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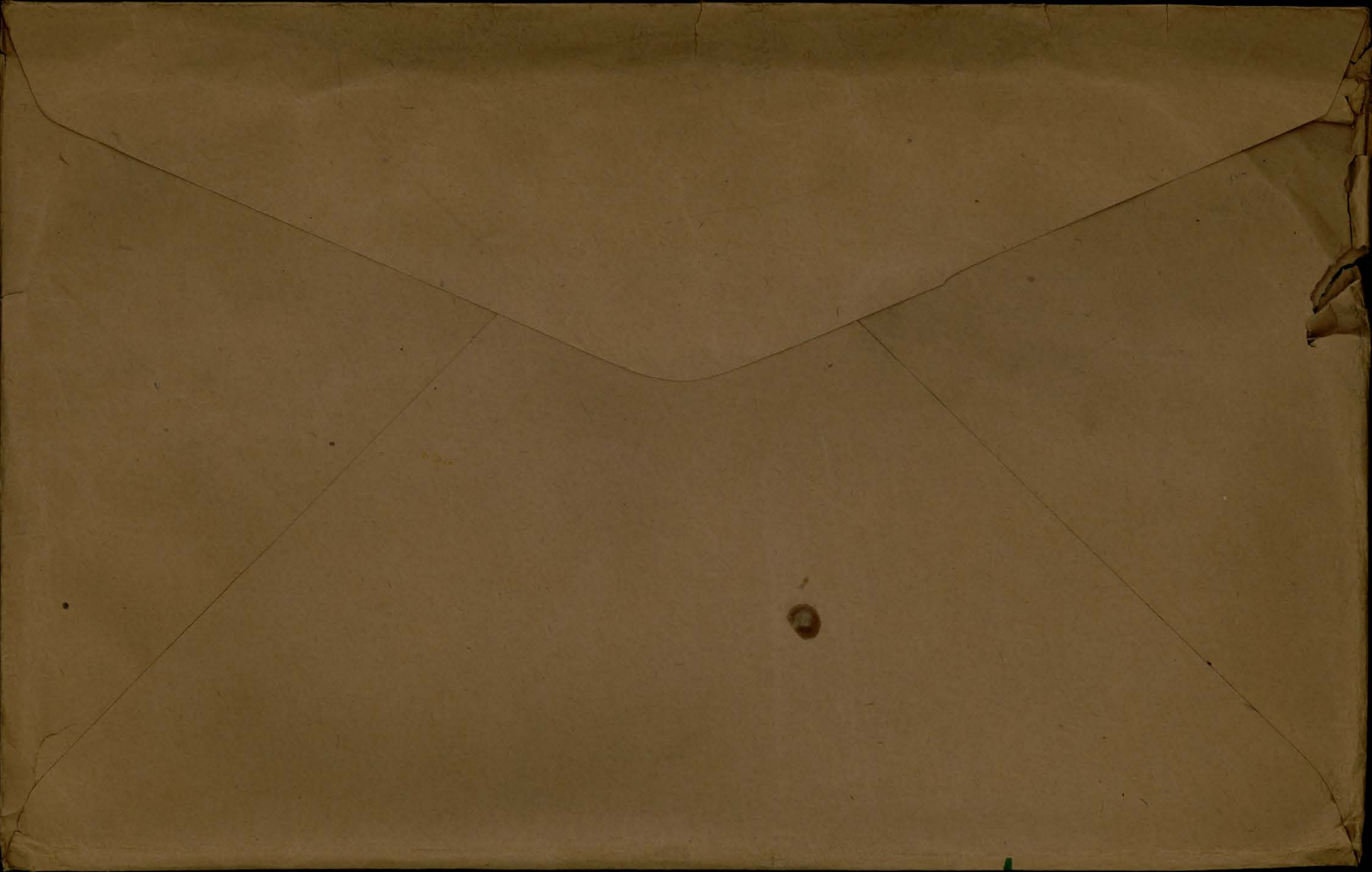
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ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. 24218

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CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION. (ANSWERS).

- 1. What is your name?.....
- 2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?.....
- 3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?.....
- 4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?.....
- 5. What is the date of your birth?.....
- 6. What is your Trade or Calling?.....
- 7. Are you married?.....
- 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated?.....
- 9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia?.....
- 10. Have you ever served in any Military Force?.. If so, state particulars of former Service.
- 11. Do you understand the nature and terms of your engagement?.....
- 12. Are you willing to be attested to serve in the CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE?}

Robert Aldridge
 West England
 Mrs Rose Aldridge
 274 a Gertrude St. Verdun
 June 1888
 Engineer
 Yes
 Yes
 S. H. Sells
 Yes
 Yes
 R. Aldridge (Signature of Man).
 S. H. Sells (Signature of Witness).

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Robert Aldridge, 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.

Date 22/9/1914. R. Aldridge (Signature of Recruit)
 S. H. Sells (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Robert Aldridge, 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.

Date 22/9/1914. R. Aldridge (Signature of Recruit)
 S. H. Sells (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 Valcartier this 22nd day of Sept 1914.
 (Signature of Justice)

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

3rd Ball

Description of Aldridge, Robt on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 26 years 2 months.
 (To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)

Distinctive marks, and marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease.
 (Should the Medical Officer be of opinion that the recruit has served before, he will, unless the man acknowledges to any previous service, attach a slip to that effect, for the information of the Approving Officer).

Height 5 ft. 7 ins.

4 scars left arm

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 37 ins.
 Range of expansion 3 ins.

Complexion dark

Eyes brown

Hair dark brown

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

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

I have examined the above-named Recruit and find that he does not present any of the causes of rejection specified in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.

He can see at the required distance with either eye; his heart and lungs are healthy; he has the free use of his joints and limbs, and he declares that he is not subject to fits of any description.

I consider him* fit for the Canadian Over-Seas Expeditionary Force.

Date Aug 29 1914.

Place Valcartier

[Signature]
 Medical Officer.

*Insert here "fit" or "unfit."

NOTE.—Should the Medical Officer consider the Recruit unfit, he will fill in the foregoing Certificate only in the case of those who have been attested, and will briefly state below the cause of unfitness:—

CERTIFICATE OF OFFICER COMMANDING UNIT.

Robt + Aldridge having been finally approved and inspected by me this day, and his Name, Age, Date of Attestation, and every prescribed particular having been recorded, I certify that I am satisfied with the correctness of this Attestation.

[Signature] (Signature of Officer)

Date 22/9/ 1914.

Casualty Form—Active Service,
13th Canadian Battalion,
The Royal Highlanders of Canada.

Regiment or Corps
Regimental No. 24218 Rank Pte Name Aldridge, Robt.
Enlisted (a) Sep 22, 14 Terms of Service (a) Duration of war Service reckons from (a) _____
Date of promotion to } Date of appointment } Numerical position on }
present rank } to lance rank } roll of N.C.Os. }
Extended _____ Re-engaged _____ Qualification (b) _____

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
21/3/15	O.C. No 3 Can Field Amb	Illness—Rupture (A.F.A 36.)	No 3 Can Field Amb	14/3/15	Discharged to Duty. — 18/3/15.
27/4/15	No 2 Can Adj. Sta	Bay. W. Saec (W3034)	No 12 Can	24/4/15	
28/4/15	St Patrick	Transferred to England (A 36)	At Dover	28/4/15	
		Trans. to 17 Batt	Shorncliffe	28/4/15	
24 MAR 1916	14 th Bn	Trans. to 13 th Bn	OVERSEAS		H. Henry Lieut. Adj. 17th Res. Bn
28/3/16	Can Bde	Embarked for Arrived in France	France	24.3.16	Number 149 a 92 (a)



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

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.
(b) e.g., Signaller, Shoing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

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Date	From whom received				
6/4/16	Capt B. J. [unclear]	Proceeded to join Unit	The Field	6/4/16	R. 10/12/2/273 Res 292, 11/16
14/4/16	C. C. [unclear]	Joined Unit		8/1/16	12273 Det. 298, 20/4/16
23/6/16	O. C. [unclear]	Missing after Action		13/6/16	B. 213, 359, 8/7/16 P. 1. 29 21/7/10.
28-12-21	—	Now Killed in action		13.6-16	auth Burial report


 LIEUT.
 FOR LT COL.
 A.A.G.

for

Rank and Name *PLC* ALDRIDGE, Robert,

Regimental No. 24218.

