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H. Q. No.

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Parchment Certificate.....

Medical Report for Invalids.....

Medical History Sheet..... *2*

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Company Conduct Sheet..... *1*

Clothing Transfer Certificate.....

Inventory of Kit.....

Last Pay Certificate.....

Name *BOWMAN, GEORGE GERALD.*

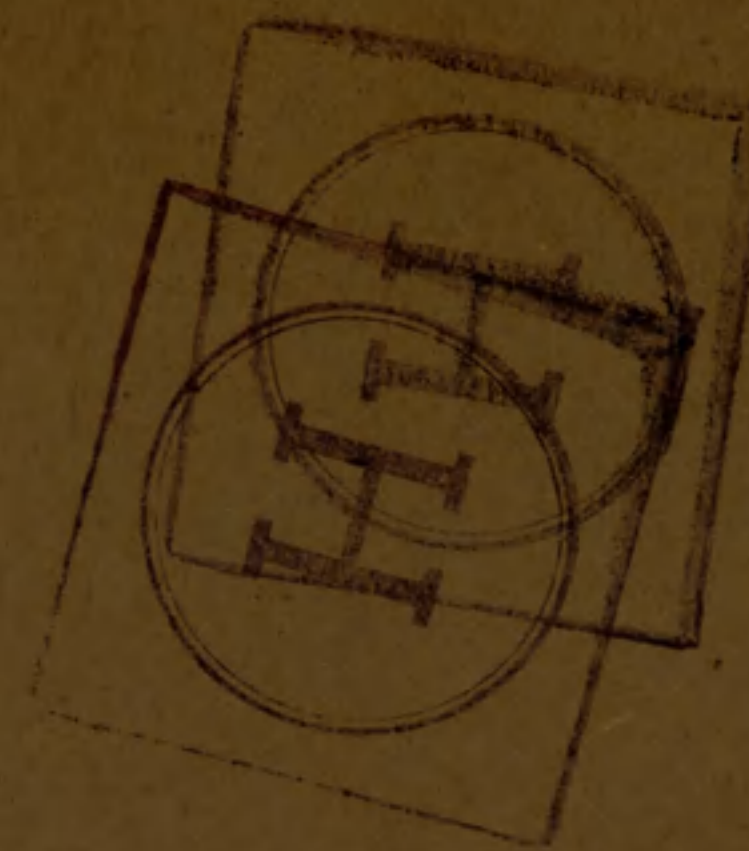
Regt. No. *152297* Rank *Pte.*

Corps *79th Co. Bn.*

*Died of wounds.
15.9.16*



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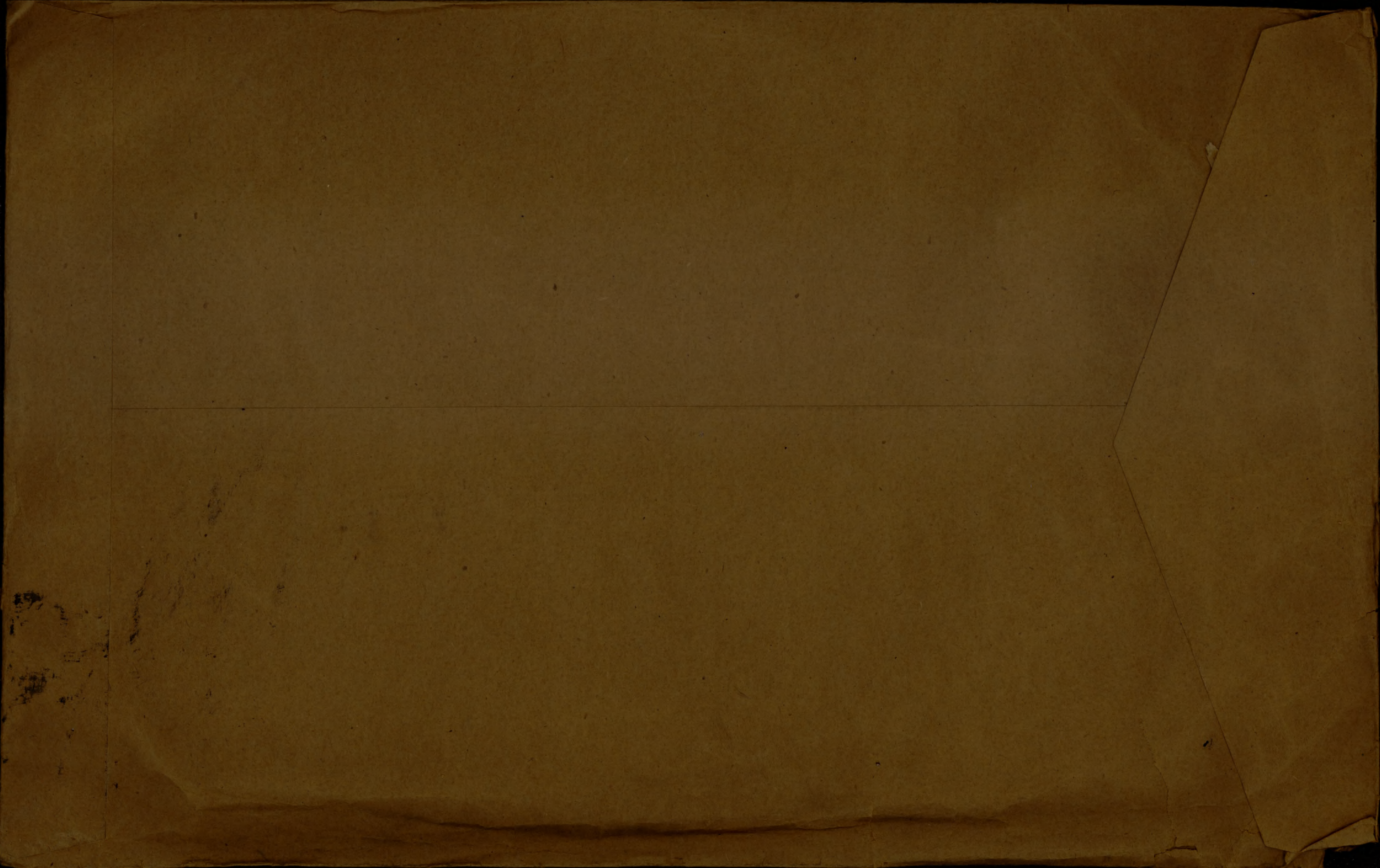


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ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. 152297

Folio.

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION. (ANSWERS.)

1. What is your name?..... *George Gerald Bowman*

2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... *Orange Ridge Manitoba*

3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?..... *Geo. J. Bowman*

4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... *P.O. Order Manitoba Canada*

5. What is the date of your birth?..... *Feb 23 1896*

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*
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*

G. G. Bowman (Signature of Man.)
A. B. Brownlee (Signature of Witness.)

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, *George Gerald Bowman*, 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.

