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REGT. NO. 895054 UNIT _____

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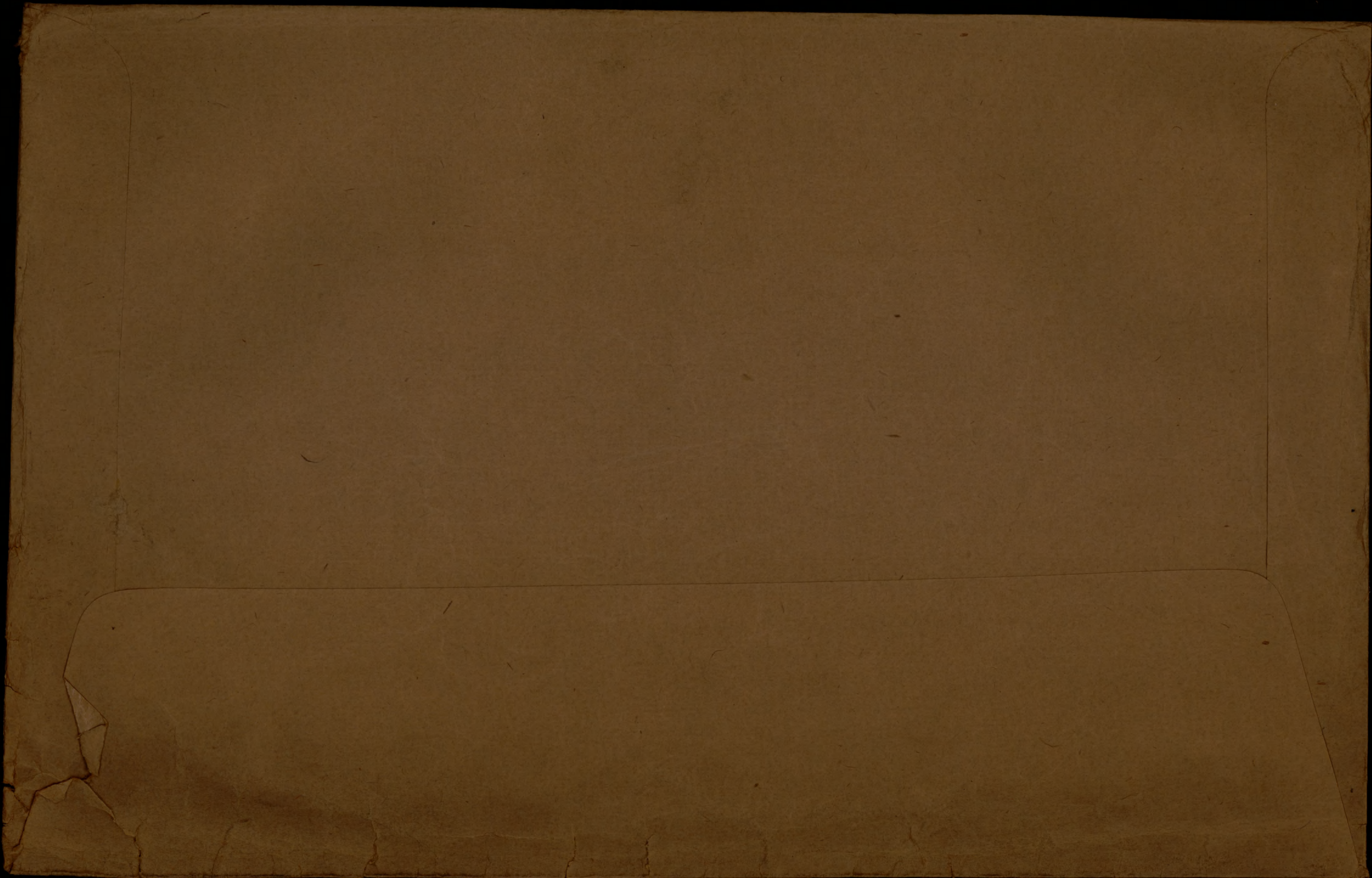
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ORIGINAL

ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. 875054

184th OVERSEAS BATTALION
CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

Folio.

Manitow

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS.)