Unit 13th. Batt.

Date of enlistment 22nd. Sept. 1914.

Place of birth England.

Married (Yes or No) Yes.

If in Permanent Force

Promotions or appointments *Rh. 25-A-484*

Name and Address of Next-of-kin

Mrs. Rose Aldridge,

~~274a Gertrude St., Montreal, Quebec.~~

37 Priory St. - Ware Herts.

Date and place of discharge

R.H. 29 - 9-8-16

Reason for discharge

Character on discharge

Encl # 36022

*mt - 23.
4th - 23.*

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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				
3/5/15	W.O.	Adm. to Masonic Hall. H. Broule	Broule	25/4/15	<i>one.</i> G.S.W. head. slight. Gas rept. #4
2.6.15	" "	Sick Furlough <i>29-5-15 to 6-6-15</i>	<i>Calchester</i>	29.5.15	<i>2 Crane med.</i> Gas. Rep. 75+79. wore. Herts.
24.5.15	O.C. 17 th	Taken on Strength 17 th Bn	Shorncliffe	28.4.15	Part II Orders # 15
7.6.15	do	Sick Furlough 4.6.15 to 11.6.15	do	7.6.15	do do # 34
26.6.15	do	Transf ^d to Can. Cond. Home	Monks Horton	26.6.15	do do # 56
19.8.15	do	do do do	do	5.8.15	do do # 139
9.9.15	W.O.	" " "	Epsom.	6.9.15	Gas. Rep # 155. "Gas Poison"
11.11.15	"	Adm. Cont. Mil Hosp	Shorncliffe	4.11.15	" 207 "
19.11.15	"	Discharged " "	"	8.11.15	" 214 "
18.11.15	O.C. 17 th	Rejoined after furl ^o	"	17.11.15	P.I. 268
20.11.15	NA.	Med. Board recommendation: - Light duty for one month	"	6.11.15	H 22-H-109

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	REMARKS Taken from Official Documents
Date	From whom received				
24. 3. 16	O.C. 14 ^K	Transfd to 13 ^K Batta	Ouseas	24. 3. 16	Part II O. # 90.
7. 4. 16	" 13	Taken on Strength	Field	16/3/16	" " 15
26-4-16	" 13	Rejoined Unit.	"	8-4-16	Cas. L. A 337
12.7.16	"	Missing	"	13.6.16	C.L. A 403
21.7.16	"	Missing after action	"	13.6.16	Pt II O 29
1-2-17	"	<i>Prev. "Missing" now for official purposes presumed to have died on or since</i>		13.6.16	<i>C.L. A 576</i>
28-12-21	—	Now killed in action	B6-16		auth. Burial Report.

Aldridge

MEDICAL CASE SHEET.*

No. in Admission and Discharge Book.	Regimental No.	Rank.	Surname.	Christian Name.
Year 1915	<i>34218</i>	<i>Pvt</i>	<i>Aldridge</i>	<i>Robert</i>
	Unit.	Age.	Service.	
	<i>13 Bn</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>6/12</i>	
Station and Date.	Disease. <i>Phimosis</i>			
<i>23/1/15</i>	Address: <i>Montreal Que. Can.</i>			
	History: <i>No history of surgical disease before was sent by Regt. Dr. for circumcision</i>			
	Examination. <i>Balanitis</i>			
	Treatment. <i>Hot fomentations</i>			
	<i>Jan 26/15 Improving rapidly</i>			
<i>26/1/15</i>				
<i>27/1/15</i>				
	<i>Discharged</i> <i>W. B. Smith</i> <i>capt</i>			

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

ORIGINAL MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.

Name Aldredge Christian Name Robert

Examined { on 29 day of May 1914
 at Valcartier

Approved by E. R. Brown

Birthplace { City or Town
 County Herts, Eng.

Rank Major M.O.

Apparent age 26

Trade or occupation Engineer

Height 5 Feet 7 Inches

Weight 160 Lbs.

Chest measurement { Minimum 34 inches.
 Maximum expansion 37 inches.

Physical development Good

Small-Pox Marks None

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right Left 4
 Number 4

When Vaccinated last May 1913

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection

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

Date	Result	VACCINATIONS.
<u>1913</u>		<u>SRS</u> M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Date	Result	ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.
<u>9/9/14</u>		<u>SRS</u> M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Enlisted on 22 day of Sept 1914 at Valcartier

	CORPS.	REG'T NUMBER.	HABITS.	DATE.
Joined on enlistment	<u>5th R.A.C.</u>	<u>24218</u>		
Transferred to.. ..	<u>13th Battr.</u>			
	<u>3rd Inf. Bde</u>			

EXAMINED OR DISCHARGED BY A MEDICAL BOARD.

STATION.	DATE.	DISEASE.	RESULT.

N. B.—This sheet to be disposed of in accordance with instructions in the Regulations for Army Medical Service, on the man becoming non-effective; the date and cause being stated on next page.

Christian Name

Surname

STATION.	Date of Arrival at the Station.	DATES OF						DISEASE.	Number of days in Hospital.	Remarks on nature of the disease : how induced ; if mild or severe ; if completely recovered from ; whether any particular treatment was adopted. In venereal cases state nature of primary disease, and whether mercury has been given. If an accident, state whether it occurred on duty and whether a Court of inquiry was held. Date of issue and particulars of artificial teeth or surgical appliances supplied. Particulars of prophylactic inoculations.	Signature of Medical Officer.
		Admission into Hospital.			Discharge from Hospital.						
		Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
Col 4. Hoop		24	1	15	29	1	15	Gonorrhoea	6	Discharged to Duty	<i>[Signature]</i>
		4	11	15	8	11	15	Gas poison	5		<i>[Signature]</i> Capt. C. A. W. C.
Can Base Depot		8	11	15	8	4	16.	Do.		Rejoined Unit.	A337.



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Medical Registrar
Record Office.

