

28-6-18 E.O.N.

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Medical History Sheet.....

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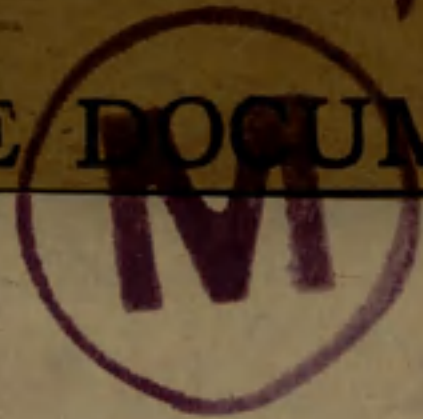
Company Conduct Sheet.....

Clothing Transfer Certificate.....

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Last Pay Certificate.....

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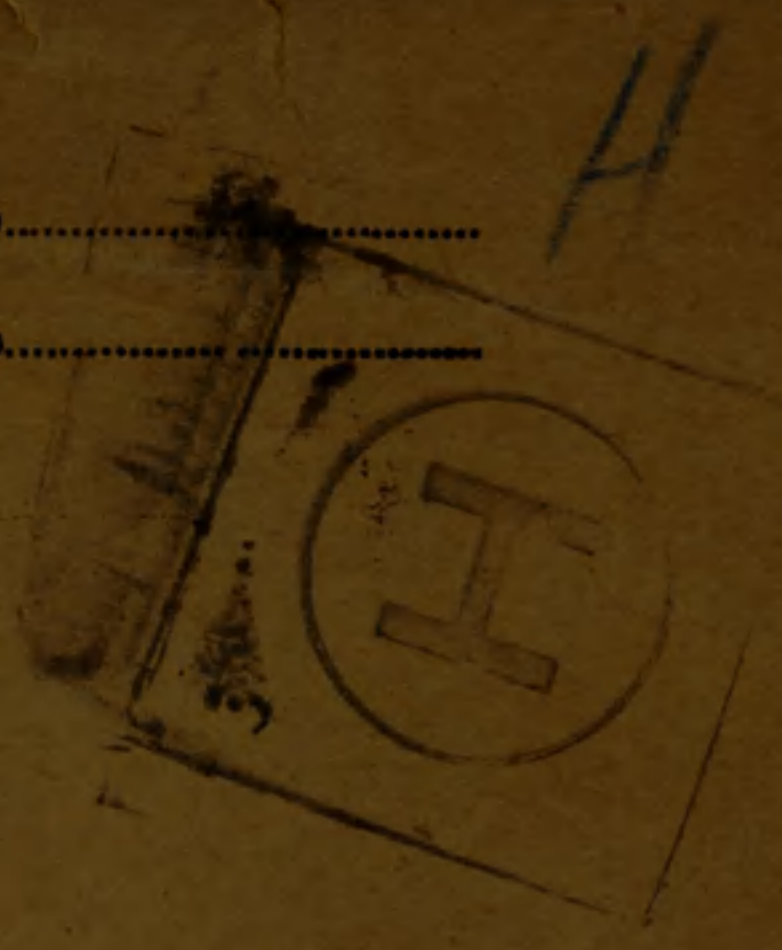


Name COOK, EDGAR PRESTON
Regt. No. 6780 Rank Pte.
Corps 1st. Can. Bn. C.F.C.