1. What is your surname?..... Cobley
- 1a. What are your Christian names?..... George
- 1b. What is your present address?..... Manitow Manitoba Canada
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... Buckworth Huntingdonshire Eng.
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?..... George Cobley
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... Buckworth Huntingdonshire Eng.
- 4a. What is the relationship of your next-of-kin?..... Father
5. What is the date of your birth?..... Mar. 25th 1890.
6. What is your Trade or Calling?..... Farmer
7. Are you married?..... No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated and inoculated?..... 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

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, George Cobley, do solemnly declare that the above are answers made by me to the above questions and that they 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 Mar 18th 1916. George Cobley (Signature of Recruit)
H. E. Brundon (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, George Cobley, 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 Mar 18th 1916. George Cobley (Signature of Recruit)
H. E. Brundon (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 Manitow this 20th day of Feb 1916
H. E. Brundon (Signature of Justice)

A Notary Public in and for the province of Manitoba.

Description of George Cobley 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. 9 ins.

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

Complexion medium

Eyes brown

Hair dark brown

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

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 Mar 20 1916

Place Manitoba Man J. H. Williamson
 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.

Cobley, George 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 APR 19 1916 1916

184th OVERSEAS BATTALION

I, (Name in Full)

George Cobley

Regimental Number 875054 serving in 184th Battalion

of the Canadian Expeditionary Force, do hereby revoke all former Wills by me made, and declare this to be my last Will.

I bequeath all my real estate unto

Elizabeth Cobley (Mother)
Buckworth, Huntingdonshire
England

Name & Address of Person or Persons to whom it is to go.

absolutely, and my personal estate I bequeath to

Elizabeth Cobley (Mother)
Buckworth, Huntingdonshire
England.

Name and Address of Person or Persons to receive Personal Estate. (See note).

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand

this 20th day of September A.D.1916.

Signature.

Geo Cobley

* N.B.-Personal estate includes pay, effects, money in bank, insurance policy, in fact everything except real estate.

Signed and acknowledged by the Testator as and for his last Will in the presence of us both present at the same time, who in his presence, at his request, and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as Witnesses.

Name of Witness. D.H. Pafireen
Address of Witness. Gartwright Manitoba Canada
Occupation of Witness. Soldier
Name of Witness. A Fenner
Address of Witness. Winker Manitoba Can
Occupation of Witness. Soldier.

WGS. 23-5-17.

NOTE. Killed in Action 10-4-17
Taken from living 11-5-17

No. 875054 Cobley, G. 27th Battn.

(Name in full)

residing in

Provincial number

I, the undersigned, do hereby revoke all former wills by me made, and declare this to be my last will. I bequeath all my real estate unto

Name & Address of Person or Persons to whom it is given.

gratefully, and my personal estate I bequeath to

Name and Address of Person or Persons to whom I bequeath my personal estate.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand

A.D. 1918.

day of

1918

Signature

A. B. Testator, in full name, money in bank, insurance policy, in full description except real estate.

Signed and acknowledged by the Testator as and for his last will in the presence of us both present at the same time, who in his presence, at his request, and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses.

Name of Witness

Address of Witness

Occupation of Witness

Name of Witness

Address of Witness

Occupation of Witness

MEDICAL CASE SHEET.*

7519

No. in Admission and Discharge Book.	Regimental No.	Rank.	Surname.	Christian Name.
	875054	Pte	Cobley	George
Year	Unit.		Age.	Service.
1916	11 th Res. Batten		26	9 mths

Station and Date.	Disease
Isolation Hospital Dec. 11 th	Measles
SHORNCLIFFE	Inst A. 3 i

4 July.
 Put Boracic for eyes mouth wash.
 17th To get up

*The first and last entries will be signed, and transfers from one Medical Officer to another, attested by their signatures.

Station
and Date.

CLINICAL CHART.

(To be attached to Case Sheet.)

Army Form B. 181.

