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ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. ~~23~~

Folio.

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS).

1. What is your name? ..... Richard James Darcus
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born? ..... Dundrum Co Dublin Ireland
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin? ..... Solomon H. Darcus
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin? ..... Valetta House Kingstown Ireland
5. What is the date of your birth? ..... 11th August 1894
6. What is your Trade or Calling? ..... Bank Clerk
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? ..... 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

R J Darcus (Signature of Man).

M Leslie Robinson (Signature of Witness).

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, R J Darcus, 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.

R J Darcus (Signature of Recruit)

Date Dec 31st 1914. M Leslie Robinson (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, R J Darcus, 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.

R J Darcus (Signature of Recruit)

Date Dec 31st 1914. M Leslie Robinson (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 Medicine Hat this 31st day of Dec 1914.

H N Oakes J P (Signature of Justice)

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

H N Oakes Capt (Approving Officer)

200 M.—8-14.
H.Q. 177-1-13.

3rd P.M.R.

Description of Richard James Darcus on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 20 years 5 months.
(To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)

Height 5 ft. 9 3/4 ins.

Chest measurement.
- Girth when fully expanded 35 ins.
- Range of expansion 3 ins.

Complexion Dark

Eyes Blue

Hair Black

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

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).

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 December 31 1914. Wilson

Place Medicine Hat Alta Capt.
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.

Richard James Darcus 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.

G Hoare (Signature of Officer)
Lieut. Col.

Date Dec 31st 1914.

C.E.F. REGIMENTAL DOCUMENTS

NAME DARCUS, RICHARD, JAMES REGT. No. LIEUT UNIT 3 C M R H. Q. FILE No.

CONTENTS	DATE RECEIVED	TO WHOM FORWARDED	DATE FORWARDED	M. F. W. 2505 REFERENCE	NON-EFFECTIVE BY
ATTESTATION PAPER (M.F.W. 23, 133 or 51)					DEATH
CASUALTY FORM (M.F.W. 54 or A.F.B. 103)					CATEGORY
TRAINING HISTORY SHEET (M.F.W. 113)					
FIELD CONDUCT SHEET (M.F.W. 178 or A.F.B. 122)				C2258	
REGT. CONDUCT SHEET (M.B.W. 263 or A.F.B. 120)		M			
COMPANY CONDUCT SHEET (M.F.B. 263A or A.F.B. 121)					
MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET (M.F.B. 313 or A.F.B. 173)					DISCHARGE
DENTAL HISTORY SHEET (M.F.B. 465)					CATEGORY
MEDICAL REPORT (M.F.B. 227 or A.F.B. 179)					
MEDICAL EXAMINATION (M.F.W. 129)				H	
TRANSFER CLOTHING STATEMENT (M.F.W. 97 or D.O.S. 2)					M U.
PROCEEDINGS, COURT OF INQUIRY (M.F.B. 303 or A.F.A. 2)		H			
DECLARATION, COURT OF INQUIRY (M.F.B. 259 or A.F.B. 115)					DESERTION
LAST PAY CERTIFICATE (M.F.W. 44)					
PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE (M.F.W. 218 or A.F.B. 268)					
PARTICULARS OF CHARACTER (A.F.W. 3226)					
COPY OF PARCHMENT DISCHARGE CERTIFICATE (M.F.W. 39A)					
CARDS					
PAY-SHEETS					

M.F.W. 2589
20M-4-46 (9113)
H.Q. 1772-39-1377

Reg. No. ..... Name Darcus R. 4

Rank Lieut Corps 2 4 Cl R Age 2-4 Service 6 5/12 4 10/12 7 15/12

Ledger No. ..... Serial No. .....

HOSPITALS	DATE	DIAGNOSIS
Evacuation Hospital No. 11	27.6.19	G.S.W. Lt. Thigh OS
Dis. 4 C R	31.1.20	
Am. Expeditionary Mil. Train (4 C R)	3.2.20	G.S.W. Lt. Thigh
Dis. 4 C R	15.2.20	

P. T. O.

HOSPITALS	DATE	DIAGNOSIS

M. F. W. 2553.
75M.—9-19.
1772-39-1332.

NAME Darges Richard James REGT. No.

RANK AND UNIT Lieut 2nd C.M.R.

NEXT OF KIN

CABLE	
No.	DATE

NATURE OF CASUALTY

M. F. W. 42—100M.—8-18.
H.Q. 1772 39-893

LIST No.	HOSPITAL	DATE OF ADMISSION	REMARKS
1105 (21)	Horton Co. Lunatic Asylum Epsom	4-10-18	GSW L Groin
1104 (61)	20 Gen Comers	4-10-18	GSW L Groin
115-9 (61)	Con Con officers Mallockpath	1-12-18	" " "
1162. (21)	Granville Can. Spec. Buxton.	10-12-18	" " "
1313	Disch	10-6-19	" " "

REGT'L NO

NAME Darcus, Richard James

H. Q. FILE No. 649-

RANK AND CORPS Lieut. 2nd b. M. P. (formerly 6. Sqd 3rd M. R.)

FOLLOWS

CABLE

No.	Date	Ire.	NATURE OF CASUALTY	FOLLOWS
M1776	13-4-17		Adm. to #7 Stat. Hosp. Boulogne April 10/17 G.S.W. cheek slt.	
M5447	26-5-17		Wounded accidently May 22nd. 1917	
M5494	28-5-17		Prev. rep. wounded accidentally now wounded accidentally remaining at duty May 22/17	
M.6306.	4-3. 5-11-17.		Reported wounded. Oct. 30th. 1917	
M. 6322	6-1 10-11-17		Adm 14 Cas clear. Stat. Nov 4th 1917. Gun S.W. back severe	
0/5167	3-9 5-10-18		Rept lost Sept 29th 1918	

L. E. Jon 8836—M. & D. 146.

M.F. W. 42—25M —4-10-16.
H. Q. 1772-39-893.

LIST No	HOSPITAL	DATE OF ADMISSION	REMARKS
540 (3)	#9 Can. Fld. Amb. trans. to Dis. Rest Stat.	13-11-16	P. U. O
541	Rep. from Base Rej. Unit	17-11-16	P. U. O.
647 (4)	#7 Stat., Boulogne	10-4-17	G.S.W. chest slt.
653 (2)	Disch. to duty	12-4-17	G.S.W. chest
685	Rep. from Base	22-5-17	Wounded accidentally
686	Rec'd. rep. wounded accid.	22-5-17	now rep. wounded accid. at duty
822-1	Rep. from Base wounded	30-10-17	G.S.W. Back sev
825 (2)	No 47 Gen, Boulogne	5-11-17	" " " (Can. Contingent)
839 (3)	C.C.S. Prince of Wales Hospt, Marylebone	N.D. 21-11-17	" " " "
926 (2)	Died.	31/12/17	
1103 (1)	Rep from Base	29-9-18	Wounded

R. 149.

Name DARCUS Richard James. *Rank* Lieut. *Reg. No.*

Unit 2nd CMR. (Formerly 108183 Sgt)

Next of Kin Solomon H.Darcus, Valetta House, Kingstown, Ireland.

Date 1916	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
13-11	8 Can. Fld. Amb. Trans. to D.R.S.		P.U.O.	540		
17-11 16	Rejoined Unit			541		
10.4 17	7 SH B'logne	gsw cheek slt		647	H 17/6 C	13/4
12.4.17	y Disch. to Duty			653		
22.5.17	Rep. from Base	Wounded. Acc.		685	M.5447.	
22-5-17	Now Wdd acc. at duty			686	C.6886 M.5443	

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List

Date		Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. A.

R. 149.

Name DARCUS Rank Lieut. Reg. No.
Richard James
Unit 2nd CMR
Next of Kin Soloman H. Darcus, Valetta House
Kingstown, Ireland.

Date 1917	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
30-10	Rep. from Base.	WOUNDED		822	M6306	5-11
5-11 17	14 Gen Hos Boulogne	GSW Back sev		825	6/12/ M-6322	
21-11 17	Prince of Wales Hos Nw Ex Hs (Bdmd)			829		
31-12-17	Discharged (100%)			9th		

Form DMS 1401.

A. & D. CARD

BRANVILLE CANADIAN ... REGISTRATION ... 10 DEC 1918 ... OFFICE ... BUXTON

HOSPITAL.

AT

A. & D. No. T 506 PL. OF ACTION

RANK Lieut REG. No. — UNIT 2 C.M.R. SICK OR WOUNDED

NAME Dareus R.J. AGE 24 RELIGION C of E

PLACE IN HOSPITAL P.A.

DIAGNOSIS G.S.W. to Hip.

ADMITTED 10 DEC 1918 FROM C.C.O.H. Matlock Bath

DISCHARGED 10/6/19 TO H.M.A.T. Essequibo

TRANSFERRED

SERVICE AT HOME 4 8/12 IN FIELD 2 8/12

RESULTS

(See Document Card for M.H. Sheet and other Documents.)

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P.T.O.

REMARKS.

Form R. 149.

Name DARCUS Rank LIEUT Reg. No.

Unit Richard [redacted] James
2nd CMR

Next of Kin Solomon H. Darcus. Daletta House Jaingstown Ireland

Date 1918	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
29-9	Reported from Base	(KI279)			C 15.6.2	
		WOUNDED		1103	✓	6/10
H-10	20 Gen Hs Camers	(100) GSW R Groin	Slt	1104 ✓		
H-10	Horton (Goofhm) Wan Hs Epsom	✓ sev		1105		
	Ex A.S. 7001					
7-12	Cambrwell Hs Matlock 7001	——		1159 ✓		
10-12	Granby Spec Hs Buxton 7001	——		1162	Struck off	
10-6	Discharged 7003	——		1313		21/3

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K C.		W.O. List

C.

649-R-7626. Auth: L.O. 21219 R/S 8-3-19

11. CARD NO. Area

SURNAME. Darcus.

CHRISTIAN NAMES Richard. James.

REGL. No. 108183. RANK Acting Corpl. Temp Sergt 2-2-16 D.D.

UNIT 3rd C.M.R. 2nd C. M. R.

FORMER CORPS Nil.

S.O.S. 31-1-20 med. unfit D.O. 33pl 2/2/20

NEXT OF KIN.

NAMES IN FULL Darcus. Solomon. A.

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER not stated.

ADDRESS Valetta House. Ringstown Ire.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

106116 Sh 18. 218 & not 14.4.18 a/c 1.10.6.20 copy H 3

COUNTRY OF BIRTH Ireland DATE Aug 11th 1894

PLACE OF ATTESTATION Medicine Hat. Alta. DATE Dec 31st 1914.

O/S-19-6-15- 110/3

R/C 21-6-19, 349/1.

L. L. 94504. M. & D. 6512. Auth for trans M.1776-13-4-17. M. F. W. 22. 250M.—2-16. H. Q. 1772-39-339.

From Montreal per S.S. "Megantic" 12/6/15

MARRIED SINGLE Yes WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING Bank Clerk RELIGION Church of England.

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE 20. YEARS 5. MONTHS

HEIGHT 5. FEET 9 3/4 INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT 35. INCHES EXPANSION 3 INCHES

COMPLEXION Dark. EYES Blue. HAIR Black.

DISTINGUISHING MARKS Not Stated.

MEDICAL EXAMINATION. PLACE Medicine Hat, Alta DATE Dec. 31st, 1914.

Present Address, Not Stated

Prom to Temp Lieut. - 13/11/16 Auth 2nd G.M.R. B9 Pt II 82.

No 3250 RANK Pte NAME Marcus R. J

T. O. S. 31/12/14
D. O 2 - 2/1/15 UNIT 3rd C. M. R.

M. D. / 3

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
1914	1915			
Dec 31	Jan 31	✓		
Feb		✓	Prom L/Corpl 2/2/15	D. O 33. — 2/2/15
Mar		✓		
April.		✓		
May.		✓		
June.		✓		

UNIT SAILED
JUN 12 1915

Number..... Rank LIEUT.....

Surname DARCUS.....

Christian Name RICHARD JAMES.....

Units..... Theatre of War FRANCE.....

Date of Service 15.5.15 22.9.15 10.6.19.....

Remarks.....

1st C.O.R.

Latest Address ~~C/o S.S.R. Victoria B.C.~~

C/o Bank of Commerce.....

Douglas & Bays St

Victoria B.C.

Roll No B Page 9378

DESP NOV 11 19
REQN. NO. 96890

*Name Darcus Richard J Rank Lieut Regtl. No. Fyle Depot 12328

Original unit Present unit 2nd C.M.R. M. or S. Age Religion Ref. H.Q.

Port, ship, and date of arrival Esquimalt

Next of kin Mother, Mrs W. Darcus. Valetta House. Kingston. Ireland.

Address on leave

Address on discharge Canadian Bank of Commerce. Victoria B.C.

Transportation issued Yes / No Date Character on discharge

Previous occupation Bank Clerk. Date and place of enlistment Medicine Hat. 31.12.14.

Diagnosis Complete lesion left sciatic nerve Date of Medical Boards 30.1.20

MEDICALLY UNFIT date 31.1.20 30.33.3d 4.2.3.20

Date.	Remarks.	Pt. 2 Order No.
JUN 30 1919	T.O.S. from O/seas 11/6/19 Posted to Hosp. Sect. 27/6/19 Leave 12/7/19	181/2a
27.6.19	Posted to Esquimalt. HCDO	146.10/9.
	14 days Labs. allt. 7f.	146.10/21
2/2/20	S.O.S. MEDICALLY UNFIT 31.1.20	33.2a.

*—Name will be given in full; surname first.

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Date	Remarks.	Pt. 2 Order No.

M.F.W. 192.
233-D.P.-200M-3-19.
1772-39-1243.

D. M. S. 1347.

Surname	Christian Name	Reg. No.
DARCUS	R. J.	22-2-1-D.

Rank	Unit
Lieut.	2nd. C. M. R.

MEDICAL BOARD held at	Date	Serial No.
London Area	28-12-17.	
(1) do.	1-3-18.	
Other Medical Boards at	Date	Serial No.
(2) Seaford.	2-4-18.	
Witley Area	3-6-18.	
(3) do.	3-7-18.	
(4) Buxton Area	12-5-19	
(5)		

Condition found by Board
S.W.Back Penetrating Chest. Comp.Lesion lt. Sciatic Nerve.

Disposition Recommended

(1) Unfit lt.Duty 2 months, Unfit Home ser.3 months, Unfit Gen.ser.4 months.

(2) Fit lt.Duty, unfit Home ser. 1 month, unfit Gen. ser. 2 months.

(3) Fit Home Serv.Unfit Gen.Serv. 2 months.

(4) Fit Home ser.unfit Garr.Duty.Gen.ser.1 month Fit for General service.

(5) Unfit any service 6 months, returned to Hospital in Canada.

PENSIONS & CLAIMS BOARD held at Date.....

Disposition

To Canada per HMAT "Essequibo" v.L'pool.10-6-19.

Remarks

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

Indicate by a P.T.O. if continued on other side.

Darcus. R. J.

Lieut. 2nd. C.M.R.

No. 8. Can. Fld. Amb. to.
Div. Rest Station. 13-11-16.
No. 7. Sta. Hosp. Boulogne. 10-4-17.
No. 14 General Hospital, Boulogme 5-11-17.
H.S.to Prince of Wales Hospital. 21-11-17.
No.20 General Hospital,Camiers 4-10-18
H.S.to Horton War Hospital, Epsom 4-10-18.
Canadian Conval.Offs.Hosp.Matlock 7-12-18
Granville Can.Special Hosp.Buxton 10-12-18

P.U.O.

GSW. Cheek. slt.
Reported from Base Wounded Acc.:-22-5-17
Now reported Wounded/at Duty:-22-5-17
Reported from Base, Wounded:-30-10-17.

G.S.W.Back sev.
R.F.B., Wounded:-29-9-18.
G.S.W.lt.Groin slt.

Rejoined unit:-. 17-11-16.

Dis. to duty:-. 12-4-17.
Discharged:-31-12-17.

C.L. 6-12-16. 540-3. do. 10-6-19.

7-12-16. 541.
13-4-17. 64 7-4. C.L. 4-10-18 1103.
20-4-17. 65302. 5-10-18 1104-6.
28-5-17 685 7-10-18 1105-2.
29-5-17 686 9-12-18 1159-3
5-11-17 822. 12-12-18 1162-2.
8-11-17 825-2. 15-6-19. 1313.
24-11-17 839-3.
8-3-18 926-2

FORM R. 150a.
No. 1m. 10/7/18 D. 313

Rank and Name Lieut Darcus RJ

Continuation Sheet No. 2

Report Date	Report From whom received	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
			D	Corp	
3·2·19	2CMR	Sold Establishment		3·2·19	Pt. 9
8·3·19	WO	awarded the MC			LG 31219 & LG 31583 9/4 10/19.
		Sailed for Canada		10·6·19	L. H 504
20·6·19.	1st C.O.R.O.	S.O.S. to C.E.F. in Canada.		10·6·19.	P II 126

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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					

Rank ~~2/Cpl~~ 6pl Name **DARCUS Richard James** Reg'l No. 6 3 108184 R—122.

Unit **3rd C.M.R.** If in perm. Corps, What Unit? Married or Single **Single**

Place and Date of Enlistment **Medicine Hat,Alta.31st Dec14** Place of Birth **Ireland.**

Name and Address, Next-of-Kin **Solomon H.Darcus,Valetta House,Kingston,Ireland.**

Relationship

Assigned Pay Monthly $ Payable to

Relationship

Separation Allowance $ Payable to

Relationship

Discharge, Date and Place Reason Character

Report Date	Report From whom received	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
19-7-15	O.C. 3	abs. 13.7/15-16.7/15.	Shorncliffe	19-7-15	Part 2 orders No. 164
1-9-5	"	Forfeits 4 days pay	"	28-8-15	Letter, 01156
14-9-15	"	Provisional L/Cpl	Med. Hat.	2-2-15	Part 2 No 33
		Embarked for France.		2 SEP 1915	
29-1-16	O/C 3rd CMR per 2nd in Cmd	Trans 2nd CMR	France	2-1-16	Pt II No 5
"		Taken on Strength	"	3-1-16	" "
31.7.16.	do.	appt. A/Sgt. with pay.	"	1.7.16.	— 30.
14.8.16.	do.	promt. Cpl.	"	1.6.16.	- 32.
11.10.16	do	Revert to 6pl.	"	22.9.16	— 38.
		Temp Lieut posted to 2 Battn CMR.		13-11-16	R.R.G. D 472 Pt. I Ord 82/2 C.M.R

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				
25/11/16	2 CMR	promoted Sergeant	Field	9/10/16	Pay Ord 78

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Rank Pte Name DARCUS Richard James Reg'l No. 108184

If in perm. Corps, What Unit?

Unit 3rd C.M.R. Married or Single Single

Place and Date of Enlistment Medicine Hat, Alta. 31st Dec14 Place of Birth Ireland.

Name and Address, Next-of-Kin Solomon H. Darcus, Valetta House, Kingston, Ireland.

Relationship

Assigned Pay Monthly $ 15. (1.8.15) Payable to Mrs M. H. Darcus, Valetta House Kingston Ireland

Relationship

Separation Allowance $ Payable to

Entered in C.E. Card Index

Checked by

Relationship

Discharge, Date and Place Reason Character

FEB 18 1918 CANADIAN CONTINGENTS

Date From	Date To	PAY No. of Days	PAY Rate	PAY Amount	Field Allowance No. of Days	Field Allowance Rate	Field Allowance Amount	Other Credits	Total Credits	Voucher No.	Voucher Date	Cash Payments	Assigned pay	Other Charges	Total Debits	Balance	Remarks, Casualties, etc.
1.7.15	31.7.15	31	1.05	32 55	31	10	3 10	55	36 20			27 50		4 40	31 90	4 30	Back Pay 55c D.O. 164 4 days pay
								Ex 74	74						5 04	
1.8.15	31.8.15	31	1.05	32 55	31	10	3 10		35 65			14 60	15	29 60	29 60 31 a	11 09	
1.9.15	30.9.15	30	1.05	31 50	30	10	3		34 50			9 43	15		24 43	20 86	
1.10.15	31.10.15	31	1.05	32 55	31	10	3 10		35 65			5 22	15		20 22	36 29	
1 Nov	30	30	1.05	31 50	30	10	3		34 50			5 29	15		20 29	50 50	
1 Dec	31	31	1.05	32 55	31	10	3 10		35 65			26 30	15		41 30	44 85	
Jan 1916	31	31	1.05	32 55	31	10	3 10		35 65			17 57	15		32 57	47 93	2nd C.M.R. Battn. CAS.
1 Feb.	29	29	1.05	30 45	29		2 90		33 35			5 23	15		20 23	61 05	
March	31	31	1.05	32 55	31	10	3 10		35 65			7 84	15		22 84	73 86	
		275		288 75			27 50	1 29	317 54			119 28	120	44	240 68		

Carried forward to Large Ledger sheet

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						

Form P. 812
3m. 20/12/17

(Darcus)

F.H.

