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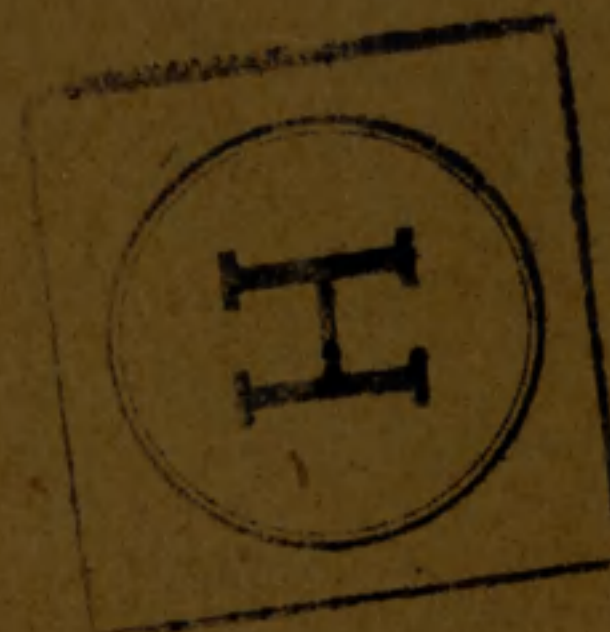
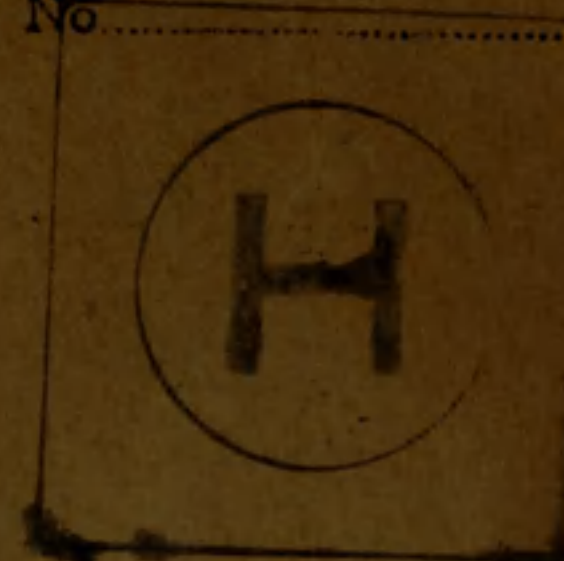
Name Canniff Edward
 Regt. No. 220087 Rank pte
 Corps 80th Bn.

Pres. to have died on or since 9.5.17.

R. O. No.....

H. Q. No.....

05672



A. J. B. 122-1
D. M. S. 1348-1

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ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. 220087

Folio.

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS.)



- 1. What is your name?..... Edward Canniff
- 2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... Madoc, Ontario.
- 3. What is the name of your next-of kin?..... John A. Canniff (brother)
- 4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... Madoc, Riv. D. 45, Ontario.
- 5. What is the date of your birth?..... 15th January, 1891.
- 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.
- 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.

Edward Canniff (Signature of Man.)
 Wallace (Signature of Witness.)

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Edward Canniff, 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.

Edward Canniff (Signature of Recruit)

Date October 23rd 1915. Wallace (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Edward Canniff, 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.

Edward Canniff (Signature of Recruit)

Date October 23rd 1915. Wallace (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 Belleville this 23rd day of October 1915.

Wallace (Signature of Justice)

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

Al. Housdale Lieut. (Approving Officer)

Description of Edward Caniff on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 26 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. 5 ins.

Chest-measurement { Girth when fully expanded 38½ ins.
 Range of expansion 3 ins.

Complexion Fair.

Eyes Blue.

Hair Brown.

Scar on lower part of left shin.

Religious denominations. { Church of England
 Presbyterian
 Methodist Yes.
 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 Oct 23rd 191 5.

W. G. Hetcher

Place Belleville.

Veruhy
 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.

E. Caniff 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. G. Hetcher (Signature of Officer)
 Lt. Colonel

Date OCT 29 191 5.

Q.C. 80th OVERSEAS BATTALION, C.E.F.