Corps 11th Res. Battalion

Military Hospital

Isolation Colbert

No. 875054

Rank and Name Pvt Colley George

Age 26

Service 9 Mths

CANADIAN HOSPITAL

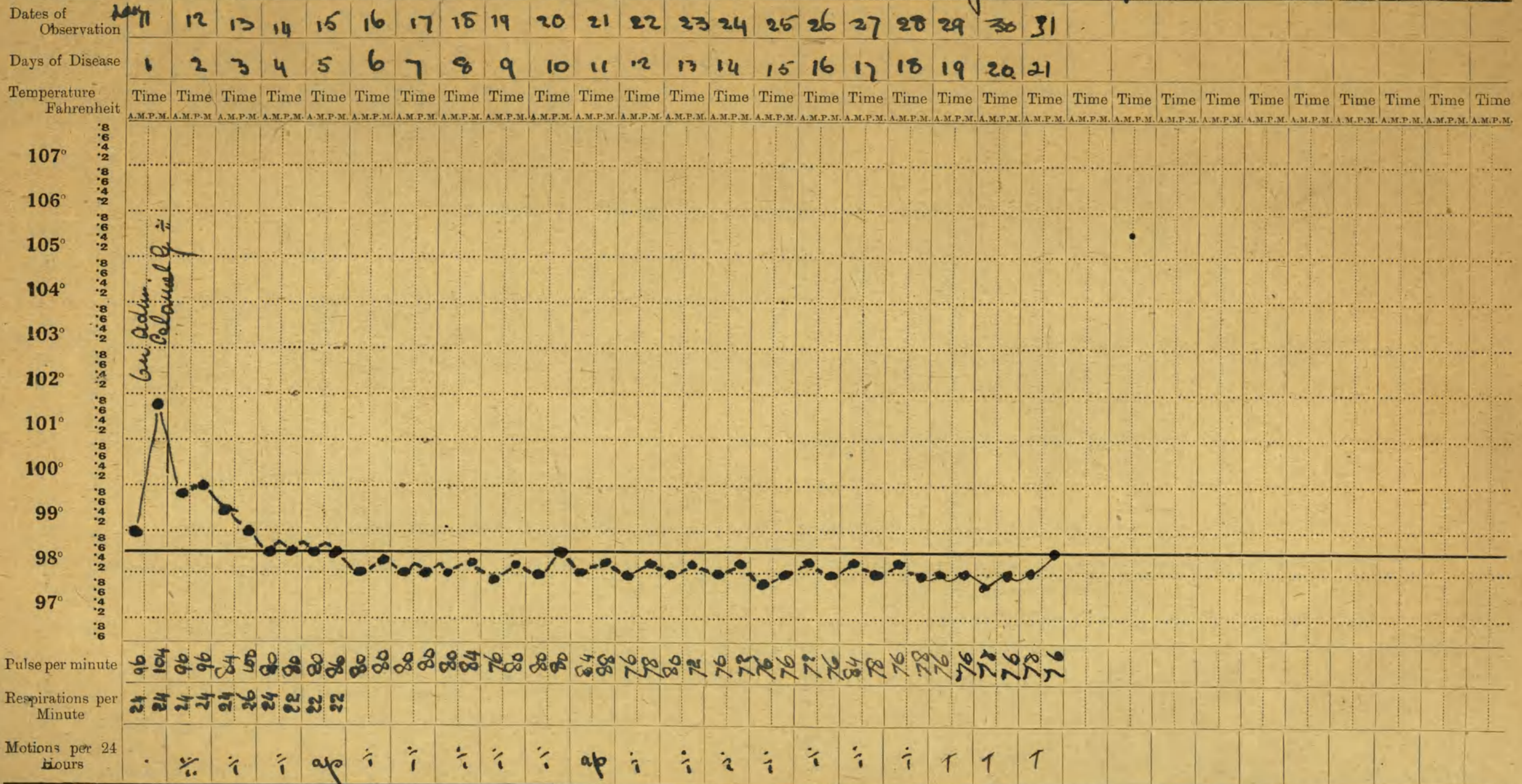
Disease Measles

Date of admission Dec 11th 1916

Date of discharge Jan 1st 1917

Result Cured

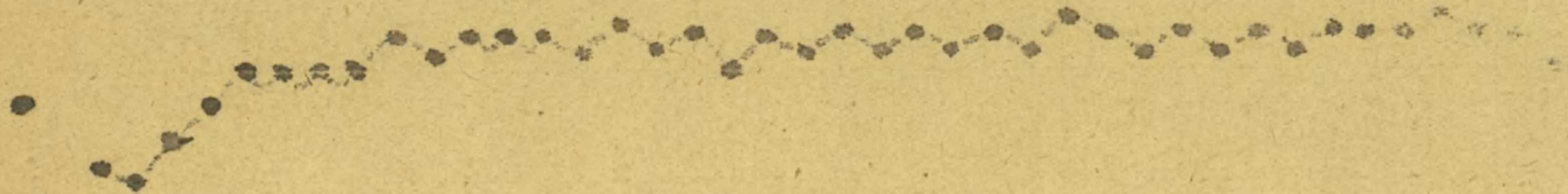
SHOENCLIFFE



Signature M. Veith Nurse In charge of case.

1911年

1月 2月 3月 4月 5月 6月 7月 8月 9月 10月 11月 12月



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PARTICULARS OF FAMILY OF AN OFFICER OR MAN ENLISTED IN C. E. F.