C.R. FILE NO.

ASSIGNED PAY and/or SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

Payable to Mrs. M. H. DARCAS,

Address Valletta House,
Kingston, Ireland.

Name DARCAS, R. J.

From Canada: No. 108183 Rank Capt. Unit 3rd CMR

Rank	Authority	Unit
Lieut.	18/19 Lg 108 r 1/17	3 CMR

ASSIGNED PAY

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" 15.00 " 1/1/17

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Month	Cheque No.	Assigned Pay	Amount Separation Allce.	Total A.P. and S.A.	REMARKS
JAN. 191					
FEB.	1944r	30		30	
MARCH	r359r	15		15	
APRIL	r639	15		15	
MAY	5640	15		15	
JUNE	8636	15		15	
JULY	1r148	15		15	
AUG.	16700	15		15	
SEPT.	r0910	15		15	
OCT.	r5r06	15		15	
NOV.	r9688	15		15	
DEC.	33671	15		15	
JAN.	38r07	15		15	
FEB.	1255	15	—	15	
MARCH	3551	15	—	15	
APRIL	1206	15	—	15	
MAY	3704	15	—	15	
JUNE	6113	15	—	15	
JULY	8526	15	—	15	
AUG.	10909	15	—	15	
		300			

Name Nowers, R J Rank Pte.

Unit

Month	Cheque No.	Assigned Pay	Separation Allowance	Total A.P. and S.A.
Forward		300		
SEPT.	13375	15		15
OCT.	16141	15	—	15
NOV.	18640	15	—	15
DEC.	20580	15	—	15
JAN. 1919	23433	15		
FEB.	26845	15		
MARCH	29114	15		
APRIL	1076	15	—	
MAY	3341	15		
JUNE	pd 21/5/19. 4218	15	450	
JULY				
AUG.	pd 14.8.19 8867	30		
SEPT.				
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To whom Mrs May Helen Darcas.

Address Valetta House
Kingstown
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Date to Commence 1st August 1915.

By whom assigned Darcas R.J.

Regtl. No. 3251 118183(?) 108183.

Rank L/Cpl.

Corps, &c. 3rd C.M.R.

PAYMENTS.

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.		REMARKS
Aug.	1914				
Sept.					
Oct.					
Nov.					
Dec.					
Jan.	1915				
Feb.					
March					
Apl.					
May					
June					
July					
Aug.		26097	15		
Sept.		37520	15	✓	
Oct.		51040	15	✓	
Nov.		66543	15	✓	
Dec.		83049	15	✓	
Jan.	1916				
Feb.			$ 75		Carried forward.
March					

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ASSIGNED PAY.

By whom assigned Dareas, R.J.

Regtl. No. 2251 L. Cpl. 3rd C.M.R.

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.		Pay Sheet	REMARKS.
		2nd	75			
Jan.	1916	102535	15	✓		
Feb.		125570	15	✓		
March		143989	15	✓		
Apl.		4671	15	✓		
May.		30573	15	✓		
June		58[illegible]	15	✓		
July		93077	15	✓		
Aug.		126536	15	✓		
Sept.		151105	15	✓		
Oct.		195169	15	✓		
Nov.	2nd ✓	231622	15	✓		
Dec.		271635	15	✓		
Jan.	1917		$ 225			Payment Stopped A 3 M Form.
Feb.						
March						
Apl.						
May						28.12.16.
June						Lcm. Eff.
July						Pte.
Aug.						
Sept.						
Oct.						
Nov.						
Dec.						

Sheet 2.

SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM (Part I).

Army Form B.103—I. Part I.

(1)*Substantive rank Temp Lieut M.C

*Acting rank

*(To be entered in pencil to facilitate alteration.)

(2) Regiment or Corps

(3) Regtl. No.

(4) Surname Darcus

(5) Christian Names Richard James

(6) Army Form, number of, Attestation Form or Record of Service paper

(7) Whether of British or of Alien origin (*vide* A.C.I. 578 of 1918)

(8) Date of birth as stated on enlistment

(9) (*a*)

(10) Enlistment (*b*)

(11) Engagement (*c*)

(12) Service reckons from (*date*)

(13) Special conditions (if any) of enlistment (*d*)

(14) Any subsequent variations (if any) of conditions of service

(Authority) (*date*)

Initials and Rank of an Officer.

(15) Category	Date	Medical Authority	Initials and Rank of an Officer

(16) Record of Occupation in Civil life (*vide* Army Order 93 of 1917)

Industrial Group No.

Trade or Calling

Married or Single

Particulars of Trade Test

Occupation Cards despatched on (*date*)

Second Occupation Card despatched on (*date*)

(17) Next of Kin

(18) Demobilizer (*f*)

(19) Pivotal-man (*f*)

(20) Qualifications (*g*)

(Place)

(Date)

or (21) Corps trade and rate

Signature of Posting Officer

(22) Extended

(23) Re-engaged

(24) Miscellaneous entries:—

NOTES.—(a) Here enter particulars of any subsequent claim as to actual age after verification by birth certificate (*vide* A.C.I. 470 of 1918). (b) Whether direct or [illegible] enlistment, or called up under the Military Service Acts. (c) Whether for specified term of years or for duration of the war. (d) Whether "for Home Service only," or "not to be transferred without the soldier's consent," &c. (e) If to be retained on Home Service, period, if specified, to be stated, also authority, and on what grounds. (f) Required for demobilization purposes. (g) Signaller, Shoeing-smith, &c.

Army Form B. 103 (II.) to be gummed on here, if required.

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Sheet 2.

(A) Report Date	(A) Report From whom received	(B) Authority of Part II. of Orders	(C) Record of promotions, appointments, reductions, casualties, transfers, postings, &c. All acting as well as substantive promotions to be shown, for method of entry of which see A.C.I. 1816 of 1917. Corps and unit to which transferred and posted to be invariably named	(D) Place of casualty	(E) Date of promotion, reduction, reversion, casualty, &c.	(F) Remarks, and initials and rank of an officer
24.4.18	1st. CoRD		J.OS. on Trans. from B.C.R. + det. to 3rd Res. Bn.		24.4.18	Pt. II, ord 116
28.4.18 10.6.20	3rd. Res Bn		Attd. from Depot 3rd Res. Bn. 11 Sth Pt 20.0. 25 1/18 is amended to read		25.4.18 19-2-18	Pt 2 after Order nos 115 + 1193rd Res. amended 2/10 6/20
8.5.18	HQ. C.B.D.		Proto. from B.C.R. to 1st. CoRD		18.2.18	R.O. 3991
10.7.18	1st. CoRD		Leaves det. 3rd Res. + S.OS. to Bat units		3.7.18	Pt. II ord. 189 + Pt. II 193 3rd Res Bn
23.8.18	3rd. Res Bn		S.OS. to 2nd. CMR.	France	23.8.18	" 235
30.8.18	2nd CMR		J.OS. from England		23.8.18	" 90
4.10.18	CAMS		Reported from Base wounded		29.9.18	G.S. 1103
5.10.18	AMS		Admn. 20 Gen. Hos.	Canada	4.10.18	" 1104 Gsw. L. Groin Slight
15.10.18	2nd CMR.		Invalided Wounded + det. 1st CoRD		3.10.18	Pt. II, ord 110
10.10.18	1st. CoRD		J.OS. on Evacuation		4.10.18	" 281
7.10.18	CAMS.		Admn. Norton Lounty of London War Hos. Epsom	do		G.S. 1108
23.10.18	1st. CoRD		Dett. to C.D.S. Bexhill		14.10.18	Pt. II, ord 294
3.2.19	2nd CMR		S.OS. + Estab.		3.2.19	do 9
8.3.19	A.D.		awarded the M.C.			L.G. 31219

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Capt.
Major,
For Asst. Mil. Sec. Can.

10/6/19. Invalided to Canada

For MAJOR General,
Adjutant General, Canadians.

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SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM (Part I).

Army Form B.103—I. Part I.

CERTIFIED CORRECT JUN. 19[illegible] CANADIAN RECORD OFFICE

(1)*Substantive rank	Temp. Lieut	M.C.	(2) Regiment or Corps
*Acting rank			
*(To be entered in pencil to facilitate alteration.)			
(4) Surname	Dancus		
(5) Christian Names	Richard	James	
(6) Army Form, number of, Attestation Form or Record of Service paper			3rd C. M. R. Bn
(7) Whether of British or of Alien origin (*vide* A.C.I. 578 of 1918)			
(8) Date of birth as stated on enlistment	11th Aug. 1894		
(9) (*a*)			

(3) Regtl. No.

(10) Enlistment (*b*) 31. 12. 14

(11) Engagement (*c*)

(12) Service reckons from (*date*)

(13) Special conditions (if any) of enlistment (*d*)

(14) Any subsequent variations (if any) of conditions of service

(Authority) (*date*)

Initials and Rank of an Officer.

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(17) Next of Kin

(18) Demobilizer (*f*) (Place)

(19) Pivotal-man (*f*) (Date)

(20) Qualifications (*g*) *or* (21) Corps trade and rate

Signature of Posting Officer

(22) Extended

(23) Re-engaged

(24) Miscellaneous entries:—

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(A) Report		(B)	(C)	(D)		(F)
Date	From whom received	Authority for Part II. Orders	Record of promotions, appointments, reductions, casualties, transfers, postings, &c. All acting as well as substantive promotions to be shown, for method of entry of which see A.C.I. 1816 of 1917. Corps and unit to which transferred and posted to be invariably named	Place of casualty	Date of promotion, reduction, reversion, casualty, &c.	Remarks, and initials and rank of an officer
			Embarked for France		22.9.15	
29.1.16	3rd Cmk		Trans. to 2nd Cmk.	France	2.1.16	Pte. to Ord 5
do	2nd Cmk.		S. of S.	do	3.1.16	do 5
31.7.16	do		Appd. acting Sgt. with pay	do	1.7.16	do 30
14.8.16	do		Promoted Cpl	do	1.6.16	do 32
11.10.16	do		Reverts to Cpl	do	22.9.16	do 59
25.11.16	do		Promoted Sergt	do	9.10.16	do 27
			To Ire Temp. Depot & Posted to 2nd Cmk Bn		13.11.16	R.L. 9 0 4/2 Pte. to Ord 82-2nd Cmk Longeay 7/1/17 R.O. 1310 3 Div.
6.12.16	D.C.S.		Adm. to V.D. & Trans. to Div. Rest Station		13.11.16	C.F. 540 P.U.O.
7.12.16	do		Reported from Base rejoined Unit		14.11.16	C.F. 541
10.2.17	2nd Cmk		Granted 10 days leave from		3.2.17	Pte. to Ord. 15
13.4.17	C.R.O.		Adm. to Stat. Hos.	Boulogne	10.4.17	C.F. 647 Gsw Chest
			Discharged to duty		12.4.17	C.F. 653
26.5.17	do		Reported from Base. "Accidentally Wounded"		25.5.17	C.F. 685
29.5.17	do		Previously "Acc. Wounded" Now "Acc. wd at duty"		22.5.17	C.F. 686
25.10.17	2nd Cmk		Granted 10 days Leave of absence		7.10.17	Pte. to Ord 118
3.11.17	C.R.O.		Reported from Base wounded		30.10.17	C.F. 822
7.11.17	do		Adm. to Gen. Hos.	Boulogne	5.11.17	C.F. 838 Gsw. Back severe
4.12.17	2nd Cmk		Invalided Wounded & dest. to C.C.R.		21.11.17	Pte. to Ord. 132
24.11.17	B.C.R.D.		Dest having been Adm. Hos. in Eng.		23.11.17	" 250
4.3.18	do		Reported from leave & dest. to 1st Res.		2.3.18	" 524
21.3.18	2nd Cmk		S.S. & dest. absent from unit over 14 months		21.3.18	" 26.
26.[illegible]18	B.C.R.D		Ceases dest. 1st Res. on being Trans. to 1st C.O.R.		18.4.18	" 101

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Army Form B. 103. Regimental Number.....

Casualty Form—Active Service

Regiment or Corps 2nd Bn CMR

Rank Sgt Surname Dawes Christian Name Richard James

Religion..... Age on Enlistment.....years.....months

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

Date of promotion to present rank 18/4/16 L/C 2/4/17 Date of appointment to lance rank.....

Extended {.....} Re-engaged {.....} Qualification (b).....

or Corps Trade and Rate.....

Occupation..... .....Signature of Officer.

CERTIFIED CORRECT 18 DEC 17 CANADIAN RECORD OFFICE

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Report Date	Report From whom received	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., 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 of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or other official documents
		Embarked ...			
		Disembarked...			
14-4-17	OCunit	Wounded in Action	Field	9-4-17	B213 8Co 317.
26-5-17.	"	Wounded still at Duty (Accdl)	"	22-5-17	B213 8Co 312.
18-8-17.	"	To Gen. Course at 1st Army	School	12-8-17.	B. 213.
22-9-17.	-do-	Returned from Course	Field	17-9-17.	B. 213.
13-10-17.	do	Granted 10 days leave to	England	7-10-17	Pt. II 114. 5-28/10/17
27.10.17	"	Ret'd from leave	Fuces	19.10.17	B213
2.11.17	GHQ. 2nd Army	wounded in action	"	30.10.17	Cd. 1157 + B213 3/11/17.
1.11.17	3 Can. CCS	Ret'd Back. admnd	CCS	30.10.17	B196
5.11.17.	14 Gen.	" admn	14 Gen.	5.11.17	B2137
6.11.17.	2 Can. CCS.	" 30.11.17. to	12 A.T.	5.11.17	B4991

(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) Signaller, Shoeing-Smith, &c.

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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 of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
21-11-17	14 Gen.	Wounded. Invalided & Detached to BCRD. Seaford. per AS	"Princess Elizabeth"	21.11.17	W 3083/4396 Pte W. 132 of 4.12.17.
					for Lt. Col., A.A.G. Canadian Section, G.H.Q. 3rd Echelon, B.E.F.
27.11.17	BCRD	20S Admd to Lof W. Hosp Marylebone	Seaford	21.11.17	D.O 250. C.L. 839. 23.11.17.
9.1.18	"	Boarded Unfit G.S. 4 Months 2 Months Leave	"	28.12.17	D.O 7.
					For O.C. B.C. REGL. DEPOT.
4-3-18	BCRD.	Detached to 1st Reserve Bn	Seaford	2-3-18	20 54 1st Reserve Bn
					For O.C. B.C. REGL. DEPOT.
5/3/18	1st Res Bn	Attached from BCRD	Seaford	2/3/18	1st Res Bn D.O. 54.
25.4.18	1st Res Bn	Ceases to be attch from BCRD.	Seaford.	24.4.18	Pte D.O 99. for Captain Adjutant, 1st Canadian Reserve Battalion
4.3.18	B.C.R.D.	Boarded 1 mths Light duty	Seaford	1.3.18	
2.4.18	" "	Boarded 2 mths Home Service	"		
26.4.18	" "	20S on transfer to 1st C.O.R.D	"	24.4.18	
					For O.C. B.C. REGL. DEPOT

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Army Form A. 45A.

Confidential.

To be used in cases of wounds or injuries received in action.
(For instructions for preparing this report see back of form.)

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD assembled by order of A.D.MS. LONDON AREA.

for the purpose of examining and reporting on the present state of a wound or injury sustained by LT. Richard James DARCUS

at (Place of injury) PASSCHENDAELE. on the (Date of injury) 30-10-17.

The Board find wounded by H.E. fragment penetrating chest at above place and date. M.C.S. wound excised (6" crescent) rib excised. F.B.not found. Pleural cavity irrigated and closed.

Pres.Cond. states that he feels pretty well but gets very short of breath on slight exertion. Has had a slight cough since being wounded, still slightly troublesome in a.m. no expextoration.

Exam;- Somewhat pale and a worried expression. The swar as above is entirely healed, neither painful nor tender.

Percussion Resonance is impaired over Rt.lower lobe particularly behind and air entry is not equal to corresponding area left lung. No adventitious pounds.

Heart. Pulse 96 reg. rate vol rythm. Heart normal size, position sounds.

No other disability.

[P.T.O.

The opinion of the Board upon the questions below is as follows:—

	Replies		
	As to first wound	As to second wound (if any)	As to third wound (if any)
1.—Has the officer lost an eye or a limb; or has he permanently lost the use of an eye or a limb; or is the injury equivalent to the loss of a limb, and permanent, or likely to be permanent? (Articles 639 to 644 of the Royal Warrant for Pay, &c.)	No		
2.—If the case does not come under the category 1:— (*a*) Was the injury, in the first instance, very severe in character? (*b*) Are its effects still very severe?	No		
3.—If the case is classified under category 2, are the effects of the injury permanent, or likely to be permanent? (Article 646.)	No		
4.—Injuries that do not come under the above categories should be classified here, making use of the following terms:—*severe* or *slight* and *permanent* or *not permanent*, as the case may be.	Severe not permanent.		
5.—For what period, calculated from the date of the wound or injury, is it probable that the officer will be incapacitated for military duty by such wound or injury?	4 months.		

I concur in the opinion of the Board recorded above.
Captain, D.A.D.M.S. for D.M.S. Canadians.

Signatures: S.H.McCoy Maj. CAMC.
G.H.Wilson Maj. CAMC.
L.W.MacNutt Maj.CAMC.

Station 13 Berners St. W.1.

Date 28-12-17

INSTRUCTIONS TO BE OBSERVED BY THE MEDICAL BOARD PREPARING THE REPORT.

1. On the occasion of an officer's first appearance before a medical board, the circumstances under which the wound or injury was sustained will be fully detailed.

2. If the injuries be more than one, they should be numbered and described separately; and should it be considered that, though only "severe" or "slight" in themselves, they represent together the equivalent of a single "very severe" injury, such an opinion may be expressed in the columns provided for that purpose.

3. **The board will not express any opinion, either to the Officer examined, or in their report, as to whether he is entitled to compensation, or as to the amount of it, nor will it inform the Officer how the wound or injury has been classified.**

4. **If an Officer makes any enquiry as to wound gratuity he should be told by the board that he should make application in writing to the Secretary of the War Office.**

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Confidential.

To be used in cases of wounds or injuries received in action;
(For instructions for preparing this report see back of form.)

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD assembled by order of
A. D. M. S. London Area
for the purpose of examining and reporting on the present state of a wound or injury sustained
by Lt. Richard James DARCUS
(Place of injury) Passchendaele on the (Date of injury) 30 X/17

The Board find Wounded by H. E. fragment, penetrating chest at above place & date.
M.C.S. Wound excised (6" crusent) rib excised
D.B. not found - Pleural cavity irrigated & closed.
Pres. Cond.: States that he feels pretty well but gets very short of breath on slightest exertion - Has had a slight cough since being wounded, still slightly troublesome in a.m. no expectoration -
Exam: Somewhat pale and a worried expression.
The scar as above is entirely healed, neither painful nor tender -
Percussion Resonance is impaired over Rt lower lobe particularly behind and air entry is not equal to corresponding area left lung.
No adventitious sounds.
Heart Pulse 96 reg. rate vol rhythm.
Heart Normal size, position, sounds.

No other disability

[P.T.O.

The opinion of the Board upon the questions below is as follows:—

	Replies		
	As to first wound	As to second wound (if any)	As to third wound (if any)
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2.—If the case does not come under the category 1:— (*a*) Was the injury, in the first instance, very severe in character? (*b*) Are its effects still very severe?	No		
3.—If the case is classified under category 2, are the effects of the injury permanent, or likely to be permanent? (Article 646.)	No		
4.—Injuries that do not come under the above categories should be classified here, making use of the following terms:—*severe* or *slight* and *permanent* or *not permanent*, as the case may be.	Severe not permanent		
5.—For what period, calculated from the date of the wound or injury, is it probable that the officer will be incapacitated for military duty by such wound or injury?	Four months		

I concur in the opinion of the Board recorded herein.
Captain, D.A.D.M.S. for Canadians, D.M.S.

Signatures: [illegible] may come
[illegible] W. of C. R.C.
[illegible]

Station 13 Berners St W 1

Date 28 XI 17

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

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Casualty Form—Active Service.

Unit, Regiment or Corps. 2n. C.M.R.

Regimental No. ..... Rank Lieut C. E. F. Name Dareus. R. J

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

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				
26/6.19	[illegible] Ottawa	T.O.S. C.E.F. in Canada on General Demobilization Invaliding	M.D. No. 11	10/6/19	C.E.F. [illegible] 2047-19
		W. Hunter Capt for Director Personal Services			
2.7.19.	Overseas.	T. O. S. District Depot XI.	Vancouver B.C.	11.6.19	D. O. Pt. II, 181. –
2.2.20	A.D.M.S. XI	S. O. S. District Depot XI. Medically unfit.	Victoria, B. C.	31.1.20	D. O. Pt. II, 33.2a.
					M. Buck Capt. for a.a. & q.m.g. m. D.XI.

(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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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				

Army Form B. 103. Regimental Number.....

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 2 Cmk.

Rank Lieut Surname Darcus Christian Name Richard James

Religion..... Age on Enlistment.....years.....months.

