duff Lane
5. What is the date of your birth?..... Dec 29 1884
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 CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE?..... Yes

James Charles Bright (Signature of Man).
R. J. Bombe (Signature of Witness).

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, James Charles Bright, 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.

..... James Charles Bright (Signature of Recruit)
 Date: Dec 23 1914 R. J. Bombe (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, James Charles Bright, 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.

..... James Charles Bright (Signature of Recruit)
 Date: Dec 23 1914 R. J. Bombe (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 23rd day of Dec 1914

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

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

..... Fred. H. Mackenzie (Approving Officer)

Description of James Charles Bright on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 30 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. 4⁷/₈ ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 35¹/₂ ins.
 Range of expansion 1¹/₂ ins.

Complexion Dark

Eyes Blue

Hair DK 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 Dec 23 191 4

Place Melville DR Livingstone
 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.

James Charles Bright 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.

Fred H. Warkentin (Signature of Officer)

Date Dec 23 191 4

ORIGINAL

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MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.

Surname Bright Christian Name James Charles

Examined { on 23rd day of December 1914
 at Melville
 Birthplace { City or Town London
 County England

Approved by W. P. S.
 Rank Captain Amc. M.O.

Apparent age 30 years
 Trade or occupation Farmer
 Height 5 Feet 4 7/8 Inches.
 Weight _____ Lbs.
 Chest measurement { Minimum 34 inches.
 Maximum expansion 1 1/2 inches.
 Physical development Good
 Small-Pox Marks _____

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

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right Left
 Number _____
 When Vaccinated last _____
 (a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease _____

Date	Result	VACCINATIONS.
<u>3-4-15</u>	<u>Effective</u>	<u>W.P.S.</u>
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

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

Date	Result	ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.
<u>11-5-15</u>		
<u>18-6-15</u>		
<u>18-6-15</u>	<u>Effective</u>	<u>W.P.S.</u>
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Enlisted on 23rd day of December 1914 at Melville

	CORPS	REG'T NUMBER	HABITS.	DATE.
Joined on enlistment	<u>45th BATT. G.C.F.</u>	<u>A24382</u> <u>424382</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.

CERTIFIED CORRECT. 64
Canadian Record Office,
Westminster House,
7, MILLBANK

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Army Form B. 103.

Regiment or Corps 45th Battalion. C.E.F.
Regimental No. 424382 Rank Private Name Bright. James Charles.
Enlisted (a) 23/12/14 Terms of Service (a) Duration of war Service reckons from (a) 23/12/14
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 FEB 29 1916

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

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

..... Lieut. Asst. Adj.
for G.C. 32nd Res. Battalion,
CANADIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

4-3-16	C.B.D.	Arrived in France Havre		2/3/16	NR of a. fol 164. Part 2 Orders No. 13 N.R. 101/B.D./3/dt. 4-3-16
	O.C.Can. Base Dep	Having arrived as reinforcements from England, from 32nd Battalion is taken on strength of 28th Battn.		Can. Base Dep. 2-3-16	
13-3-16	G.C. 206	Stationary Influenza.		206 Stationary 13-3-16	W.O. 3034
14-3-16	O.C.B.D.	Struck strength of Can. Base Dep (to 6 days) class 'a'		14-3-16	101/B.D./3/2507th. N.R. 110.
20-3-16	G.C. 6	Stationary Influenza. (Disch) to Convalescent Depot		20-3-16	W. 3034

(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. 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				
31-3-16	G.C.B.D.	Taken on strength Class. A	C.B.D.	29-3-16	7. R. 101/B. D/3/265 Dec. 126
9-4-16	Do	Left C. B. Depot	Field	6-4-16	7. R. 101/B. D/3/273
30-3-16	G.C. Com. Depot House	Admn	Comm Depot	21-3-16	Dec. 129. 7. R. S. 5223 15-4-16.
15.7.16	of unit	Rejoined unit	House Fields	9.4.16	letter. D.C. 1700
15.9.16	do	attng 2 nd Army School of } Intns	"	13.9.16	B213. Oct. 277. 2d 9/16
29.9.16	do	Rehd to duty	"	20.9.16	B213
29.9.16	do	Mentions in Action	"	26.9.16	B213. Phoenacens 48 14/10/16

J. Whogau Capt.
 For Officer i/c Can. Records,
 Canadian Section,
 G.H.Q. 3rd Echelon.

No. 47422 Name Bright J.C. Sqn., Batty., } 45th Corps Date of enlistment } 25/12/14 G.C. }
 or Company } North Co 9/7 Badges }
 Date of last entry in } No. and date } Period not reckoning towards } Sheet No. One Signature O.C. }
 Company Conduct Sheet } of last drunk } freedom from extra fine } 28 Nov Company, etc. }

Service or Proficiency Pay }
 Character }

#6 Army

Place	Date of offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	Offence	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	Remarks
SHORNCLIFFE.				Transferred to 32nd Reserve Battalion C.E.F.					
SHORNCLIFFE.				Proceeded on draft to 28th Battalion C.E.F.					
				<u>28th</u>				Lieut. Asst. Adj.	
								for O.C. 32nd Res. Battalion,	
								CANADIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.	
				<u>Killed in Action</u>			<u>26.9.16</u>		

Army Form B. 122

Rank Name BRIGHT, James Charles Reg'l No. 424382.
 Unit 45th to ^{32nd} 30th Bn. If in perm. Corps, }
 What Unit? Married or Single Single

Place and Date of Enlistment Dec. 23rd 1914, Melville Place of Birth London, England.