INSTRUCTIONS.

- (a) This form is only required for men joining units for Overseas Service and must be completed immediately the man is warned for draft overseas.
- (b) Care must be taken to see that a man is allotted his correct Regimental Number. No numbers must be duplicated and once it has been allotted to a man, even if he is subsequently discharged, the same number must never be allotted to another man.
- (c) All questions, etc., must be answered.
- (d) One copy of the form is to be forwarded by Officer Commanding unit for each Officer and man to Officer Commanding Division or District at least seven days before man leaves his station to proceed overseas, for transmission to Accountant and Paymaster General, Ottawa.
- (e) Duplicate copy is to be forwarded direct to Officer in charge of Records, C.E.F. London, immediately after arrival in England.

(1) Name of Overseas Unit which Soldier joins..... **184th.**.....

(2) Regimental Number..... **875054**.....

(3) Full Name of Soldier..... **Cobley, George.**.....

(4) Place of Birth..... **Buckworth, Hunts, England.**.....

(5) Are you married, or not?..... **No.**.....

(6) If married, state,
 (a) Full name of your wife..... **-----**.....

(b) Present Postal Address..... **-----**.....

(7) Are you a widower?..... **No.**.....

(8) Have you any children?..... **-----**.....
 If so, give number of boys and girls..... **-----**.....
 Also their names and ages..... **-----**.....

9 Res.

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MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.

184th. OVERSEAS BATTALION

Surname

Cobley

Christian Name

Leong

Examined on 20 day of Mar 1916
at Manitowau

Approved by

J. H. Davidson

Birthplace City or Town
Buckingham
County
Huntingdonshire
England

Rank

M.O.

Apparent age 26

Trade or occupation Farmer

Height 5 Feet 9 Inches

Weight 152 Lbs.

Chest measurement
Minimum 34 inches
Maximum expansion 3 inches

Physical development Well developed

Small-Pox Marks

Vaccination Marks
Arm Right Left Yes
Number 4

When Vaccinated last Cheahood

(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.
		M.O.

Date.	Result.	VACCINATIONS.
SEP 24 1916	OK	J. H. Wright M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Date.	Result.	ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.
9/6/16	OK	J. H. Wright M.O.
17/6/16	OK	J. H. Wright M.O.
		M.O.

Enlisted on 20 day of March 1916 at Manitowau

	CORPS.	REG'TL NUMBER.	HABITS.	DATE.
Joined on enlistment	184th O.B.	875054		March 20/16
Transferred to	11th Res. 27th Bn.			

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.

N.W

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

M. F. W. 54. (A. F. B. 103.)

250M.—1-16.
H. Q. 1772-39-920.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Unit, Regiment or Corps 184th OVERSEAS BATTALION

Regimental No. 875054 Rank Pte Name GEORGE COBLEY

Enlisted (a) Mar 20/16 Terms of Service (a) 6 mos. after war Service reckons from (a) Mar 20/16

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)

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				
		Embarked	Canada	31-10-16	H.M.T. Empress of Britain
		Dis "	England	11-11-16	
13-11-16	O.C. 184th	Transferred to 11th Reserve Battalion	Shorncliffe	12-11-16	Pt. 11. Bn. O. 228
					<i>[Signature]</i> O.C. Commdg. 184th Battalion.
16-11-16	O.C. 11th	Taken on Strength 11th Res. Bn., Shorncliffe	Shorncliffe	12-11-16	Pt. 11. B.O. 274 & 280 ✓
1-2-17	O.C. 11th	Transferred to 27th Bn.	Overseas	1-2-17	Pt. 11 Bn. O. 25. <i>[Signature]</i> Lieut Captain & Adjutant, 11th (Res.) Battalion

CERTIFIED CORRECT,
6 FEB 1917
CAN. RECORDS, LONDON.

(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. [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				
2.2.14	C/3D.	Arrived Can Base Dep	France	2.2.14	P 20/8 2/9.2.14
24.2.14	2 nd Lt. B. H. B.	Left for Unit	"	24.2.14	R.R.
3 rd 17	27 th Bn.	Arrived Meuse	Field	24 th 17	B. 213
17 th 17		Killed in Action.		10 th 17	DRSP - K1-10-7091 - P. 13 Q. 20 - 18 th 17 DRSP no "
					Capt. for Lt.-Col., A. A. G. Canadian Section, G. H. Q. 3rd Echelon, B. E. F.

