

REGIMENTAL DOCUMENTS

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NAME *Brush Leonard*

REGT. NO. *715174* UNIT *106th*

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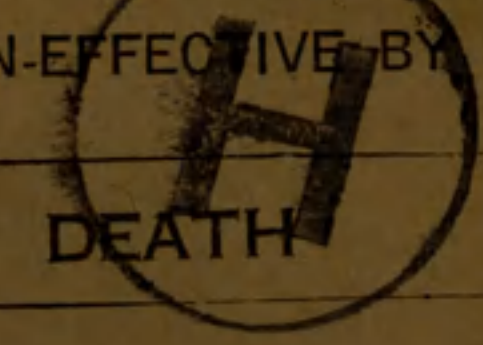
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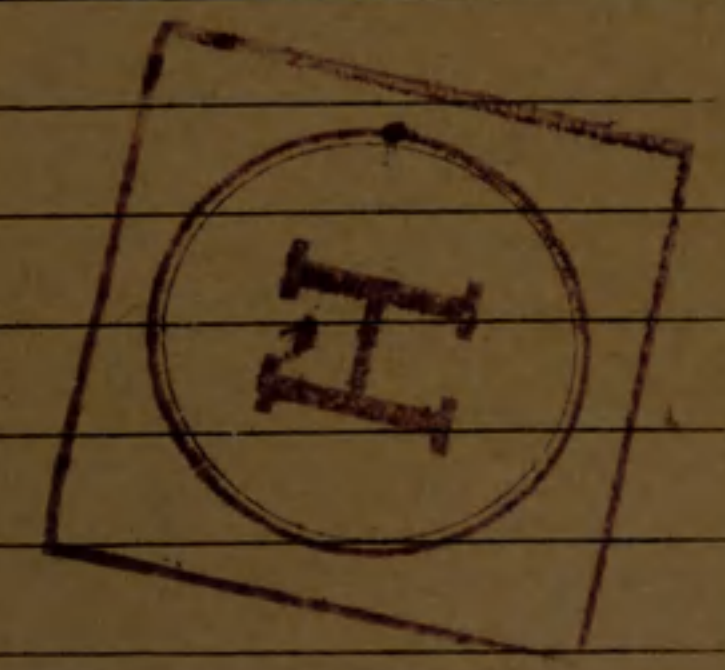