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Rank _____ Name **ALDRIDGE, Robert** Reg'l No. **24218**
 Unit **13th. Battalion** If in perm. Corps, }
 What Unit? }
 Married or Single **Married**
 Place and Date of Enlistment **22nd Sept. 1914** Place of Birth **England**
 Name and Address, Next-of-Kin **Mrs. Rose Aldridge, 37 Priory St., Ware, Herts.**
 Relationship **R.L. 29 dated 8-8-16**

Assigned Pay Monthly \$ _____ Payable to _____
 Relationship _____
 Separation Allowance \$ _____ Payable to _____
 Relationship _____

Discharge, Date and Place _____ Reason _____ Character _____
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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.				
3-5-15	W.O.	Adm to Masonic Hall.	Bromley	25-4-15	Cas Rep # 48. G.S.W. head (Slight).
2-6-15	---	Disch to Sick furlough 28-5-15 to 4-6-15.	Colchester	29-5-15	2. Crane med. Ware Herts.
24-5-15	OC. 14-13.	Taken on Strength 15-13.	Shorncliffe	28-4-15	Cas Rep 45 & 49 Pt DO 15
4-6-15	---	Sick furlough 4-6-15-11-6-15	---	5-6-15	--- 34
26-6-15	---	Trans to Can. Conv. Home	Monks Horlow	26-6-15	--- 56.
19-8-15	---	---	---	5-8-15	--- 139.
9-9-15	W.O.	---	Epsom	6-9-15	Cas Rep. 135. Gas poisoning
11-11-15	---	Adm Can. Mil Hosp?	Shorncliffe	4-11-15	--- 204
19-11-15	OC. 15 th	Disch	---	8-11-15	--- 214
18-11-15	OC. 15 th	Rejoined after furl.	---	14-11-15	Pt DO 268.
20-11-15	H.Q.	Med. Board recommend. Light Duty for one month	---	6-11-15	H. 22-4-109.
24-3-16	OC. 14 th	Trans to 13 th Battalion	Overseas	24-3-16	Pt DO 90
4-4-16	" 13 th Bn.	Taken on Strength.	Field	26-3-16	--- 15
26-4-16	---	Rejoined Unit.	---	8-4-16	CL ^a 337.
12-4-16	---	Missing	---	12-6-16	CL ^a 403
21-7-16	---	Missing after Action.	---	13-6-16	--- 29.
1-2-17	---	Prev. Rep. Missing now for official purposes presumed to have Died on or since	---	13-6-16	CL ^a 546.

31 Priory St.
Ware
Herts. England

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ASSIGNED PAY
OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

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See letter of 24/1/15
Caldwell Mills, Ont.
to Mr. R. Doughty,
"Hillside", New Ontario, Ont.

~~Caldwell Mills, Ont.~~

To Whom *Aldridge, Mrs. R.*

Address ~~274^a Strudwick St.~~

~~Verden,~~

~~Montreal, P.Q.~~

Rate *\$15⁰⁰ per month*

By Whom Assigned *Aldridge, R.*

Regtl. No. *24218*

Rank *Private.*

Corps *B. Coy. 13th Battn.*

PAYMENTS

PENSION
APPROVED
OVER-PAY
DISCOVERED
BY
C.P.C.
GRANTED

30-9-15
14/9/16

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.	REMARKS
Aug.	1914			
Sept.				
Oct.		<i>6552</i>	<i>15-</i>	
Nov.		<i>22057</i>	<i>15</i>	
Dec.		<i>03128</i>	<i>15</i>	
Jan.	1915	<i>03751</i>	<i>15</i>	
Feb.		<i>135231</i>	<i>15</i>	
March		<i>963</i>	<i>15</i>	
Apr.		<i>1117</i>	<i>15</i>	
May		<i>78064</i>	<i>15</i>	
June		<i>99566</i>	<i>15</i>	
July		<i>98923</i>	<i>15</i>	
Aug.		<i>01257</i>	<i>15</i>	
Sept.		<i>013212</i>	<i>30</i>	
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1916			
Feb.				
March				

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Pensions Notified DATE *14-9-16*
Presumed to have *been*
Killed in Action DATE *13-6-16*
L. Q. 26-3-17 E. Bradley

Pension granted 14/9/16 #203/14

Mail July cheque on or before July 18th as she sails

Duplicate sent to Eng

Notify Col Ward if Sept cheque is returned & cancelled 4/10/16 W.A.H.

Also 2 M. Sept 13. 16 L.

Baker
Eugene
964

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

Name *Aldridge, Mrs. Rose*Name of Soldier *Aldridge R. 323*

Address

*37 Priory St.
Ware*Regtl. No. *24218*Rank *Pte.*Corps *13 Battn R.H. of C. 593-12*

Relation to Soldier

wife, child or mother

*Wife.**Herts.
England*

To what Corps belonging

when called out

PAYMENTS

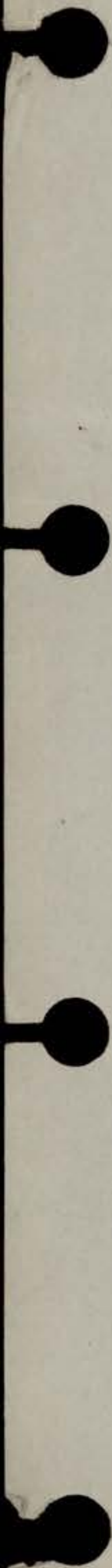
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Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.
Aug.	1914		
Sept.		<i>A 481</i>	<i>20 -</i>
Oct.		<i>A 1038</i>	<i>20 -</i>
Nov.		<i>A 2053</i>	<i>20 -</i>
Dec.		<i>B 3304</i>	<i>30 -</i>
Jan.	1915	<i>A 3743</i>	<i>20 -</i>
Feb.		<i>A 4929</i>	<i>20 -</i>
March		<i>A 6154</i>	<i>20 -</i>
Apl.		<i>A 7350</i>	<i>20 -</i>
May		<i>B 9630</i>	<i>20 -</i>
June		<i>C 10589</i>	<i>20 -</i>
July		<i>B 12760</i>	<i>20 -</i>
Aug.			
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Jan.	1916		
Feb.			
March			

REMARKS

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SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

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Name *Aldredge, Mrs Rose*
Address *271 Bourgeois St.
274a Gertrude St
St. Charles, ~~Verdun~~
Quebec ~~Montreal~~
Cacawee ~~Mico~~ *Ont.*
Relation to Soldier } *wife*
wife, child or mother } *37 Priory St
W. Ire
Berks England.**

Name of Soldier *Aldredge, R. v. Pte*
Regtl. No. *24218*
Rank
Corps *15 Battl R.H.Q.*
To what Corps belonging } *5th R.D.C.*
when called out }