G. G. Bowman (Signature of Recruit)
Date *Aug 15* 1915. *A. B. Brownlee* (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, *George Gerald Bowman*, 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.

G. G. Bowman (Signature of Recruit)
Date *Aug 17* 1915. *A. B. Brownlee* (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 *Orden* this *15* day of *Aug* 1915.

Walter Simpson (Signature of Justice)

I certify that the above is a true copy of the Attestation of the above-named Recruit.
A. B. Brownlee (Approving Officer)

79th. Overseas Battalion

Description of G. G. Bowman 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. 9 ins.

*Brown mole on side of right eye
 Red mark under right jaw*

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 34 1/2 ins.
 Range of expansion 2 1/2 ins.

Complexion Fair
 Eyes blue
 Hair L. Brown

Religious denominations. { Church of England
 Presbyterian
 Wesleyan X
 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 Aug 19 1915 J. W. Edman
 Place Arden, Manitoba
Brandon 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.

..... George Gerald Bowman 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] Lt. Col. (Signature of Officer)
 O. C. 79th. Overseas Battalion.

Date NOV 13 1915 1915 .



D. 152297

ORIGINAL MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.

Surname Bowman Christian Name George Gerald

Examined { on 17 day of Aug 1915
at Arden
Birthplace { City or Town _____
County Man

Approved by J. Jackson
Rank Capt M.O.