C. J.

Army Form B. 2090c.

MISSING MAN.

(Acceptance of Death for Official Purposes.)

War Office Reference No. ~~220087~~ 25-C-1685.

THE DEPUTY ADJUTANT-GENERAL,
G.H.Q., 3RD ECHELON. Canadian Section.

No. 220087. Rank Private. Name Edward Garriff.

Regiment 21st Overseas Battalion. has been missing since 9-5-17. 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.

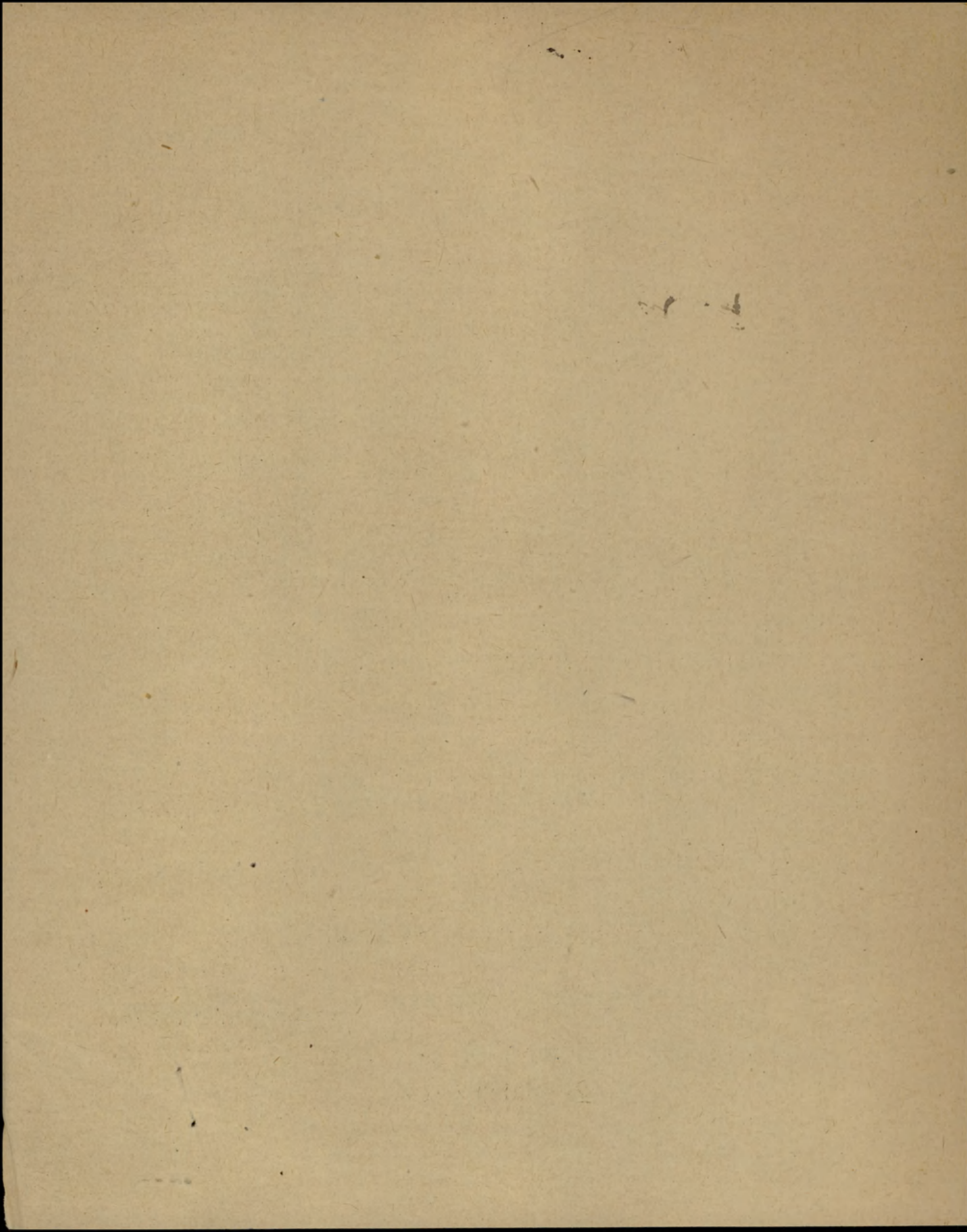
The Pay Book and the duplicate copy of this form should be forwarded to the Regimental Paymaster.