Cacawee Mico Ont

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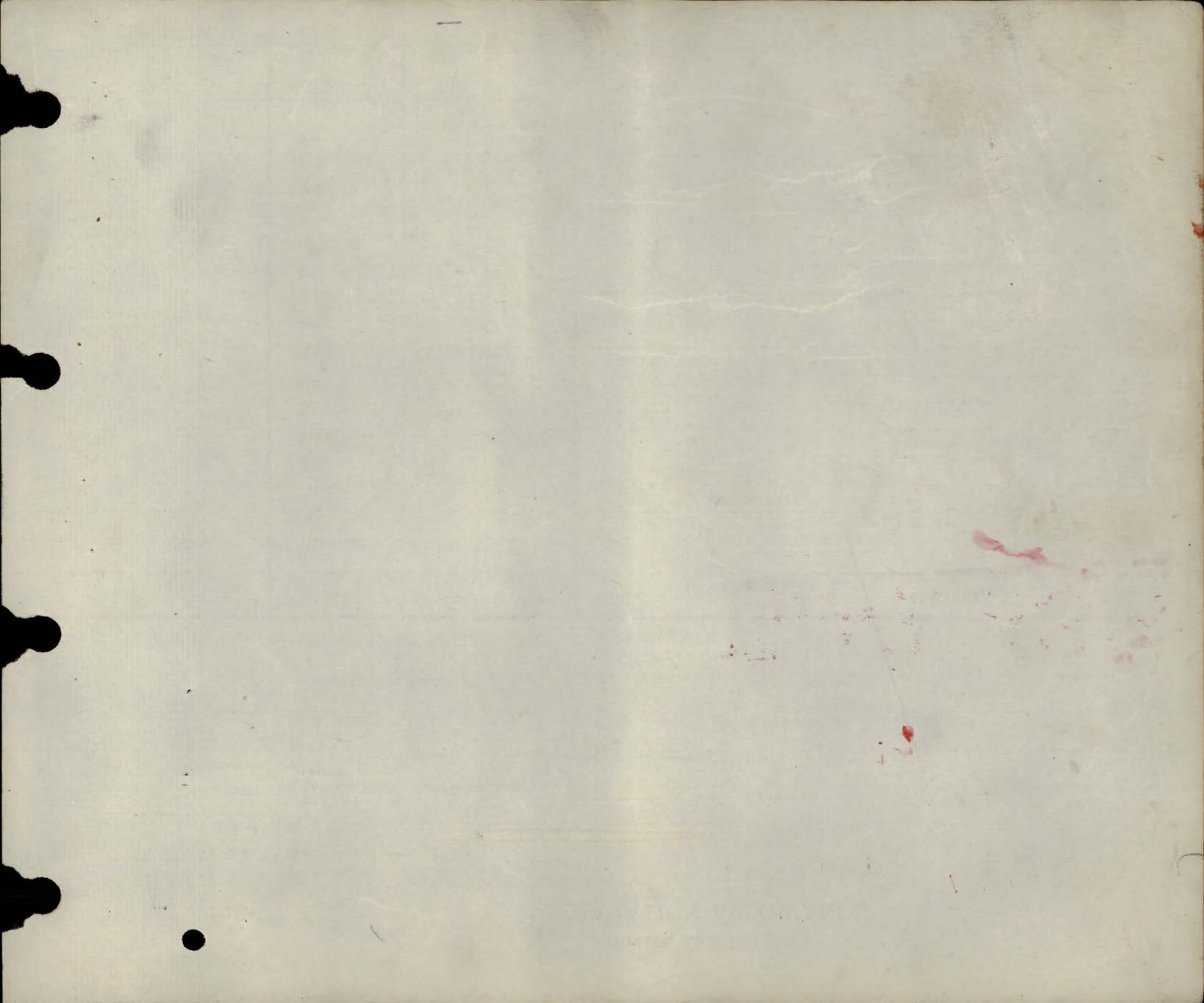
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Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.
Aug.	1914		
Sept.		<i>10481</i>	<i>20 -</i>
Oct.		<i>01038</i>	<i>20 - ✓</i>
Nov.		<i>02053</i>	<i>20 -</i>
Dec. <i>1/2 Aug</i>		<i>B3304</i>	<i>30 -</i>
Jan.	1915	<i>A 3743</i>	<i>20 -</i>
Feb.		<i>A 4929</i>	<i>20 -</i>
March		<i>A 6154</i>	<i>20 -</i>
Apl.		<i>A 7350</i>	<i>20 -</i>
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June		<i>C 10,599</i>	<i>20 -</i>
July		<i>B 12760</i>	<i>20 -</i>
Aug.			
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Jan.	1916		
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March			

ACCOUNT CLOSED
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Pensions Notified DATE *4-4-17*
died
Killed in Action DATE *13-6-16*
2/ 26-3-17 R.D. Collins



SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

Name *Deanage Rose Mrs*
Address *Caedwell Mills Ont*

Name of Soldier *Alldridge R. 322*
Regtl. No. *4218*
Rank *Private*
Corps *B Bann. R.H.C.*

Relation to Soldier }
wife, child or mother } *wife*

To what Corps belonging }
when called out } *S.R.N.C.*

PAYMENTS

ENGLISH

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.
Aug.	1914		
Sept.		<i>A 481.</i>	<i>20</i>
Oct.		<i>A 1038</i>	<i>20</i>
Nov.		<i>A 2035</i>	<i>20</i>
Dec.		<i>B 3304</i>	<i>30</i>
Jan.	1915	<i>A 3743</i>	<i>20</i>
Feb.		<i>A 4929</i>	<i>20</i>
March		<i>A 6154</i>	<i>20</i>
Apl.		<i>A 7350</i>	<i>20</i>
May		<i>B 9630</i>	<i>20</i>
June		<i>C 10589</i>	<i>20</i>
July		<i>B 12760</i>	<i>20</i>
Aug.			
Sept.			
Oct.			
Nov.		<i>B 17126</i>	<i>80</i>
Dec.			
Jan.	1916		
Feb.			
March			

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Pensions Notified DATE *4-4-17*
Killed in Action DATE *13-6-16*

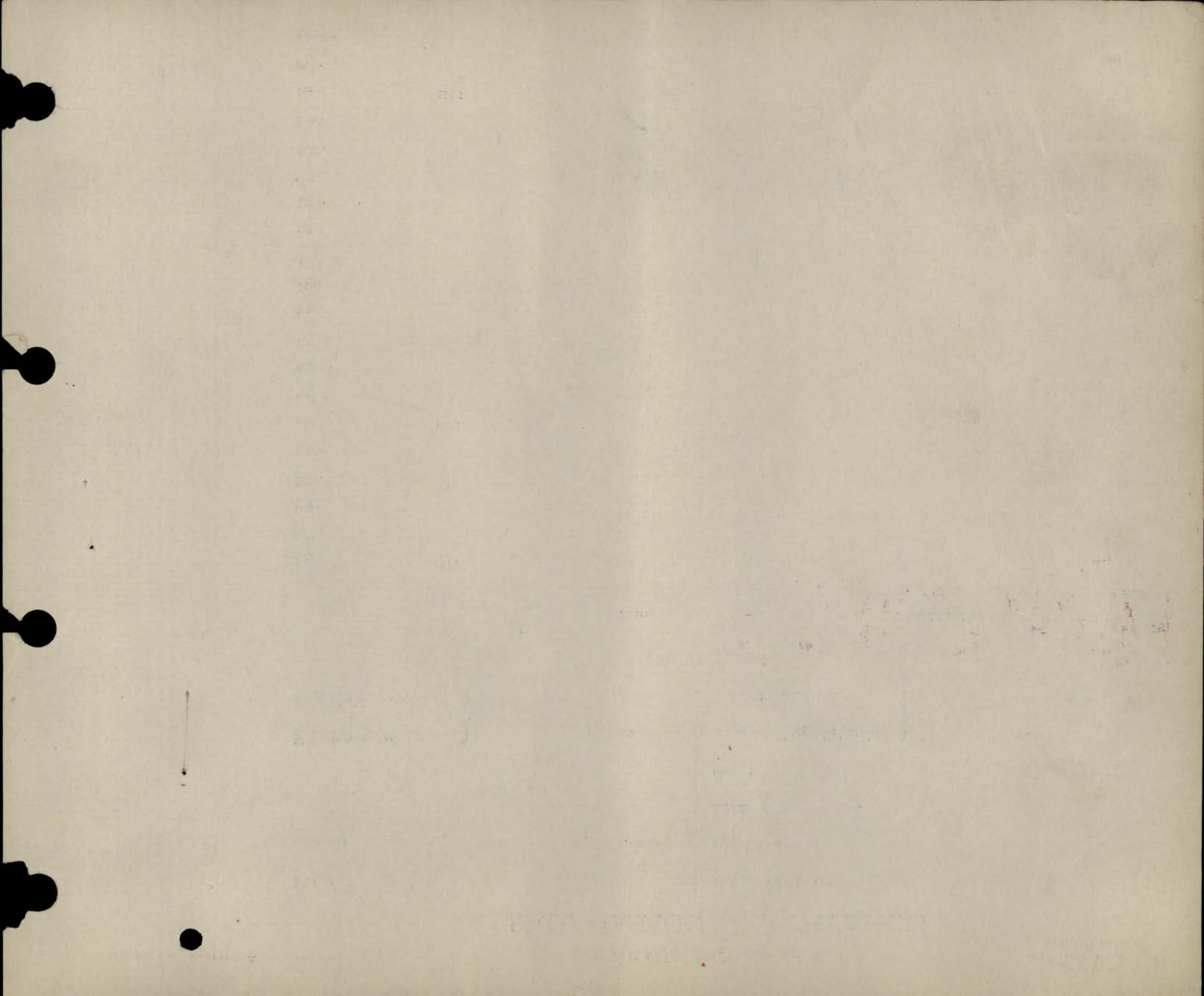
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A. CLOSED...
OVER-PAY...
RECOVERED...
BY *W. 27-10-17*
B.P.C.
GRANTED

Copy made for England 12/4/17

*Cancelled 12/4/17
as closed Pension granted 14/9/16
Pwt 20/3/17*

ACCOUNT CLOSED

DATE..... PER.....