Enlisted (*a*)..... Terms of Service (*a*)..... Service reckons from (*a*).....

Date of promotion to present rank 15/11/16 L.G. 24/1/ Date of appointment to lance rank.....

Extended {.....} Re-engaged {.....} Qualification (*b*).....

or Corps Trade and Rate.....

.....Signature of Officer.

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31 AUG 1918
Canadian Record Office

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., 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 of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked ...			
		Disembarked...			
28.4.18	1st Corps	T.O.S. from B.C.R.D. attached to 3 Res	Witty	24.4.18	Pte to Do 16
			Witty Adjt for O.C. 1st C.C.R.D.		
25.4.18	06 3rd Res Bn	T.O.S. from 1st C.R.D.	Witty	25.4.18	Pte to Do 115
29.4.18	06 3rd Res Bn	Do 115 Amended to read attached from 1st C.R.D.	Witty	25.4.18	Pte to Do 119
11.7.18	06 3rd Res	Ceases to be attached to T.O.S. from 1st C.R.D.	Witty	3.7.18	Pte to Do 192

(*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*) Signaller, Shoeing-Smith, &c.

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[M1101] W6135/M768 1000m 9/16s 153/G & S Forms/B 103/4. E./354.

Lieut. Darcus. R. J.

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., 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 of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
23.V.18		Transferred to 2nd C. M. R. Bn	Witley	23.8.18	Pt II Bn. O. 225
					Lt. Col.
					O.C. 3rd RESERVE BN. C.E.F.
23-8-18.	CIBD.	Landed in France & T.O.S.	2 CMR.	23-8-18.	N.R.425.
		(Auth: War Off. Des. 121/Drfts/1/2085/M.S.5.R. 2/593/1 List. No. 273 d/19-8-18. File K.R.30565.)			Pt.II.90 d/30-8-18.
28-8-18.	"	Left for C.C.R.C.	Field.	28-8-18.	N.R.E.E.2581.
"	CCRC.	Joined.	"	28-8-18.	N.R.A/1334.
30-8-18.	"	Left for Unit.	"	30-8-18.	N.R.D/1502. K.R.100.
31.8.18	Unit	Joined	"	31.8.18	B158. Pt II q6 d.
1.10.18	33 CCS	Sick from & Rest	33 CCS	1.10.18	F5170
3.10.18	20 Gen	" Detached to 1st CORD.	Stat		W3083/6155
		Witley	Antwerpen	3.10.18	Pte O 110/18
					for Lt-Col., A. A. G.
					Canadian Section, G. H. Q. 3rd Echelon, B. E. F
10-10-18	1st CORD	SOS. on evac to Horton Mily Hosp	Witley	4-10-18	D0281
12-12-18	— : —	Transfd. to CCOS.	— : —	7-12-18	D0344
16-12-18	— : —	Transfd to G6 St.	— : —	10-12-18	D0348
21-3-19	— : —	Awarded MC	— : —	8-3-19	CR05396
					1st CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENTAL DEPOT

(9178)—Wt. W12165—2146.—1,250,000.—2-15.—C. & G. Forms B. 103/1. Army Form B. 103.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 3rd C. M. R. REGT.

Regimental No. ~~[illegible]~~ 3250 Rank ~~L/Cpl.~~ T/LIEUT. Name Richard James Darcus

Enlisted (a) ~~3/12/14~~ Terms of Service (a) Duration of War Service reckons from (a) ~~3/12/14~~ [redacted]

Date of promotion to present rank ~~21/1/16~~ 18/11/16. Date of appointment to lance rank A/G 21/1/17 Numerical position on roll of N.C.Os.

Extended Re-engaged Qualification (b)

CERTIFIED CORRECT 18 DEC 17 CANADIAN RECORD OFFICE

Report Date	Report From whom received	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.
		LANDED IN	FRANCE	22.9.15	
22/1/16	O/C 2nd C.M.R.	To 160 School	Greytown	17/1/16	B213.
19/12/15	War Office	Tfd to 2nd Bn.C.M.R. on reorganisation.	Field	2/1/16	122/Overseas/1322, S.O.2
"	"	Taken on strength 2nd Bn. C.M.R.	"	3/1/16	"
12/2/16	OC.Unit.	Returned from Command.	Unit.	11/2/16.	B.213.
10/6/16	"	Granted leave of absence 7/6/16-15/6/16			B213.
17/6/16	"	Returned from leave		16/6/16	B213.
8/7/16	"	On Com Def Gas Course		7/7/16	B213 DGS 194
15/7/16	"	Left from Command Unit		11/7/16	B213. DGS 194.
1/7/16	"	From Corporal		1/6/16	" Pt 2 orders 14/8/16.

(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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Lieut. R.J. Darcus.

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				
15/7/16	Oblmit	app a/Sergt. with pay		1/7/16	B 213 - Pt 2 / 31/7/16.
7/10/16	"	Reverts to Corporal		22/9/16	T.7373 - Pt 2 ord 58 - 11/10/16
18/11/16	"	Promoted Sergt.		1/10/16	B 213 - " " 78 - 25/11/16
"	46 Fa	admd Fld PUO	DRS	13/11/16	A 36 (1578) DCS 249 - 29/11/16
"	Oblmit	Rejoined Unit		13/11/16	B 213. - 250 - 2-12-16
13/11/16	GHQ	Granted Com as Temp Lieut	Lieut / Cm 18.11.16.	13/11/16	AG a/19257 - KD 181/618
2-12-16	Oblmit	P/c Dismd Training School		26-11-16	Pt 2 ord 82 - d/2/12/16
2/12/16	GHQ	Date of gazetting of Com to read from		18/11/16	Lieut Com appt'd 11/2 Pt 2 ord 88 - 20/12/16
9/12/16	Oblmit	Retd from Command		3/12/16	B 213.
3.2.17	do	Retd from ~~7th School~~ Command	Unit	29.1.17	B 213.
3.2.17	do	Granted 10 days leave of absence		3.2.17	B 213. S.R.O. No 15 d 10/2/17.
17.2.17	do	Returned from leave	Unit.	15.2.17	B 213 D.C.S 277 d 24/2/17.
16-4-17.	O.C CBD	taken on Strength from Hosp.	CBD.	16-4-17.	M.R.
10.4.17	46 Fa.	G.S.W. left cheek adm to	46 Fa. 9.4.17	10.4.17	3 Cas 36/23395 Dcs 299
10.4.17	7 Staty	G.S.W. Cheek	1 6 Fa. 7 Staty	10.4.17	W 3034/289
12.4.17.	7 Staty	-do- -do- to England.	—	12-4-17.	W 3034/293.
14.4.17.	18 CCo.	" " 10-4-17. to	5 Aust Train	10.4.17	436/E 3464 Dcs 309
28.4.17.	Oc unit	Returned from hospital	Unit.	23.4.17.	B 213 Dcs 309.
12/4/17	7 Staty.	G.S.W. Cheek to	duty	12/4/17	W 3034/338

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS
MINISTÈRE DES AFFAIRES DES ANCIENS COMBATTANTS

DEATH NOTIFICATION
AVIS DE DÉCÈS

TO:
À:

DATE 2 Jan 73

NAME
NOM DARCUS Richard J

Service No.
Matricule No Lieut CEF

CPC No.
CCP No 202842

WVA No.
AAC No

Information Received from:
Information reçue de: STMO CPC DVA DIST VI

Date of Death
Date du Décès 19 Dec 72

Place
Endroit Vet. Hosp, Victoria BC

Distribution: WSR-DASG
VI - ASS
~~XXXXX~~
HO - BC

Pour le chef,
for Chief, Central Registry Division.
Dépôt central des dossiers.

DVA 24 (Rev. 2/70) BIL.

10,000 bks.—John Rissen, Ltd.—3067/2/17—Forms W 3172/3.

Army Form W. 3172.
(In pads of 50.)

_____ Hospital.

Ward_____ No. of Bed_____ Date_____

Regt. No.	Rank and Name	Corps	Part to be X-Rayed
	Lieut DARCUS		

SHORT HISTORY OF CASE.
(To be completed by M.O. i/c case.)

Signature of M.O._____

Date_____

REPORT ON RESULT OF X-RAY EXAMINATION.
(To be completed by Radiographer.)

No. of Plate 1-58

R. D normal R.C slightly dull
H well to R. left C light normally
F.B. 1 cm. long ½ cm wide 3c m above
Right nipple in post chest wall-
not deep (about 1-2 in)

Signature of Radiographer J P Morton

Date 30/10/17

CANADIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

W.W.-11-44.
H.C.

Certificate of Service

ISSUED TO OFFICERS AND NURSING SISTERS

This is to Certify that (Rank) Lieutenant

(Name in full) Richard James BIRGUS M.C.

Enlisted in The 3rd Canadian Mounted Rifles as # 106135 (Private)

CANADIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, on the Thirty-first

day of December 1914 AND WAS APPOINTED to COMMISSIONED RANK

in The 2nd Canadian Mounted Rifles

CANADIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE on the Eighteenth day

of November 1916.

HE SERVED in CANADA, England and France with the 3rd Canadian Mounted Rifles., 2nd Canadian Mounted Rifles., British Columbia Regimental Depot., 1st Central Ontario Regimental Depot., and 3rd Res. Battalion.

and was STRUCK OFF THE STRENGTH on the thirty-first day

of January 1920 by reason of being Medically unfit

Dated at Ottawa, this thirtieth day

of July 1920

Wounded-9-4-17.
" -30-10-17.
" -1-10-18. 2.9.18.
Awarded the Military Cross., L.G., #31219, 8-5-19.

Capt.

for Director of Personal Services.

M. F. W. 2618a

10M.—3-20
1772-39-1428

H.S.

DEPARTMENT OF RADIOLOGY AND ELECTRO-THERAPEUTICS
PROVINCIAL ROYAL JUBILEE HOSPITAL
L. K. POYNTZ, M.D., L.M.C.C., DIRECTOR
VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA

November
Seventh
Nineteen Nineteen.

The Officer Commanding,
Esquimalt Military Hospital.
B.C.

REPORT OF Lieut Darcus
YOUR REFERENCE No. Esquimalt Military Hospital.
OUR RECORD No. 3091.

Plates were taken of the upper right thigh and these show the presence of a bullet in the soft tissue right under the skin. It can be palpated through the skin. It has done no damage to the bone and is not deformed at all.

A fluoroscopic examination was made of the whole of the other side and fails to reveal any foreign body there.

Lt Poyntz

Capt. C.A.M.C.

LKP/ML.

ESQUIMALT MILITARY HOSP.
NOV 8 1919
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CONFIDENTIAL. Army Form A. 45.

MEDICAL BOARD REPORT ON A DISABLED OFFICER.

(ALSO TO BE USED FOR DISABLED NURSES.)

Station 13, Berners St.↓ London W.1.

Date 1-3-18.

1. Rank and Name Lieut. DARCUS Richard Hames.
2. Unit 2nd C.M.R.
3. Age 23 4. Total Service 38/12 War Service { (a) at home 5/12 (b) abroad 33/12 (27/12 in Fr.)
5. Address Valetta House, Kingstown, Ireland.

STATEMENT OF CASE.

NOTE.—In answering the following questions the Board will carefully discriminate between the officer's statements and evidence recorded in his medical documents. When possible, a statement by his medical attendant should be attached.

6. Disability S.W.BACK RT. (PENETRATING CHEST)
7. Date of origin of disability 30-10-17.
8. Place of origin of disability Passchendaele, Belgium
9. Give concisely the essential facts bearing on the history of the disability (personal and family history, etc.) :—

NOTE.—Boards subsequent to the first should record here the progress of the case since the officer's last appearance.

This Officer appears before the Board after two months leave

He states that he is greatly improved, but is not free from

symptoms of trouble yet.

I concur in the findings of the Board of Medical Officers here recorded.
Captain, D.A.D.M.S. for D.L.S. Canadians.

OPINION OF THE MEDICAL BOARD.

NOTES.—(i.) **The Board will on no account inform the officer of its opinion on any of the following questions.**
(ii.) Clear and decisive answers should be filled in by the Board to enable the Ministry of Pensions to come to a reliable decision on the officer's claim to pension, etc.
(iii.) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," should be avoided, if possible.
(iv.) When there is more than one disability the replies will distinguish between them.

10. Was the disability contracted (a) before entering the service ? No.
(b) in the service ? Yes.
11. Was it attributable to military service ? Yes.
If so, to what specific military conditions is it attributed ? S. W.

[Enteric Fever, Dysentery, Malaria, &c., contracted on service in countries where there is a special liability to the disease are to be regarded as attributable to military service.]

12. If not attributable to, was it aggravated by, military service ? N.A.
If so, by what specific military conditions ?
13. Is it attributable to, or aggravated by, the officer's own negligence or misconduct ? If so, in what way, and to what extent ? N.A.

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14. What is the officer's present condition ? General condition good. He has had a slight cold recently, but has had a slight cough ever since the injury. In back of chest - right side - is an operation scar. Over seat of wound, there is a swelling, which disappears on straightening up shoulders and back, muscular tissue. He is tender on deep pressure around the side and front and cannot lie on his right side on account of pa[illegible]. All right on left side. Voice and breath sounds are heard over affected area. Lungs - negative, unless pleura is thickened.

RECOMMENDATION: FIT FOR SEDENTARY EMPLOYMENT ONLY"

15. To what degree is the officer disabled at the present time ? --

(Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages—100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 20, under 20, or nil.)

16. Is the disability permanent ? No. (from

17. If not permanent, how soon is re-examination recommended ? one months.

18. Is it necessary that the officer should be re-examined by the same Board ? No.

19. What treatment is the officer receiving, and where, and from whom ? None.

20. Is the officer in need of special medical treatment of any kind, and, if so, of what nature No.

21. Does the officer require the constant attendance of another person ? No.

22. Officers will be classified by the Medical Board under one of the following categories, the probable period of unfitness for the higher categories being stated. Explanation of these categories is in para. 5 of A.C.I. 1677/1917. In case of nurses, omit B. and (i) and (ii) of E.

A.—Fit for general service. ..... No - two months.

B.—Fit for service in a garrison or labour unit abroad. ..... No - two months.

C.—Fit for home service :—

(i) Active duty with troops. ..... No - one month.

(ii) Sedentary employment only. ..... Yes.

D.—For admission to a command depot.

E.—Requiring indoor hospital treatment :—

(i) In an officers' military or auxiliary convalescent hospital.

(ii) In an officers' hospital.

F.—Permanently unfit for any further military service.

23. In the case of officers suffering from neurasthenia found permanently unfit, has A.C.I. 1289 of 1917 been complied with ? N.A.

S.H. MCCOY MAJOR CAMC. President.

L.W. MacNUTT MAJ.CAMC.

VEP J.W.McINTOSH CAPT.CAMC. } Members.

(14436.) Wt. W. 2070—P.P. 313. 500m. 11/17. S. O.

CONFIDENTIAL. Army Form A. 45.

MEDICAL BOARD REPORT ON A DISABLED OFFICER.

(ALSO TO BE USED FOR DISABLED NURSES.)

Station Witley

Date 3-6-18

1. Rank and Name Lieut. DARCUS. Richard James.
2. Unit 3rd. Reserve Battalion.
3. Age 23 4. Total Service 41/12 War Service { (a) at home 5/12 (b) abroad 36/12 France 26/12
5. Address R.D.G. Witley Camp, Surrey.

STATEMENT OF CASE.

NOTE.—In answering the following questions the Board will carefully discriminate between the officer's statements and evidence recorded in his medical documents. When possible, a statement by his medical attendant should be attached.

6 Disability G.S.W. Chest Right.

7. Date of origin of disability 30-10-17

8. Place of origin of disability Passchendaele.

9. Give concisely the essential facts bearing on the history of the disability (personal and family history, etc.) :—

NOTE.—Boards subsequent to the first should record here the progress of the case since the officer's last appearance.

Appears after 2 months Home Service (C.I.)

I concur in the findings of the Board of Medical Officers here recorded.

Major, D.A.D.M.S.
For D.M.S.
Canadian Contingents.

OPINION OF THE MEDICAL BOARD.

NOTES.—(i.) **The Board will on no account inform the officer of its opinion on any of the following questions.**

(ii.) Clear and decisive answers should be filled in by the Board to enable the Ministry of Pensions to come to a reliable decision on the officer's claim to pension, etc.

(iii.) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," should be avoided, if possible.

(iv.) When there is more than one disability the replies will distinguish between them.

10. Was the disability contracted (a) before entering the service? No.

(b) in the service? Yes.

11. Was it attributable to military service? Yes.

If so, to what specific military conditions is it attributed? G.S.W.

[Enteric Fever, Dysentery, Malaria, &c., contracted on service in countries where there is a special liability to the disease are to be regarded as attributable to military service.]

12. If not attributable to, was it aggravated by, military service? Not applicable.

If so, by what specific military conditions? " "

13. Is it attributable to, or aggravated by, the officer's own negligence or misconduct? If so, in what way, and to what extent? No.

[P.T.O.

14. What is the officer's present condition ? General condition good. Heart normal, no pain in taking long breath. Some pain in right chest on coughing. Has slight cough. Chest negative on examination.

15. To what degree is the officer disabled at the present time ? Under tewnty per cent.
(Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages—100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 20, under 20, or nil.)

16. Is the disability permanent ? No.

17. If not permanent, how soon is re-examination recommended ? One. months.

18. Is it necessary that the officer should be re-examined by the same Board ? No.

19. What treatment is the officer receiving, and where, and from whom ? Nil.

20. Is the officer in need of special medical treatment of any kind, and, if so, of what nature ? No.

21. Does the officer require the constant attendance of another person ? No.

22. Officers will be classified by the Medical Board under one of the following categories, the probable period of unfitness for the higher categories being stated. Explanation of these categories is in para. 5 of A.C.I. 1677/1917. In case of nurses, omit B. and (i) and (ii) of E.

A.—Fit for general service. ---------No.-- one month.
B.—Fit for service in a garrison or labour unit abroad. No.-- one month.
C.—Fit for home service :—
(i) Active duty with troops. Yes. --- one month.
(ii) Sedentary employment only.
D.—For admission to a command depot.
E.—Requiring indoor hospital treatment :— Not applicable.
(i) In an officers' military or auxiliary convalescent hospital.
(ii) In an officers' hospital.
F.—Permanently unfit for any further military service.

23. In the case of officers suffering from neurasthenia found permanently unfit, has A.C.I. 1289 of 1917 been complied with ?

W.A.Groves. Major.C.A.M.C. for President.

W.Le.M.Carter.Capt.C.A.M.C.

} Members.

(14436.) Wt. W. 2070—P.P. 313. 500m. 11/17. S. O.

CONFIDENTIAL. -SD 834 Army Form A. 45

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD

assembled at 13 Berners St W1 on 28 XII/17

by order of A.D.M.S. London Area

for the purpose of examining and reporting upon the present state of health of

(Rank and Name) Lt. Richard James DARCUS (Corps) 2 C.M.R.

Age 23 Service 3 yrs Disability G.S.W. Back (penetrating chest)

Date of commencement of leave granted for present disability 28 XII/17

Date on which placed on half-pay for present disability

The Board having assembled pursuant to order, and having read the instructions on the back of the form, proceed to examine the above-named officer and find that

Officer wounded back, penetrating chest, by H.E. at Passchendaele 30 X/17.
wound & condition stated A.F.A. 45A.

The Board recommend as below

The Board will classify the officer under one of the following categories, the probable period of unfitness for the higher categories being stated.

1. Fit for General Service ..... No - Four months
2. Fit for service in a Garrison or Labour Battalion abroad. *No officer likely to be fit for general service within six months should be classed in this category* .....
3. Fit for Home Service ..... No - Three months
4. Fit for Light Duty at Home ..... No - Two months
5. Requiring indoor hospital treatment—
   (a.) In an Officers' Hospital .....
   (b.) In an Officers' Convalescent Hospital .....
6. (a.) Fit for light duty at a Command Depôt .....
   (b.) Fit for treatment only at a Command Depôt .....
7. In very special cases such as tuberculosis leave not exceeding six months may be recommended by Medical Boards for special treatment, the Board giving detailed reasons for any such recommendation .....
8. Was the disability contracted in the service? ..... Yes
9. Was it contracted under circumstances over which he had no control? ..... Yes
10. Was it caused by military service? ..... Yes
11. If caused by military service, to what specific military conditions is it attributed? ..... H.E.
12. If the disability was not caused by military service, was it aggravated thereby, and if so, by what specific military conditions? ..... Not Applic

I concur in the finding of the Board of Medical Officers here recorded.
G.P. Newland
Captain, D.A.D.M.S.
for D.M.S.
Canadians.

Officer's Address
Gr. Mrs Mayne
Heatherdene
Queens Park - West Drive
Bournemouth

Signatures
[illegible] President.
C.H. Hawkins Capt. R.A.M.C. Members.
L.W. MacMillan Major R.A.M.C.

[P.T.O.

INSTRUCTIONS.