O.S.B.

Capt. for Lt.-Col., A. A. G.,
Canadian Section, G. H. Q., 3rd Echelon, **Records,**
3rd Echelon, B. L. F.

WAR OFFICE,

Date 15-3-17.



A.C. Rank Name CANNIFF, Edward. ✓ Reg'l No. 220087
 Unit 155th. Bn. If in perm. Corps, }
 What Unit? } Married or Single Single. ✓

Place and Date of Enlistment Belleville, Oct. 23rd. 1915. ✓ Place of Birth Madoc, Ontario. ✓

Name and Address, Next-of-Kin John A. Canniff, Madoc, R.F. D. 3, Ontario. ✓ Relationship Brother. ✓

Assigned Pay Monthly \$ Payable to

Relationship

Separation Allowance \$ Payable to

Relationship

Discharge, Date and Place Reason Character

N/ R.B. No. 3027
 File R.L. 25-C-3337
 Category Missing

K.A

M. F. 27

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, S-S-NORTHLAND 28. 10, 16.					
5-12-16	cc 155 th	1st on train. 21 st Bn.	Bramshott	5-12-16	Pt II 20 341
13-12-16	21 st Bn	Taken on strength.	Field	6-12-16	" 89.
5-6-17	✓	Reptd from Base Missing	✓	9-5-17	Cl. A529
20-6-17	"	Reptd. Missing after Action 7 SOS.	✓	9-5-17	Pt II 0*64
12-5-18	E.O.R.	Pres. rep'd. missing now for official purposes presumed dead ✓		9-5-17	Cl. 20/21 v. Cl. 161/18

A.F.B. 103 CHECKED
 12 DEC. 1916

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MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET. 220087

Surname Canniff Christian Name Edward

Examined { on <u>23</u> day of <u>Oct</u> 1915	Approved by <u>Dr. Mac Coll</u>	
at <u>Bellville</u>	Rank <u>Capt</u> M.O.	
Birthplace { City or Town <u>Madue</u>	EXAMINED FOR RE-ENGAGEMENT,	
County <u>Bushy</u>	Date	Fit or Unfit
Apparent age <u>27</u>		
Trade or occupation <u>farming</u>		M.O.
Height <u>5</u> Feet <u>5</u> Inches.		M.O.
Weight <u>140</u> Lbs.		M.O.
Chest measurement { Minimum <u>35 1/2</u> inches.		M.O.
Maximum expansion <u>38 1/2</u> inches.		M.O.
Physical development <u>good</u>		M.O.
Small-Pox Marks <u>none</u>		M.O.
Vaccination Marks { Arm Right Left	Date	Result
Number <u>0</u> <u>0</u>	<u>10/2/16</u>	<u>good</u>
When Vaccinated last <u>0</u>	<u>8/12/15</u>	<u>good</u>
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease <u>none</u>		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection <u>none</u>	<u>8/12/15</u>	<u>g</u>
	<u>18/12/15</u>	<u>g</u>
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Enlisted on 23 day of Oct 1915 at Bellville

	CORPS.	REG'TL NUMBER.	HABITS.	DATE.
Joined on enlistment	<u>80th Batt C.E.F.</u>	<u>220087</u>		<u>Oct 23/15</u>
Transferred to..	<u>155th Batt</u>	<u>220087</u>		
	<u>21st Bn. C.I.</u>	<u>220087</u>		<u>5/12/16</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.

