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- 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.....
- Inventory of Kit.....
- Last Pay Certificate.....

DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS

R. O. No.

H. Q. No.



Name COLLIER JAMES ~~Victor~~ ARTHUR

Regt. No. 62997 Rank Pvt

Corps 47th S Bn. E. I.

in action 7/11/16

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Cards 1 Part II Order, 1 Casualty.



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James Arthur Collier

ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. ~~2946~~
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CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS)

1. What is your name? *James Arthur Collier*
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born? *Bolton Lancs Eng*
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin? *Father J. W. Collier*
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin? *723 Cassier St Vancouver BC*
5. What is the date of your birth? *23 May 1894 Vancouver BC*
6. What is your Trade or Calling? *Musician*
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.) *4 years 12th Dragoon Regt*
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*

J. A. Collier (Signature of Man)

W. Lambert (Signature of Witness)

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, *James A. Collier*, 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.

J. A. Collier (Signature of Recruit)

Date *April 7th* 1915. *W. Lambert* (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, *James A. Collier*, 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.

J. A. Collier (Signature of Recruit)

Date *April 7th* 1915. *W. Lambert* (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 *New Westminster* this *7th* day of *April* 1915

Wesley Boote JP (Signature of Justice)

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

Wesley Boote JP (Approving Officer)

Description of James Arthur Collier on Enlistment. ✓

Apparent Age 20 years 11 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. 6 1/4 ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded..... 36 1/2 ins.
 Range of expansion..... 3 1/2 ins.

Complexion..... Fair

Eyes..... Hazel

Hair..... Brown

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

Small scar on right cheek
"Star & Stripes" tattooed on right forearm
Vaccination - 3 mks on right 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..... Apr. 7th 1915

Place..... New Westminster B.C.

[Signature]
[Signature]
 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 A. Collier 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.

Date..... April 7th 1915.

[Signature]
 (Signature of Officer)
[Signature]
 Lieut. Col.

47th Battalion Canadians.

#629975 Private COLLIER, James Arthur.

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Perforated sheet for Will from Pay Book of Reg.

No. 629975

Name Bandsman J. A. Collier

Unit 47th Batt^{ce} C. C. F.

In the event of my death
Military Will.

I hereby Bequeath all
my Personal Property ^{and Effects}
to my Father John William Collier

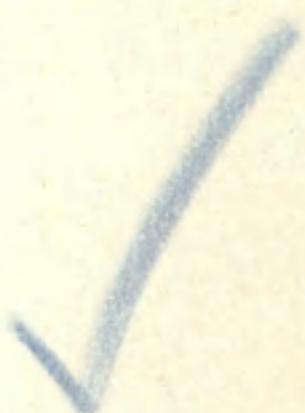
Prince Rupert, B. C.

P. O. Canada.

Signature James Arthur Collier

Rank and Regt. Bandsman 47th Batt

Date April 8th / 4 / 16.



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MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.

Surname Collier Christian Name James Arthur

Examined { on 7th day of April 1915
at New Westminster Bl.
Birthplace { City or Town Bolton, Lancs.
County England.

Approved by W.B. Hoyle
Rank Capt. M.O.

Apparent age 20
Trade or occupation Muccian
Height 5 Feet 6 1/4 Inches.
Weight _____ Lbs.
Chest measurement { Minimum 33 inches.
Maximum expansion 32 inches.
Physical development _____
Small-Pox Marks _____

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

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right _____ Left _____
Number _____
When Vaccinated last _____

Date	Result	VACCINATIONS.
12.4.16	+	<u>W.B.L.</u>
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease _____
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection _____

Date	Result	ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.
29-7		<u>W.B.L.</u>
9-8-15		<u>W.B.L.</u>
25-8-15		<u>W.B.L.</u>
8.7.16	Tal	<u>gas</u>
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Enlisted on _____ day of _____ 1915 at _____

	CORPS.	REG'TL NUMBER.	HABITS.	DATE.
Joined on enlistment				
Transferred to..	<u>44th M. B. Co.</u>	<u>629975</u> <u>429975</u> <u>29768</u> <u>429975</u>		<u>7-4-15</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.