1. On the occasion of an Officer's first appearance before a Medical Board for his present disability, the circumstances under which the disability was contracted will be fully detailed; whenever possible a statement of the case by his medical attendant will also be attached.

2. In recording the proceedings of subsequent Boards, the progress of the individual since his last appearance will be clearly and concisely stated so as to ensure a continuous medical history of the case being available.

3. Enteric Fever, Dysentery, Malaria, etc., contracted when on service abroad, in countries where there is a special liability to the disease, are to be regarded as caused by military service.

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[235] Wt. W.1984—P.325. 75,000. 11/17. V. & S., Ltd.

CONFIDENTIAL. Army Form A. 45.

MEDICAL BOARD REPORT ON A DISABLED OFFICER.

(ALSO TO BE USED FOR DISABLED NURSES.)

Station Seaford

Date 4th. 2-18.

1. Rank and Name Lt Darcus Richard James

2. Unit 1st Res. B.C.R.D.

3. Age 23 4. Total Service 3y 12 War Service { (a) at home 5/12 (b) abroad 3y 12

5. Address 1st Res Bn Seaford

STATEMENT OF CASE.

NOTE.—In answering the following questions the Board will carefully discriminate between the officer's statements and evidence recorded in his medical documents. When possible, a statement by his medical attendant should be attached.

6. Disability S.W. back Rt (penetrating Chest.)

7. Date of origin of disability 30-10-17

8. Place of origin of disability Passchendaele - Belgium

9. Give concisely the essential facts bearing on the history of the disability (personal and family history, etc.) :—

NOTE.—Boards subsequent to the first should record here the progress of the case since the officer's last appearance.

this officer appears upon board after nine months home service given by board 1-3-18. wounded by H.E. shell fragments 30-10-1917. was in Hosp 2 mos. Op performed and a scar about 8 in long is found over injured area.

I concur in the findings of the Board of Medical Officers here recorded.

Captain, D.A.D.M.S.
C.M.S.

OPINION OF THE MEDICAL BOARD.

NOTES.—(i.) The Board will on no account inform the officer of its opinion on any of the following questions.

(ii.) Clear and decisive answers should be filled in by the Board to enable the Ministry of Pensions to come to a reliable decision on the officer's claim to pension, etc.

(iii.) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," should be avoided, if possible.

(iv.) When there is more than one disability the replies will distinguish between them.

10. Was the disability contracted (a) before entering the service? No

(b) in the service? Yes

11. Was it attributable to military service? Yes

If so, to what specific military conditions is it attributed? G.S.W.

[Enteric Fever, Dysentery, Malaria, &c., contracted on service in countries where there is a special liability to the disease are to be regarded as attributable to military service.]

12. If not attributable to, was it aggravated by, military service? Not appl

If so, by what specific military conditions?

13. Is it attributable to, or aggravated by, the officer's own negligence or misconduct? If so, in what way, and to what extent? No

[P.T.O.

14. What is the officer's present condition? His general condition is very good. Still has slight cough which has persisted since his injury. There is an op. scar about 8 in. long over right chest at back. Lungs in touch. Still unable to lie on R side. There is some hardness of tissue round wound area. Heart normal.

15. To what degree is the officer disabled at the present time? 40 per cent
(Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages—100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 20, under 20, or nil.)

16. Is the disability permanent? No

17. If not permanent, how soon is re-examination recommended? 2 months.

18. Is it necessary that the officer should be re-examined by the same Board? No

19. What treatment is the officer receiving, and where, and from whom? None

20. Is the officer in need of special medical treatment of any kind, and, if so, of what nature? No

21. Does the officer require the constant attendance of another person? No

22. Officers will be classified by the Medical Board under one of the following categories, the probable period of unfitness for the higher categories being stated. Explanation of these categories is in para. 5 of A.C.I. 1677/1917. In case of nurses, omit B. and (i) and (ii) of E.

A.—Fit for general service. No - two months

B.—Fit for service in a garrison or labour unit abroad. No two months

C.—Fit for home service :—

(i) Active duty with troops. — yes two months

(ii) Sedentary employment only.

D.—For admission to a command depot.

E.—Requiring indoor hospital treatment :—

(i) In an officers' military or auxiliary convalescent hospital.

(ii) In an officers' hospital.

F.—Permanently unfit for any further military service.

23. In the case of officers suffering from neurasthenia found permanently unfit, has A.C.I. 1289 of 1917 been complied with? —

J. Mackie Capt. President.

J. Gillies Capt.

G. W. Mackail Capt. } Members.

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MEDICAL BOARD REPORT ON A DISABLED OFFICER.

(ALSO TO BE USED FOR DISABLED NURSES.)

Station Whitley

Date 3/6/18

1. Rank and Name Lt DARCUS, RICHARD JAMES
2. Unit 3 Res Bn
3. Age 23 4. Total Service 4/12 War Service { (a) at home 5/12 (b) abroad 36/12 France 26/12
5. Address 3 Res. Bn Whitley

STATEMENT OF CASE.

NOTE.—In answering the following questions the Board will carefully discriminate between the officer's statements and evidence recorded in his medical documents. When possible, a statement by his medical attendant should be attached.

6. Disability G.S.W. CHEST. R.
7. Date of origin of disability 30/10/17
8. Place of origin of disability Passchendaele
9. Give concisely the essential facts bearing on the history of the disability (personal and family history, etc.) :—

NOTE.—Boards subsequent to the first should record here the progress of the case since the officer's last appearance.

appears after 2 mos. H.S. (E & T)
Chest normal on auscultation. Heart good.
Scales between pain in front & right chest on coughing. No pain.

I concur in the findings of the Board of Medical Officers here recorded.
Major, D.A.D.M.S.
For D.M.S.
Canadian Contingents.

OPINION OF THE MEDICAL BOARD.

NOTES.—(i.) The Board will on no account inform the officer of its opinion on any of the following questions.
(ii.) Clear and decisive answers should be filled in by the Board to enable the Ministry of Pensions to come to a reliable decision on the officer's claim to pension, etc.
(iii.) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," should be avoided, if possible.
(iv.) When there is more than one disability the replies will distinguish between them.

10. Was the disability contracted (a) before entering the service ? No
(b) in the service ? Yes
11. Was it attributable to military service ? Yes
If so, to what specific military conditions is it attributed ? G.S.W.

[Enteric Fever, Dysentery, Malaria, &c., contracted on service in countries where there is a special liability to the disease are to be regarded as attributable to military service.]

12. If not attributable to, was it aggravated by, military service ? N.A.
If so, by what specific military conditions ? N.A.
13. Is it attributable to, or aggravated by, the officer's own negligence or misconduct ? If so, in what way, and to what extent ? N.A.

[P.T.O.

14. What is the officer's present condition ? General condition good. Heart normal. No pain on taking long breath. Some pain in r. chest on coughing. Has slight cough. Chest negative on examn.

15. To what degree is the officer disabled at the present time ? under 20
(Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages—100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 20, under 20, or nil.)

16. Is the disability permanent ? no

17. If not permanent, how soon is re-examination recommended ? one months.

18. Is it necessary that the officer should be re-examined by the same Board ? no

19. What treatment is the officer receiving, and where, and from whom ? nil

20. Is the officer in need of special medical treatment of any kind, and, if so, of what nature ? no

21. Does the officer require the constant attendance of another person ? no

22. Officers will be classified by the Medical Board under one of the following categories, the probable period of unfitness for the higher categories being stated. Explanation of these categories is in para. 5 of A.C.I. 1677/1917. In case of nurses, omit B. and (i) and (ii) of E.

A.—Fit for general service. no ; one month
B.—Fit for service in a garrison or labour unit abroad. no ; "
C.—Fit for home service :—
(i) Active duty with troops. yes ; one month
(ii) Sedentary employment only. N/A
D.—For admission to a command depot.
E.—Requiring indoor hospital treatment :—
(i) In an officers' military or auxiliary convalescent hospital.
(ii) In an officers' hospital.
F.—Permanently unfit for any further military service. N/A

23. In the case of officers suffering from neurasthenia found permanently unfit, has A.C.I. 1289 of 1917 been complied with ?

[signature] President.

[signature] Members.

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MEDICAL BOARD REPORT ON A DISABLED OFFICER.

(ALSO TO BE USED FOR DISABLED NURSES.)

Station Witley.

Date 3-7-18

1. Rank and Name Lieut. DARCUS. Richard James.
2. Unit 3rd. Res. Bn.
3. Age 23 4. Total Service 42/12 War Service { (a) at home 5/12 (b) abroad 37/12 France. 26/12
5. Address 3rd. Reserve Battalion, Witley.

STATEMENT OF CASE.

NOTE.—In answering the following questions the Board will carefully discriminate between the officer's statements and evidence recorded in his medical documents. When possible, a statement by his medical attendant should be attached.

6. Disability G.S.W. Chest.
7. Date of origin of disability 30-10-17.
8. Place of origin of disability Passchendaele.
9. Give concisely the essential facts bearing on the history of the disability (personal and family history, etc.) :—

NOTE.—Boards subsequent to the first should record here the progress of the case since the officer's last appearance.

Appears after one months Home Service. (C.L.)

Has steadily improved.

I concur in the findings of the Board of Medical Officers here recorded.
Major, D.A.D.M.S.
For D.M.S.
Canadian Contingents.

OPINION OF THE MEDICAL BOARD.

NOTES.—(i.) **The Board will on no account inform the officer of its opinion on any of the following questions.**

(ii.) Clear and decisive answers should be filled in by the Board to enable the Ministry of Pensions to come to a reliable decision on the officer's claim to pension, etc.

(iii.) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," should be avoided, if possible.

(iv.) When there is more than one disability the replies will distinguish between them.

10. Was the disability contracted (a) before entering the service ? No.
(b) in the service ? Yes.
11. Was it attributable to military service ? Yes.
If so, to what specific military conditions is it attributed ? G.S.W.

[Enteric Fever, Dysentery, Malaria, &c., contracted on service in countries where there is a special liability to the disease are to be regarded as attributable to military service.]

12. If not attributable to, was it aggravated by, military service ? Not applicable.
If so, by what specific military conditions ? " "
13. Is it attributable to, or aggravated by, the officer's own negligence or misconduct ? If so, in what way, and to what extent ? Not applicable.

[P.T.O.

14. What is the officer's present condition ? General condition good. Heart and lungs normal. No pain. Slight tenderness about scar. No cough. States he has improved steadily.

15. To what degree is the officer disabled at the present time ? Nil.
(Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages—100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 20, under 20, or nil.)

16. Is the disability permanent ? Not applicable.

17. If not permanent, how soon is re-examination recommended ? ------ months.

18. Is it necessary that the officer should be re-examined by the same Board ? Not applicable.

19. What treatment is the officer receiving, and where, and from whom ? " "

20. Is the officer in need of special medical treatment of any kind, and, if so, of what nature ? No.

21. Does the officer require the constant attendance of another person ? No.

22. Officers will be classified by the Medical Board under one of the following categories, the probable period of unfitness for the higher categories being stated. Explanation of these categories is in para. 5 of A.C.I. 1677/1917. In case of nurses, omit B. and (i) and (ii) of E.

A.—Fit for general service. ---------- Yes.
B.—Fit for service in a garrison or labour unit abroad.
C.—Fit for home service :—
(i) Active duty with troops.
(ii) Sedentary employment only.
D.—For admission to a command depot. } Not applicable.
E.—Requiring indoor hospital treatment :—
(i) In an officers' military or auxiliary convalescent hospital.
(ii) In an officers' hospital.
F.—Permanently unfit for any further military service.

23. In the case of officers suffering from neurasthenia found permanently unfit, has A.C.I. 1289 of 1917 been complied with ? ———

W.A.Groves. Major.C.A.M.C. for President.

W.Le.M.Carter.Capt.C.A.M.C.
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} Members.

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MEDICAL BOARD REPORT ON A DISABLED OFFICER.

(ALSO TO BE USED FOR DISABLED NURSES.)

Station Seaford.

Date April 2nd. 1918.

1. Rank and Name ~~1st Res Bn~~ ~~B.C.R.D.~~ Lieut Darcus. Richard James.
2. Unit 1st.Res.Bn., B.C.R.D.
3. Age 23. 4. Total Service 39/12. War Service { (a) at home 5/12. (b) abroad 34/12.
5. Address 1st.Res.Bn., Seaford.

STATEMENT OF CASE.

NOTE.—In answering the following questions the Board will carefully discriminate between the officer's statements and evidence recorded in his medical documents. When possible, a statement by his medical attendant should be attached.

6. Disability S.W. BACK Rt. (penetrating chest).
7. Date of origin of disability 30-10-17.
8. Place of origin of disability Passchendaele, Belguim.
9. Give concisely the essential facts bearing on the history of the disability (personal and family history, etc.) :—

NOTE.—Boards subsequent to the first should record here the progress of the case since the officer's last appearance.

this officer appears before Board after one months Home Service given by Board 1-3-18. Wounded by H.E. shell fragments Oct.30th 1917. Was in hosp 2 months. Op. performed and a scar about 8" ling is found over injured area.

OPINION OF THE MEDICAL BOARD.

NOTES.—(i.) The Board will on no account inform the officer of its opinion on any of the following questions.
(ii.) Clear and decisive answers should be filled in by the Board to enable the Ministry of Pensions to come to a reliable decision on the officer's claim to pension, etc.
(iii.) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," should be avoided if possible.
(iv.) When there is more than one disability the replies will distinguish between them.

I concur in the findings of the Board of Medical Officers
W. Gresham Captain, A.D.M.S. for Canadians.

10. Was the disability contracted (a) before entering the service? no.
(b) in the service? yes.
11. Was it attributable to military service? yes.
If so, to what specific military conditions is it attributed? G.S.W.

[Enteric Fever, Dysentery, Malaria, &c., contracted on service in countries where there is a special liability to the disease are to be regarded as attributable to military service.]

12. If not attributable to, was it aggravated by, military service? not appl.
If so, by what specific military conditions? -------

13. Is it attributable to, or aggravated by, the officer's own negligence or misconduct? If so, in what way, and to what extent? no.

[P.T.O.

14. What is the officer's present condition ? His general condition is very good. Still has slight cough which has persisted since his injury. There is an op. scar about 8 in long over right chest at back. Tenderness on touch. Still unable to lie on rt side. There is some harshness of breath sounds in wound area. Heart normal.

15. To what degree is the officer disabled at the present time ? forty per cent.
(Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages—100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 20, under 20, or nil.)

16. Is the disability permanent ? no.

17. If not permanent, how soon is re-examination recommended ? two months.

18. Is it necessary that the officer should be re-examined by the same Board ? no.

19. What treatment is the officer receiving, and where, and from whom ? none.

20. Is the officer in need of special medical treatment of any kind, and, if so, of what nature ? no.

21. Does the officer require the constant attendance of another person ? no.

22. Officers will be classified by the Medical Board under one of the following categories, the probable period of unfitness for the higher categories being stated. Explanation of these categories is in para. 5 of A.C.I. 1677/1917. In case of nurses, omit B. and (i) and (ii) of E.

A.—Fit for general service. No- two months.

B.—Fit for service in a garrison or labour unit abroad. no- two months.

C.—Fit for home service :—
(i) Active duty with troops. yes, two months.
(ii) Sedentary employment only. -----

D.—For admission to a command depot.

E.—Requiring indoor hospital treatment :—
(i) In an officers' military or auxiliary convalescent hospital.
(ii) In an officers' hospital.

F.—Permanently unfit for any further military service.

23. In the case of officers suffering from neurasthenia found permanently unfit, has A.C.I. 1289 of 1917 been complied with ? ------

(Sgd) J. McKee. Capt. President.

J.Z. Gillies. Capt.
G.W. MacNeil. Capt. } Members.

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LIEUT DARCUS.

28-7-19 Being fitted with a lock hinged ~~xxxx~~ ankle boot.
No change appreciably shown as yet.
Major Robertson.

2.8.19 Having massage etc.
TMcP.

9. 8.19 as above.

16.8.19 Still awaiting boots.

23.8.19 " " "

30.8.19 No material change in limb.
TMcP.

5.9.19 Boots received, rather tight, will have to be atretch ed
TMcP.

12.9.19 Getting round with new booth, walks better.
TMcP.

19 .9.19 New boots have caused ulcer on side of great toe. Not to be worm again. New pair ordered.
TMcP.

26.9.19 Ulcer smaller and more healthy. No change in leg.
TMcP.

3.10.19 Ulcer still smaller.

10.10.19 To be boarded to SCR.

11.10.19 Not to be boarded to SCR TMcP. To be held until Finality.
TMcP.

24.10.19 Having massage and electricity, improving.
TMcP.

31.10.19 as above.
TMcP.

4.11.19 Complains of painful spot in back of left leg, to have an X Ray.
TMcP.

7.11.19 X Ray Report: Plates taken of upper R thigh and these show the presence of a bullet in the soft tissue right under the skin. It can be palpated through the skin. It has done no damage to the bone and is not deformed at all.
A fluoroscopic exam. was made of the whole of the other side and fails to reveal any foreign body there.
L.A. Poyntz.

14.11.19 To have operation.
TMcP.

19.11.19 Operation:- Incision ~~xxxx~~ down to bullet, which was removed. Capsule of scar tissue lined with dirty black substance cut away with scissors , wound bipped and sutured.
T McPherson, Capt.

27.11.19 Stitches removed, wound healed.
TMcP.

8.12.19 No material change in condition of leg.
TMcP.

15.12.19 As above. TMcP.

27.12.19 On leave. TMcP.

3.1.20 Having treatment regularly. TMcP.

CASE HISTORY SHEET.

IRVING HOUSE Hospital. Station.

No. Rank Lieut Name Darcus R.J. Age 24

Unit 2nd CMR Completed years of service (Where and how long) C5/I2 EIO/I2 F 36/I2

Date of admission II-7-I9 Date of discharge 31.1.20

Diagnosis GSW LT THIGH. Place of origin FRANCE

CONDITION ON ADMISSION AND PROGRESS OF CASE

COMPLAINTS. Inability to use left leg from knee down.

HISTORY OF PRESENT ILLNESS. GSW Lt Thigh

CONDITION ON ADMISSION. A fairly ~~well~~ healthy looking man of about stated age complaining of inability to use left leg from knee down. E&E ends lt thigh (high) healed and operation scar where Sciatic nerve was sutured. There is a marked wasting of all muscles of lt leg and thigh muscles. Absolutely no power in muscles of lt leg below knee. He is wearing a canvas boot and toe raising spring. Loss of sensation over outer side of leg from function of mid and lower I/3 down over Dorsum of foot and sole of foot, to both pin prick and cotton wool.

FAMILY HISTORY NIL

(Tuberculosis, mental or nervous diseases.)

TREATMENT Massage &Baths

(Especially any specific or special form.)

CONDITION ON DISCHARGE,

(and disposal made of case.)

Discharged to SCR for further treatment.

Date 31.1.20

Major Robertson. 622404.

Medical Officer i/c case.

T. McPherson, Capr CAMC

M. F. B. 313a.
200M.-5-18.
1772-39-439.

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR CANADA.