Duplicate

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SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

Name Mrs Rose Aldridge
 Address 37 Priory St.
 Ware.
 Herts.

Name of Soldier Aldridge R.
 Regtl. No. 24218.
 Rank Pte.

Relation to Soldier }
 wife, child or mother } Wife.

Corps 13 Battn R. H. of C.
 To what Corps belonging }
 when called out } 5th R. H. of C.

PAYMENTS.

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	REMARKS.
Aug.	1914			
Sept.		D.481.	20 -	} Pd. by Ottawa & copied into Pay ledger by S.H. 13.6.16.
Oct.		A.1038	20 -	
Nov.		A.2053	20 -	
Dec.		B.3304	30 -	
Jan.	1915	A.3743	20 -	
Feb.		A.4929	20 -	
March		A.6154	20 -	
Apr.		A.7350	20 -	
May		B.9630	20 -	
June		C.10589	20 -	
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1916			
Feb.				
March				

Duplicate
 See Pay ledger
 S.H.



22/9/14

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MILITIA AND DEFENCE
SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

Name *Mrs. Aldridge Rosa.* Name of Soldier *Aldridge Robert*
 Address *32 Priory St. Ware. Herts.* Regtl. No. *24218*
 Rank *Pte.*
 Corps *13th Batta.*
 Relation to Soldier *wife* To what Corps belonging *Missing. 13-6-16*
 wife, child or mother *wife* when called out *C.L. 403. 12th 16*
P.O. Ware Herts. *\$20⁰⁰ 25/11* *H.N.*

Dear View.
32 Priory St. Ware Herts

PAYMENTS.

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.	REMARKS
Aug.	1914			<i>married 17/4/1911</i>
Sept.		D. 481.	20	<i>Pa. by b.m. marriage C. Produced</i>
Oct.		A. 1028	20	<i>Nov. 18/15.</i>
Nov.		A. 2053	20	
Dec.		TB. 3304.	30	<i>No payment for July shown (written 12-6-15)</i>
Jan.	1915	A. 3743.	20	
Feb.		A. 4929.	20	
March		A. 6154.	20	
Apl.		A. 7350	20	
May		TB. 9630	20	
Jun		C. 10589.	20	
Ju		B. 12460	20	<i>Cable states pay from 1st August 1915.</i>
Aug.		I. 11965.	3 ⁴	} <i>cc 192063/075 ✓</i>
Sept.		I. 11939.	5 ⁹³	
Oct.				} <i>cc 296908/920 ✓</i>
Nov.				
Dec.			60	
Jan.	1916			
Feb.				
March			60	
			<u>390.00</u>	

FILE

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

Name of Dependant *Mrs Rosa Aldridge*
 Relation to Soldier *wife*
37 Priory St,
Ware, Herts.
 P.O. *3*
 P.O. *4*
 P.O. *2*
 P.O. *4*
 P.O. *2*
 P.O. *4*

Name of Soldier *Aldridge Robert*
 Regtl. No. *24218*
 Rank *PTA*
 Corps *13th Batt^{ls}*
 To what Corps belonging
 when called out

Month.	Year.	Cheque No. or Postal Draft Book No.	Amount.		Date.	REMARKS.		
			£	s. d.		£	s.	d.
		Brought Forward ...	390	-				
Apl.	1916	B 1064	20	00				✓
May		B 9342	20	-				✓
June		B 17304	20	-				✓
July		B 26570	20	-				✓
Aug.		A 6138	20					
Sept.		A 7545	20					
Oct.		A 10538	20					
Nov.		B 66014	20	-				
Dec.		B 77080	20	-				
Jan.	1917	B 88083	20	-				
Feb.		454 590	590	-				
Mar.								
Apl.								
May								
June								
July								
Aug.								
Sept.								
		Carried Forward ...						

*Missing in June
 as P. stopped in August
 of a continues*

Total Separation Allowance
 paid to end of January, 1917.

TRANSFERRED TO ASSIGNED PAY LEDGER

ENTERED

CHECKED

MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY
OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

To Whom *Duplicate wife*
0215
Aldridge Mrs R.
Address 37. Victoria St.
Ware, Herts, Eng.

By Whom Assigned Aldridge R.
Regtl. No. 24218
Rank Pte
Corps "B." Co. 13th Battr.

Rate ~~15⁰⁰~~ *15⁰⁰ per month. 1 Oct 1914*
#20⁰⁰ 1st May 16 week.

RECEIVING SEPARATION ALLOWANCE
NEP. 1-9-16 (dead)
2305 rendered
11/4/17

Payments agree with deductions on List

PAYMENTS

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.
Aug.	1914		
Sept.			
Oct.		6552	15
Nov.		42057	15
Dec.		B 3128	15
Jan.	1915	63751	15
Feb.		B 5231	15
March		L 63	15
April		L 1117	15
May		A 8064	15
June		G 9566	15
July		F 8923	15
Aug.			
Sept.		D 13212	30
Oct.			
Nov.		77645	30
Dec.		80622	15
Jan.	1916		
Feb.			\$ 275
March			

File 26759

REMARKS
RECEIVED FROM
OCT 28 1915
OTTA!

RECEIVING SEPARATION ALLOWANCE \$ 20⁰⁰
EFFECTIVE Aug 1914
RELATIONSHIP *Wife*

Ca... rd.

ASSIGNED PAY.

By whom assigned *Aldridge R*

Regtl. No. *24218* Pte *B. Co* *13th Batt.*

Month	Year	Cheque No.	ASSIGNED Amt.	SEPARATION Pay Sheet	REMARKS.
Jan.	1916	100 148	15		
Feb.		121 648	15		
March		144 163	15		
Apl.		168	15		<i>\$25 April</i>
May		92 739	10		
June		800 80	15		<i>\$15 to adjust May @ \$20 per month.</i>
July		857 16	20		
Aug.		1182 20	20		<i>Pay August only.</i>
Sept.		<i>30500</i>	25		<i>Missing in June.</i>
Oct.		<i>37500</i>			<i>Payment Stopped A. 3 M Form, 14-9-16</i>
Nov.					
Dec.					
Jan.	1917			590	<i>TOTAL S.P. ALL PAID TO 31 JAN. 1917</i>
Feb.		3880 34		20	<i>FROM SEP. ALL LEDGER.</i>
March		390 308		20	<i>Pension still pending 14-9-16</i>
Apl.					<i>Pension granted 14-9-16</i>
May					<i>Amount of S.P. unpaid to 31st March 1917.</i>
June					<i>\$131-39. \$27-0-0</i>
July					<i>transferred to Pension to continue payment.</i>
Aug.					<i>\$31-2-2 Deducted from Pension. May List 1917.</i>
Sept.					<i>June 1917 \$9.4</i>
Oct.					
Nov.					
Dec.					