Rank **Pte.** Name **COLLIER, Jamess Albert** *Arthur*
 Unit **47th Battn.** If in perm. Corps, }
 What Unit? } Reg'l No. **629975** P-56
 Married or Single **Single**
 Place and Date of Enlistment **New Westminister, Apl 7th 1916** Place of Birth **Bolton, Lancs, England,**
 Name and Address, Next-of-Kin **J.W. Collier,** Relationship **Father.**
723, Cassier St, Vancouver, B.C. Canada.
 Assigned Pay Monthly \$ Payable to Relationship

Separation Allowance \$ Payable to Relationship
 Discharge, Date and Place **Kin A. 7.11.16** Reason **Dis. 1/16** Relationship **Entered on N.E. Card Index P.K.**
 Character **Meritorious**

OFFICE, N. E. BRANCH
 NOV 29 1916
 CANADIAN CONTINGENTS

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						
Dec. 1	31	31	1 ⁰⁰	31 00	31	10	3 10	-	34 10	106	14 60						Dr. J.S. N.I.
Jan 1	31	31	1	31 .	31	10	3 10		34 10	154 211	19 44 4 30				34 04	03	
Feb 1	29	29	1	29 .	29	10	2 90		31 90	258 304	9 43 4 30				14 03	14 10	
Mar 1	31	31	1 ⁰⁰	31 00	31	10	3 10		34 10	350 396	4 30 4 30				14 60	34 40	
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OFFICE, N. E. BRANCH
 31 1917
 CANADIAN CONTINGENTS

Settled
 BALANCE TRANSFERRED TO NEW LEDGER.

Checked *[Signature]*

Rank **Pte.** Name **COLLIER. Jamss Albert** *Arthur* Reg'l No. **629975**
 Unit **47th Battn.** If in perm. Corps, }
 What Unit? } Married or Single **Single**
 Place and Date of Enlistment **New Westminster, Apl 7th 1915** Place of Birth **Bolton, Lancs, England,**
 Name and Address, Next-of-Kin **J.W. Collier,**
HAYES COVE CIRCLE, PRINCE RUPERT,
723, Cassier St, Vancouver, B.C. Canada Relationship **Father.?** *RAD Ph. 29/7-8-16*

Assigned Pay Monthly \$ Payable to Relationship
 Separation Allowance \$ Payable to Relationship *25-e-2284 15-1-17 N/E R.B.5*



Discharge, Date and Place Reason 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
<i>3I-8-13</i>	<i>Arrived in England</i>	<i>Per S.S. Missanabie</i>	<i>23 NOV 1915</i>	<i>NA</i>
<i>47th</i>	<i>Embarked For France</i>	<i>IO-8-16</i>	<i>Pt-11-190</i>	<i>A.A. B 103 chkd RAD 19-8-16</i>
<i>21.11.16</i>	<i>47th Bn Reported from Base Killed in action</i>	<i>Field</i>	<i>7.11.16</i>	<i>C.W. A65</i>
<i>17.11.16</i>	<i>47th Bn Killed in action</i>	<i>Field</i>	<i>7.11.16</i>	<i>PH DO. 247.</i>

CERTIFIED CORRECT.

(641)—Wt. W1751-1403.—500,000.—5-15.—C. & G. Forms B. 103/1.

Army Form B. 103.

30 AUG. 1916

Casualty Form—Active Service.

CAN. RECORDS, LONDON.

Regiment or Corps 47th Ops. Batta. C.F.F.

Regimental No. 629975 Rank Plt. Name Collier, James Arthur

Enlisted (a) 7.4.15 Terms of Service (a) duration of war. Service reckons from (a) Enlistment

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				
		Embarked Canada <i>R.M.S. "Mississippi"</i> Disembarked England	Montreal Plymouth	Nov. 13 1915. Nov. 22 1915	<i>Summaded</i> Lieut. & Adj. 47th Bn.
10-8-16	47th Bn.	Proceeded for service overseas		10-8-16	<i>John D. ...</i> For O.C. 47th
11-8-16	O.C. 47th	Arrived France	Havre	11-8-16	Nominal Roll.
11-11-16	<i>47th Bn.</i>	KILLED IN ACTION	<i>In the field</i>	7.11.16	<i>B. 213. Pt II DD up. of 17.11.16</i>

James Arthur Collier
Lieut. Col. 47th

(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.