FLEXION AND EXTENSION AT THE KNEE JOINT, (RIGHT)

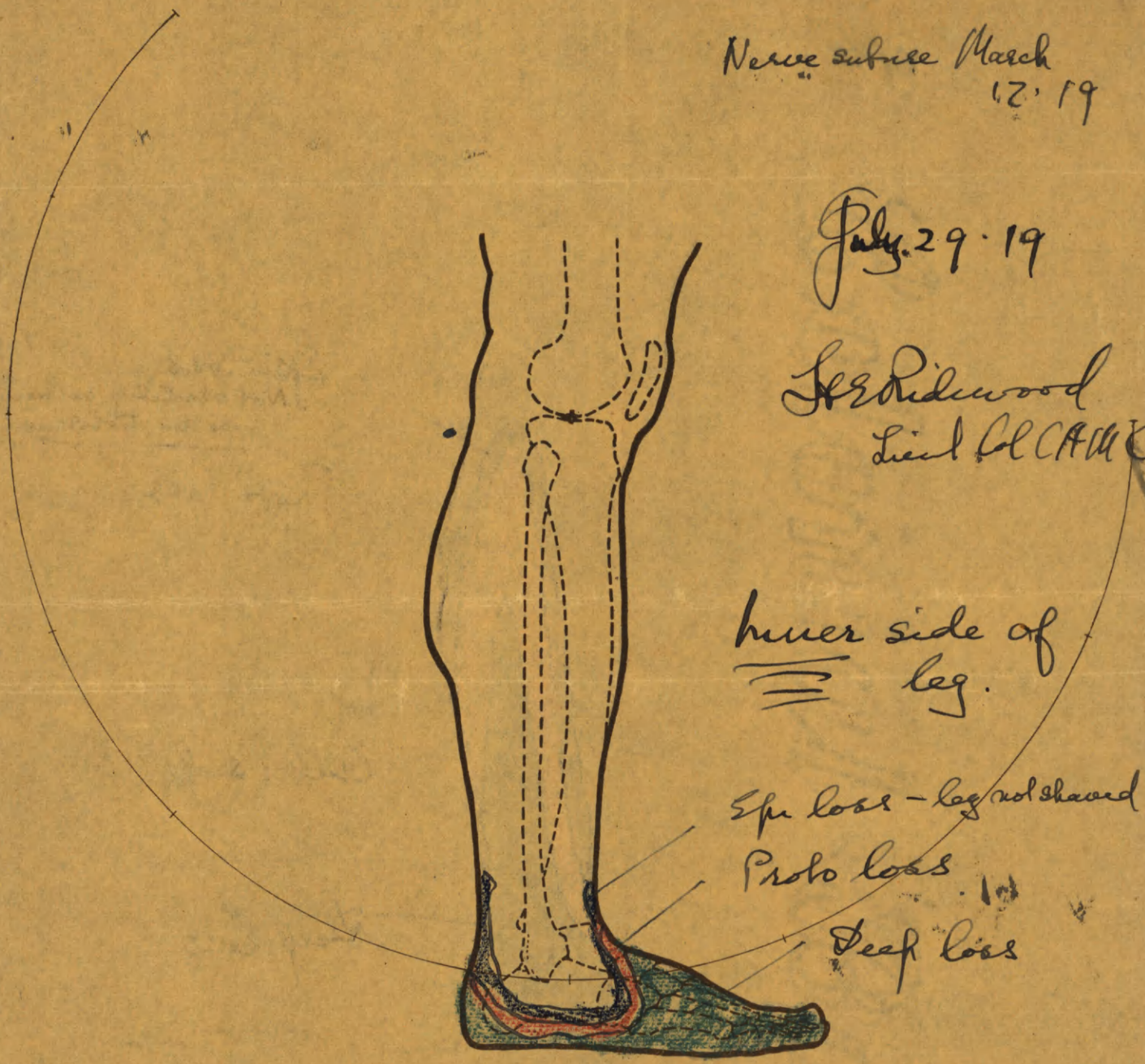
Name Lieut Darcus. *Given names*

Reg't. No. *Rank* *Unit*

Nerve suture March 12, 19

July. 29. 19

Lt. Ridewood
Lieut Col CAMC



Mark with ink on the circumference of the arc in the diagram the point of extreme flexion (active) and of extreme extension (active). Join these points with an ink line following the circumference of the arc, which will then indicate the full extent of active movement.

If it is considered desirable to indicate Passive movement also, use another diagram in the same way, stating that it shows Passive movement.

Each sub-division of the arc represents 22½ degrees or ¼ of a right angle.

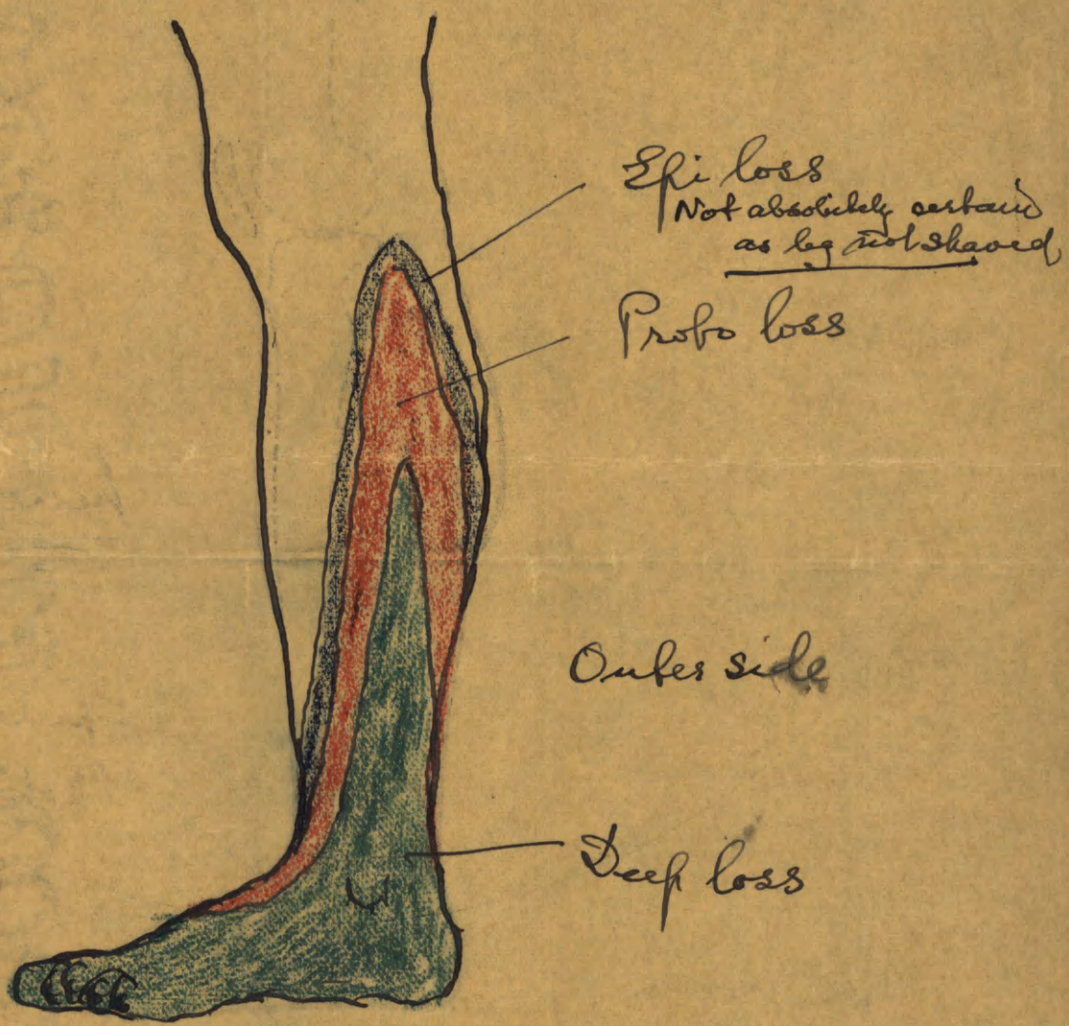
B.P.C. Form 800A.
Diagram No. 14.

5m.—1-18.

P.T.O

Lieut Darcus

Trials sign to Middle of Thigh only.



Deep loss over whole sole of foot.

Tibialis Anticus.	KCC > ACC	— No react^{n} to Faradic
Extensors Digiti	KCC > ACC	" " " "
	Good contraction in both.	
Peronei	KCC > ACC	" " " "
	Very weak contraction	
Calf Muscles	KCC > ACC	" " " "
Hamstrings	ACC > KCC	" " " "
	Weak contraction	
Glutei	KCC > ACC	React well.

P.T.O

Forms
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Army Form I. 1237.

MEDICAL CASE SHEET.*

No. in Admission and Discharge Book.	Regimental No.	Rank.	Surname.	Christian Name.
1194		Lieut	Daveis	Richard
Year 1918	Unit. R.E.M.K.		Age. 24	Service.

Station and Date.

Disease G.S.W. HIP. L. GROIN.

CANADA 5/12.
FRANCE 28/12.
TOTAL 48/12.

C.C.S. W. CLOCK

ONSET 29. 9. 18.

WHERE France.

Dec 6

HISTORY OF DISABILITY.

To 33rd C.C.S 30. 9. 18. To 20 G. H. 1. 10. 18. To Horton War Hosp 3. 10. 18. No operations. Hip was healed. Some discharge from groin wound. Has complete ankle drop. To CCoH 6. 12. 8.

F.B. shell missile in situ. Tube in left thigh.

PERSONAL AND FAMILY HISTORY.

PRESENT CONDITION G. Good.

DIGESTIVE SYSTEM. OK.

CIRCULATORY SYSTEM

RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.

NERVOUS SYSTEM. OK.

G.U. SYSTEM. OK

LOCAL CONDITION.

Small electrical burn Rt buttock. Has healed. There is complete severance of Sciatic nerve L. Skin of foot atrophic.

M.B.

TREAT 10.12.18

Massage Galvanism
Transferred to G.G.H. Buxton

R Charlesworth

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

(44502) Wt. W 12263—M 1150. 1,450,000. 6/12 16. C.F.&S. Form/I. 1237/12. (E239) P.T.O.

Station and Date.	

Form I. 1237/12

Army Form I. 1237.

MEDICAL CASE SHEET.*

No. in Admission and Discharge Book.	Regimental No.	Rank.	Surname.	Christian Name.
		Lieut.	DARCUS	R. V.
Year 1918	Unit. 2nd C. M. R.		Age.	Service.

Station and Date. Horton War Hosp. Epsom. 30.9.18 (?)

Disease G. S. Wd. – Left Thigh & Buttock.

Wounded 30.9.18.
Treated at 33 C.C.S.,
& 20 General Hosp.
(?) Admitted here 30.9.18.

G. S. Wds – (1) small puncture wound external aspect of upper ⅓rd of Left Thigh – 2½" below level of tip of Great Trochanter. F. B. embedded.

(2) small irregular entrance wound inner aspect of upper ⅓rd of Left Thigh.

(3) Large Oval discharging wound – Left Buttock 1" to Left of post. median line & at level of tip of coccyx.

Lesion of Left Great Sciatic Nerve – High up in Thigh.
Left Foot Drop – no movements of muscles below knee.
– paralysis of muscles above knee supplied by Great Sciatic Nerve.

No voluntary movement in biceps.
Sensory disturbances (See Charts of areas of Sensory Loss)
Sensation of "pin & needles" in lower part of outer side of Leg, dorsum of foot, & especially in Left Sole.
Electrical reactions (See Separate report).
Skiagram. Shows comminuting of
P.T.O. Tuber Ischii & presence of fragments of metal. Here is a bullet

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

(44502) Wt.W 11203–[illegible]150. 1,450,000. 6/12 16. C.F.&S. Forms/I. 1237/12. (E239)

P.T.O.

Station and Date.	
	presenting relation to great trochanter
1. 12. 18.	During last fortnight have made definite efforts to close the sinus, the bullet present having apparently no relation to it but being a separate thing. Packed with Subnitrate of Bismuth. Iodide ionisation. Result is a definite improvement - there is now very little discharge & sinus will admit a probe.
	Nerve condition has not altered since admission & it appears to be definitely severed. He has been on daily massage electric treatment &c. as far as was possible with the presence of his wound.
	H. Chapple
	Capt R.A.M.C.

MARRIED OR SINGLE: S

PLACE OF BIRTH: Ireland

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN: Solomon. H. Darcus
Valetta House, Kingston Ireland

RELATIONSHIP OF NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

RELATIONSHIP OF NEXT OF KIN

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE MONTHLY $ EFFECTIVE (DATE)

PAYABLE TO

RELATIONSHIP OF DEPENDANT

CASUALTIES, PROMOTIONS, &c.

PARTICULARS	EFFECTIVE DATE	AUTHORITY
Apr. Sergt.	11/7/16	D.O. 30.
Reverts to Cpl.	22/9/16	DO 5
Prom Sgt	1.10.16	DO 7
appkd Lieut B&F	18/11/16	List of a/ #112 d 2/

ADMISSIONS TO HOSPITAL, &c.

DATE ADMITTED	DATE DISCHARGED	V. OR A.	NAME OF HOSPITAL
			Comm

DATE	PAY No. OF DAYS	PAY RATE	PAY AMOUNT $	PAY AMOUNT c.	FIELD ALLOWANCE No. OF DAYS	FIELD ALLOWANCE RATE	FIELD ALLOWANCE AMOUNT $	FIELD ALLOWANCE AMOUNT c.	WORKING OR SPECIAL PAY No. OF DAYS	WORKING OR SPECIAL PAY RATE	WORKING OR SPECIAL PAY AMOUNT $	WORKING OR SPECIAL PAY AMOUNT c.	ASSIGNED PAY CREDITS	OTHER CREDITS	TOTAL CREDITS	ACQUITTANCE ROLLS 1 No.	1 DATE	2 No.	2 DATE	3 No.	3 DATE	No
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May	31		32	55	31		3	10							35	65	640	11/5	690	31/5		
June	30		31	50	30		3	.							34	50			704	15/6		
July	31	135	41	85	31	15	4	65							46	50	835	30/6	923	27/7		
Aug	31		41	85	31		4	65							46	50	984	31/7	48	12/8	ICK 306	8/6
Sept	30		40	50	30		4	50							45	-	101					
Oct	31	1¹⁰	34	10	31		3	10							37	20	210 161	4/10 17/9	262	17/10		
Nov	30		33	.	30		3	.							36	.	275	27/10				
Dec	.		.	.	.		.	.						1830	1830		379 336	435				
1917			5650				56	50														
Jan	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	65	69	445	27/12				
			632	10										1959								

Gwladys Mews
RPC

TRANSFERRED TO
P.M. LIABILITY ACCT

OTIONS, &c.

Effective Date	Authority
11/7/16	D.O. 30.
22/9/16	D.O. 58
1.10.16	D.O. 78
18/11/16	List of Offrs #112 d 2/12/16

OSPITAL, &c.

NAME OF HOSPITAL

REG'L. No. 108183 RANK ~~L/Cpl~~ Sgt NAME Darcus Richard James

IF IN PERMT. CORPS / WHAT UNIT } UNIT 2nd Can M.R. TRANSFERRED TO L.P.C. Bch DATE 1/2/17 AUTHORITY L'Gaz 2/1/16 2/1/17

PERMANENT FORCE ALLOWANCES TRANSFERRED TO R.E. DATE ✓ AUTHORITY ✓

PLACE OF ATTESTATION Medicine Hat TRANSFERRED TO DATE AUTHORITY

DATE OF ATTESTATION 31. 12. 14 TRANSFERRED TO DATE AUTHORITY

ASSIGNED PAY MONTHLY $ ~~15~~ DATE EFFECTIVE

PAYABLE TO Mrs M. A. Darcus Valletta House Kingstown RELATIONSHIP Ireland.

ASSIGNED PAY MONTHLY $ DATE EFFECTIVE

PAYABLE TO RELATIONSHIP

STOP-PAYMENT FORM (ASSIGNED PAY) RENDERED (DATE) PSUC 7/2/17 27/12/16 EFFECTIVE 1st 1/1/17. REASON Apptd Lieut C.E.F. authy. A.G. 17/19257. d 13/11/16

DISCHARGE DATE AND PLACE Commission in G.G.S. 18/11/16 REASON AND AUTHORITY

ACCOUNT TRANSFERRED TO NON-EFFECTIVE BRANCH (DATE) 18-11-16.

ACCOUNT TRANSFERRED TO OFFICERS' PAY BRANCH (DATE)

Entered on N.E. Card Index

Checked by

PAY OFFICE FEB 18 1918 CANADIAN CONT. CORPS

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ACQUITTANCE ROLLS 2 No.	2 Date	3 No.	3 Date	4 No.	4 Date	CASH PAYMENTS 1	2	3	4	Assigned Pay	Other Charges	Total Debits	Balance Credit	Balance Debit	Pay Withheld or Deferred	Pay Available for Issue	✓	Remarks
									11928	120	H HO	243 68	73 86					
597	30/4						3 49 ✓			15		18 49	89 87					
690	31/5						H 26 ✓ 7 66 ✓			15		26 92	98 60					
704	15/6						3 40 ✓			15		18 40	114 70					
923	24/7						4 26 ✓ 3 49 ✓			15		22 75	138 45					
48	12/8	ICK 306	8/8				5 23 ✓ 5 23 ✓	87 60 ✓		15		113 06	7 189					
							5 24 ✓ 5 23 ✓			15		20 24	96 65					
242	17/10						5 23 ✓ 5 23 ✓			15	270 ✓	33 39	100 46					
							5 23 ✓			15		20 23	116 23		23 25			
							17 44 ✓ 5 24 ✓	8 72 ✓		15	19 50	65 90	68 63					
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							7 H 8 0	37 22	87 60	119 28	255	26 60						

Balance transferred to N. E. Branch. NIL

FERRED TO
ABILITY ACCT

11890 255 2660 60050

App. Sergt 1/7/16 D.O. 30

Reverts to Cpl 22/9/16 D.O. 58

Pro Sgt 1.10.16. D.O. 78
13 days overpaid in November
Apptd Lieut C.E.F. 18/11/16. Auth A/G
Offr. 112. d 2.12.16.

Transferred to L.P.C. Bch
S.P. Ceased Eff. 1.1.17.
A.B. 64 Verified.
Commission in G.G.S. 18/17
L.P.C. Recd. A.G. A. 19257
3/2/17 Eff 18/11/16

Small Ledger Sheet.

Obs. 11. 2nd C.M.R. Aug. 16. From Cpl. 1.6.16
D.O. 32. Mulder, credited 30 days @ 5 cents #1.50
P.M. requested to adjust 22/5/17.

DATE	PAY				FIELD ALLOWANCE				WORKING OR SPECIAL PAY				ASSIGNED PAY CREDITS	OTHER CREDITS	TOTAL CREDITS	ACQUITTANCE ROLLS								CASH PAYMENTS		
	NO. OF DAYS	RATE	AMOUNT $	AMOUNT C.	NO. OF DAYS	RATE	AMOUNT $	AMOUNT C.	NO. OF DAYS	RATE	AMOUNT $	AMOUNT C.				1 NO.	1 DATE	2 NO.	2 DATE	3 NO.	3 DATE	4 NO.	4 DATE	1	2	3

GH PAYMENTS			ASSIGNED PAY	OTHER CHARGES	TOTAL DEBITS	BALANCE		PAY WITHHELD OR DEFERRED	PAY AVAILABLE FOR ISSUE	REMARKS
2	3	4				CREDIT	DEBIT			

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ASSIGNED PAY.

UNIT.

NAME OF | DATE | AUTHORITY

2 C.M.R. | | Pay. 82.— 7.A. 60 mess 1.— 83.60

RANK

Beneficiary

Address

England.

Amount. $ ~~30.00~~. 15.00 xx. 1/1/17.

Separation Allowance issued. Yes or No.....

DATE	PARTICULARS	CK. NO.	CR.	DR
1917.				
April 20	A.P. Eng			15
24	Pay April (R)		108	
27	Bank			93
May 16	A.P. Eng			15
19	Pay May (R)		111 60	
23	Bank	6049		96
29	From Cpl 1 6/16 DO 32 had been prom Sgt 1 7/16 (Nov Vo: 875 Pay II) sh be credited - Adj of pay 1 6/16 to 1 7/16 - 30 days @ 5¢ Pay II Observations 22 Sept, file 9D-680.		1 50	
	"Cash" — Do —	6069		1
June 18	A.P. Eng			15
	June Pay (R)		108	
22	Bank			93
July 21	A.P. Eng			15
23	July Pay (R)		111 60	
25	Bank	13082		96
Aug 16	A.P. Eng			15
17	Aug Pay (R)		111 60	
21	Bank	17361		96
Sept 17	A.P. Eng			15
19	Sept Pay (R)		108	
20	Bank	21971		93
Oct 11	A.P. Eng			15
13	Oct Pay (R)		111 60	
19	Bank	26282		96
Nov 14	A.P. Eng			15
15	Nov Pay (R)		108	
20	Bank	30681		93

E OF	DATE	AUTHORITY	RANK.	DATE	AUTHORITY	NAME.
M.R.		Pay. 82.– 7.A. 60 mess 1.– $3.60	Lieut	Mess. 18/11/16.	L/G. P. 108. d/2/17.	Name Darcus. Initials R.J. Bank of Montreal

1917-18

	CK. NO.	CR.	DR.	ASSIGNED PAY PAID IN CANADA	BALANCE	SPECIAL AUTHORITIES To be initialled by P.M. in every case.	INITIALS
			15 .				
		108 .					
			93 .				
			15– .				
		111 60					
	6049		96 60				
6 @ 1 7/16 | 8½ 5¢ | Pay II	Vo: 875	1 50	× ~~58~~				
	6069		1 50				
			15 .				
		108 .					
			93 .				
			15– .				
		111 60					
	13082		96 60				
			15–				
		111 60					
	17361		96 60				
			15–				
		108					
	31931		93				
			15–				
		111 60					
unk	26282		96 60				
			15–				
		108					
unk	30681		93				

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ASSIGNED PAY.

UNIT.

NAME OF: 2 C.M.R.

DATE:

AUTHORITY: Pay. $2.–
F.A. .60
Mess 1.–
$3.60

RANK: Le

Beneficiary

Address England

Amount. $ 15.00 — 1/17

Separation Allowance issued. Yes or No.....