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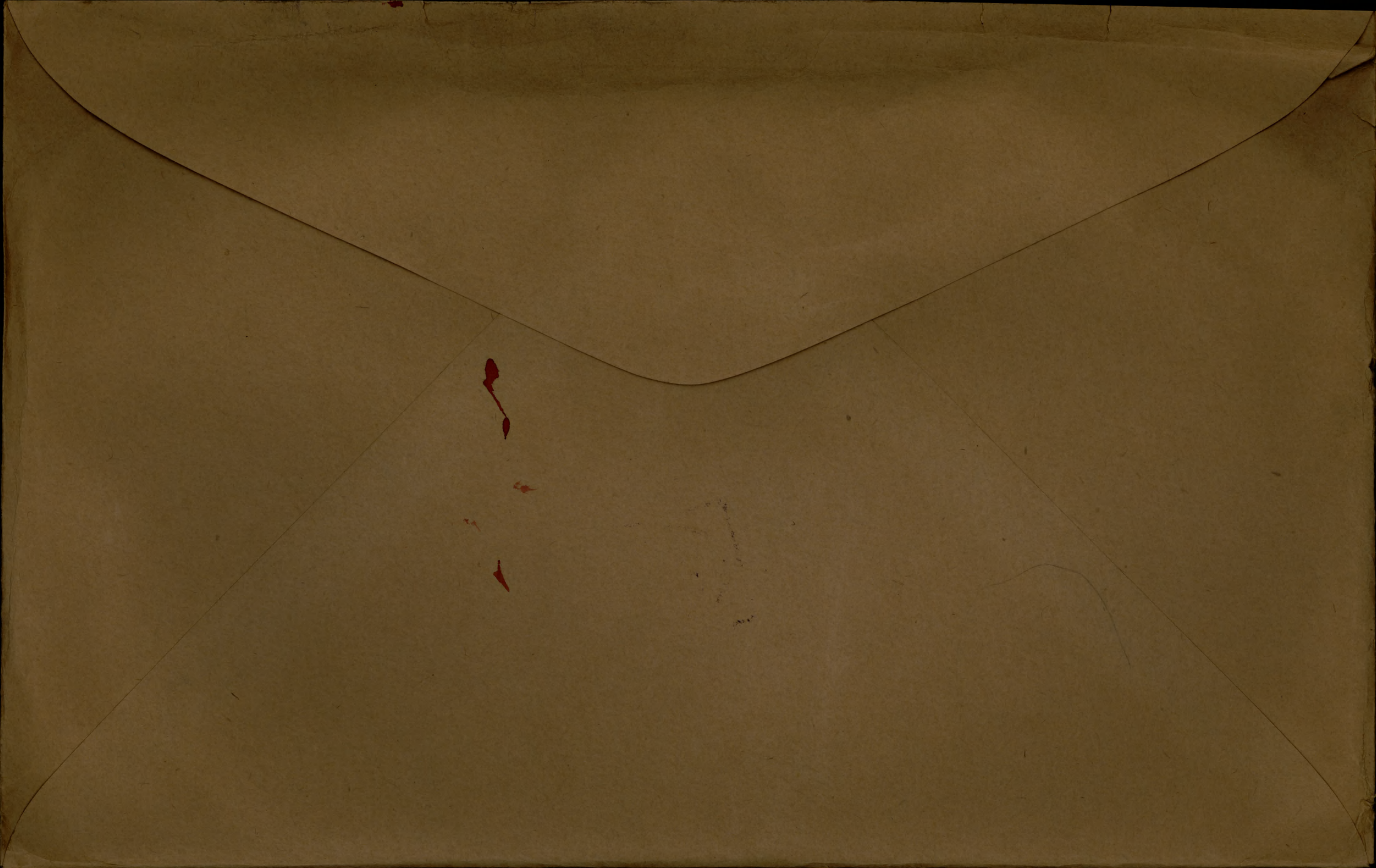
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103rd BATTALION  
NOVA SCOTIA INFANTRY

ORIGINAL

# ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. 715774

Folio.

## CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

### QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS).

1. What is your name?..... *Bush Leonard*

2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... *Birmingham England*

3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?..... *Roderick Grant (Friend)*

4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... *Bollarderie C.B.N.S. Canada*

5. What is the date of your birth?..... *Dec 20th - 1883*

6. What is your Trade or Calling?..... *Labourer*

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*

..... *Leonard Bush*..... (Signature of Man).

..... *E.P. Barrett*..... (Signature of Witness).

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

I, *Leonard Bush*, 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.

..... *Leonard Bush*..... (Signature of Recruit)

Date..... *Dec 3rd* 1915..... *E.P. Barrett*..... (Signature of Witness)

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

I, *Leonard Bush*, 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.

..... *Leonard Bush*..... (Signature of Recruit)

Date..... *Dec 3rd* 1915..... *E.P. Barrett*..... (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..... *Stoney N.S.* this..... *3rd* day of..... *Dec*..... 1915

..... *E. Waterhouse*..... (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 Leonard Brush on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 22 years ..... months.  
 (To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)

Height ..... 5 ft. 6 ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded ..... 41 ins.  
 Range of expansion ..... 3 ins.

Complexion ..... Dark

Eyes ..... Grey

Hair ..... Dr Brown

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

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).

Small ear scar on corner of Rt eye Brow  
2 Vacc. marks on Rt. Arm.

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 3rd 1915

W. L. Muir

Place Septon, N.S.

Capt. Amc  
 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.