Apparent age 19
Trade or occupation Farmer
Height 5 Feet 9 Inches
Weight 175 Lbs.
Chest measurement { Minimum 32 1/2 inches.
Maximum expansion 2 inches.
Physical development Good
Small-Pox Marks None

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

Vaccination Marks { Arm _____ Right _____ Left 2
Number 2
When Vaccinated last 1906

Date	Result	VACCINATIONS.
<u>5/2/16</u>	<u>Good</u>	<u>J. Jackson</u> M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease None

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection None

Date	Result	ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.
<u>29/10/15</u>	<u>Good</u>	<u>J. Jackson</u> M.O.
<u>10/11/15</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>J. Jackson</u> M.O.
<u>19/11/15</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>J. Jackson</u> M.O.

Enlisted on 17 day of August 1915 at Arden, Man.

	CORPS.	REG'TL NUMBER.	HABITS.	DATE.
Joined on enlistment	<u>79th Batt</u>	<u>152297</u>		
Transferred to.. ..	<u>1st C.M.R.</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.

UNTESTED CORRECT.
 Canadian Record Office
 M. F. W. 54. (A. F. B. 103.)
 Westminister House
 250M. -1-16.
 Millbank, H.Q. 1772-39-920.

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

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Unit, Regiment or Corps **79th OVERSEAS BATTALION**

Regimental No. 152299 Rank Pte Name Gowman George Gerald

Enlisted (a) 17/8/15 Terms of Service (a) D. of W. Service reckons from (a) 17/8/15

Date of promotion to present rank. } Date of appointment to lance rank } Numerical position on roll of N. C. Os. }

Extended x Re-engaged x Qualification (b) F. armer

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 Disembarked	Canada England	per "	R.M.S. Lapland 24/4/16 " " 5/5/16
	79th Bn	Trans. to 1st. Comd. Bn.	OVERSEAS.	6/6/16	Duckaudy Capt. Adj. 79th Overseas Battalion.
	O.C. C. B. D.	Landed in France. Taken on strength 1 1 Cdn MR Bn.		7-6-16	Nom. Roll d/ 7-6-16 Pt II D.O. d/ 14-6-16
	- do. -	Left for Unit.		8-6-16	Nom. Roll d/ 8-6-16
	O.C. 1st Bn.	Arrived Unit for duty		9-6-16	B. 213 d/ 17-6-16
16-9-16 1-12-16	Unit "	Wounded Missing after action	To Hospital Field	15-9-16 15-9-16	B213. DCS 179 d/ 3-10-16 (authy oc Bn Ref file K125-2101 Pt II DO 81 3/12/16)
					Lieut. 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. [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				
10.2.17	ICMR	How rep <u>Quid of Ords</u> :	Field	15.9.16	DT 110 11

JW

H. P. Carter

LIEUT.
FOR LT: COL: I/C RECORDS, C.O.M.F.

A.G.R.

Rank Name **BOWMAN, George Gerald** / Reg'l No. **152297**

Unit **79th Bn.** / If in perm. Corps, }
What Unit? }
Arden, Married or Single **Single.**

Place and Date of Enlistment **17th Aug., 1915.** / Place of Birth **Orange Ridge, Manitoba.**

Name and Address, Next-of-Kin **Geo. J. Bowman,** / Relationship

P.O. Arden, Manitoba, Canada

Assigned Pay Monthly \$ Payable to

Separation Allowance \$ Payable to

Relationship

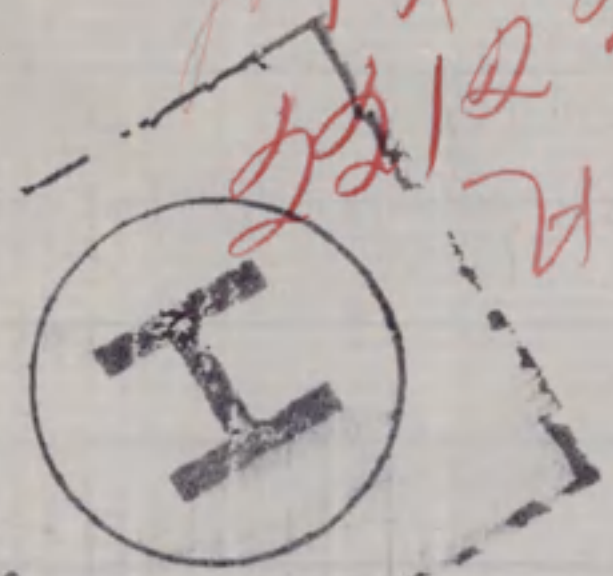
Relationship

Relationship

N/E. R.B. No. **1**
File R.L.
Category **delv.**
N/E. R.B. I.