Ваше имя _____

Удостоверение _____

Датум _____

[Faint handwritten text]

2. Дисциплина _____

4. Наименование Высшей Школы _____

3. Наименование курса _____

7. Наименование предмета _____

1. Наименование _____

Ваше наименование _____

БРЕВЕТЬ СОУЩЕСТВИЮ

(если есть) _____

(если есть) _____

ДИПУЛМА _____

Кем выдано _____

Где выдано _____

С какой целью _____

Или _____

Имя _____

Имя _____

Имя _____

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STANDARD MEDICAL BOARD BANGKOK

BY

EXAMINATION

118997

[Handwritten initials]

EXAMINATION BY STANDING MEDICAL BOARD, BRAMSHOTT.

No. 220089 Rank _____ Name Canniff Peter 29-11- 1916.
Local Unit 9th Station Hosp Overseas Unit _____ Age 27

Examination held at Bramshott, Hants.

DISABILITY. None

Overseas—Local.
(scratch one out)

PRESENT CONDITION.

*Has a moderate degree of
hallux valgus & flat feet but
never suffered any inconvenience
from this feet. Can take route
marches without difficulty.*

Board recommends :

1. Fit for Duty. yes ✓
2. Fit for duty after _____ weeks physical training.
3. Fit for Base duty _____ weeks.
4. Fit for Permanent Base Duty.
5. Discharge.

Signatures :

Members { C. S. Cooper Col Comm Pres.
J. A. Dickson Major
H. H. Jackson Capt

Approved.

Bramshott Nov 29- 1916.

[Signature]
for A.D.M.S. T. G. C.
Canadian Troops, Bramshott.

EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT

HOSPITAL

ADM.

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

6.

7.

SURNAME

CHRISTIAN NAME OR NAMES

REG. NO.

Barniff

E.

220089

RANK

UNIT

CO.

TROOP

BATTY

Pte.

E. Out.

21.

HOSPITAL

DATE OF ADMISSION

1.

HOSP.

2.

HOSP.

3.

HOSP.

4.

HOSP.

DIAGNOSIS

1.

2.

3. *Pres. rep. missing. now for official purposes presumed to have died on or since. 9-5-17 P.*

DISPOSITION

DATE

C.L. 12-3-18 Q 161 (1)

REMARKS

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

HOSPITALS**DATE****DIAGNOSIS**

M. F. W. 2553.
75M.—9-19.
1772-39-1332.

[Faint, illegible text, possibly bleed-through from the reverse side of the page. The text is mostly centered and appears to be a list or a set of instructions.]

Name **CANNIFF Edward** Rank **Pte.**

Reg. No. **220087**

Unit **21st Bn. Canada.**

25-6-3337

Inquiry

Information

Reply

Cable No. **1917**

Required

Obtained

Source

Date

Cable No.

9-5

REPORTED

MISSING.

A529 M5523 5-6

now for official purposes presumed to have
Died on or since 9-5-17.

Alb

Death
Cert. or
File

1871

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Name

CANNIFF Edward

Rank

Pte.

Reg. No.

220087

Unit

21st Bn.

Canada.

2563337.

Inquiry

Information

Reply

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No.

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REPORTED

MISSING.

A529 M5523 5-6

27-9-17

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18-10-17

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7-11-17

O'Hawa.

9-5-17

Presumed died

A 161

12/3/18

D
SURNAME. *Canniff* *over*

CARD NO.
649-C-2721
FOLL.

CHRISTIAN NAMES *Edward*

REGL. NO. *220087* RANK *Pte.*

UNIT ~~*80th*~~ *155th* *Bn.*

FORMER CORPS *Mil.*

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAMES IN FULL *Canniff, John A.*

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER *Brother*

ADDRESS ~~*R.F.D.*~~ *No. 3, Madoc, Ont.*

Auth. Letter 17-1-18-649-C-2721.

COUNTRY OF BIRTH *Canada, Madoc* DATE *Jan. 15th. 1889*

PLACE OF ATTESTATION *Belleville, Ont.* DATE *Oct. 23rd. 1915.*

Auth. 155th Bn.
Nom. Roll 13/5-116.

Sailed From Halifax 17/10/16 Per. S.S. Northland

MARRIED

SINGLE

WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING

Farmer

RELIGION

Methodist

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE

26

YEARS

MONTHS

HEIGHT

5'

FEET

5'

INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT

38 1/2

INCHES

EXPANSION

3

INCHES

COMPLEXION

Fair

EYES

Blue

HAIR

Brown

DISTINGUISHING MARKS

Scar on lower part of left shin.