J. Whogau

JM.

Rank

Name

COBLEY, George.

Reg'l No.

R-122
8,401-50,000-21-10-16.
875054

Unit 184th Bn.

If in perm. Corps,
What Unit? }

Married or Single Single.

Place and Date of Enlistment Manitou. 18th March 1916.

Place of Birth Buckworth,
Huntingdonshire, Eng.

Name and Address, Next-of-Kin George Cobley.

Buckworth, Huntingdonshire, Eng.

Relationship Father.

Assigned Pay Monthly \$

Payable to

Relationship

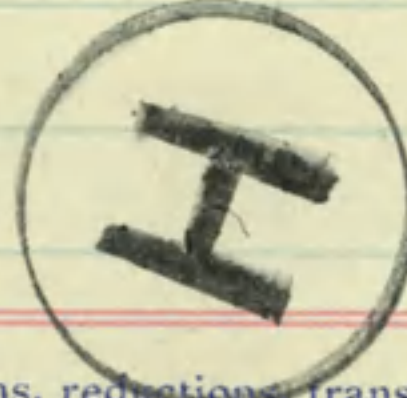
Separation Allowance \$

Payable to

Relationship

*M.X.
16-9-21
R.R.*

Discharge, Date and Place



Reason

Character

Discrepancy
N/E. R.B. No. 4045
File R.L. 25.6.2828
Category KA

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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>		11.11.16	<i>S.S. Empire of Britain</i>
23.11.16	11th Bn	<i>Taken on strength.</i>	<i>Phoncliffe</i>	12.11.16	<i>PVII 0 274</i>
11.12.16	"	<i>adm Incl. Hosp.</i>	"	11.12.16	" 295
2-1-17	"	<i>dis " "</i>	"	2-1-17	— 2.
1-2-17	"	<i>SOI to 27th Bn O'ceas</i>	"	1-2-17	— 25
9.2.17	27th Bn	<i>I.O.S. of 27th Bn</i>	<i>Field</i>	2.2.17	— 8.
18.4.17	"	<i>Killed in Action</i>	"	10.4.17	— 20
23.4.17	"	"	"	10.4.17	<i>CL A499</i>

**A.F.B. 103 CHECKED
14 FEB. 1917**

Surname *Cobley* Christian Name or Names *G.* Reg. No. *875-05-4*
 Rank *Pte* Unit *11th Btn (27th Batt)* Co. Troop Batty.
 Hospital *Moore Bks., Thorncliffe* Date of Admission *11-12-16*
 Transferred Hosp.

Hosp.
 Hosp.
 Hosp.

Diagnosis *Parotiditis*

- (1) Later Diagnosis (if changed)
- (2)
- (3)

Additional Diagnosis: if more than one state present

R. F. B. Killed in Action 10. 4. 17

DISPOSITION

Disch Date *1-1-17*

Ch. 11-1-17 # 216.
" 23. 4. 17 # 499.

REMARKS

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

R

EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

Hospital

Adm.

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7.

SURNAME.

Cobley

649-C-115 81

CARD NO.

D

✓

CHRISTIAN NAMES

George

REGL. NO.

875 54

RANK

Pte.

UNIT

184th

Bn

FORMER CORPS

Ail

NEXT OF KIN.

NAMES IN FULL

Cobley George

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER

Father

ADDRESS

Buckworth, Huntington, Eng.

Also notify
CHANGE OF ADDRESS

*Lt Col. The Hon
Wm H Shaup
The Senate.*

COUNTRY OF BIRTH

England. Buckworth, Huntington

DATE

Mar 25th 1890

PLACE OF ATTESTATION

Manitou. Man.

DATE

Mar 18th 1916

MARRIED

SINGLE

WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING

Farmer

RELIGION

yes

Church of England

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE

26 YEARS

MONTHS

HEIGHT

5 FEET

9 INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT

37 INCHES

EXPANSION

3 INCHES

COMPLEXION

Medium

EYES

Brown

HAIR

Dark Brown

DISTINGUISHING MARKS

Not stated

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

PLACE

Manitou Man.

DATE

Mar 18th 1916

Present Address.

Manitou Man.

REGT'L NO 875054

H. Q. FILE No. 649-

NAME *Cobley, Geo.*

RANK AND CORPS

Pte. 2nd Lt 11th Bn. (Form. 18th W. (M.))

FOLLOWS

NO.

FOLLOWS

CABLE

No.