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				

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Surname
Collier
Rank
Pte
Hospital

Christian Name or Names
J A.

Unit
47 Batts.

Reg. No.
629975.
Co. Troop Batty.

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 17.11.16

DISPOSITION

Date

CL 21.11.16 A65

REMARKS

Rept for Base.

A.M.D. 2 DEPT.

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

EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

Hospital

Adm.

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CARD NO.

SURNAME. Collier

CHRISTIAN NAMES James Arthur

FOLL. D

REGL. No. #29975 RANK Pte

UNIT 47th Batt

FORMER CORPS 12th Dragoons Sewell Man.

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAMES IN FULL Collier J. St.

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER Father

ADDRESS 723 Cassiar St. Vancouver

Prince Rupert, B. C.

Feb. 24-11-16

COUNTRY OF BIRTH England Bolton Lancs DATE

PLACE OF ATTESTATION New Westminster B. C. DATE Apr 7/10.

O/S 13-11-15 258/6

Sailed from Montreal per.

S.S. Miss Anabie 13/11/15.

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

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Number 629975 Rank _____

Surname COLLIER

Christian name James Arthur

Units 47th Bn Can Coy Theatre of War France

Date of Service 10-8-16.

Remarks (7) J W Collier

Latest Address P.O. Box 489

Prince Rupert, B.C.

Roll No. B Page 189.37

DATE RECEIVED FROM REG. DEPOT.

DATE FORWARDED TO OTTAWA

DATE RECEIVED FROM OTTAWA

IMPERIAL DEPOT NO.

PLACE OF RETIREMENT OR DISCHARGE

UNIT RETIRED OR DISCHARGED FROM

SCHEDULE NO.

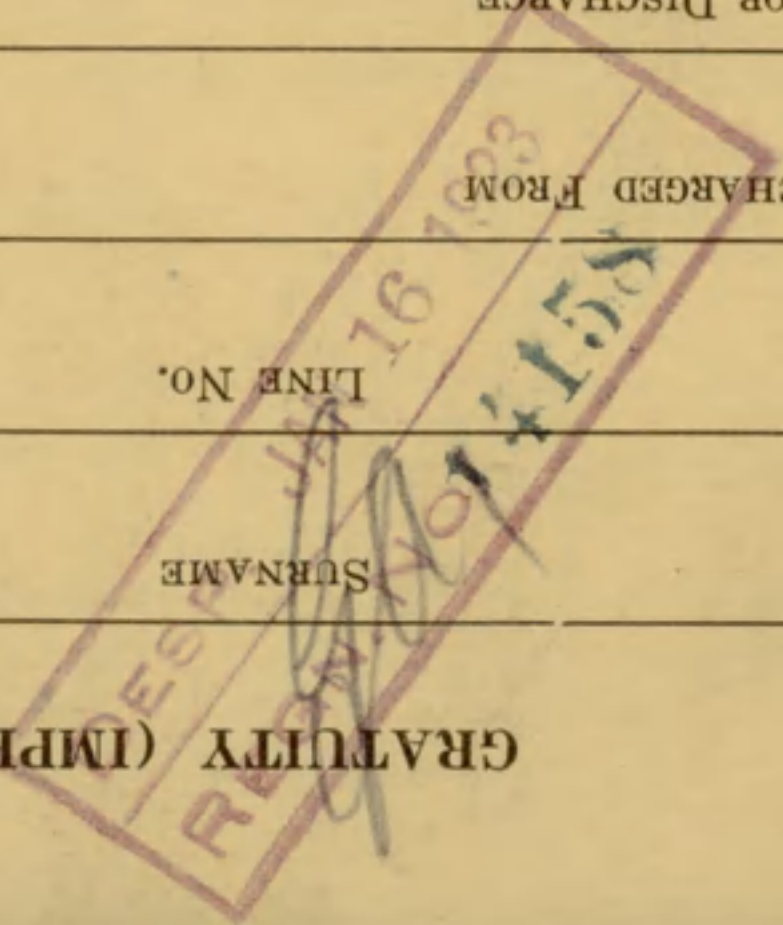
LINE NO.

CHRISTIAN NAME

SURNAME

REG. NO.

GRATUITY (IMPERIAL)



Name **COLLIER,** Rank **Pte.**
 James Arthur.