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

PLACE

Belleville

DATE

Oct. 23rd. 1915

Present Address - not stated

Number 220087

Rank P15

Surname CANNIFF

B

Christian Name Edward

Units 21st Bn Can Inf Theatre of War France

Date of Service 6-12-16

Remarks (B) John A. Canniff

Latest Address R.R. #3, Madoc, Ont.

Roll No.

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no card

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(This form to be filled in by all ranks on voyage to Canada.)

M.D. No.

NUMBER

RANK

SURNAME

INITIALS

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Full postal address.....

(Street)

(City or Town)

(Province)

Name of one person to be notified of arrival.....

Address.....

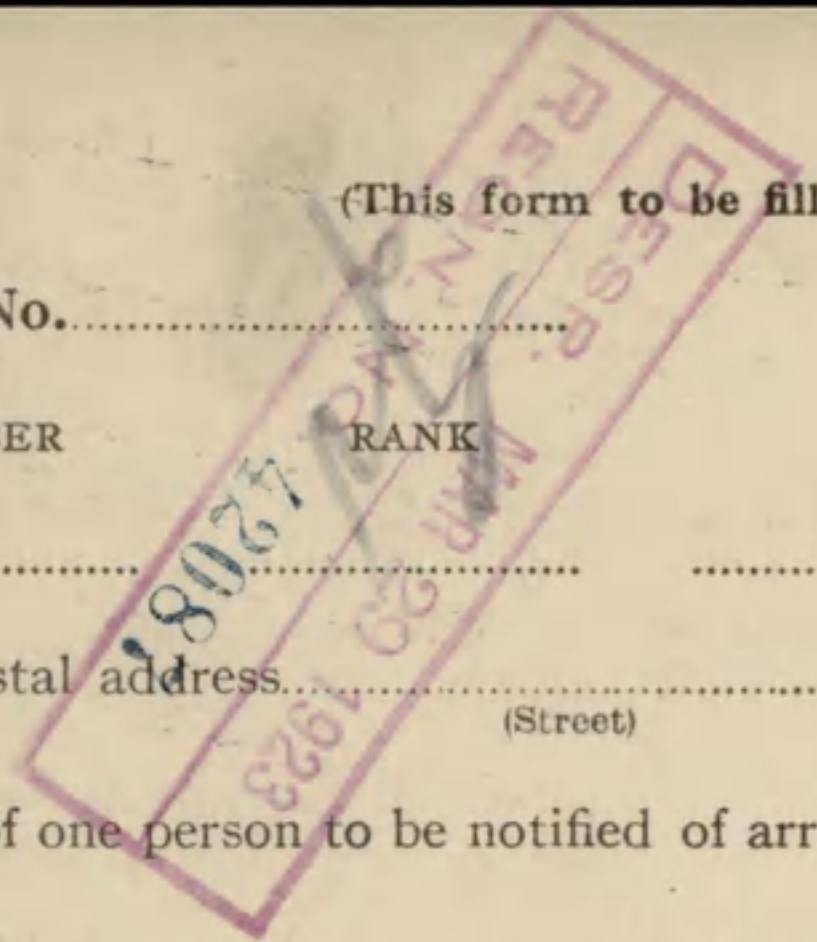
Railway Station in Military District to which a furlough warrant is required.....