DATE

NATURE OF CASUALTY

E.

M2607

21-4-17.

Killed in action Apr. 10th. 1917. ✓

B2090d.

*Rouss
18-4-17*

" " "

15-4-17

Rec'd. 15-6-17

LIST No

HOSPITAL

DATE OF
ADMISSION

REMARKS

216	Moore Barr., Shorncliffe	11-12-16	Parotiditis
216	Discharged	1-1-17	" " "
9499	Rep. from Base	Killed in action	10-4-17

11/16 1/20
1/1/17

649-C-11581. Pte. George Copley. 875054: CEF., 27th Bn.

Medals & Dec.

(Mother)

Mrs. Elizabeth Copley,
Buckworth, Huntingdon
England.

Plaque & Scroll.

(Father)

George Copley, Esq.,
Address as above.

Memorial Cross.

(Mother)

Mrs. E. Copley,
Address as above.

Not Eligible for 14-15 Star
Eligible for N.M.
" " " B.W.M.

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R.B.

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At

Number 875054

Rank

Surname COBLEY

Christian Name George

Units 27th Bn Can 2nd Theatre of War France

Date of Service 1-2-17

Remarks (M) Mrs. Elizabeth Cobley

Latest Address Buckworth, Huntingdonshire
England

Roll No

200m.-6-21... Blag 21940

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

RANK

SURNAME

INITIALS

UNIT

Home address

(Street)

(City or Town)

(Province)

Name of one person to be notified of arrival

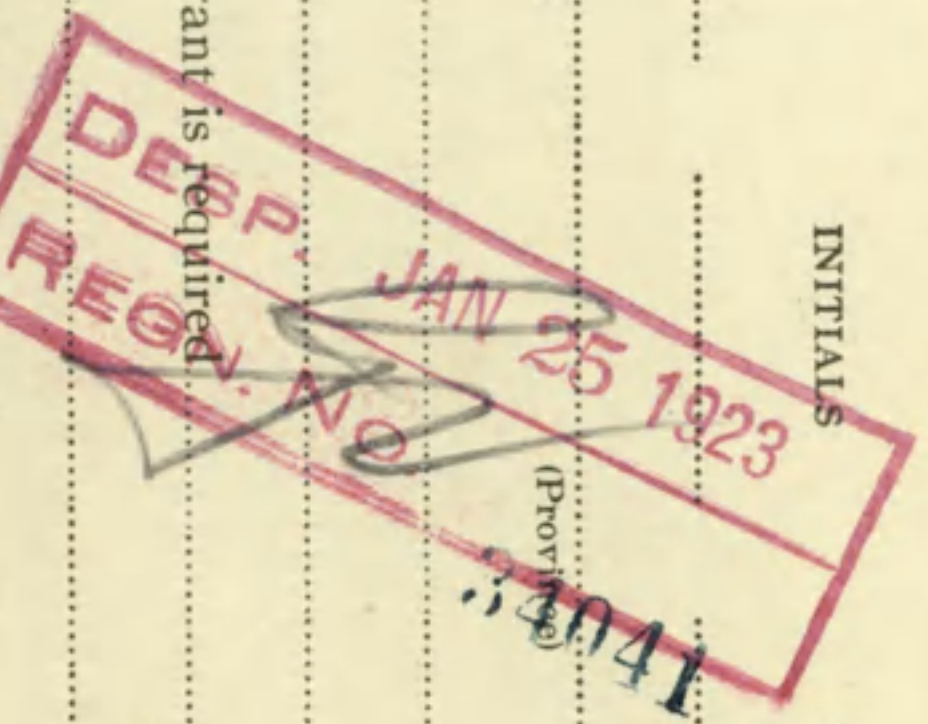
Name of station in Military District to which a furlough warrant is required

Railway

Name of person, is your wife on board

Number of children on board

Destination



No 876054

RANK *Pte*

NAME *Cobley Geo*

T.O.S. 18-3-16
No. Q. 42 of 3-16

UNIT *184th Battalion C. I.*

M. D. *10*

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
<i>1916</i> <i>Mar 18</i>	<i>1916</i> <i>Mar 31</i>	<i>V</i>		
	<i>Apr</i>	<i>V</i>		
	<i>May</i>	<i>V</i>		
	<i>June</i>	<i>V</i>		
	<i>July</i>	<i>V</i>		
	<i>Aug</i>	<i>m.</i>		
	<i>Sep</i>	<i>V</i>		
	<i>Oct.</i>	<i>V</i>		