Leonard Brush 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]  
 (Signature of Officer)

Date Mar 8 1916

O. Commanding 10th Coy ...  
 "Nova Scotia Militia"



**ORIGINAL**  
**MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.**

715174

Surname Brush Christian Name Leonard

Examined { on 9<sup>th</sup> day of Dec; 1915  
 at Sydney, N.S.  
 Birthplace { City or Town Birmingham  
 County England

Approved by W.L. Muir  
 Rank Capt. amc M.O.

Apparent age 22  
 Trade or occupation Labourer  
 Height 5 Feet 6 Inches.  
 Weight 156 Lbs.  
 Chest measurement { Minimum 38 inches.  
 Maximum expansion 3 inches  
 Physical development Good  
 Small-Pox Marks nil

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 2  
 When Vaccinated last childhood  
 (a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease nil

Date	Result	VACCINATIONS,
<u>30/7/16</u>	<u>+</u>	<u>W.L. Muir, Capt.</u> M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

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

Date	Result	ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.
<u>12/4/16</u>	<u>+</u>	<u>W.L. Muir, Capt.</u> M.O.
<u>22/4/16</u>	<u>+</u>	<u>W.L. Muir, Capt.</u> M.O.
		M.O.

Enlisted on 3<sup>rd</sup> day of December 1915 at Sydney N.S.

	CORPS.	REG'TL NUMBER.	HABITS.	DATE.
Joined on enlistment	<u>106<sup>th</sup> Batt</u> <u>C.E.F.</u>	<u>715174</u>		<u>5-10-16</u>
Transferred to.....	<u>40th Res. Bn.</u> <u>87th Bn.</u>			

**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.







MILITIA AND DEFENCE

ASSIGNED PAY.

To whom *Miss Mabel Brush*

Address *144 Bayford St.  
Birmingham.  
Eng.*

Rate *AP. \$ 20.<sup>00</sup>*

Date to Commence *1/5/17*

*Sister (Dependent)*

By whom assigned *Brush. L.*


Regtl. No. *71517+*

Rank *Pte.*

Corps, &c. *106th. Bn.*

*now Pay L.K.*

PAYMENTS.

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Am't Pay	Pay Sheet Deduction	REMARKS.	
Jan.	1916				<i>Missing 9.4.17 L.A. 1981 5.5.17</i>	
Feb.						
Mar.						
April						
May						
June					<i>Next of kin Roderick Grant Boulardarie, L.B. Can.</i>	
July						
Aug.						
Sept					<i>Friend</i>	
Oct.						
Nov.						
Dec.						
Jan.	1917					<i>Paid in full to 30/4/17.</i>
Feb.						
Mar.						
April		<i>479669</i>	<i>20 00</i>			
May						
June						
July						
Aug.						



# ASSIGNED PAY.

By whom assigned

Regtl. No.

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amount.	Pay Sheet.	REMARKS.
Sept.	1917				
Oct.					
Nov.					
Dec.					
Jan.	1918				
Feb.					
March					
April					
May					
June					
July					
Aug.					
Sept.					
Oct.					
Nov.					
Dec.					
Jan.	1919				
Feb.					
March					



CHS Rank **BUSH Leonard** Name **BUSH Leonard** Reg'l No. **715174**  
 Unit **106th. Bn.** If in perm. Corps, }  
 What Unit? } Married or Single **Single**  
 Place and Date of Enlistment **Sydney N.S. Dec. 3rd, 1915** Place of Birth **Birmingham England**  
 Name and Address, Next-of-Kin **Roderick Grant**  
**Boularderie C.B. N.S. Canada** Relationship **Friend**

*77X.  
5/1/21mf-*

Assigned Pay Monthly \$ Payable to  
 Also Notify **Mrs. M.L. Hinks** Relationship  
**268. Bradford Street**  
 Separation Allowance \$ Payable to **Birm**  
 Relationship

