

ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. 813532

Folio.

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS).

1. What is your name?..... Charles Edward Harris.
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... Tara. Ontario. Canada.
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?..... Mrs. C. J. Harris (Mother)
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... Vanguard. Saskatchewan. Canada.
5. What is the date of your birth?..... 24th April 1892.
6. What is your Trade or Calling?..... Farmer. 24
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?..... 27th Light Horse.
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.

Chas Ed Harris (Signature of Man).
W. R. R. (Signature of Witness).

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Charles Edward Harris, 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.

Chas Ed Harris (Signature of Recruit)

Date. 21st December 1914. W. R. R. (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Charles Edward Harris, 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.

Chas Ed Harris (Signature of Recruit)

Date. 21st December 1914. W. R. R. (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 fully entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath

before me, at, Winnipeg this 21st day of December 1914.

W. R. R. (Signature of Justice)

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

H. H. H. (Approving Officer)

Lt. Colonel

Comdg. 32nd. Battalion,
CANADIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

Description of Charles Edward Harris. on Enlistment.

Apparent Age.....22.....years.....8.....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.....6 ft.....ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded.....42. ins.
Range of expansion.....3. ins.

Complexion.....Medium.

Eyes.....Gray.

Hair.....Medium.

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

Mole on upper lip above corner of mouth on left side.

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.....21st.....December.....1914.

Place.....Winnipeg.....

[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.

.....Charles Edward Harris.....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.....21st.....December.....1914.

REGIMENTAL DOCUMENTS

NAME

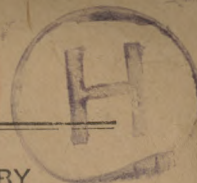
Harris, Charles Edward

REGT. NO.

81355

UNIT

H. Q. FILE NO.



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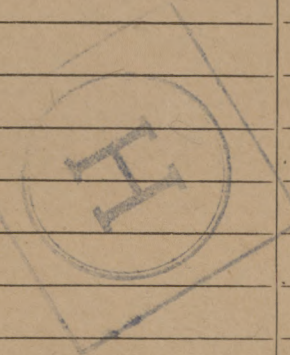
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DISCHARGE

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1916

DESERTION



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(6498-2786)
NAME *C Harris Charles, Edward Over.*
RANK & No. *Plé.* 81555 **D**
CORPS *C. Co. 5th ~~32nd~~ Battalion.*
ENLISTMENT, PLACE *Winnipeg* DATE *Dec. 21st 1914.* *S.*
FORMER CORPS *27th Light Horse.*
COUNTRY OF BIRTH *Yara. Ont. Canada.*
NEXT OF KIN *Harris, Mrs. C. J. (Mother)*
ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN *Vanguard. Sask. Canada.*
DISCHARGE, PLACE DATE

*sailed from Halifax
Per S.S. Vaderland*

L. L. 72594-M. & D.-5342 23-2-15. 47/8

M. F. W. 22. 50 m.-1-15.

H. Q. 1772 39-839.

REMARKS:

Taken on the strength 5th Batt. 3/5/15. Auth. pt. II No 11, 3rd Echelon, 19/5/15

Number, 81354 Rank, Pte

Surname, H. A. R. P. I. S.

Christian Names, Charles Edward

Unit, 5th Bn Can Inf Theatre of War, France

Dates of Service, 2-5-15

Remarks, "after"

Latest Address, Mr. Chas Jas Harris

Vancouver Box 316

Roll No. B. 1875 Sask.

4 11381 - Day

APR 14 1921

452160 Disp

SEP 3 1921

Charles Edward

Name Harris C.E. Rank Pte.

Reg. No. 81355

Unit 5th. Battalion

25-H-1369

Next of Kin Canada

Date 1916	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
Apr. 29	Divisional Rest Station	Oadema	Legs	A356		
May 13	Rejoined Unit			A365		
June 8	1 Can. Gen. Hosp.	Etaples SW. Rt. Leg		A387	8327	
20-7	No. 1 Can. Gen. Hosp.	Etaples	Seriously Ill	A444	M10165	
Aug 6	Still ill.	ill. H.O. sent 1563 14-8.				
16-8	No. 1. Can Gen Hosp.	DIED OF WOUNDS.		A433.	M11308	

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Harris,

Charles Edward
C.E. *Ph* No. 81355

649-H-2786. *5th* Bn.

Medals & Decorations:

Father: Mr. Chas. Jas. Harris
Vanguard, Box 316,
Sask.