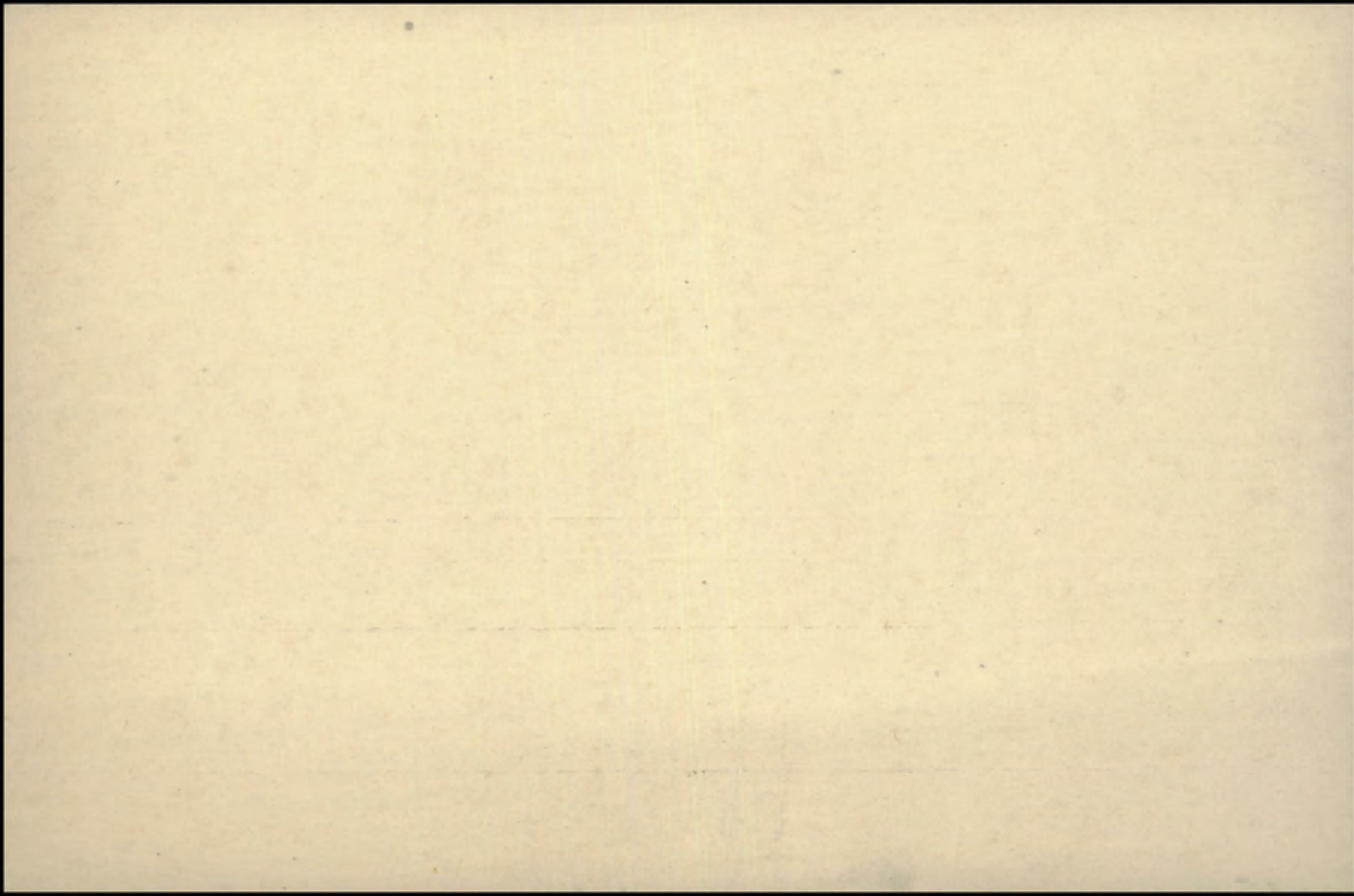
..... Railway.....

If married, is your wife on board..... Number of children on board.....

Their destination.....

(Sgd.)





No. 220057 RANK Pte

NAME Caniff E.

220087, Aug. Paylist

~~T.O.S.~~ *Trans from* UNIT 155th Battalion -
80th Battalion
AR 138 of 13-5-16

M. D. 3

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
1916	1916			
May 9	May 31	L		
June		L		
July		L		
August		n		
Sept		n		
Oct		n		