N/E. R.B. No. **1632**  
 File R.L. **K in A**  
 Category **Missing** *Ala*

Discharge, Date and Place Reason Character

H. W. & V., Ltd. - 7165-16.

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.				
<b>Arr. in England S.S. Empress Of Britain</b>				<b>25th July 1916.</b>	
6.10.16	106 <sup>th</sup>	Transfd to 40 <sup>th</sup> Bn	Caesarsbank	5.10.16	DO #65
6.10.16	op 240	Taken on strength.	do	5.10.16	257 <i>DLB</i>
14.11.16	—	Trfd to 87 <sup>th</sup> Bn of Seas	Upper Dubgait	14.11.16	291
18.11.16.	87 <sup>th</sup> Bn	P.O.S. from Res Bn	In the field	15.11.16.	— 252.
5-5-17	do	Reported from Base Missing	Field	9-4-17	L.H.A 198
5.1.18	1 <sup>st</sup> Que Regt	Now for off <sup>g</sup> purposes presumed to have died on or since		9.4.17	and P.O. 59. 30.1.17 L.H.A 105

H.F.B. 103 CHECKED  
 16 NOV 1916















# MISSING MAN.

(Acceptance of Death for Official Purposes.)

~~War Office~~ Reference No. 25-B-1474.

THE DEPUTY ADJUTANT-GENERAL,

G.H.Q., 3RD ECHELON Canadian Section

No. 715174. Rank Private. Name Leonard Brush.

Regiment 87th Overseas Battalion. has been missing since

9-4-17. Reference has been made to the Unit, the Record Office and the Base, on the printed missing list, but no evidence of material value has been received which would indicate that he is not dead.

In accordance with the decision of the Army Council, this soldier is to be regarded for official purposes as having died on or since the above date.

You are requested to state whether the soldier leaves a will or not—

*Reply.*

(a) In Pay Book ;

(b) In Small Book ;

(c) As a separate document ;

and to forward it, if found, to this Office.

The Pay Book and the duplicate copy of this form should be forwarded to the ~~Regimental~~ Paymaster.

O.S.S.

*PKA*  
Capt. for Lt.-Col., A. H. J.  
Canadian Section, G. H. Q. 3rd Echelon, Records,  
3rd Echelon.

*Not received*

WAR OFFICE

Date 19-1-18.



MEMORANDUM

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SURNAME

CHRISTIAN NAME OR NAMES

REG. NO.

BRUSH.

L.

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715174.

RANK

UNIT

Co.

TROOP

BATTY.

Pte.  
HOSPITAL

IQ.87.

DATE OF ADMISSION

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HOSP.

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HOSP.

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HOSP.

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HOSP.

DIAGNOSIS

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P.R.M.NOW FOR OFF.PURP.PRES. TO HAVE DIED ON  
OR SINCE 9.4.17. R.

DISPOSITION

DATE

CL.5.1.18.A105.

REMARKS

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



EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT

HOSPITAL

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Number. 715174 . . . . . Rank . . . . .

Surname. B. R. U. S. H. . . . .

Christian Name. Leonard . . . . .

Unit. 87 Bn Coy Inf. Theatre of War. France . . . . .

Date of Service. 14/11/16 . . . . .

Remarks. . . . . Sister

Latest Address. Miss Maud L. Hinks

82 Renacre St. <sup>4<sup>E</sup></sup> 26. 8. - Bradford St.  
Birmingham

Roll No. "B" Page 4065 Birmingham  
Eng.



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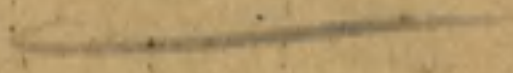
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715174 ✓

Pte. ✓

BRUSH, L. ✓

87th Bn. ✓

Medals & Dec.

(Sister)

*82 Benacre Pt  
(4-4-22)*

<sup>Mrs</sup> Mrs. Maud L. Hinks,  
~~268 Bradford St.,~~  
Birmingham, Eng.

P. & S.

(Sister)

Mrs. Maud L. Hinks,  
As above.

*(Ser. # 765147.)*

Memorial cross-----NIL.