DATE 1917	PARTICULARS	CK. NO.	CR.	DR.
Dec 10	A.P. Eng			15
13	Dec pay R.		111 60	
14	Bank	35096		96
Jan 10	A. P. Eng.			15
	Pay R.		111 60	
22	Bank	39425		96
Feb	Pay R.		100 80	
	A. Pay. England.			15
21	Bank	40995		85
March	Pay. R.		111 60	
	A. Pay England.			15
22	Sick leave 31/7/17 - 1/3/18	16760		
23	Bank	42627		96

ME OF	DATE	AUTHORITY	RANK.	~~DATE~~ Mess	AUTHORITY	NAME.
C.M.R.		Pay. $2.– P.P. .60 Mess 1.– $3.60	Lieut.	18 11/16	L.G. P108. 2/19	Name Darcus Initials R. J. Bank of Montreal

	CK. NO.	CR.	DR.	ASSIGNED PAY PAID IN CANADA	BALANCE	SPECIAL AUTHORITIES To be initialled by P.M. in every case.	INITIALS
			15–				
		111 60					
nk	35096		96 60		0		
			15				
		111 60					
nk	39425		96 60				
		100 80					
			15				
6	40995		85 80		0		
		111 60					
			15				
	16760				6-5-4	30 50	
ank–	42627		96 60		0		

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ASSIGNED PAY.

UNIT.

NAME OF ~~DATE~~ Rate AUTHORITY

RANK.

Beneficiary

Address

England.

Amount. $ 15.00 ✓ 1/11

Separation Allowance issued. Yes or No.....

NAME OF	~~DATE~~ Rate	AUTHORITY
2. C.M.R.	Pay.	2.00
4th C.R.I.	F.A.	60
	Mess	1.00
		3.60

Lieut

Add Outfit Allce

DATE	PARTICULARS	CK. NO.	CR.	DR.
1918				
Apl. 11.	A. P. Eng			15.
" " 16	Pay. R.		108 -	
24		Bank. 1173.		93.
May 9.	A. P. Eng.			15
10	Pay. R.		111 60	
23.		Bank. 2679.		96
June 12.	A. P. England.			15
13.	Pay R.		108 -	
24		Bank. 4158		93
July 12.	A.P. Eng Pay R.		111 60	15
25		Bank 5346		96
Aug.	A.P. Eng			15
" 13	Pay R.		111 60	
26		Bank 7207		96
Sept 4	D.o.R. 2 Shirts Union Underwear. Issts Off. clothing Stores 14/8 11/6 Vo 35 List 14 Sept. Genl a/c.			2 8
" 13	A.P. Eng.			15
" 16	Pay R.		108	
" 25		Bank 9134		90
Oct.	A.P. Eng. Pay R.		111 6.	15
22		Bank 10348		96
" 31	Add. Outfit allce 1-8-18		100	
V		Bank. 10883		100
29 Nov 18	A. P. Eng Pay R Adjt F.A. 17/18 31. 10/18		140	15

E OF	~~DATE~~ Rate	AUTHORITY	RANK.	~~DATE~~ Mess	AUTHORITY	NAME. 16
m.R.	Pay	2.00	Lieut	18 11/16	S.G. P.108. d/2 1/7	Name Marcus.
R.F.	F.A.	60				Initials R. J.
	Mess	1.00				Bank of Montreal
		3.60				

Add'l Outfit Allce 1/8 $100.00

	CK. NO.	CR.	DR.	ASSIGNED PAY PAID IN CANADA	BALANCE	SPECIAL AUTHORITIES To be initialled by P.M. in every case.	INITIALS
			15.				
		108 -					
Bank.	1173.		93. -				
			15 -				
		111 60					
Bank.	2679.		96 60				
			15 -				
		108 -					
ank.	4158		93 -				
			15				
		111 60					
Bank	5546		96 60				
			15				
		111 60					
Bank	7207		96 60				
14 Sept.			2 80				
35 Lieut	a/c.		15				
		108					
ank	9139		90 70				
			15				
		111 6.					
ank	10348		96 60				
		100					
Bank.	10883		100 -				
			15				
					Cr 125		
10/15		140					

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ASSIGNED PAY. | UNIT. NAME OF | DATE | AUTHORITY | RANK. | DATE | AUTHORITY | NAM

Beneficiary — 2 C.M.R. — Pay. 2' — Lieut — Name

Address — T.A. 1, — Initia

Mess 1. — Bank

Amount. $ 15 Reny.

Separation Allowance issued. Yes or No.....

DATE	PARTICULARS	CK. NO.	CR.	DR.	ASSIGNED PAY PAID IN CANADA	BALANCE	SPECIAL To be initialled
	For'd.					Cr 125	
Nov 27		Bank	12622	125			
Dec 4	A.P. Eng Pay			15			
14			124				
		Bank	13759	109			
Jan 16	A.P. Eng Pay			15			
21			124				
		Bank	15558	109			
Feb. 11	A.P. Eng. Pay		112	15			
21		Bank	17044	97			
Mar 14	A.P. Eng Pay			15			
21			124				
		Bank		109			
April 10	A.P. Eng. Pay		120	15			
		Bank	1052	105			
May 12	Pay (R) A.P. Eng.		124	30 ~~15~~			
19	Advance May & June Pay Bank			214		~~Dr 100~~ -	Ltd
June 26	June Pay (R)		120			Dr 120 -	L.P.6
							Ltd.
							20 & 12p

T.
ME OF | DATE | AUTHORITY

RANK. | DATE | AUTHORITY

NAME.

C. M. R | Pay. 2' | Lieut

Name Darcus.
Initials P. J.
Bank of Montreal.

Pay. 1,
F.A. 1,
Mess 1.

	CK. NO.	CR.	DR.	ASSIGNED PAY PAID IN CANADA	BALANCE	SPECIAL AUTHORITIES To be initialled by P.M. in every case.	INITIALS
					Cr 125		
Bank	12622		125		0		
			15				
		124					
Bank	13759		109		0		
			15				
		124					
Bank	15558		109				
			15				
		112					
Bank	17044		97				
			15				
		124					
Bank			109				
			15				
		120					
Bank	1052		105				
		124					
			30 ~~15~~				
May & June Bank			214				
		120					

~~Dr 100~~ - Ltd to Can
S. 120 - L.P.6 to 30 6/19 (HQ)
"Sper. to N.C. Ledger
20 L 124 Dr July 19.

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ASSIGNED PAY. | UNIT. NAME OF | DATE | AUTHORITY | RANK.

Beneficiary

Address

England

Amount. $ 15.00 7x 1/17.

Separation Allowance issued. Yes or No.....

2nd C.M.R. | Lt.

1916-17

DATE 1917.	PARTICULARS	CK. NO.	CR.	DR.
Jan 18.	Bank. P+A. & Mess (18/11/16 - 31/12/16.)	18107.		158-
" 20	Friends rates do. do. Vo.s 16639+140.		158.140	
" 20	Pay Jan (R.)		111.60	
23.	Bank.	19286.		111-
Feb. 13.	Cr Bal. from Pay II 17/11/16	19490		51-
15.	Pay Feb. (R.)		100.80	
16.	Cr. Bal. Pay II on transfer. L.P.E. No 250		51-19.a	
19.	A. P. Eng.			30-
21.	Bank.	21931		70-
Mar 15.	A. P. Eng.			15-
22.	Pay Mar (R)		111.60	
23.	Bank.			96

ME OF	DATE	AUTHORITY	RANK.	DATE	AUTHORITY	NAME. 9 D 680
6 M.R.			Lt.	18-11-16	Lon. Gaz. p/108 d/ 2-1-17	Name Darcus, Initials R. J. Bank of Montreal ✓

6-1-17	CK. NO.	CR.	DR.	ASSIGNED PAY PAID IN CANADA	BALANCE	SPECIAL AUTHORITIES To be initialled by P.M. in every case.	INITIALS
)	18107.		158·40		Dr. 158·40		
Vo.s 16639+ 140.		158·40					
		111·60					
	19286.		111·60		0		
11/16	19490		51·19		Dr. 51·19		
		100·80					
fes. L.P.C.	No 250	51·19					
			30·				
	21931		70·80		0		
			15·				
		111·60					
			96·60		0		

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ASSIGNED PAY.	UNIT. NAME OF	DATE	AUTHORITY	RANK
Beneficiary				
Address				
Amount. $				
Separation Allowance issued. Yes or No.....				

DATE	PARTICULARS	CK. NO.	CR.	DR.

OF	DATE	AUTHORITY	RANK.	DATE	AUTHORITY	NAME.
						Name Initials Bank

	CK. NO.	CR.	DR.	ASSIGNED PAY PAID IN CANADA	BALANCE	SPECIAL AUTHORITIES To be initialled by P.M. in every case.	INITIALS

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Army Form B. 178.

To be used for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army only. Army Form B. 178[A] to be used for Special Reserve recruits and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY of

Darcus

Surname Darcus *Christian Name* Richard James

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish Dundrum County Dublin, Ireland

Examined ... ... on 31st day of December 1914.
at Medicine Hat, Alta. 24 NOV 1917

Declared Age ... ... 20 years days.

Trade or Occupation ... Bank Clerk

Height ... ... 5 feet, 9 3/4 inches.

Weight ... ... [illegible] lbs.

Chest Measurement. Girth when fully Expanded. 35 inches.
Range of Expansion. inches.

Physical Development ...

Vaccination Marks — Right / Left
Arm ...
Number ...

When Vaccinated 19/6/15

Vision ... ... R.E.—V=
L.E.—V=

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

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

Approved by (*Signature*) H. Orr
(*Rank*) Capt
Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... ... at Medicine Hat, Alta
on 31st day of December 1914.

	Corps.	Regtl. No.
Joined on Enlistment ...	3rd Bn. M.R. Regt.	[illegible]
Transferred to	3rd Res. Battn. 2nd Bn. M.R.	Pte 3.3.8.1.6

Became non-effective by ...

on day of 191 .

(*Signature*)

(*Rank*)

CANADIAN

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

Name of Hospital	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number of days in Hospital	Remarks bearing use. In ca subsequent given in the
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year			
No.7.Stn.Hpl.B'logne=	10	4	17	15	4	17	G.S.W.Cheek. Rt	1	Dis.to du
Princes Hosp London	21	11	17				Gsw back penetrating chest		Gunsel cavi ab: healed
Horton War Hospital Epsom							G.S.W. Left Thigh		Left fe Inb
Colchester Military Hospital	6	12	18	10	12	18	G.S.W. Hip & Groin	4	Ft. Jo as ab
Granville Can Spec. Hosp Buxton & Derbyshire	10	12	18	10	6	19	G.S.W. Hip (L) Thigh (Complete Loss of Senses N.)	183	Abs Sme Heal
H. S. ESSEQUIBO	JUN 10 1919			21	JUN 1919		do-	12	
Esquimalt Military Hospital.	24	6	19.	31	1	20.	- do -	218	Bon Fra

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

Number of days in Hospital	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
1	Dis. to duty	4647-653 JP
	Gluteal cavity left-suppurates & closes. No FB. seen. Puncture of bone has healed well but very dyspnoeic. Lt leg functioning.	D'Oliveira Capt RAMC
	Left Sciatic nerve divided. Sinus not quite closed into which splinters. Bullet present over St. Trochanter - not interfered with	H Chapple Capt.
4	As above.	[illegible] Capt.
183	No voluntary power in any muscle below the knee. Sciatic nerve sutured 17-3-19 Healed by first intention Sent to Canada	[illegible] Capt
	Convalescent discharged	[illegible] Capt.
218	Boarded to SCR for further treatment	[illegible] Capt

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
2/2/15	Typhoid Inoculation
12/2/15	
22/2/15	
28 XII/17	S.W. Chest. Leave two months Lewis Military Camp
2-4-18	S.W Chest - Two months Home Service active duty with troops (C) J.J. Mitchell PRESIDENT STANDING MEDICAL BOARD
3/6/18	G.S.W. Chest. 1 month H.S. CI Lewis Military Camp
3/7/18	do A. Williams Major
TKB 1	13/8/18 Military capt care
May 15-19.	Complete Lesion Ocular Nerve L. Lt-C Edinburgh Castle

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

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Army Form I. 1237.*

MEDICAL CASE SHEET.*

No. in Admission and Discharge Book. 1206 Year

Station and Date.

Regimental No.	Rank.	Surname.	Christian Name.
	Lieut	Darcus	R.J.

Unit.	Age.	Service.	
2nd Can. Mount. Rifles	24	4y 12d	2y 12d

Disease GSW Lt Hip

Occupation Bank clerk.
Enlisted Dec. 1914.
England June 1915
France Sept. 1915
Wounded Cambrai Sept 29-1918
England Oct 3. 1918.
Hospitals 33rd C.C.S. 1 day
20th General. 1 day
Horton, Epsom 10 weeks
Matlock Bath 4 days
G.S.C.H. 10-12-18

History:- Struck by machine gun bullet entering right thigh and passed Through left leg from inner side 1" below perineum emerging on left buttock near natal fold another bullet entered on outer side of left Thigh about 3" below knee & Tunnel Thro F.B. still in leg. Inoperation wounds healed 1 week ago.
Says he lost all power below knee as soon as he was struck. Wounded in Chest Oct 30 1917 bothered him since except wound tender at times.
Present Conditions:- General health good.
wounds as described above healed.
no voluntary power in muscles below left knee
Sensory disturbances as in Chart attached
Swelling in Sole. Foot Swollen. Massage Splint
Sent to Medical Room for Electrical reaction Ed.

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

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Station and Date.	
	Galvanism & massage to left leg.
18 viii 18	Ankylosed
	Galv. Faradic. Condenser
Rectus fem	quickly gradually
adductors	" "
Biceps	" "
Hamstrings	" "
Tib ant	slowly no contn. wasted & 1.0 mA
Ext. comm	" " " < 2.0 "
Peronei	" " " no wastn & 2.0 "
Gastroc.	" " " wasted & 2.0 "
Tib. Post.	" " " - < 2.0 "
	Ankylosed
	no Vol power in any muscle below the knee
	Sensory — Anaesthesia & analgesia over whole sciatic area
	III = Anaesthesia & analgesia
	The Internal Saphenous area remains normal.
	Diag. Lesion, complete, of Sciatic Nerve
	R Galvanism + massage to all the flexors & extensors of foot & toes
Dec 20. 18	Wound healed about Dec 7. 18
Jan 10. 18	Returned from leave. Tingling sensation & improved outer side of leg. Carry on Return Col Mackay in one week. FJP
Jan 14. 18	Note above FJP
	Condenser < 2.00
Tib ant.	wasted < 1.0 mA
Ext. comm	no wastn < 2.0 "
Peronei	" " < 2.0 "
Gastroc	wasted < 2.0
Tib Post	no wastn < 2.0

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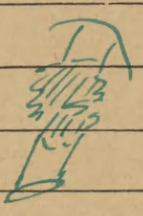
Army Form I. 1237.

MEDICAL CASE SHEET.*

No. in Admission and Discharge Book.	Regimental No.	Rank.	Surname.	Christian Name.
		Lieut	Davies	R. J.
Year	Unit.		Age.	Service.
	2nd C. M. R.		24	4y 8m / 12 yrs

Station and Date.	
	Disease G. S. W. L. Arm
	There is no change in condition. Complete Sciatic Lesion. will require operation for exposure of sciatic. 30 May 1916. Disp
Jan 21. 19	Wounds healed since about Dec 7. Too soon to consider operation. Disp
Jan 28. 19	Carry on. More pain in post. Disp.
Feb 2nd 19	no change carry on Disp
Feb 7th 19	Complaining of cold. Chills Temp 100 Cough Put to bed Tab cod clears Disp
Feb 10 19	Improving. Disp.
Feb. 17 19	To 3rd Aux. Hosp. Tues. Disp
Mar 4. 19	Wanting operation. For X Ray as to bullet ? imbedded in upper third of Femur. Report Confirmed Site in femur Disp
Mar 17. 19	Operation: Ether: Incision along course of sciatic below gluteus max. G.M. divided at insertion & thrown up & inwards. Nerve found completely involved in dense scar as in diagram just below notch. No fibres could be seen traversing scar. Sectioned above & below: good fibres obtained & good apposition secured by end to end suture. Knee flexed to R. Gluteus restored. Skin closed & Swg. Plaster Spica & thigh in full extension & knee flexed. Maintain this post 4 weeks. Disp Ples May Come
	 1 3/4 inches retained
1/4/16	Stitches taken out 28/3/16 healed by first intention.

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

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[P.T.O.

Transfer to Pte Absorbed Opr

Station and Date.	
9-6-19	Discharged to Canada with his unit

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MEDICAL BOARD REPORT ON A DISABLED OFFICER.

(ALSO TO BE USED FOR DISABLED NURSES.)

Station Witley

Date 3/7/18.

1. Rank and Name Lt DARCUS, RICHARD JAMES
2. Unit 3 Res Bn.
3. Age 23 4. Total Service 4 2/12 War Service { (a) at home 5/12 (b) abroad 37/12 (France 4/12)
5. Address 3 Res Bn. Witley

STATEMENT OF CASE.

NOTE.—In answering the following questions the Board will carefully discriminate between the officer's statements and evidence recorded in his medical documents. When possible, a statement by his medical attendant should be attached.

6. Disability G.S.W. Chest
7. Date of origin of disability 30/10/17
8. Place of origin of disability Passchendaele
9. Give concisely the essential facts bearing on the history of the disability (personal and family history, etc.) :—

NOTE.—Boards subsequent to the first should record here the progress of the case since the officer's last appearance.

Appears after 1 month A.S. (CT)
has steadily improved.

I concur in the findings of the Board of Medical Officers here recorded.
W Somerville
Major, D.A.D.M.S.
For D.M.S.
Canadian Contingents.

OPINION OF THE MEDICAL BOARD.

NOTES.—(i.) The Board will on no account inform the officer of its opinion on any of the following questions.
(ii.) Clear and decisive answers should be filled in by the Board to enable the Ministry of Pensions to come to a reliable decision on the officer's claim to pension, etc.
(iii.) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," should be avoided, if possible.
(iv.) When there is more than one disability the replies will distinguish between them.

10. Was the disability contracted (a) before entering the service? No
(b) in the service? Yes
11. Was it attributable to military service? Yes
If so, to what specific military conditions is it attributed? G.S.W.

[Enteric Fever, Dysentery, Malaria, &c., contracted on service in countries where there is a special liability to the disease are to be regarded as attributable to military service.]

12. If not attributable to, was it aggravated by, military service? N/A.
If so, by what specific military conditions? N/A.
13. Is it attributable to, or aggravated by, the officer's own negligence or misconduct? If so, in what way, and to what extent? N/A

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14. What is the officer's present condition ? General condition good. Heart and lungs normal. No pain. Slight tenderness about scar. No cough. States he has improved steadily

15. To what degree is the officer disabled at the present time ? Nil

(Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages—100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 20, under 20, or nil.)

16. Is the disability permanent ?

17. If not permanent, how soon is re-examination recommended ? _____ months.

18. Is it necessary that the officer should be re-examined by the same Board ?

19. What treatment is the officer receiving, and where, and from whom ?

N/A

20. Is the officer in need of special medical treatment of any kind, and, if so, of what nature ? No

21. Does the officer require the constant attendance of another person ? No

22. Officers will be classified by the Medical Board under one of the following categories, the probable period of unfitness for the higher categories being stated. Explanation of these categories is in para. 5 of A.C.I. 1677/1917. In case of nurses, omit B. and (i) and (ii) of E.

A.—Fit for general service.

B.—Fit for service in a garrison or labour unit abroad. Yes

C.—Fit for home service :—
(i) Active duty with troops.
(ii) Sedentary employment only.

D.—For admission to a command depot.

E.—Requiring indoor hospital treatment :—
(i) In an officers' military or auxiliary convalescent hospital.
(ii) In an officers' hospital.

F.—Permanently unfit for any further military service.

23. In the case of officers suffering from neurasthenia found permanently unfit, has A.C.I. 1289 of 1917 been complied with ?

N/A

[signature] President.

[signature] Members.

[signature]

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Granville Hospital.

Army Form W. 3172.
(In pads of 50.)

Ward Officers' No. of Bed — Date March 5. 1919

Regt. No.	Rank and Name.	Corps.	Part to be X-Rayed.
—	Dawes. Lieut.	2nd CMR	Left hip.

SHORT HISTORY OF CASE.
(To be completed by M.O. i/c case.)

Wounded, bullet Sept 29/18 upper third left femur. Bullet remained in. Former X Ray showed bullet near great trochanter.

Look for F.B.

2-12×10+

Signature of M.O. [illegible] Capt

Date March 5. 19

REPORT ON RESULT OF X-RAY EXAMINATION.
(To be completed by Radiographer.)

24

No. of Plate 8544

(near acetabulum

shaped picture. ramus of ischium ^

irregularity – multiple F.B's, this region

Bullet imbedded in Femur head portion

of great trochanter,

Signature of Radiographer W.H. Bagar

Date Major C.A.M.C.

C.A.D.C. 5009A

CANADIAN ARMY DENTAL CORPS, O.M.F.C.