UNIT SAILED
OCT 17 1916



No. 220087 RANK *Fte*

NAME *Caniff, E*

T. O. S. *Oct. 21, 1915* UNIT *49th Regt. (Hastings Rifles)*
D. O. of 31/10/15

M. D. *3*

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
<i>1915</i>	<i>1915</i>			
<i>Oct. 21.</i>	<i>Oct 26.</i>	<i>✓</i>	<i>Trans. to 80th Bn 26/10/15</i>	<i>D. O. of 31/10/15</i>
<i>Oct 27.</i>	<i>Oct. 31</i>	<i>✓</i>	<i>shown on 80th Bn pay list to</i>	
<i>Nov.</i>		<i>✓</i>		
<i>Dec.</i>		<i>✓</i>		
<i>1916.</i>	<i>Jan. 1916</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Feb.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Mar.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>April.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
<i>May 1</i>	<i>May 8</i>	<i>✓</i>	<i>Transf to 155th Bn. 8-5-16</i>	<i>S.O. 1138-5-16.</i>

LIST No.

HOSPITAL

DATE OF
ADMISSION

REMARKS

a 529

Rep. from Base

9-5-17

Missing.

a 1611

Pres. rept missing
now since

now for office purp.
pres. to have died
9-5-17

pres. to have died

NAME

Caniff Edward

REGT'L. No.

220087

H. Q. FILE NO. 649

RANK AND CORPS

Plt. 21st Bn. Form 80th BnFOLLOWS
NO.

FOLLOWS

CABLE

NO.

DATE

NATURE OF CASUALTY

NO.	DATE	NATURE OF CASUALTY
Q 5523	5-6-17	Rep. Missing May 9 th Cas Branch report rec'd 26-11-17
B 2090 Rec'd	15-3-18 30-4-18	Rev rept missing now for office purposes presumed to have died on or since 9-5-17

21st Canadian Battalion

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

Casualty Form—Active Service.

M. F. W. 54.
156M. 10-15.
H.Q. 1772-39-920.

80th OVERSEAS BATTALION, C.E.F.

Unit, Regiment or Corps

Regimental No. 220087 Rank Pte Name Canniff Edward
C. E. F.

Enlisted (a) 23/10/15 Terms of Service (a) Duration of war Service reckons from (a) 23/10/15

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) Farmer

CERTIFIED CORRECT.
16 DEC. 1916
CAM. RECORDS, LONDON.

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.
	EMBARKED.....	CANADA.	18/10/16	
	ARRIVED.....	ENGLAND.	28/10/16	
155th Bn.	Taken on strength from 80th Bn.	Barriefield	9/5/16	Pt II order no. 138
155th Bn.	Proceeded overseas for service with 21st Bn. C. I.	Branshott	5/13/16	Part II: D.O. # 341
C.B.D.	Arrived & Taken on strength 21st Canadian Battalion.	C.B.D.	6/12	Pt. II O. 89 13/12.
Do	Left for unit	En route	7/12	N.R. 7/12.
21st BATTALION	Joined unit	Do	8/12	B-213 15/12
Do	Do	Do	8/2/17	" 9/2/17.
19/5	Missing after action & struck off strength accordingly	In the field	9-5-17	B-213. D.C.S. 306 d/31-5-17. PT. II O. 64 d/20-6-17.

Whogau
Capt. for Lt.-Col. A. A. G.
Canadian Section, G. H. Q. 3rd Echelon, B. E. F.

(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				
25.3.18.	E.O.R.	Prev. Repta. Missing now for official purposes presumed Dead		9.5.17	PL II 21 + CLA. 161 4/2.3.18. for Lt. Col i/c Records. COMP Lieut. [Signature]
 					

220087 Pte Canniff. C.

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	REMARKS		
	NO. OF DAYS	RATE	AMOUNT		NO. OF DAYS	RATE				AMOUNT		1	2	3	4	1	2				3	4				CREDIT	DEBIT
			\$	C.						\$	C.																

MONTH	PARTICULARS	CR.1	CR.2	PARTICULARS	DR.1	DR.2	DR.3	DR.4	BALANCE	DEFER-RED. PAY	SER-ALICE PAY ENG.
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Oct/18				Trans. to Paym. O.					Nil		
" "	Con Dal Returned from Canada 1/2		21 13								
" "			21 13	C.P.M. cl: 3199							
" "				21/10/18 5/11	21 13				Nil		
" "					21 13						

21.5