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.
Date.	From whom received.				
		<i>Arrived in England</i>	<i>W. Lapland</i>	<i>4 MAY 1916</i>	
<i>15.5.16</i>	<i>of 79th</i>	<i>To attend Cadet School</i>	<i>Bandring</i>	<i>15.5.16</i>	<i>Pt II DO # 114</i>
<i>8/6/16</i>	<i>" "</i>	<i>transfer 1st to M. R.</i>	<i>" "</i>	<i>6/6/16</i>	<i>" " #135</i>
<i>14.6.16</i>	<i>1st M.R.</i>	<i>Taken on strength.</i>	<i>Field</i>	<i>7.6.16</i>	<i>Pt II 6 #24</i>
<i>6.10.16</i>	<i>do</i>	<i>Wounded</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>15.9.16</i>	<i>Gr. A273 C.2.</i>
<i>7.12.16</i>	<i>do</i>	<i>Now Report Missing</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>15.9.16</i>	<i>C.R.A. 320, 135A-32 Pt II 10 #81.</i>
<i>9.2.17</i>	<i>Do</i>	<i>" " Dued of Wounds</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>15.9.16</i>	<i>Gr. A. 366.</i>
<i>10-2.17</i>	<i>Do</i>	<i>" " " " "</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>15.9.16</i>	<i>Pt II 10 #11.</i>



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EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

Hospital

Adm.

1.

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7.

Surname

Christian Name or Names

Reg. No.

Bowman

G.G.

152297

Rank

Unit

Co.

Troop

Batty

Pte.
Hospital

1st C.M.R.

Date of Admission

Transferred

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Diagnosis

Now sept Died of Wds 15-9-16

(1) Later Diagnosis (if changed)

(2)

(3)

Additional Diagnosis: if more than one state present

DISPOSITION

Date

C.L. 6.10.16 A73

7.12.16. A320

9.2.17 D.966

REMARKS

Reported from Base wd.
15.9.16

now rep. 'missing'

A.M.D. 2 DEPT.

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

Name BOWMAN, George Rank Pte.

Reg. No. 152297

Unit 1st. C.M.R. ^{Gerald}

25-B-2743.

Next of Kin Canada.

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
1916.						
15-9.	Rept From Base:-	Wounded		A273	02197	
15/9/16	Now Reptd:-	<u>Missing</u>		A310	05958	6/30 7/12
15/9/16.	Now Reptd	<u>died of wounds.</u>	Not stated	A366	0	9-2
	Telegr: on File.	(Individual)			0617 8-2	



No. 152297 RANK *Pte*

NAME *Bowman, G.* *G*

T. O. S. *17-8-15* UNIT *49th Battalion C. E. F.*
0033 of 20-8-15

M. D. *10*

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
<i>1915</i>	<i>1915</i>			
<i>Aug. 17</i>	<i>Aug 31</i>	<i>n.</i>		
	<i>Sept</i>	<i>n</i>		
	<i>Oct</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Nov.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Dec.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
<i>1916</i>	<i>1916</i>			
	<i>Jan.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Feb.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Mar.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>April</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>May.</i>	<i>n</i>		

UNIT SAILED
 APR 24 1916

1875

1875

649-B-6650

✓ Bowman, G.G. ✓ Pte. ✓ 152297 ✓ 1st C.M.R.

M

Med. & Dec. (Father) G.J. Bowman, Esq.,
Arden, Man.

P. & S.

"

G.J. Bowman, Esq.,
address as above.

(Ser. # 750887)

Mem. Cross

Nil.

MAY 12 1921

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Reqn. No. 242797

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H " B. W. W.

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Plague Desp.

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DESP JAN 1923
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CP

Number 152297 Rank Pte

Surname BOWMAN

Christian Name George Gerald

Units 1st C.M.A. Theatre of War France

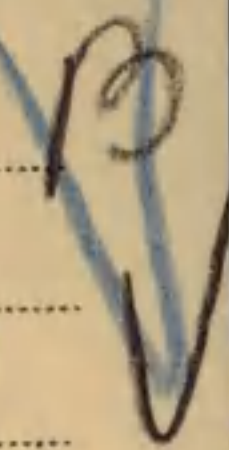
Date of Service 7-6-16

Remarks (7) G. J. Bowman, Reg.