Killed in Action 15-6-15

R. O. No.....

H. Q. No.....



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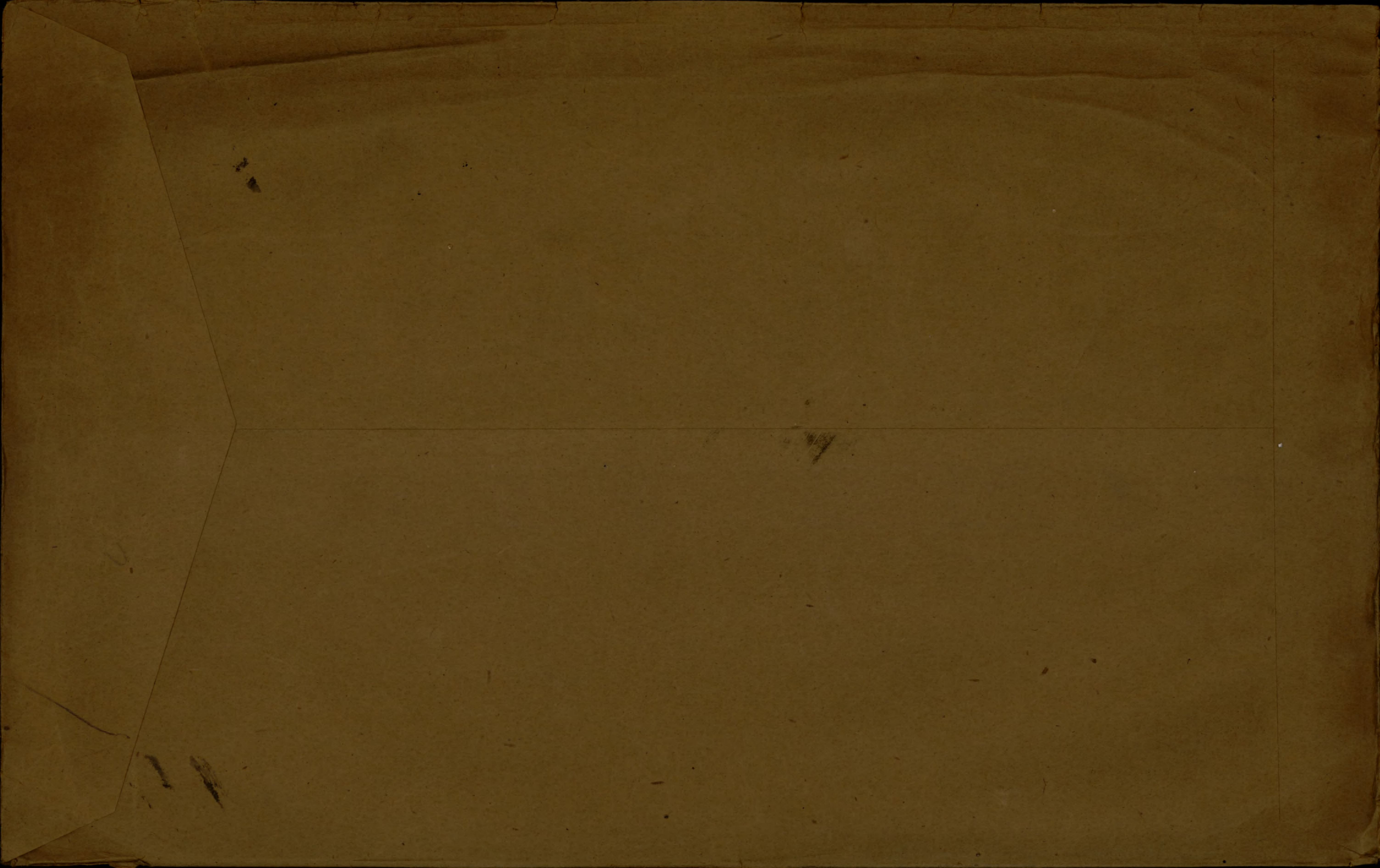
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Original
No. 6780
Folio. 208
ATTESTATION PAPER.

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS).

- 1. What is your name?..... *Edgar Preston Cook*
 - 2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... *erry Sound District Ont.*
 - 3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?..... *Mrs R. Cook (mother)*
 - 4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... *Loring Ont*
 - 5. What is the date of your birth?..... *February 6th 1896*
 - 6. What is your Trade or Calling?..... *Bushman*
 - 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?..... *Yes*
 - 10. Have you ever served in any Military Force?.. *(One year Can. Mil. 23rd Regt.)*
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*
- *Edgar P Cook* (Signature of Man).
..... (Signature of Witness).

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, *E. P. Cook*, 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.

..... *Edgar P. Cook* (Signature of Recruit)

Date *Sept. 23^d* 1914. (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, *E. P. Cook*, 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.

..... *Edgar P. Cook* (Signature of Recruit)

Date *Sept. 23^d* 1914. (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 *Val Cartier P. 2* this *23* day of *Sept* 1914.

..... (Signature of Justice)

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

..... *Hubert W. G. L.* (Approving Officer)

E. P. Cook

5 Batt

Description of Cook Edgar on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 19 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. 6 ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 32 1/4 ins.
Range of expansion 4 ins.