Name and Address, Next-of-Kin William Bright,

Duff. Sask.

Relationship

Assigned Pay Monthly \$

Payable to

Relationship

Separation Allowance \$

Payable to

Relationship

Discharge, Date and Place France 26.9.16

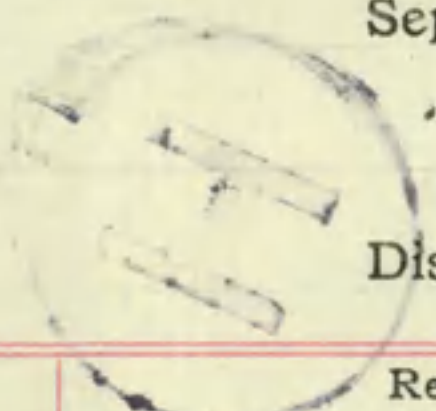
Reason Killed in Action Character

N/E. R. B. 8

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N/E. R. B. No.	3
File R. L.	K.A.
Category	

am x
18-12-20
at



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.		13.9.15	
16.9.15	O.C 30 th	Taken on strength	Shoucliffe	13.9.15	M.II 211
29.2.16	O.C 32 nd	Trans to 28 th	"	1.3.16 27.13.103	P.II 51 8/3/16 GH
21.3.16.	28 th Bn	Adm. No 6. Stat. Hosp.	Fluore	13.3.16.	C.R. A172 "Influenza"
21.3.16.	28 th Bn	Taken on strength 28 th Bn	In the field	2.3.16.	Pr II D 13
20.3.16.	do.	Tspd to Convalescent Depot	France	20.3.16.	E. R. A179 "Influenza"
12.4.16.	do.	Dischgd to Base Depot	do.	29.3.16.	C.R. A 190 " do "
15.4.16.	do.	Discharged to duty	do.	6.4.16.	C.R. A 193 " do "
19.10.16	do.	Rep Killed in Action.	France	26.9.16	C.R. A 349. O.N
14.10.16	do.	Killed in Action.	do.	26.9.16	Pr II O 48

Surname

Christian Name or Names

Reg. No.

Bright.

J. C.

424382

Rank

Unit

Co.

Troop

Batty.

Pte

28th Battⁿ

Hospital

Date of Admission

Transferred

#6 Stat 4 Hosp Harre

Hosp. 13.3.16

Conral. Depot

Hosp. 20.3.16

Hosp.

Hosp.

Diagnosis

Influenza.

(1)

Later Diagnosis (if changed)

(2)

Killed in Action

(3)

26.9.16

Additional Diagnoses: If more than one state present

DISPOSITION

Discharged

6-4-16 Date

REMARKS

C.L. 21.3.16 #A172

C.L. 30.3.16 #A179

C.L. 12.4.16 #A190 -> Disg to Base Depot 29.3.16

C.L. 15.4.16 A193

19.10.16 A349

A.M.D. 2 DEPT.

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

Handwritten signature/initials

EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

Hospital

Adm.

1.

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REGT'L No 424382

H. Q. FILE No. 649-

NAME Bright, James Charles

RANK AND CORPS Pte. 28th Batt. (form

FOLLOWS
No. 2519xxxx

CABLE
No. DATE

NATURE OF CASUALTY
(H 5th Bn 2nd P 10) FOLLOWS

03124	18-10-16	Killed in action Sept. 26th 1916. ✓
97B	20909	Killed in action in the 7th Frame
Rauen	14-10-16	26-9-16. Gated 14-2-17.

LIST No	HOSPITAL	DATE OF ADMISSION	REMARKS
A172	# 6 Stat., Waure	13-3-16	Influenza
A179	Conv. Depot	20-3-16	" " " "
A190	Disch. to Base Depot	29-3-16	" " " "
A193	Disch. to Duty	6-4-16	" " " "
A349	Rep'd from base	26-9-16	Killed in action

Name BRIGHT. J. C. Rank PTE.
(James Charles.)

Reg. No. 424382.

Unit 28th. Battalion.