Latest Address Alden Man.

Roll No. B. Page 19678

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LIST No.

HOSPITAL

DATE OF
ADMISSION

REMARKS

1273	Rept from Base	15-9-16	wounded
1320	Prev rep "Wounded"	15-9-16	now rep "missing"
1366	Prev rept. missing	15-9-16	now reported died of wounds not stated

NAME

Bowman George Gerald

H. Q. FILE No. 649-

REG'T L. No. 152297

RANK AND CORPS

Pvt. 1st Lt M R (Coorn 79th Bn)

CABLE

NO.

DATE

NATURE OF CASUALTY

NO.	DATE	NATURE OF CASUALTY
02197	5-10-16	Reported wounded Sept 15th ✓
05958	6-12-16	Prev. reported wounded now reported missing Sept 15 th 1916. ✓
08617	8-2-17	Prev. Rep missing now reported died of wounds Sept. 15 th . ✓
NFB 2090a Rouen	10-2-17	Died of wounds rec'd in action, France or Belgium 15-9-16. Rec'd 24/4/17.

MARRIED

SINGLE

Yes.

WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING

Farmer

RELIGION

Wesleyan.

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE

19. YEARS

MONTHS

HEIGHT

5- FEET

9 INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT

34½ INCHES

EXPANSION

2½ INCHES

COMPLEXION

Fair

EYES

Blue

HAIR

Li. Brown.

DISTINGUISHING MARKS

Not- Stated

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

PLACE

Brandon. Man.

DATE

Aug 19th 1915.

Present- Address.

Not- Stated.

SURNAME

Bowman. 649-B-6650

CARD NO.

CHRISTIAN NAMES

George Gerald.

FOLL

REGL. No.

152 297

RANK

Pte.

UNIT

49th

Bn.

FORMER CORPS

Nil.

NEXT OF KIN.

NAMES IN FULL

Bowman. Geo Jos.

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER

P. N. S.

ADDRESS

Arden. Man.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

COUNTRY OF BIRTH

Canada. Orange Ridge Man.

DATE

Feb 23rd. 1896.

PLACE OF ATTESTATION

Arden, Man.

DATE

Aug 17th 1915

Sailed from Halifax, Per. S. "Lapland." 24-4-16 396

MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

M. F. W. 12a.
 50m.-4-16.
 1772-39-819.

Sheet No. 2. Geo. J. Bowman

Name of Soldier Bowman S. G. 496

L. L. Job 310.-Req. 6574.

PAYMENTS. #152297 79 Pett

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
			15	June 1-16
April	1916			
May				
June				
July				
Aug.		M 13434	45	
Sept.		F 16450	15	15 ⁰⁰
Oct.		F 20798	15	
Nov.		N 23737	15	105 ⁰⁰
Dec.		J 31087	15	Sp. Reg 17-1-17 L. account closed Cas acc closed Dec. 31 per instructions of S-Mrs O'Brien see corresp.
Jan.	1917	V 37366	15	
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1918			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				

Casualties

F. X. Rend. Date Jan 17 By JOS
 E.F.X. " " 14-8-17 By YUP

YUP

JOS

MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

Sheet No. 2 (Contd.)

Name of Soldier.....

PAYMENTS.

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
Aug.	1918			
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1919			
Feb.				
March				
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Nov.				
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Jan.	1920			
Feb.				
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April				
May				
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July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				

MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY
OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

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[Handwritten signature]

To Whom Geo. J. Bowman
Address Arden
Man.

By Whom Assigned Bowman G. G.
Regtl. No. 1522971
Rank Pte
Corps 79th Bu

Rate 15 June 1-16
2 M 6/6/16

PAYMENTS

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.	REMARKS
Aug.	1914			<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;">Casualties</div> Stop payment 1/19 Missing 15-9-16. 3 M Dec 11/16 by 10/1/16 7 M 12-12-16 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> Pensions Notified DATE 10/5/17 Killed in Action DATE 15/9/16 676 14/17 193 Bayle </div> Wounded & missing Sept 15/16 (242) 6-12-16 242 Died of wounds 15 Sept/16. Ch 18/2/17
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1915			
Feb.				
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Jan.	1916			
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