Complexion fair

Eyes grey

Hair fair

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

Extensive scald from elbow to wrist, applicant seems to have full control of member

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 Valcartier 2nd 1914.

A. M. Forbes Capt

Place Sept 1

A. M. Forbes
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.

Edgar Cook 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. Hill (Signature of Officer)

Date Sept 23 1914.

Cpl. 14 Bn.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

F. Coy

Regiment or Corps First Canadian Battalion

Regimental No. 6780 Rank Pte Name Cook E.

Enlisted (a) 24/9/14 Terms of Service (a) Duration of war Service reckons from (a) 22 SEP 1914

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				
15-5-15	H Gen	E. W. Thish	American Amb: Paris	14-5-15	W 3034
22-5-15	H Gen	" "	C. Camp	21-5-15	W 3034
24-5-15	3 Lt B.D.	transfer.	3 Lt B.D.	24-5-15	Sm 2270
25-5-15	3 Lt B.D.	transfer.	Sol Unit	24-5-15	Sm 2287
30-5-15	OC 1 st Bn	Rejoined	Unit	27-5-15	B213.
1-5-15	"	To be Corporal	Field	24-4-15	PK 11 Orders
20/6/15	OC 1 st Bn	Killed in Action	Field	15/6/15	B213

CAPT. OFFICER in CHARGE RECORDS CANADIAN SECTION G. H. Q.

(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				

Rank and Name COOK, Edgar Preston

Regimental No. 6780

Name and Address of Next-of-kin

Unit 1st Battalion.

Mrs R. Cook (Mother)

Date of enlistment 23 Sept. 1914.

Loring, Ont..

Place of birth Ontario

Married (Yes or No) No.

Date and place of discharge

If in Permanent Force

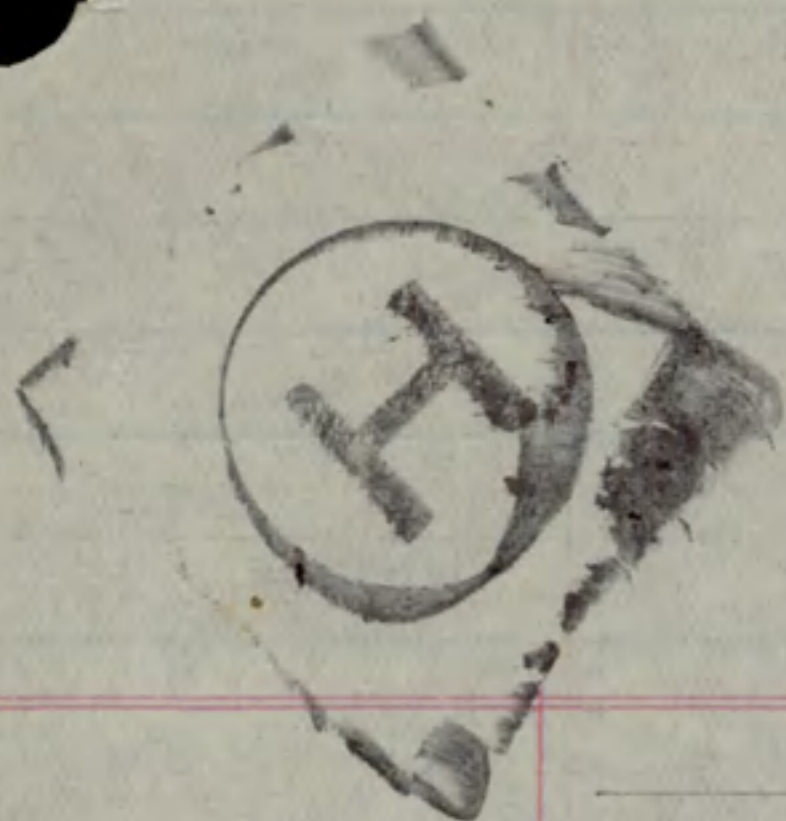
Reason for discharge

Character on discharge

Promotions or appointments

N/E. R. B. No. 1
 File R.L.
 Category K.A.