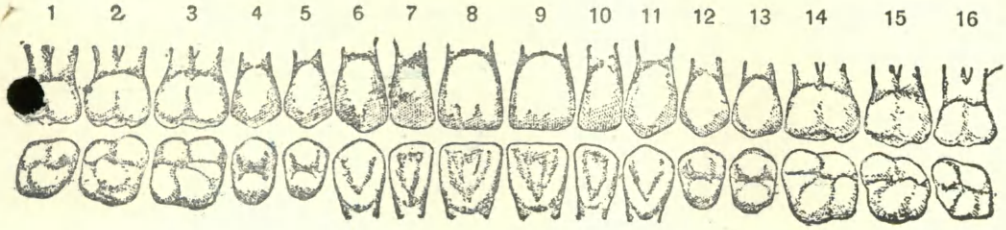
DENTAL CERTIFICATE FOR DEMOBILIZATION

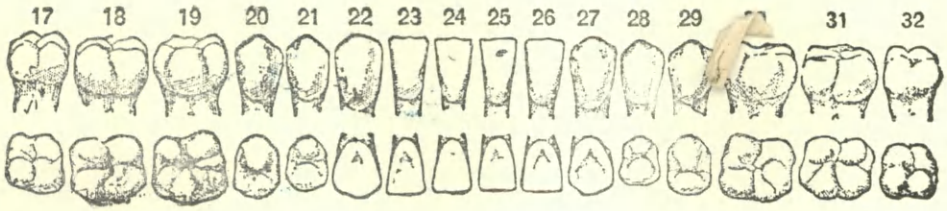
Canadian Printing and Stationery Services, London

NAME OF SOLDIER (Block Letters) DARCUS R. J.

REGIMENT 2 Can R. RANK Lieut No.

Date of Examination in England 13.5.19 | Date of Examination in France





DIRECTIONS TO DENTAL OFFICERS

1. This form will be made out for each individual at the time of Demobilization in England or France.
2. Figures as per chart will be used to designate teeth concerned.
3. In reference to Partial Dentures the numbers of teeth thereon will be stated.

PRESENT DENTAL REQUIREMENTS

1. FILLINGS
2. EXTRACTIONS
3. CROWNS
4. DENTURES
   - (*a*) Full Upper
   - (*b*) Part Upper
   - (*c*) Full Lower
   - (*d*) Part Lower

HAS HE EVER REFUSED DENTAL TREATMENT? No

HAS HE EVER RECEIVED DENTAL TREATMENT? (Reply by "*Yes*" where applicable to any or all of *a*, *b* or *c*.)

- (*a*) In Canada
- (*b*) In England Yes
- (*c*) In France

Signature of Dental Officer Ross Blackwell Capt

R. 150

Surname DARCUS, Christian Names Richard James,

Rank 108183 Corpl., Name and Address of Next-of-Kin

Promotion Temp.Lieut., Solomon H. Darcus,

Valetta House,

Unit 2nd C.M.R., Battn., Kingstown, Ireland.

Place of birth Dundrum, Co.Dublin. Ireland.

Married (Yes or No) No.

Appointments

PMD. Date of leaving Canada Date and Cause of Resignation

Report Date	Report From whom received	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
				18-11-16	Lon. Gaz 2/1/17. A.O. 1310. 3 Div R.L.9--D.472.
		Temp.Lieut. posted to 2nd C.M.R., Bn.,			
6/12/16	D.C.S.	Adm. 8 Can. Field ambulance transfd to Div Rest Station		13-11-16	C.R.540. P.M.O.
7/12/16	D.C.S.	reported from Base rejoined unit		17-11-16	C.R.541.
10/3/17	2 C.M.R.	granted 10 days leave from		3-2-17	P.R. Ord 15.
		Dsckgd to duty		12-4-17	C.R.683.
13-4-17	C.R.O.	Admtd Sta Hosp.	Boulogne.	10-4-17	C.R.647 G.S.W. Chest.
28-5-17	Do.	Rejtd. from Base. "Accidentally Wounded"		22-5-17	C.R.685.
29-5-17	Do.	Prev. "Acc. Wounded." now "Acc. Wounded at Duty"		22-5-17	C.R.686.
25-10-17	2 C.M.R.	Granted 10 days leave of absence		7.10.17	P.R. 1/113
3-11-17.	C.R.O.	Evacuated from Base	wounded	30/10/17	C.R.822
7-11-17.	C.R.O.	Adm to 4 Can Hosp.	Boulogne	3/11/17	C.R.825 452 Base Depot
4.12.17.	2 C.M.R.	invalid. Wounded	Left to	B.C.R.D.	21/11/17 P.R. 1/132
23.8.17	C.R.O.	Adm. Prince of Wales Hosp.	Marylebone	21/11/17	C.R.839
				31/12/17	C.R.926.

Report Date	Report From whom received	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
27.11.17.	B.C.R.D.	Jon S. having been admitted	in England pte Hosp	23/11/17	PT II 0/250 A.F.B. 103. 18 DEC. 1917
9.1.18	B.C.R.D.	Granted 2 mths sick leave		28/12/17	PT II 0/7
4.3.18	B.C.R.D.	Rete for Leave & det to 1st Res		2/3/18	PT II 0/54
21.3.18	2nd C.M.R.	S/S Establishment for over 4 mths'	absent from unit	21/3/18	PT II 0/26
26.4.18	B.C.R.D.	Cases to be det to 1st Res a long trans	to 1st C.O.R.D.	28/2/18	PT II 0/101
28.4.18	1 C.O.R.D.	T.O.S. on Transfer from B.C.R.	det. 3 Res Bn amended to read 18.2.18	~~28.4.18~~	116 after order PT II 0/1 (1st C.O.R.D.) 0/50
25.4.18	3 Res Bn	~~T.O.S.~~ attached ~~on posting~~ from Depot.	~~Depot~~ amended to read 19.2.19	~~25.4.18~~	115 7119 3 Res amending after order PT II 0/1 (3rd Res) d 19/2/20.
8.5.18	Hdqrs 7	Trans for B.C.R. to 1st C.O.R.D.		18/2/18	R03991
10.7.18	1 C.O.R.D.	Cases to be detached to	3 R Bn & S.O.S. to that unit	3.7.18	PT II 0.189 a PT II 0.192. 3 R Bn A.F.B. 103. 2 SEP. 1918
23.8.18.	3 Res.	S.O.S. to 2 C.M.R. Cases		23.8.18	" 236.
30.8.18.	2 C.M.R.	T.O.S. from England		23.8.18	" 90.
4.10.18	B.A.M.S.	Reported from Base Wounded		29.9.18	C.L. 1103.
5.10.18	A.M.S.	Adm. 20 Gen. Hospital	Camiers	1.10.18	C.L. 11024. G.S.W. L. Groin slight
15.10.18	2 C.M.R.	Invalided Wounded & detached to 1 C.O.R.D.		3.10.18	PT II 110
10.10.18.	1 C.O.R.D.	T.O.S. on Evacuation		4.10.18	PT II 0.281 A.F.B. 10
4.10.18	B.A.M.S.	Adm. Horton County of London War Hospital Epsom		4.10.18	C.L. 1105. 22 OCT. 1918
23.10.18.	1 C.O.R.D.	Det to E.T. School Beckhill.		14.10.18	PT II 0.294.
9.12.18	A.M.S.	Adm. Fav. Conv. Hosp.	Mallock Bath	7.12.18	C.L. 1159
12.12.18	A.M.S.	Adm Granville Fav. Conv. Hosp.	Epsom Hosp. Buxton Discharged	10.12.18 10.6.19.	C.L. 1162 C.L. 1313 G.S.W. L. Groin

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PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD

assembled at 13 BERNERS ST. W.1. on 28-12-17.

by order of A.D.M.S. LONDON AREA.

for the purpose of examining and reporting upon the present state of health of

(Rank and Name) LT. Richard James DARCUS. (Corps) 2nd C.M.R.

Age 23 Service 36/12 Disability S.W. BACK. (Penetrating Chest)

Date of commencement of leave granted for present disability 28-12-17.

Date on which placed on half-pay for present disability

The Board having assembled pursuant to order, and having read the instructions on the back of the form, proceed to examine the above-named officer and find that

Officer wounded back, penetrating chest, by H.E. at Passchendaele 30-10-17.

Wound and condition stated A.F.A.45A.

The Board Recommend as below.

The Board will classify the officer under one of the following categories, the probable period of unfitness for the higher categories being stated.

1. Fit for General Service ..... No four months.
2. Fit for service in a Garrison or Labour Battalion abroad. *No officer likely to be fit for general service within six months should be classed in this category* .....
3. Fit for Home Service ..... No ~~three~~ months.
4. Fit for Light Duty at Home ..... No ~~three~~ two months
5. Requiring indoor hospital treatment—
   (*a.*) In an Officers' Hospital .....
   (*b.*) In an Officers' Convalescent Hospital .....
6. (*a.*) Fit for light duty at a Command Depôt .....
   (*b.*) Fit for treatment only at a Command Depôt .....
7. In very special cases such as tuberculosis leave not exceeding six months may be recommended by Medical Boards for special treatment, the Board giving detailed reasons for any such recommendation .....

I concur. I have examined the officer mentioned in the above proceedings of the Board of Medical Officers here recorded.
Captain, D.A.D.M.S. for D.M.S. Canadians,

8. Was the disability contracted in the service? ..... Yes
9. Was it contracted under circumstances over which he had no control? ..... Yes
10. Was it caused by military service? ..... Yes
11. If caused by military service, to what specific military conditions is it attributed? ..... H.E.
12. If the disability was not caused by military service, was it aggravated thereby, and if so, by what specific military conditions? ..... Not applicable.

Officer's Address: c/o Mrs Mayne, Heatherdene, Queens Park, West Drive. Bournemouth

Signatures: S.H.McCoy Maj. CAMC. — President.
G.H.Wilson Maj. CAMC. — Members.
L.W.MacNutt Maj. CAMC. — Members.

[P.T.O.

INSTRUCTIONS.

1. On the occasion of an Officer's first appearance before a Medical Board for his present disability, the circumstances under which the disability was contracted will be fully detailed; whenever possible a statement of the case by his medical attendant will also be attached.

2. In recording the proceedings of subsequent Boards, the progress of the individual since his last appearance will be clearly and concisely stated so as to ensure a continuous medical history of the case being available.

3. Enteric Fever, Dysentery, Malaria, etc., contracted when on service abroad, in countries where there is a special liability to the disease, are to be regarded as caused by military service.

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PROMOTIONS, REDUCTIONS AND REVERSIONS AFFECTING DAILY RATE OF PAY AND ALLOWANCES

REGT. No. RANK Lieut. NAME (IN FULL) DARCUS. R.J.

NEXT OF KIN RELATIONSHIP

ADDRESS

IS SEPARATION ALLOWANCE PAID? No. DATE EFFECTIVE

TO WHOM PAID RELATIONSHIP

ADDRESS

Esseguibo · June 10 - 21/19.

PARTICULARS	EFFECTIVE DATE	AUTHORITY
English t.P.C. a/c		30.6.19.
TOS	11.6.19	DO 181
S.O.S.	31-1-20	DO #33

ORIGINAL UNIT C.E.F. 2nd. C.M.R. IF IN P.F. WHAT UNIT? BLOCK LETTERS SURNAME FIRST

PLACE OF ATTESTATION TRANSFERRED TO DATE AUTHORITY

DATE OF ATTESTATION TRANSFERRED TO DATE AUTHORITY

ASSIGNED PAY $ 15.00 DATE EFFECTIVE 1.7.19. Paid by England. Continued by new unit

PAYABLE TO ~~A.O.S. A.H. Darcus~~ RELATIONSHIP ANY CHANGE IN ASSIGNEE OR ADDRESS

ADDRESS ~~Valletta Hotel~~ ~~Kingston Ireland~~ c/o G.F. Pyke. Parliament Bldgs Victoria BC

STOP PAYMENT FORM ASSIGNED PAY RENDERED, DATE EFFECTIVE

DISCHARGED PLACE Victoria DATE V.S.D. 31-1-20 REASON Med. Benefit AUTHORITY DO #33 IF ENTITLED TO POST DISCHARGE PAY

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Paymaster, Demobilization Unit M.D. No.

I certify that all payments of War Service Gratuity have been made on this account according to the period of Service shown on the M.F.W. 2595 received.

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M. OR S. | PROMOTIONS, REDUCTIONS AND REVERSIONS AFFECTING DAILY RATE OF PAY AND ALLOWANCES | REGT. No. | RANK Lieut. NAME (IN FULL) DARCUS R.T. (BLOCK LETTERS SURNAME FIRST)

NEXT OF KIN | RELATIONSHIP

ADDRESS

IS SEPARATION ALLOWANCE PAID? Nil. | DATE EFFECTIVE

TO WHOM PAID | RELATIONSHIP

ADDRESS

PARTICULARS	EFFECTIVE DATE	AUTHORITY
S.O.S.	31-1-20	D.O. #33

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DATE OF ATTESTATION | TRANSFERRED TO | DATE | AUTHORITY

ASSIGNED PAY $ 15.00 | DATE EFFECTIVE 1.7.19 | Paid in England.

PAYABLE TO Mrs. M. N. Darcus | RELATIONSHIP | ANY CHANGE IN ASSIGNEE OR ADDRESS

ADDRESS Valletta House, Kingston. Ireland.

STOP PAYMENT FORM ASSIGNED PAY RENDERED, DATE | EFFECTIVE

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Lieut., Paymaster, Demobilization Pay M.D. No. 11

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THIS FORM WILL BE USED FOR ALL RANKS

MEDICAL HISTORY OF AN INVALID

INSTRUCTIONS WHICH MUST BE READ BY MEDICAL OFFICERS

1. In using this Form the "Instructions issued for the guidance of Medical Officers serving on Medical Boards" issued by the B.P.C. and instructions issued by Militia H.Q., Ottawa, will be carefully followed.
2. The Medical Officer in charge of the case is responsible for the proper completion of Sections 1 to 17 of this Form and will obtain the signature of the invalid to the "Statement," page 3. The President of the Board of Medical Officers is responsible for the proper completion of sections reserved for recording the "Opinion of the Medical Board."
3. In answering the questions, Medical Officers will carefully obtain and record the invalid's statements concerning his condition. They will distinguish observations made by themselves from hearsay. They will distinctly state the authority for statements not resulting from their personal observation; it must be made clear whether such statements are obtained from the invalid concerned, from witnesses, or from documents, Regimental or otherwise.
4. Special care is required in answering question 9. Read the questions carefully. All questions must be answered.
5. If space provided under any section is insufficient add another sheet. Such sheets must be initialled by the Medical Board.
6. A note will be made of attached papers by the Medical Board under the section "Opinion of Medical Board."
7. Under no circumstances may information other than that in sections 7, 8, 9 and 10 be communicated to the invalid, directly or indirectly.
8. The nomenclature of diseases must be followed, if possible, as described in "List of Diseases" printed in the order in which they appear in the Annual Report on the Health of the Army, published in London (1915), by Messrs. Harrison & Sons.

Xl. Casualty Company STATION Esquimalt, BC DATE January 30th, 1920

1. 1 (a) Unit 2nd C.M.R. (b) Regimental No N.A. (c) Rank Lieut

(d) Surname DARCUS (e) Christian name Richard James

(f) Home address Canadian Bank of Commerce, Victoria, BC

(g) Next of Kin Mrs W.H. Darcus (h) Relationship Mother

(i) Address of Next of Kin Valette House, Kingston, Ireland

2. Age last birthday 25 Date of birth August 11th, 1894

3. Enlistment, or Appointment (if an Officer) (a) Place Medicine Hat (b) Date December 31st 1914

4. Personal description:

(a) Height 5 ft 9¾" (b) Weight 150 lbs (stripped) (c) Complexion Dark

(d) Colour of hair Black (e) Colour of eyes Blue (f) Identification marks, Scars, etc. Nil

5. Former trade or occupation Bank Clerk

6. Service (The information should be secured from personal documents, but if documents are not available the invalid's statement may be taken and note must be made to that effect. Periods of service in Canada, England, France or elsewhere should be noted).	Years	Days
	Five	132

Patient's statements	Periods From	Periods To
Canada Dec 31st, 1914 to June 12th, 1915	June 10th, 1918	To date
England June 12th, 1915 to Sep 22nd, 1915	Oct 3rd, 1918	June 10th, 1918
France or other theatres of War	Sep 22nd, 1915	Oct 3rd, 1918

7. Original disease, or injury COMPLETE LESION LEFT SCIATIC NERVE

(a) Date of origin 29-9-1918 (b) Place of origin Cambria

(c) Cause BULLET

M. F. B. 227.

400M.—11-18.
1772-39-117.

8. Present disability— (Here state the exact nature of the disability resulting from the disabling conditions: e.g. (*a*) Weakness—slight, moderate, marked, etc; (*b*) Loss, complete or partial, of an organ or member, or of its functions; (*c*) Necessity for rest of the body, or of some of its parts, for therapeutic reasons; (*d*) Any other restrictions in choice of occupation.)

(PARTIAL LESION LEFT SCIATIC NERVE) LOSS OF FUNCTION LEFT LEG

9. Present condition—(*a*) (Before completing this section the invalid should be stripped, and subjected to a thorough physical examination. Important, to be a full description of the present disabling condition, or conditions only. "History" must be recorded in Section 10. Describe all abnormalities, anatomical and functional, contributing to present disability; objective findings to be stated first, then subjective findings.)

OBJECTIVE Scar 9"long back of thigh operation healed and not tender. Small scar left groin and small scar over tuber ischii left puckered Atrophy muscles left thigh.Very marked atrophy muscles left leg.Movements at left hip restricted.Can flex left knee to 100,passively to 145.Has full extension.Patella is free.Has left foot drop.Movements at left ankle,no voluntary movement.Good passive movement in left ankle and toes.There is loss of sensation outer side and back of left leg from upper and middle third down over dorsi surface of foot and toes and whole of plantar surface.Wears a double ford lock splint left foot.

SUBJECTIVE Complains unable to use left leg.Weakness.GSW back penetrating right lung.Operation removal F.B.Scar right back 8½"long healed. There is deformed appearance right back below scapula.Deviation spinal column to left.Examination lungs negative.Complains pain in chest wall.

(*b*) Has the invalid now any affection of the following systems, not described in Section 9 (*a*) above? (Answer Yes or No.—if the answer to any part is Yes, give a brief description of the present condition.)

Nervous System NO Cardio-Vascular System NO (If pulse rate is abnormal, B. P. will be taken.) Genito-Urinary System NO (Albumen and Sugar will be excluded.)

Special Senses NO Respiratory System NO Integumentary System NO

Disturbances of Mentality NO Digestive System NO Muscular System NO

Osseous and Joint Systems NO Any other general condition YES

Complains pain in chest wall

10. (*a*) History (of the condition referred to in Section 9 (*a*).)

Wounded 29-9-18 left thigh by bullet causing complete lesion left sciatic To 33rd C.C.S.and 20th General Hospital,Horton War Hospital 1-10-18.Matlock bath 6-12-18 and Buxton 10-12-18 here operation 17-2-19 left sciatic nerve sutured.Invalided to Canada 10-6-19.Esquimalt Military Hospital here had operation removal F.B.from right thigh on 19-11-19.Getting hot baths massage and electricity to date

10.—(*b*) (Here give a complete history, as obtained from invalid, with dates of origin, of any affection from which the invalid, has suffered either prior to or since enlistment, and not included in Section 10 (*a*).)

Whooping cough 1908. Wounded April 9th.1917 check. Wounded 23-5-17 check. Wounded 30-10-17 right back and lung

(*c*) (Here give a description of wounds, scars and deformities.

Scar right hip operation removal S.B.Scar both cheeks. As in 9 (a)

11.—(*a*) Did the disabling condition have its origin before enlistment? NO

(*b*) If so, has it been aggravated by Service? (If aggravated, give a description, as far as it is possible to do so, of the disabling condition at time of enlistment.)

N.A.

12. Was the disability caused, or aggravated; (*a*) by intemperance, or improper conduct; or (*b*) by unreasonable refusal to accept treatment? NO

The regimental documents will be referred to.

(If the answer is in the affirmative, state in percentages, to what extent the patient is incapacitated by that causation or aggravation. In answering this question, conduct sheets should be considered. If treatment has been refused, the circumstances surrounding the refusal should be described on page 4.)

13. What is the probable duration, in months, of the disability or of each of the disabling conditions, if there is more than one? Eighteen months

14. Treatment (Case reports, general or special, should be secured and attached where possible.)

Hospitilization as in 10 (a)

15. Is further treatment in hospital, convalescent home, etc., likely to be of material benefit? YES

(If the answer is "yes" state nature of treatment required and probable duration)

Hot baths, Massage and electricity. EIGHT MONTHS

16. Can the former trade or occupation be resumed? NO. Loss of function left leg

(If not, briefly state why)

17. Recommendations

Discharge to S.C.R. for further treatment

T.A.Briggs, Captain, CAMC.

Medical Officer by whom the case is brought forward.

STATEMENT OF THE INVALID

(Sections 7, 8, 9 and 10 are to be read to the invalid and either "satisfied" or "not satisfied" struck out).

I, the undersigned R.J.Darcus, Lieut. have heard the description of my disability and present condition read, and am satisfied (or not satisfied) with it. (If dissatisfied, statement should follow.)