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

Name *Aldridge Rose Mrs*

Name of Soldier *Aldridge R*

Address

Regtl. No. *24218*

Rank

Private

Corps

13th Bn. R. H. of C

Relation to Soldier

wife child or other

To what Corps belonging

when called out

5 R.H.C.

PAYMENTS

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.	REMARKS
Aug.	1914			<i>Duplicate</i>
Sept.		<i>D 481</i>	<i>20-</i>	
Oct.		<i>A 1038</i>	<i>20-</i>	
Nov.		<i>A 2035</i>	<i>20-</i>	
Dec.		<i>B 3304</i>	<i>30-</i>	
Jan.	1915	<i>A 3743</i>	<i>20-</i>	
Feb.		<i>A 4929</i>	<i>20-</i>	
March		<i>A 6154</i>	<i>20-</i>	
Apl.		<i>A 7350</i>	<i>20-</i>	
May		<i>B 9630</i>	<i>20-</i>	
June		<i>C 10589</i>	<i>20-</i>	
July		<i>B 12760</i>	<i>20-</i>	
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1916			
Feb.				
March				

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

Name of Dependant		Name of Soldier	
Relation to Soldier		Regtl. No.	
1	3	Rank	
P.O.	P.O.	Corps	
2	4	To what Corps belonging when called out	
P.O.	P.O.		

Month.	Year.	Cheque No. or Postal Draft Book No.	Amount.		Date.	REMARKS.		
			s.	c.		£	s.	d.
		Brought Forward ...						
Apl.	1916							
May								
June								
July								
Aug.								
Sept.								
Oct.								
Nov.								
Dec.								
Jan.	1917							
Feb.								
Mar.								
Apl.								
May								
June								
July								
Aug.								
Sept.								
		Carried Forward ...						



NAME ALDRIDGE, Robert

Regimental No. 24218

Name and address of next-of-kin

Unit 13th Battalion.

Mrs. Rose Aldridge,

Date of enlistment 22nd Sept. 1914.

274a, Gertrude St., Verdun. Montreal Canada

Place of birth. Herts. Eng.

37. Percy Street Ware Works Eng.

Married (yes or no) Yes

Date and place discharged

Amount of pay assigned monthly \$ 15⁰⁰ 25⁰⁰ 1-4-16

Reason for discharge

To whom payable next-of-kin

Character on discharge

Officially Presumed dead 13/6/16 C/LA 596 1/2/17



Statement of
MAY 8 1917
Account rendered

Cash found in
effects NR

Date		PAY		Field Allowance		Other Credits		Total Credits		Voucher		Cash Payments	Assigned pay	Other Charges	Total Debits	Remarks, Casualties, etc.	
From	To	No. of Days	Rate	Amount	No. of Days	Rate	Amount			No.	Date						
22.9.14	31.10.14	40	1 ⁰⁰	40	40	10	4		44			29	15		44		
1/11/14	30/11/14	30	1 ⁰⁰	30	30	10	3		33				15 ⁰⁰		15 ⁰⁰		
1/12/14	31/12/14	31	1	31	31	10	3 10	18 ⁰⁰	52 10			37	15		52		
1/1/15	31/1/15	31	1	31	31	10	3 10	10	34 20			10	15		25		
1.2.15	28.2.15	28	1	28	28	10	2 80	19 20	40				15	75 15	75	1.5 day H. Phy @ 35	
1.3.15	31.3.15	31	1	31	31	10	3 10	24 45	58 35				15		15		
1.4.15	30.4.15	30	1	30	30	10	3	43 35	76 35			3	15		18		
1/5/15	31/5/15	31	1	31	31	10	3 10	58 35	92 45				15		15	L.P.C. to 17th Batt	
June 1	June 30	30	-	30	30	3	77 45	112 55				120	25 15		135 25	2.10. R.A. 4.6.15 11.6.15 Bon 32	
July 1	July 31	31	-	31	31	3 10	2 10	36 20				2	75 15	22 70	40 45	2.10 R.A. 29-5-15 to 4-6-15	
							5 39							4 25		5.39 Exchange	
Aug 1	Aug 31	31	-	31	31	3 10	1 14	34 25				6	50 15		21 50		
Sept 1	Sept 30	30	1	30	30	10	3	13 74	46 74			1	03 15		16 03		
Oct 1	Oct 31	31	1	31	31	3 10	30 71	64 81				34	80 15		49 80		
Nov 1	Nov 30	30		30	30	5	15 01	48 01				9	73		25 95	B.R.M. 11/15 O.C.H. 307	
Dec 1	Dec 31	31		31	31	3 10	22 06	56 16				43	80		73 40	702 619	
1916 Jan 1	Jan 31	31		31	31	3 10		34 10				807	7 30				
Feb 1	29	29		29	29	"	2 90		31 90			19	46 15	17 24	59 00	807 786	
1-3	31-3	31		31	31	3 10	30	34 40				7	29 15	24 90	47 19		
				55 4			55 4	9 89	62 59				15	15 29	30 29	75 618 48	1 day unpaid RA June 30

Ct. Deb # 4 1/2

Te 13 B - R 15 +
1 day unpaid RA June 30

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY

A.P. File No. 198. R 1

Register No. DA-139

TO
DEPENDENTS OF DECEASED SOLDIERS

Regt'l No. 24218 Name Robert Aldridge
(Christian Name) (Surname)

Unit 13th Rank Pte. Date of enlistment

Date of casualty 13/6/16 B.P.C. File No. 10418

Was service performed overseas? yes

DEPENDENT

Name Mrs. Rose Aldridge Relationship Widow

Address 37 Priory St.,
Ware,
Herts., Eng.

Amount of Special Pension Bonus \$ 64.00 Abstracted by K. Samson

Eligible for Gratuity \$ 180

Less amount of Special Pension Bonus paid \$ 64.00

Less Debit Balance of S. A. or A.P. \$

Total deductions \$ 64

Balance due \$ 116.00

Cheque No. 91891157 Date issued 13-7-20

REMARKS :

Clerk A. H. M. I. O. C.

Audited by
Date 14/7/20

M.F.W. 2652
25M-6-20.
H.Q. 1772-39-1473

9/17

POST DISCHARGE PAY OFFICE

Three months pay and allowances after discharge.

Name

Surname

Christian Name

Regimental Number

Rank

Address (in full)

Unit

Original Unit

District where paid

Date of Discharge

P. D. P. Filing Number

Rates:—Regimental pay \$

per diem; Field Allowance \$

per diem. Separation Allowance \$

per month.

L.L. 53961—M. & D. 9721

Total Credits 91 days	FIRST PAYMENT			SECOND PAYMENT			FINAL PAYMENT			Balance Overpayments to be Recovered	Total Amount Paid
	Cheque No. A	Date	Amount 30 days	Cheque No. B	Date	Amount 30 days	Cheque No. C	Date	Amount 31 days		

M. F. W. 127
 300M-1-19
 1772-39-1140

Remarks:

R.R.

Number. 24218. Rank. Pte.

Surname. ALDRIDGE

Christian Names. Robt.

Unit. 13th Can Inf Bn. Theatre of War. France.

Dates of Service. 17-10-14. 11-2-15. 13-6-16.

Remarks. Mrs. Rose Aldridge (W)

Latest Address. 37 Priory St
Warr. Herts. England

Roll No.

B

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16/1/23

No. 24218

RANK

H

NAME

Aldridge, R.