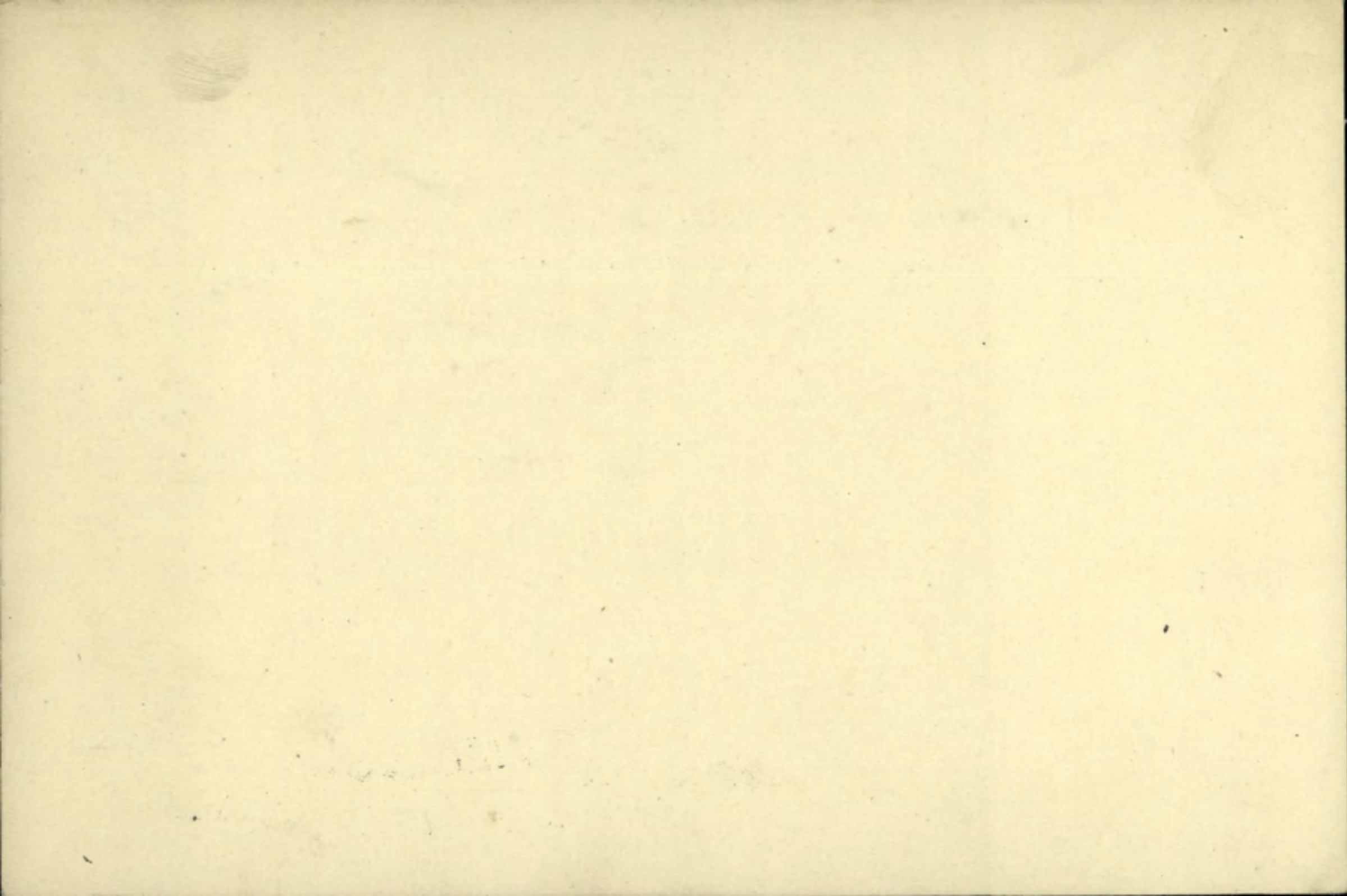
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" " U.M.  
" " B.W.M.*

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*m.f.*







Name

BRUSH.

Rank

Pte.

Reg. No.

715174

Unit

Leonard.

87th Battn.

Next of Kin

CAN-<sup>a</sup>

da.