Reg. No. 629975

Unit **47th. Battalion.**

Next of Kin **Canada.**

U25-C-2284

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
1916						
6-11	Rpt. from Base					
	KILLED IN ACTION.			A65.05153.21-11		

REGT'L NO 629975-
H. Q. FILE NO. 649-

NAME Collier James Arthur
RANK AND CORPS Plt 44th. Br.

FOLLOWS
No.
FOLLOWS

CABLE		NATURE OF CASUALTY
No.	DATE	
		b.
O 5-15-3	21-11-16	Killed in action 9 Nov. 4th. 1916. -
A. 7. B. 2090a	Rouen 17 th	Nov. 1916 - Killed in action 7 th Nov. 1916 -

LIST No

HOSPITAL

DATE OF
ADMISSION

REMARKS

A. 65(1)

Rep. from Base

7-11-16

Killed in action

No. 29768 RANK *Plt.*
 429975. Oct. paylist.

NAME *Collier, J. A.*

T. O. S. 7-4-15.
 D.O. April 1915.

UNIT *4th Battalion C. E. F.*

M. D. 11.

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
<i>1915. April 7.</i>	<i>1915. April 30.</i>	<i>✓.</i>	<i>Forfeit 2 day's pay.</i>	<i>Sept. paylist.</i>
<i>May.</i>		<i>✓.</i>		
<i>June.</i>		<i>✓.</i>		
<i>July.</i>		<i>✓.</i>		
<i>Aug.</i>		<i>✓.</i>		
<i>Sept.</i>		<i>✓.</i>		
<i>Oct.</i>		<i>✓.</i>		
<i>Nov.</i>		<i>✓.</i>		
<i>Dec.</i>		<i>n.</i>		

UNIT SAILED
NOV 13 1915



Collier, Pte. James Arthur

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629975 ^{James} not elig. for 47th Bm

Name & Address of Legatee

35 medals & decorations

J. W. Collier (F)
P.O. Base 470

Prince Rupert, B.C.

W M.

Name & Address of Next of Kin

Serial No 772889
As above

W P.F.S.

Name & Address of Female Next of Kin

Mrs. J. W. Collier - (M)

P.O. Prince Rupert.

mem. brass.

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Plague Desp. FEB 11 1922 Regn. No. P29348

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Table III.—Boards; Courts of Inquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, etc.; Examinations for Field or Foreign Service, Extension, Re-engagement, or Prolongation of Service; Issue of Surgical Appliances; Particulars of Dental Treatment, etc.

Date	Brief details, and signature
29.7.15	Anti-Typhoid Inoculation H.B.L.
9.8.15	do "
25.8.15	do "
⁸⁻⁷⁻¹⁶ 12-4-16	<i>TAB Vaccinations.</i> "

Table IV.—Service Table.

Station or Troopship	Date of arrival or embarkation	Date of departure or disembarkation	Station or Troopship	Date of arrival or embarkation	Date of departure or disembarkation

DUPLICATE. ARMY FORM B. 178.

To be used (a) for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army and (b) for men of the Territorial Force when they are admitted to Hospital. Army Form B. 178^A to be used for Special Reserve recruits and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname COLLIER Christian Name James Arthur

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish Bolton Lancs County England.
 Examined ... on 7th day of April 191 5
 at New Westminster B.C.
 Declared Age ... 20 years ... days.
 Trade or occupation ... Muscian
 Height ... 5 feet 6 1/4 inches.
 Weight ... lbs.
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded 36 1/2 inches.
 Range of Expansion 3 1/2 inches.
 Physical Development ...
 Vaccination { Arm ... Right Left
 Marks { Number ...
 When Vaccinated ...
 Vision ... { R.E.—V=
 L.E.—V=

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease ...

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

Approved by (Signature) H.B. Logie
 (Rank) Capt.
Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... at ... on ... day of ... 191 ...

Joined on Enlistment ...	Corps. <u>47th Batt. C.E.F.</u>	Regtl. No. <u>629975</u>
Transferred to ...		

Became non-effective by ...

This Medical History Sheet has been compared with the Corresponding Attestation Paper, and entries made in red have been taken from the Attestation Paper. ON ... day of ... 191 ...

H. B. Logie