T. O. S.

UNIT

5th. Regt.

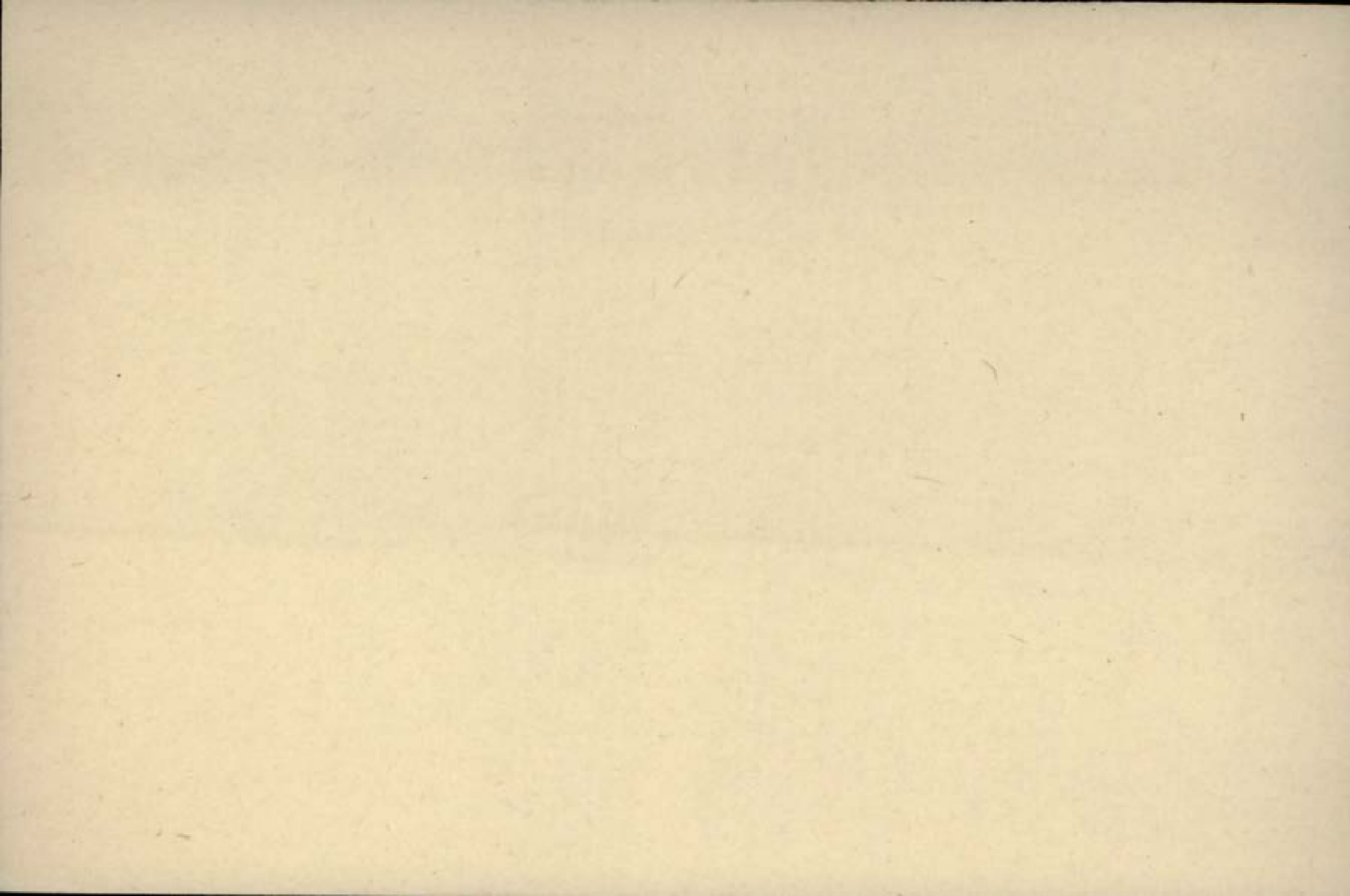
Royal Highl. des. of Law.

M. D.

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			PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
1914.	1914.			
Aug. 21.	Aug. 24.	no.	Now shown on 13th Battr. paylists	
Aug 25	Sept. 21	✓		
Sept 22	Oct. 31	✓		

UNIT SAILED
OCT 3 1914



Surname *Aldridge* Christian Name or Names *Robt.* Reg. No. *24218.*

Rank *Pte.* Unit *13 Bat.* Co. Troop Batty.

Hospital *1 Gen. Wetheravon.* Date of Admission *24.1.15.*
 Transferred *Masonic Hall N. Bromley* *25.4.15.*
Monks Horton Conv Hosp. *5.8.15.*
Epsom Conv. Hosp. *6.9.15.*
Shorncliffe Tent. Hosp. *4.11.15.*

Diagnosis *Gen. Phimosia.*

(1) *Gas Poison.*
 Later Diagnosis (if changed)
 (2) *G.S.W. head.*
 (3)

Additional Diagnoses: If more than one state present
Prv. rep. missing: now for official purposes pro. & have died on or since. 13.6.16.

DISPOSITION *Dis. 29.1.15.*
" to sick furlough. 29.5.15. ^{Date}
" 8.11.15.
Can Base Depot: rejoined unit. 8.4.16.

A.S.D. Bk. 1 Gen.
C.L. 3.5.15. 49.
" 2.6.15. 78.
" 7.6.15. 49².
W.H.R. 10.9.15.
C.L. 9.9.15. 155.
C.L. 19.8.15. 139².
" 11.11.15. 207.
" 19.11.15. 214.
" 26.4.16. A337.
" 1.2.14. A576.

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

EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

Hospital

Adm.

1.

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FILE No.

VOL.

SUBJECT

CHARGED TO

PER

DATE

CHARGED TO

PER

DATE

THIS CHARGE-OUT AND ABSENT CARD **MUST NOT** LEAVE THE REGISTRY.

Name ALDRIDGE ROBERT Rank PTE. Reg. No. 24218

Unit THIRTEENTH BATTN.

Next of Kin Mr Aldridge, 37, ~~CANADA~~ Drury St. Ware, Herts. R.F. 25. A-484

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
13-6-16	MISSING			A403		M9650
Dec 18	Enquiries to					
18	Gen. Res X. Long.					
18	Next of Kin.					
Jan 18	A.F. A.S.					
	Reply from Base dated 14/1/17					
19/6/16	Presumed dead			a 576.		1/2/17
13.6.16	Now killed in action - auth. Burial Report.					

LIST No.	HOSPITAL	DATE OF ADMISSION	REMARKS
V 49	Masonic Hall Hosp., Bromley, Kent.	25/4/15	G.S.W. Head (slight) ✓
✓ 75.	Mil. Hosp., Colchester.	29-5-15.	Dis. to sick furlough.
V 79.	Mil. Hosp., Colchester.	29-5-15.	Dis. to sick furlough. ✓
V 139.	Can. Con: Monks Horton	5-8-15	Gas poison.
V 155	Ex Can. Con., Monks Horton ^{Hythe} Kent		
	Trans. to Can. Con., Epsom	6-9-15	Gas poison.
207.	Can. Mil. Shorne.	4-11-15	Gas poisoning
214.	Discharged	8-11-15.	Gas poisoning.
a 337.	Reg. unit Ex. Can. Base Depot	8-4-16	" "
a 40311	Rep. from Base		Missing 13-6-16
a 576.	Prev. rep. missing now for offic. purposes presumed to have died on or since 13-6-16		

NAME Aldridge, Robert

H. Q. FILE No. 649-

REGT'L. No. 2421A

RANK AND CORPS Pte. 13th Batt.