Sw 13800



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				
24 ⁵ /15	b.D. 68	G. S. W. Thigh.	American Amb Paris	4 ⁵ /15	O.N.
29 ⁵ /15	" 73	"	4 General Versailles.	21 ⁵ /15	To Convalescent-Dep. Rouen
20.6.15	O.C. 1 st	To be Corporal	In the Field	24.4.15	Pt II. 17
26.6.15	b.D. 95 1 st	Killed in action	In Swanby.	15.6.15	O.N. & Pt II. 18. 27 ⁶ /15 1 st Bn
27.6.15	1 st Bn.	" " "	"	15.6.15	Pt II. 18.

W.A.P.

MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY
OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

187

E.P.

To Whom *Cook Mrs R.*
Address *Loring Ont.*
Rate *\$ 15-00 per month*

By Whom Assigned *Cook E.*
Regtl. No. *6780*
Rank *Pte*
Corps *7 Co 1st Battn*

[Handwritten scribbles and initials]

PAYMENTS

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.	REMARKS
Aug.	1914			
Sept.				
Oct.		<i>6317</i>	<i>15</i>	
Nov.		<i>91546</i>	<i>15</i>	
Dec.		<i>62748</i>	<i>15</i>	
Jan.	1915	<i>13453</i>	<i>15</i>	
Feb.		<i>84911</i>	<i>15</i>	
March		<i>75135</i>	<i>15</i>	
Apl.		<i>86359</i>	<i>15</i>	
May		<i>108943</i>	<i>15</i>	
June		<i>69479</i>	<i>15</i>	
July		<i>310827</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>killed in action (C.L. 30/75)</i>
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1916			
Feb.				
March				

Casualties

GD

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Book 2
B.10828 - cancelled
Kamaly Ledger

NAME COOK, Edgar Preston

Regimental No. 6780.

Name and address of next-of-kin

Unit 1st Battalion

Mrs. R. Cook (mother)

Date of enlistment Sept. 23rd 1914.

Loring, Ontario.

Place of Birth Perry Sound, Ontario.

Married (yes or no) No

Date and place discharged

Amount of pay assigned monthly \$ 15⁰⁰

Reason for discharge

To whom payable Cheque of Kin

Character on discharge

15/6/15
Killed in action

Date		PAY		Field Allowance		Other Credits	Total Credits	Voucher		Cash Payments	Assigned pay	Other Charges	Total Debits	Remarks, Casualties, etc.
From	To	No. of Days	Rate	Amount	No. of Days			Rate	Amount					
Sept 22	Oct 31	40	1 ⁰⁰	40	40	10 ⁰⁰	40	44		25	15		40	
Nov 1	Nov 30	30	1	30	30	10	30	4		17	15		32	50
Dec 1	31	31	1	31	31	10	310	4		20	15		35	
Jan 1	31	31	1	31	31	10	310	3		7	15		22	50
Feb 1	28	28	1	28	28	10	280	1			15		15	
Mar 1	31	31	1	31	31	10	310	3		6	15		21	
Apr 1	30	30	1	30	30	10	300	4		3	15		18	
May 1	May 31	31	1	31	21	10	210	5			15		15	
June 1	June 15	15	1	15	15	10	150	7		4	15		19	
Aug. (Subs. pay list)								45						
NE Apr 1/16								530						
								81						
								221						
								8321		8321			8321	

(B.O. 18. 27/6)
Killed 15/6 on R.O. pay list
from Corps 24/4
B.O. 17. 20/6.
on 45-30 diff. pay.
assgt. stopped 30/6
883²¹ sent to
Ottawa for settlement
8/4/16

Statement of
APR 8 1916
Account rendered

CHECKED BY
DATE
PAY OFFICE, N. E. BRANCH
SEP 4 1915
CANADIAN CONTINGENTS

Nie

Surname

Christian Name or Names

Reg. No.

Book. E.

6780.

Rank

Unit

Co.

Troop

Batty.

Pt. 1st Batten.

Hospital # 4. Gen. Versailles.

Date of Admission

Transferred to Camp Depot Rouen.
Amer. Amb. Paris

Hosp. 21.5.15

Hosp. 4.5.15

Hosp.

Hosp.