I complain in addition of XXXXXXXXXXXXXXX

R.J.Darcus, Lieut. Rank.

Signature of invalid examined.

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OPINION OF THE MEDICAL BOARD

18. Does the Board concur with the preceding report? If not, give differing opinions, with reasons, quoting the number of the answer criticised.

YES Concur

19. Is the invalid fit for

(*a*) General service,	(Category A)	(Yes or No.)
(*b*) Service abroad, not general service,	(" B)	(Yes or No.)
(*c*) Home service (Canada only),	(" C)	(Yes or No.)
(*d*) Temporarily unfit.	(" D)	(Yes or No.)
(*e*) Unfit for service in Categories A, B and C	(" E)	(Yes or No.)

20. It is certified that the invalid

(*a*) Does require treatment. (Give the nature of the condition and of the treatment required and its probable duration.)

Hot baths. Massage and electricity

(*b*) ~~Does not require treatment~~

(*c*) ~~Should pass under his own control~~

(*d*) Should not pass under his own control.

(Strike out condition not applicable.)

21. It is recommended that the invalid be discharged. (When not for discharge add special recommendation.)

Refer to Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment

Before signing the President of the Medical Board will read the statement signed by the invalid and differing opinions regarding Sections 7, 8, 9 and 10, as recorded in Section 18, to the invalid and if no change is indicated, will initial the statement. If, as a result of differing opinions regarding Sections 7, 8, 9 and 10 only, recorded in Section 18, the invalid is dissatisfied with the statement previously made, remarks of the Medical Board will be added here.

J. W. Bingham Capt. *President.*

PLACE Esquimalt Military Hospital

DATE January 30th, 1920

Members

TO BE COMPLETED WHEN TREATMENT IS REFUSED

I, the undersigned.....understand the nature of the treatment which it is recommended that I should undergo and refuse to accept it.

Witness..... Signed.....

Should the refusal of the invalid to accept treatment appear to be unreasonable, or should he decline to sign this statement the Board of medical officers should so state.

President

PLACE.....

DATE.....

Members

APPROVED BY

R. L. Willis Major, A. M. C.

For *Assistant Director of Medical Services.*

DATE JAN 31 1920

APPROVED BY

Director-General of Medical Services.

DATE.....

Army Form B. 181.

CLINICAL CHART.

(To be attached to Case Sheet.)

Corps 2nd C. M. R. Military Hospital Barton

No. Rank and Name Pascoe R. J. Lieut Age Service

Disease G.S.W. Buttock Date of admission 3-10-18 Date of discharge Result

Dates of Observation																														
Days of Disease	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	1	2	3
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CLINICAL CHART.

(To be attached to Case Sheet.)

Army Form B. 181.

Corps_____ Military Hospital_____

No._____ Rank and Name_____ Age_____ Service_____

Disease_____ Date of admission_____ Date of discharge_____ Result_____

Dates of Observation

Days of Disease

Temperature Fahrenheit

Time A.M. P.M.

107° 106° 105° 104° 103° 102° 101° 100° 99° 98° 97°

8 6 4 2

Pulse per Minute

Respirations per Minute

Motions per 24 hours

(6378) Wt. W4612/P566 2,000,000 2/18 McA & W Ltd A.F.B. 181/5 (E. 2565)

Signature_____ in charge of case

CLINICAL CHART.

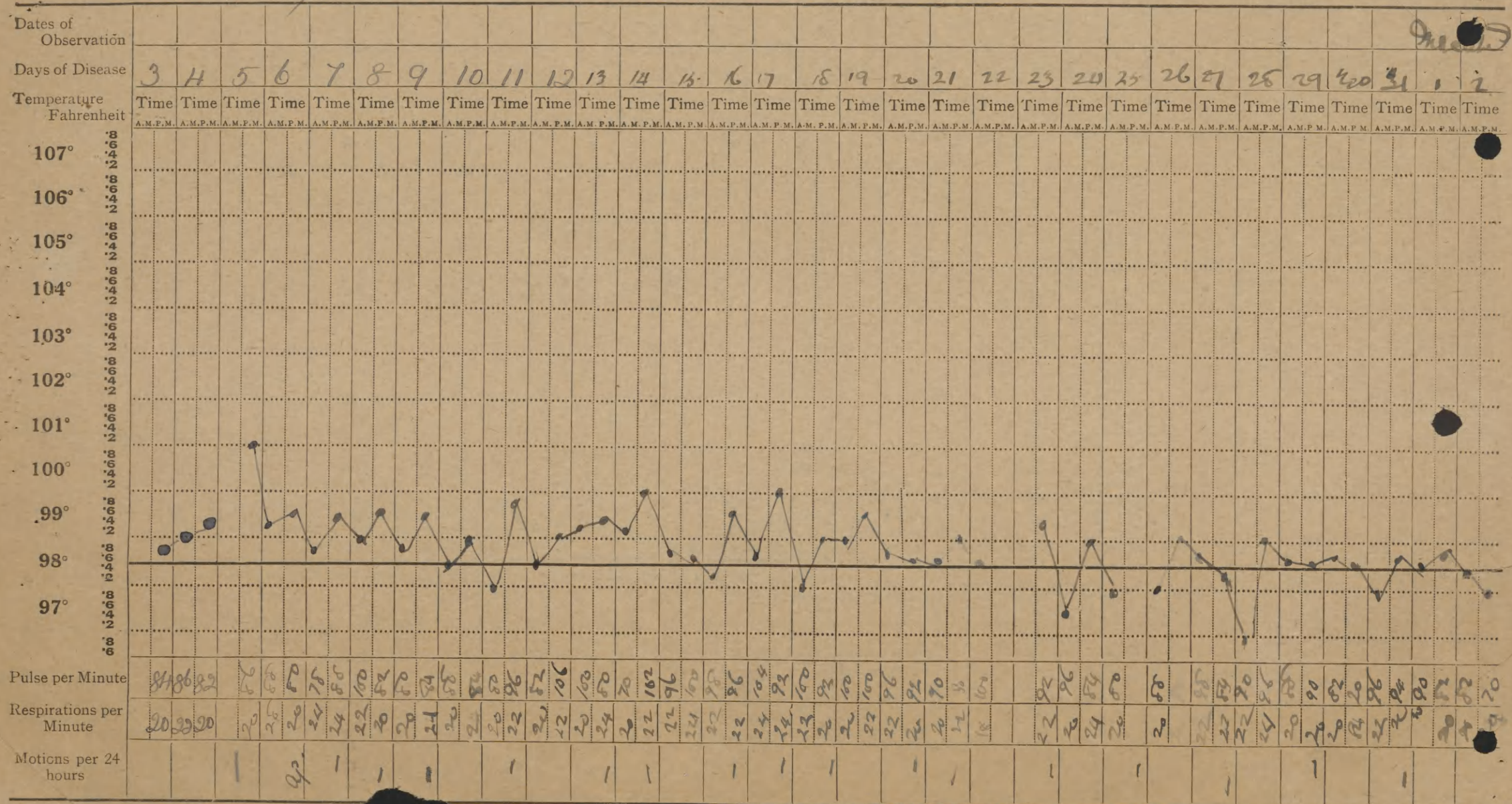
(To be attached to Case Sheet.)

Army Form B.

Corps 2nd Co. Ty. R. Br. Military Hospital Epsom

No. 1 Rank and Name Lieut Darcus R J Age 1 Service

Disease G.S.W.(L) Groin Date of admission 3rd Oct. 18 Date of discharge Result



(6378) Wt. W4612/P565 2,000,00 181/5 (E. 2565)

Signature In charge of case.

Army Form B. 181.

CLINICAL CHART.

(To be attached to Case Sheet.)

Corps _____ Military Hospital _____

No. _____ Rank and Name _____ Age _____ Service _____

Disease _____ Date of admission _____ Date of discharge _____ Result _____

Days of Observation

Days of Disease

Temperature Fahrenheit

Time A.M.P.M. (repeated across 30 columns)

107° 106° 105° 104° 103° 102° 101° 100° 99° 98° 97°

Pulse per Minute

Respirations per Minute

Motions per 24 hours

(6378) Wt. W4612/P565 2,000,000 2/18 McA & W Ltd A.F.B. 181/5 (E. 2565)

Signature _____ In charge of case.

c/o S.C.P. Victoria B.C. H.R.

No. 108183. Lance.Corporal R. J. Darcus. 3rd C.M.R.

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WILL

In the event of my death I give the whole of my property and effects to my Mother, Mrs Helen Darcus, Valetta House, Kingstown, Ireland.

Richard James Darcus.
Lance Corporal No 108183

21st September 1915.

"B" Sqn 3rd C.M. Rifles.
Stoncliffe

108183. R J Darcus.
"B" Sqn 3rd C.M.R.

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MEDICAL CASE SHEET.*

PRINCE OF WALES

No. in Admission and Discharge Book.	Regimental No.	Rank.	Surname.	Christian Name.
341. Esc 77 DT		Lt.	Darcus.	Richard James.
Year 1914	Unit. 2nd. C. Mounted Rifles.		Age. 23.	Service. 3 yrs.

Station and Date. Prince of Wales 21.11.17.

Disease Gsw back. (shell) penetrating chest. Severe

Admitted 21.11.17. Wounded 30-10-17 at Passchendaele. by piece of HE. shell -
Admitted 2 Canadian CCS 1.x1.17. Following operation performed - Wound of back excised & found to extend into chest partially fracturing one rib. FB. Could not be felt through hole between ribs - Rib resected - small perforation in lung seen. FB. not recovered. Pleural cavity irrigated & closed.

1.11.17. Left lower lobe solid. Heart beat in Ant axillary line left. Rt lung fully expanded and functioning well

3.11.17 Left base clearing up well Heart beat in nipple line left.

24.11.17 Feeling weak but improving - looks v. anaemic. Wound healing well. Appetite only v. fair, but still appreciates.

R Robertson
Capt RAMC

15-12-17. Wound healed well - Stiffness in muscles removing the scar - Air entry to lungs improving - dyspnoea on exertion.

Board. Recommended: E1.

R Robertson
Capt RAMC

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

Wt. W 6604/M 2870—1,500,000—8/17—H. & Sr. (10938). Forms/I. 1237/12. (E239)

[P.T.O.

Station and Date.	

THIS FORM WILL BE USED FOR ALL RANKS

MEDICAL HISTORY OF AN INVALID

INSTRUCTIONS WHICH MUST BE READ BY MEDICAL OFFICERS

1. In using this Form the "Instructions issued for the guidance of Medical Officers serving on Medical Boards" issued by the B.P.C. and instructions issued by Militia H.Q., Ottawa, will be carefully followed.
2. The Medical Officer in charge of the case is responsible for the proper completion of Sections 1 to 17 of this Form and will obtain the signature of the invalid to the "Statement," page 3. The President of the Board of Medical Officers is responsible for the proper completion of sections reserved for recording the "Opinion of the Medical Board."
3. In answering the questions, Medical Officers will carefully obtain and record the invalid's statements concerning his condition. They will distinguish observations made by themselves from hearsay. They will distinctly state the authority for statements not resulting from their personal observation; it must be made clear whether such statements are obtained from the invalid concerned, from witnesses, or from documents, Regimental or otherwise.
4. Special care is required in answering question 9. Read the questions carefully. All questions must be answered.
5. If space provided under any section is insufficient add another sheet. Such sheets must be initialled by the Medical Board.
6. A note will be made of attached papers by the Medical Board under the section "Opinion of Medical Board."
7. Under no circumstances may information other than that in sections 7, 8, 9 and 10 be communicated to the invalid, directly or indirectly.
8. The nomenclature of diseases must be followed, if possible, as described in "List of Diseases" printed in the order in which they appear in the Annual Report on the Health of the Army, published in London (1915), by Messrs. Harrison & Sons.

STATION G.C.D.H., Buxton DATE MAY 12 1919.

1. 1 (a) Unit 2 C.M.R. (b) Regimental No. N.A. (c) Rank LIEUT.

(d) Surname DARCUS (e) Christian name RICHARD JAMES.

(f) Home address VALETTA HOUSE, KINGSTOWN, IRELAND.

(g) Next of Kin MRS. M.H. DARCUS (h) Relationship MOTHER.

(i) Address of Next of Kin VALETTA HOUSE, KINGSTOWN, IRELAND.

2. Age last birthday 24 YEARS. Date of birth AUGUST 11TH 1894.

3. Enlistment, or Appointment (if an Officer) (a) Place MEDICINE HAT (b) Date DEC. 31 1914

4. Personal description:

(a) Height 5' 9¾" (b) Weight 150 LBS. (stripped) (c) Complexion DARK.

(d) Colour of hair BLACK. (e) Colour of eyes BLUE (f) Identification marks, Scars, etc. NIL.

5. Former trade or occupation BANK CLERK.

6. Service (The information should be secured from personal documents, but if documents are not available the invalid's statement may be taken and note must be made to that effect. Periods of service in Canada, England, France or elsewhere should be noted).	Years	Days
	4	132.

	Periods	
	From	To
PATIENTS STATEMENT		
Canada	DEC. 31 1914	JUNE 12 1915.
	(JUNE 12 1915	SEPT. 22 1915
England	(OCT. 3 1918	TO DATE.
France or other theatres of War	SEPT. 22 1915	OCT. 3 1918.

7. Original disease, or injury COMPLETE LESION SCIATIC NERVE LEFT.

(a) Date of origin SEPT. 29TH 1918 (b) Place of origin CAMBRAI.

(c) Cause G.S.W.

M. F. B. 227.

40DM.—11-18.
1772-30-117.

8. Present disability— (Here state the exact nature of the disability resulting from the disabling conditions: e.g. (*a*) Weakness—slight, moderate, marked, etc; (*b*) Loss, complete or partial, of an organ or member, or of its functions; (*c*) Necessity for rest of the body, or of some of its parts, for therapeutic reasons; (*d*) Any other restrictions in choice of occupation.)

(Complete lesion sciatic nerve left) Drop foot and almost complete loss of function of left leg.

9. Present condition—(*a*) (Before completing this section the invalid should be stripped, and subjected to a thorough physical examination. Important, to be a full description of the present disabling condition, or conditions only. "History" must be recorded in Section 10. Describe all abnormalities, anatomical and functional, contributing to present disability; objective findings to be stated first, then subjective findings.)

	GALVANISM.	FARADISM.	CONDENSOR AT 100 VS.
OBJECTIVE. Rectus	Quickly	Quickly.	
Adductors Biceps Hamstrings	"	"	
Tibialis Anticus	Slowly	No reaction	Reacts to 1.0.mfd.
Ext. Communis	"	"	" " 2.0 "
Peroneii	"	"	No react. 2.0 mfd.
Gastronemii	"	"	Reacts 2.0 mfds.
Tibialis Posticus	"	"	" " "

No voluntary power in any muscles below the knee. Analgesia and anaesthesia over outer side of leg, sole of foot and dorsum of foot.
SUBJECTIVE.- Patient complains of weakness of whole left lower limb and drop foot, and some pain "pins and needles" in sole of foot.
Sensation lost over entire sciatic area.

(*b*) Has the invalid now any affection of the following systems, not described in Section 9 (*a*) above?
(Answer Yes or No.—if the answer to any part is Yes, give a brief description of the present condition.)

Nervous System....NO.... Cardio-Vascular System....NO.... (If pulse rate is abnormal, B. P. will be taken.) Genito-Urinary System....NO.... (Albumen and Sugar will be excluded.)

Special Senses....NO.... Respiratory System....NO.... Integumentary System....NO....

Disturbances of Mentality....NO.... Digestive System....NO.... Muscular System....NO....

Osseous and Joint Systems....NO.... Any other general condition....NO....

10. (*a*) History (of the condition referred to in Section 9 (*a*).) Bullet wound September 29th 1918. Bullet entered left thigh just below the perineum and emerged on outer side of thigh. wound clean and was healed in ten weeks. Paralysis of leg came on immediately. Had massage and ~~galvanism~~ Galvanism for six months and on March 17th 1919, operation. Nerve found in dense scar and completely divided. It was freed from scar, ends freshened and sutured end to end. Since then Massage only.
HOSPITALS:- 1. No. 33 CCS - 1 day. 2. No. 20 General - 1 day.
3. Horton War Hospital - 10 weeks. 4. Matlock Bath - 4 days.
5. Granville Canadian Special Hospital, 10.12.1918.

10.—(*b*) (Here give a complete history, as obtained from invalid, with dates of origin, of any affection from which the invalid, has suffered either prior to or since enlistment, and not included in Section 10 (*a*).)

Whooping cough 1908.
Previously wounded April 9th 1917. May 22nd 1917. Oct. 30 1917
No disability from any.

(*c*) (Here give a description of wounds, scars and deformities.

Long scar over right dorsal region. Long scar posterior surface left thigh.

11.—(*a*) Did the disabling condition have its origin before enlistment? NO.

(*b*) If so, has it been aggravated by Service? (If aggravated, give a description, as far as it is possible to do so, of the disabling condition at time of enlistment.)

N.A.

12. Was the disability caused, or aggravated; (*a*) by intemperance, or improper conduct; or (*b*) by unreasonable refusal to accept treatment? (a.) NO. (b.) NO.

The regimental documents will be referred to.
(If the answer is in the affirmative, state in percentages, to what extent the patient is incapacitated by that causation or aggravation. In answering this question, conduct sheets should be considered. If treatment has been refused, the circumstances surrounding the refusal should be described on page 4.)

13. What is the probable duration, in months, of the disability or of each of the disabling conditions, if there is more than one? EIGHTEEN MONTHS.

14. Treatment (Case reports, general or special, should be secured and attached where possible.)

MASSAGE AND GALVANISM. NERVE SUTURE.

15. Is further treatment in hospital, convalescent home, etc., likely to be of material benefit? YES.
(If the answer is "yes" state nature of treatment required and probable duration)

MASSAGE AND LATER ON GYMNASIUM FOR EIGHTEEN MONTHS.

16. Can the former trade or occupation be resumed? Not until fully recovered.
(If not, briefly state why)

17. Recommendations INVALID TO CANADA.

Capt. W. B. Blackett R.A.M.C.
Medical Officer by whom the case is brought forward.

STATEMENT OF THE INVALID

(Sections 7, 8, 9 and 10 are to be read to the invalid and either "satisfied" or "not satisfied" struck out).

I, the undersigned R.J. Darcus have heard the description of my disability and present condition read, and am satisfied (~~or not satisfied~~) with it. (If dissatisfied, statement should follow.)

I complain in addition of NIL.

R.J. Darcus, Lieut.
Rank.
Signature of invalid examined.

OPINION OF THE MEDICAL BOARD

18. Does the Board concur with the preceding report? If not, give differing opinions, with reasons, quoting the number of the answer criticised.

YES.

19. Is the invalid fit for

(*a*) General service,	(Category A)	(~~Yes or~~ No.)	UNFIT-6 MOS.
(*b*) Service abroad, not general service,	(" B)	(~~Yes or~~ No.)	UNFIT -6 MOS.
(*c*) Home service (Canada only),	(" C)	(~~Yes or~~ No.)	UNFIT -6MOS.
(*d*) Temporarily unfit.	(" D)	(Yes or ~~No.~~)	YES.1. to C.
(*e*) Unfit for service in Categories A, B and C	(" E)	(~~Yes or No.~~)	N.A.

20. It is certified that the invalid

(*a*) Does require treatment. (Give the nature of the condition and of the treatment required and its probable duration.)

YES - IN SPECIAL NEUROLOGICAL HOSPITAL - 6 MONTHS.

(*b*) ~~Does not require treatment.~~
(*c*) ~~Should pass under his own control.~~
(*d*) Should not pass under his own control.
(Strike out condition not applicable.)

21. It is recommended that the ~~invalid be discharged.~~ (When not for discharge add special recommendation.)

PATIENT BE INVALIDED TO CANADA.
NOT FIT TO TRAVEL BY TRANSPORT.

Before signing the President of the Medical Board will read the statement signed by the invalid and differing opinions regarding Sections 7, 8, 9 and 10, as recorded in Section 18, to the invalid and if no change is indicated, will initial the statement. If, as a result of differing opinions regarding Sections 7, 8, 9 and 10 only, recorded in Section 18, the invalid is dissatisfied with the statement previously made, remarks of the Medical Board will be added here.

President.

PLACE G.C.S.H., Buxton.

DATE MAY 15TH 1919.

} Members

TO BE COMPLETED WHEN TREATMENT IS REFUSED

I, the undersigned.....understand the nature of the treatment which it is recommended that I should undergo and refuse to accept it.

Witness..... Signed.....

Should the refusal of the invalid to accept treatment appear to be unreasonable, or should he decline to sign this statement the Board of medical officers should so state.

President

PLACE.....

DATE.....

} Members

APPROVED BY

Assistant Director of Medical Services.

DATE.....

APPROVED BY

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY
I concur in the findings of the Board of Medical Officers here recorded.

Director-General of Medical Services.

DATE.....

Captain, D.A.D.M.S.
for D.M.S.
Canadians,