Mrs M. L. Hinkley (Wife)  
268. Bradford Street. Birmingham  
also notify R.S. 25, B-3490

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
1917. 9-4.	Missing.			A198	M3642	5-5
1917. 9-4	PRESUMED	DEAD		H105		certn file







Name BRUSH. Rank Pte. Reg. No. 715174  
 Unit Lenord. 25 B 3490  
 Next of Kin CANADA.

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
1917. 9-4.	Missing.			A198	M3642	5-5
<del>Sept 22</del> Oct 2	<del>Base</del> C.R.X.					
9-4-17	Presumed Dead			A 105		9/1/18







NAME

Brush Leonard

REGT'L NO 715174

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RANK AND CORPS

Pte 87th Battn, form

FOLLOWS

No. 106th Bn.

CABLE

No.

DATE

NATURE OF CASUALTY

FOLLOWS

B.

M3642 4-5-17

Cas Bu Rpt. 2-10-17

B2090 C. 19-1-18.

Recd, 20.-3-18.

Reported missing Apr. 9<sup>th</sup> 1917.

Recd 23-10-17 Pres. dept missing now

for official purposes presumed to have died in or since Apr. 9<sup>th</sup> 1917.



LIST No

HOSPITAL

DATE OF  
ADMISSION

REMARKS

a. 198 Rept from base 9-4-17 Missing.



MARRIED

SINGLE

Yes.

WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING

Labourer.

RELIGION

Presbyterian

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE

22 YEARS

MONTHS

HEIGHT

6 FEET

6 INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT

41 INCHES

EXPANSION

3 INCHES

COMPLEXION

Dark

EYES

Grey

HAIR

Dark Brown.

DISTINGUISHING MARKS

Small cut scar on corner of right eye brow. Two wacs. on right arm.

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

PLACE

Sydney, N.S.

DATE

Dec. 3rd. 1915

Present Address: % Mrs. Turner, Sydney Mines, N.S.



649-13-15247

CARD NO.

X

SURNAME. *Brush.*

CHRISTIAN NAMES *Leonard.*

FOOT *D*

REGL. NO. *715174.*

RANK *Pte.*

UNIT *106th.*

*Bn.*

FORMER CORPS *nil.*

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAMES IN FULL *Grant, Roderick.*

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER *Friend.*

ADDRESS *Hillside P.O. Boulardaire, C.B. N.S.*

COUNTRY OF BIRTH *England, Birmingham.*

DATE *Dec. 30th. 1883.*

PLACE OF ATTESTATION *Sydney, N.S.*

DATE *Dec. 3rd. 1915.*

*Sailed from Halifax, Per. S.S. "Empress of Britain" 15-7-16*



Reg. No. *715174* Name *Brush L.*

Rank *Pvt* Corps *106 Bn* Age *22* Service

Ledger No. *4281* Serial No.

HOSPITALS

DATE

DIAGNOSIS

*Willow Sp Gravo ns*  
*Duty*

*19. 4. 19*  
*23. 4. 19*

*Tonsillitis*

*c*



**HOSPITALS****DATE****DIAGNOSIS**

M. F. W. 2553.

50M-6-19.

1772-39-1332.



No. 715174

RANK

*Pte.*

NAME

*Bush L*

T. O. S. 3-12-15 UNIT 106<sup>th</sup> Battalion C. C. I.  
*Dec Paylist.*

M. D. 6.

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
<i>1915 - Dec. 3 1916</i>	<i>1915 - Dec. 31 1916</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Jan.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Feb.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Mar</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>April</i>	<i>✓</i>	<i>Absent 2 days 10.01 p.m. 25-3-16 to 6 a.m. 26-3-16</i>	<i>April Paylist.</i>
	<i>May</i>	<i>n</i>	<i>Absent 5 days 10.01 p.m. 4-4-16 to 6 p.m. 8-4-16</i>	<i>April Paylist.</i>
	<i>June</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>July</i>	<i>✓</i>		

UNIT SAILED

JUL 15 1916