P. & S.

" " " " "

Serial 752097

Cross of Sacrifice:

Unmarried.
Mother: Mrs Mary Elizabeth
Harris, Box 316, Vanguard,
Sask.

Scroll Desp.

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Reqn. No. *3.42498*

SEP 28 1922

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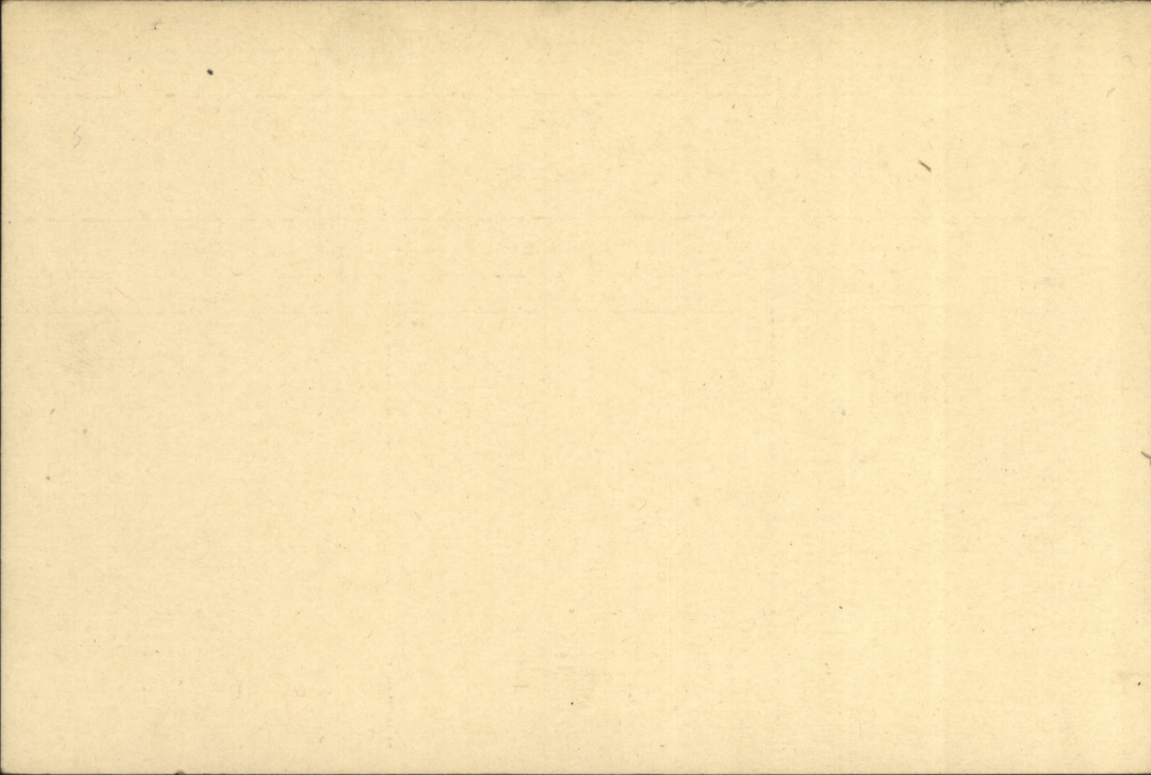
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No. 681 RANK Pte NAME Harris, C E
 81355
 T. O. S. UNIT 32nd Battalion C E F
 Chas Edward

M. D. 10

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
1914	1914			
Dec 1	Dec 31	✓		
1915	1915			
Jan		✓		
Feb.		✓		
Mar.		✓		
		-		

UNIT SAILED
 FEB 23 1915



Surname

Christian Name or Names

Reg. No.

Rank

Unit

Co.

Troop

Batty.

Hospital

Date of Admission

Transferred

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Diagnosis

(1)
Later Diagnosis (if changed)

(2)

(3)

Additional Diagnoses: If more than one state present

DISPOSITION

REMARKS

Ser Ill. 20.7.16

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

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EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

Hospital

Adm.

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

6.

7.

RELATIONSHIP OF DEPENDANT

AL

AL
CZ

NAME OF HOSPITAL _____

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 Bransford N.E. Branch 17/8/16
 C.L.A. 4433
 1944 C.P.E. Sect. 470. 13.10.16
 To Ottawa for Lett
 19/12/16
 Dr 436 2/5 3/8 1/6 No. 1 Gen. Hosp
 Vouch. D628. N.E. 179.
 Ottawa for Coll. V230
 19/2 - 13/10/17

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DUPLICATE.