Next of Kin Canada,

RR 28. B. 2308

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/KO.	W.O. List
13-3-16.	6.S.H. Havre.		Influenza.	A172.		
20-3-16.	Con.Depot.		" "	A179.		
29-3-16.	Dis to base depot.		" "	A190.		
6-4-16.	Dis to duty.		Q " "	A193.		
26-9.	Repoerted From Base	KILLED	IN ACTION	A349	03124	19-10

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/KO.	W.O. List

No. *A24382* RANK *Pte.*

NAME *Bright James Chas.*

T. O. S.

UNIT *45th. Bw.
(3rd. O. S. Cont. C. C. Fr.) Melville Quota)*

M. D. *10.*

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
<i>1914 Dec. 23</i>	<i>1914 Dec. 31</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Jan.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Feb.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Mar.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Apr.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>May.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>June.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>July.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Aug.</i>	<i>✓</i>		

UNIT SAILED
MAR 13 1916



649-13-8775

CARD NO.

D
FOLL.

SURNAME. *Bright*

CHRISTIAN NAMES *James Charles*

REGL. NO. *424382* RANK *Pte.*

UNIT *45th. (2nd R.D.)* Batt.

FORMER CORPS *nil.*

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAMES IN FULL *Bright, William,*

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER

ADDRESS *Duff, Saskatchewan.*

COUNTRY OF BIRTH *England, London,*

DATE

PLACE OF ATTESTATION *Melville*

DATE

Dec. 23/1914.

Sailed from Montreal Per S.S.

L. L. 90589.-M. & D. 6312. "Missanabie". 4/9/15. 185"

MARRIED

SINGLE

yes-

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

✓ Bright, J.C., ✓ Pte. ✓ 424382 ✓ 45th Bn. 649-B-8775 *28th Bn.* M

Med. & Dec. (Brother) William B. Bright, Esq.,
Duff,
Sask.

P. & S. (Brother) Address as above.

(Ser. # 750931)

Mem. Cross.

(Nil) MAY 12 1921
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Reqn. No. 2-4287

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Em. H. H. ✓
Number 424382

Rank

Plc

Surname

BRIGHT ✓

Christian Name

James Charles ✓

Units

24th Gen. Co. Ky ✓

Theatre of War

France ✓

Date of Service

2/3/16 ✓

Remarks

(B) Wm. B. Bright, Esq. D ✓

Latest Address

Duff, Sack ✓

Roll No.

B. Page 205-95-

TOTAL SERVICE WHERE AND HOW LONG..... DATE AND PLACE OF OR

DISEASE OR INJURY.....

OPERATIONS.....

RESULT OF OPERATIONS.....

(A) DATE OF ARRIVAL AT HOSPITAL AS AN ADMISSION.....

(B) AS A TRANSFER (STATE WHERE FROM).....
NAME OF HOSPITAL

DATE OF DISCHARGE TO UNIT..... IN CA

DATE OF DISCHARGE AS AN INVALID.....

DATE OF DEATH.....

DATE OF TRANSFER (STATE WHERE TO).....
NAME OF HOSPITAL

OTHER INDEPENDENT CONDITIONS DIAGNOSED

NEXT OF KIN..... ADDRESS.....

..... HOSPITAL.....

DEES. JAN 25 1923
No. 24214

* CROSS C

M. F. W. 142.

1772-39-1171.

50m.-2-19.

Rank *Pte* Name **BRIGHT, James Charles** Reg'l No. **424382.** P-56
 Unit *29th Bn* **45th to 30th Bn.** If in perm. Corps, What Unit? Married or Single **Single**
 Place and Date of Enlistment **Dec. 23rd 1915, Melville** Place of Birth **London, England.**
 Name and Address, Next-of-Kin **William Bright,**

Duff. Sask.

Relationship

Assigned Pay Monthly \$ Payable to

Relationship

Separation Allowance \$ Payable to

Relationship

Discharge, Date and Place **26. 9. 16** Reason **Kia.** Character **Cha 471.** *19/10/16*



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>16/9/15</i>	<i>30/9/15</i>	15	1	15	15	10	1 50	16 50									
<i>Oct 1</i>	<i>31</i>	31	1	31	31	10	3 10	34 10			<i>29 20</i>			<i>29 20</i>	<i>21 40</i>		<i>22nd Batt 1/16</i>
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<i>Dec 1</i>	<i>31</i>	31	1	31	31	10	3 10	34 10			<i>17 03</i> <i>24 33</i> <i>9 73</i>			<i>51 09</i>	<i>8 21</i>		
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<i>Feb 1</i>	<i>29</i>	29	1	29	29	10	2 90	31 90			<i>7 30</i>			<i>7 30</i>	<i>27 97</i>		<i>13059</i> <i>25th Batt 29.2.16</i>
<i>Mar 1</i>	<i>31</i>	31		31	31		3 10	34 10			<i>10 09</i>			<i>10 09</i>	<i>51 98</i>		
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Checked *J. M. ...*

Sealed

Carried forward to Large Ledger sheet

Cash found in effects *W.R.*

Statement of
 MAR 7 1917
 Account rendered