Diagnosis

G. S. W. Thigh.

(1) Later Diagnosis (if changed)

(2)

(3)

Additional Diagnoses, if more than one state present

Killed in action 15.6.15

DISPOSITION

Date

REMARKS

C.L. 29/5/15 73

Ch. 26. 6.15 #97

Ch. 24. 5-15 #68

A.M.D. 2 DEPT.

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

EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

Hospital

Adm.

1.

2.

3.

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7.

2119

Number 6780 Rank Pte. ~~B~~

Surname COOK 1188 Disp- FEB 20 1921

Christian Names Edgar Preston

Unit 1st Bn. Can. Div. Theatre of War. ... France

Dates of Service ~~X~~ D

Remarks

Latest Address: "Father"
Mr. Robert Cook

Loring, Ontario

Roll No. B
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AUG 16 1921

No. 6788

RANK

Pte

NAME

Cook, Edgar

T. O. S.

UNIT

23rd Regt, Northern Pioneers
(Active Service Mob.)

M. D. 2.

PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.

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OR

REC'T

FROM

TO

PARTICULARS

AUTHORITY

1914.

1914.

Aug 19th
Aug 22
Sept 22Aug 20th
Sept 21
Oct 31✓
✓
✓on 1st BN. payroll.

act. payroll.

UNIT SAILED
OCT 3 1914



Name COOK. E.P.

Rank *Cpl.*

Reg. No. 6780

Unit 1st Batt.

R.I. 25-C-214

Next of Kin Canada

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
<i>15/6/15</i>	<i>Killed in Action Jomb</i>			68		
				73		
				97	<i>26-602616</i>	<i>27-6</i>

NAME *Cook Edgar Preston*

REGT'L. No. *6780*

RANK AND CORPS *Plt - 1st Bn*

H. Q. FILE NO. 649

FOLLOWS
NO.
FOLLOWS

CABLE

NO. DATE

NATURE OF CASUALTY

A.F.B. 2090 24 6/15 - Killed in action 15-6/15-

Duplicate Card.

L. L. 31493 M. & D. 8476

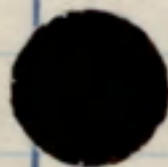
M. F. W. 42-100M.-28-11-17.
H. Q. 1772-39-893.

LIST No.

HOSPITAL

DATE OF
ADMISSION

REMARKS



SURNAME.

Cook

CARD NO.

CHRISTIAN NAMES

Edgar, Preston

FOLL.

D

REGL. No.

6780

RANK

Pte. Cpl.

UNIT

1st.

Batt.

FORMER CORPS

Can. Mil. 23rd Reg't

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAMES IN FULL

Cook, Mrs R.

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER

mother

ADDRESS

Loring, Ont.

Can.

COUNTRY OF BIRTH

Canada, Parry Sound Dist.

DATE

Feb 6/96

PLACE OF ATTESTATION

Valcartier. P. Q.

DATE

Sept. 23/14

087-10-14 1/9

MARRIED

SINGLE

Yes

WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING

Bushman

RELIGION

Presbyterian

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE

19 YEARS

MONTHS

HEIGHT

5 FEET

6. INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT

37 1/4 INCHES

EXPANSION

4. INCHES

COMPLEXION

Fair

EYES

Grey

HAIR

Fair

DISFIGURING MARKS

Extensive scald from elbow to wrist. Applicant seems to have control of member.

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

PLACE

Valcartier

DATE

Sept 1/14

Cpl. Cook, Edgar Preston,
5783

649. E-441
1st Bn. *Had.*

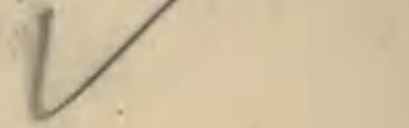
Eligible for 1914-15 Star. Plt 1st Bn

Medals &
Decorations.

Name & Address of Legatee

Robert Cook (F)

*Loring
Ont.*



Name & Address of Next of Kin

As above

5751

Serial No. 756917

Scroll Desp. *1.12/20* Reqn No. *2228*
P & S.

Plague Desp. *APR 6 1920* Reqn No. *P3 4597*

19/3/20

Name & Address of Female Next of Kin

Memorial Cross.

Mrs. Rosy Cook (M)

C

898

*As above
Desp MAY 14 1920 67383*



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