8 1 3 5 5

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 HARRIS Christian Name CHARLES EDWARD

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish Allen Ford County Ontario Can.

Examined ... { on 1st day of December 1914 ,
at Winnipeg Man. Can.

Declared Age ... 22 years ... days.

Trade or Occupation ... Farmer

Height ... 6 feet ... inches.

Weight ... 185 lbs.

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded 42 inches.
Range of Expansion 3 inches.

Physical Development ... Good

Vaccination Marks { Arm ... Right Left yes
Number ...

When Vaccinated ... March 1915

Vision ... { R.E.—V= Normal
L.E.—V= ..

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease ... { (a) Mole on upper lip L side

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

Approved by (Signature) R.J.Gardiner
(Rank) Capt. Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... { at Winnipeg Man. Can.
on 1st day of Dec. 1914 .

Joined on Enlistment ...	Corps.	Regtl. No.
	<u>32nd Battn</u>	<u>8 1 3 5 5</u>
Transferred to ...	<u>5th Bn</u>	

Became non-effective by ...

(Signature)
(Rank)

This Medical History Sheet has been compared with the corresponding Attestation Paper, and entries made in red have been taken from the Attestation Paper.
W.R.WARD,
Colonel in Charge of Records,
Canadian Contingent.

Table II.—Only for Admissions to Hospital or to the Sick List in

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number
days
in
hospital

Signature of Medical Officer

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Rejoined Unit

A 356 - 365.

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
Jan. 4	Anti Typhoid Inoc
Jan 15	,,
Jan 25	,,
Feb. 28	Vaccination
	R.J.Gardiner

Table IV.—Service Table.

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To be used for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army only.
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 and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

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 Range of Expansion 3 inches.

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Vaccination Marks { Arm ... Right Left arm
 Number

When Vaccinated ... March 1915

Vision ... { R.E.—V= Normal
 L.E.—V= None Mole on upper lip. l. side

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

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

Approved by (Signature) [Signature]
 (Rank) Capt Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... { at Winnipeg Man. Canada
 on 1st day of December 1914

Corps.	Regtl. No.
<u>32nd Bn.</u>	<u>61</u>
<u>5th Bn.</u>	<u>81355</u>

Became non-effective by

on ... day of ... 191... Entries in Red Ink made from Attestation Sheets.

(Signature)

(Rank)

Table II.—Only for Admissions to Hospital or to the Sick List in

Name of Hospital	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number of days in Hospital	Remarks bearing on use. In case subsequent p given in the
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year			
Rest Station	29	4	16	13	5	16	Edema of Legs	14	R

Sick List in the case of Warrant Officers treated in quarters.

Remarks bearing on the cause, nature, or treatment of the case, likely to be of interest or of future use. In cases of syphilis, admissions and re-admissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers, &c., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.

Signature of Medical Officer

Rejoined Unit

A356 - 365

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
Jan 4	Typhoid Fever
15	do
" 25	do
Feb 28	Vaccination
	<i>W. G. Anderson</i>

Table IV.—Service Table.

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Leah Cornock
R. 9. 101/21/5/19
 Army Form B. 103.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 32nd. Battalion, C.E.F.Regimental No. 8135 Rank Private Name Harris Charles Edward

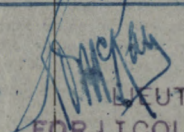
Enlisted (a) _____ Terms of Service (a) _____ Service reckons from (a) _____

Date of promotion to } _____ Date of appointment } _____ Numerical position on }
 present rank } to lance rank } 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				
		Taken on strength of 5 th Bn	Field	3/5/15	Part 2 Orders 15/5/15
2/10/15	O C 5 th Bn	To wood-cutting Corps	"	26/9/15	B213.
15/1/16	"	ret'd to duty	"	10/1/16	B213
5/2/16	"	Granted 9 days leave	"	2/2/16	B213
19/2/16	"	ret'd from leave	"	12/2/16	B213
30/4/16	9 C S A	badema of legs - To DKS	"	29/4/16	A36 DCS 297
30/4/16	3 rd Can Sin R S n	" " adm	"	29/4/16	A36 " 298
13/5/16	10 C S A	ret'd to duty	"	13/5/16	B213 - 304
8/6/16	1 Can Sin	sw ~ leg adm	"	8/6/16	W 3034
11/6/16	1 C S A	" adm	"	7/6/16	A36 - 322
11/6/16	1 Y C S	" (fract) adm	"	"	A36 - 322
17-7-16	1 Can Sin	S. W. Leg. 1.	"	17-7-16	W 3034
6.8.16	1 " "	seriously ill S.W. Leg. R. seriously ill	"	6.8.16	W 3034

(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				
13.8.16	1 Can Gen	St. W. Leg R	1 Can Gen	13.8.16	W3034
16.8.16	1 Can Gen	Seriously Ill	1 Can Gen	16.8.16	OC. 1 Can Gen. a.g. Can Sect.
		Died of Wounds			3rd. K. I. 137/842.
					Des. 356 d 21.8.16
					P. I. O. 34 d 31.8.16.
					 LEUT. FOR LT COL. .A.A.G.

Rank and Name

HARRIS

Charles Edward

41898

Regimental No.

81355

Name and Address of Next-of-kin

Unit 32nd Batt

Mrs C. J. Harris. (mother)

Date of enlistment

21st Dec

Vanguard. Sask.

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



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				
9-5-15	O.C. 32nd	Embarked		2-5-15	Part II order.
15-5-15	O.C. 5th Bn	Trans to 5th Bn	France	3-5-15	Part II order No 11
14.2.16.	O.C. 5B.	Granted 9 days leave of absence from		2.2.16.	Part II O. 8.
13.5.16.	5B.	Divisional Rest Station.		29.4.16.	C.X-A 356, Oadema Legs.
24.5.16	5B.	Rejoined Unit		13.5.16.	C.X. A365. do.
19.6.16.	5Bn.	No. 1 Can. Gen Hosp.	Etaples.	8.6.16.	Part II O. C.X A 387. SW. R. Leg
24.7.16.	5Bn.	Ditto. Seriously Ill.	do.	20.7.16.	C.X-A 444. do. on
17.8.16.	5Bn.	Died of Wounds	No. 1 Can. Gen Hosp.	16.8.16.	C.X A 433. do. on
					Part II O. 34 41-31 8/16.

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NAME _____

HARRIS, Charles Edward

Regimental No.

81355

Name and address of next-of-kin

Unit

32nd. Batt.

Mrs C. J. Harris, Mother

Date of enlistment

21st Dec.

Vanguard, Sask

Place of birth

Ontario

Married (yes or no)

No

Date and place discharged 16-8/16

Amount of pay assigned monthly \$

Nil

Reason for discharge *Direct Wounds*

To whom payable

Character on discharge *J. R. A 433*

17/8/16



DEC 2 1916
Account rendered

P. 41. A. 1105
B. 1105

Lib 4498

Cash found in effects 144

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[illegible]

NAME Harris, Charles Edward

No. 649-

RANK AND CORPS

Pte.

REG'T. NO. 81355

CABLE

5th Battn.

NO.

DATE

NATURE OF CASUALTY

Form 32nd Bn

NO.	DATE	NATURE OF CASUALTY
M. 8327	17-6-16	Adm to Ho I. Can. Gen. Hosp. Etaples, June 8 th 1916. Wounded right leg.
M. 10165	22-7-16	Seriously ill at Ho I Can. Gen. Hosp. July 20 th (wounded right leg)
M. 11308	16-8-16	Died of wounds Ho I Can. Gen. Hosp. Aug 16 th 1916.
A. 7. B 2090a	Rouen. 31-8-16	Died of wounds received in action. 16-8-16

LIST No.	HOSPITAL	DATE OF ADMISSION	REMARKS
A 356	Liv. Rest Station	29-4-16	Oedema legs
A 365	O/C. 5th Bn reports.	8-5-16.	" " rejoined unit
A 387	No 1 Can. Gen. Hospital.	8-6-16.	S.W. rt. Leg.
A 414	seriously ill.	20-7-16	S.W. Rt. leg.
A 433	Died of Wounds	16-8-16	" " " "

NAME

Harris Edward Charles

RANK AND CORPS

Pte 5th Battr

REF. NO.

1355

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FOLLOWS

No.

FOLLOWS

CABLE

No.

DATE

NATURE OF CASUALTY

M. 11233 W. 572.	16-8-16	Enquiries will be made
M. 11308	16-8-16.	Adm. to Second Australian Gen. Hosp
Q. 164-	1-9-16.	Wimereux, Aug th 1916.

LIST No

HOSPITAL

DATE OF
ADMISSION

REMARKS