NO. 237.
FOLL.

CABLE

NO.	DATE	C.	NATURE OF CASUALTY
C626	9/5/15	Wounded.	
on 9650	11-7-16	Reported missing June 13th 1916	
A.F.B.	2090C	Prev rep. Missing now for off	
London	3-2-17	purpose presumed to have died on	
auth Burial		as since June 13th 1916. Rec'd 23-3-17	
Report of	28 ¹² / ₂₁	Now killed in action 13-6-16.	

CANADIAN CONVALESCENT HOSPITAL,
MONKS HORTON.

ADMISSION CARD.

Regt. No. 24218 A. & D. No. A-230
Rank Pte.
Name Aldridge, Robert.
Corps 15th. Bn.
Religion C. of E. Age 28
Disease Gas Poison. v G SW Head
Admitted 26-6-15
Discharged
Place in Hospital
M. H. Rec'd M. H. Requested M. H. Ret'd
Transferred to Epsom 6-9-15.
Results

REMARKS:

at St Julien 24.4.15 to Rome
Colchester

Name ALDRIDGE. R. Rank PRIVATE

Reg. No. 24218

Unit 13th. BATTALION CANADIANS.

Next of Kin

~~Canada~~
 Mrs. R. Aldridge 37, Priory St. Ware
 Herts.

25-A-4874

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
Apr 25	Masonic Hall Hosp:	Bromley, Kent	F.S.H. Read (slt).	49		
May 29	Military Hospital	Colchester	Dis. to S.F.	75		
" 29	do.	do.	repeat.	49 ²		
Aug 5	Can: Conv: Hosp:	Monks Horton	Gas Poison.	129		
Sept 6	By Can Can Monk Horton To Can Can Hosp	Eprou	Gas Poison	155		
Nov. 4.	Central Military Hosp.	Shorncliffe	do	204		
" 8.	or Cent. Mil. Hsp.	Shorncliffe	Discharged	214		
6/8	Proceeding to rejoin Unit (see 292-11/4/16)					
8-4	Rejoined Unit.				A337	
13.6.16.	Missing				A403	M9650.
28.12.21	Now K in a					auth Private Report

Date

Movement

Place

Casualty

List
No.

Notified
N/K O.

W.O. List

Now. for Off. Purp. Pres. to. have. $\frac{a}{576}$. 1-2-17.
Died on or since, 13-6-16.

H.Q. 649-A-72

✓ ✓ ✓ ✓
ALDRIDGE, Robt. No. 24218 Pte. 13th Bn.

M & D. widow Mrs. Rose Aldridge, **M**
37 Priory St.,
Ware, Herts., England.

P & S.

Memorial X

Ser # 764 331.

Eligible for 14-15 Star Pte. 13th Bn.
Eligible for V.M. & B.N.M.

70322
M.S.

MAR 16 1923
Scroll Desp. _____ Regn. No. 255787

MAR 17 1923
Plaque Desp. _____ Regn. No. P49052

2 53571 FEB 6 1923

MILITIA AND DEFENCE

ASSIGNED PAY.

To whom *Aldridge R.*
 Address *37, Priory St*
Ware
Herts, Eng.

By whom assigned *Aldridge R.*
 Regtl. No. *24218*
 Rank *Pte*
 Corps &c. *13th Bn.*

Rate *A.P. \$20⁰⁰ S.A. \$20⁰⁰*
 Date to Commence *A.P. 1/9/16*

Forwarded to Ottawa 8-2-17.

(Wife) S.A. 1/4/17.

application forms sent 15/1/17.

PAYMENTS.

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Pay Sheet Deduction.	REMARKS.
Jan.	1916			ASSIGNED PAY	<i>Missing 13-6-16</i>
Feb.					
March					
Apl.					
May					
June					
July					
Aug.			<i>\$ 20 -</i>		<i>Paid in full to 31/8/16</i>
Sept.					
Oct.					
Nov.					
Dec.					
Jan.	1917				
Feb.					
March				<i>\$ 20 -</i>	<i>Paid in full to 31/3/17</i>
April		<i>553/264</i>		<i>20 -</i>	
May					<i>Pension granted</i>
June					<i>authority B.P.L. 10418</i>
July					<i>from Sept 14th /16 - 30 ⁴/₁₇</i>
Aug.					<i>of \$151³⁹</i>

H.C. 7 ⁵/₁₇

MAP

DUPLICATE.

Army Form B. 178.

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
1913.	Vaccination - Good E.R. Brown
9/9/14.	Anti-typhoid inoculation "

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

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

Surname A L D R I D G E Christian Name Robert

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish Herts County England

Examined ... (on 29 day of August 1914 191 .
at Valcartier

Declared Age ... 26 years ... days

Trade or Occupation ... Engineer

Height ... 5 feet, 7 inches

Weight ... 160 lbs

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded. 37 inches
Range of Expansion 3 inches

Physical Development ... Good

Vaccination Marks { Arm ... Right Left
Number 4

When Vaccinated ... May 1913

Vision ... { R.E.—V=
L.E.—V=

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

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

Approved by (Signature) E. R. Brown
(Rank) Major. Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... (at Valcartier
on 22 day of Sept. 1914 191 .

Corps.	Regtl. No.
<u>5th R. H. C.</u>	<u>2 4 2 1 8</u>
<u>13th Battn.</u>	
<u>3rd Inf. Bgde.</u>	

Became non-effective by

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

W. R. WARD
(Signature)
Colonel in Charge of Records,
Canadian Cont. (Rank) C. A. M. C.

I certify the foregoing to be a true copy of an original entry on Medical History Sheet of this man Robert Aldridge C.A.M.C. for the Officer in Charge of Records Canadian Contingents.

Table II.—Only for Admissions to Hospital or to the Sick List in the case of Warrant Officers treated in quarters.

Name of Hospital	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	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
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
No. 1 G. Hosp.	24	1	15	29	1	15	Gonorrhoea	6	Discharged to duty	L.W.MacNutt.
Military Hosp. Shorncliffe.	4	11	15	8	11	15	Gas Poison	5		L.J.Muir, Capt. CAMC.
<i>Can Base Depot</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>Do.</i>		<i>Rejoined unit</i>	<i>A 337.</i>

PENSIONS AND CLAIMS BOARD, Canadian Expeditionary Force, assembled at Folkestone, Kent, England, on the _____ day of _____ 191_____

Members of Board.

LIEUT. COL. SIR. H. MONTAGU ALLAN, C.V.O., *President.* MAJOR JOHN L. TODD, C.A.M.C.
LIEUT. COL. W. GRANT MORDEN. MAJOR MAURICE ALEXANDER,
Legal Adviser.

Proceedings.

The Board having considered the evidence of the man marginally noted, and the documents submitted, hereto attached, which form part of these Presents, marked

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Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station Woodcote Park, Epsom.

Date Nov. 2nd 1915.

- 1. Unit 13th Canadians.
- 2. Regimental No. 24218
- 3. Rank Pte.
- 4. Name Robert Aldridge
- 5. Age last birthday 28
- 6. Enlisted { on Aug. 1914.
at Montreal.
- 7. Former Trade { Engineer.
or Occupation

8. Disability.

Shrapnel Wounds head and face, and gas poisoning.

Statement of Case.

Note.—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Officer in medical charge of the case. In answering them he will carefully discriminate between the man's unsupported statements and evidence recorded in his military and medical documents. He will also carefully distinguish cases entirely due to venereal disease.

- 9. Date of origin of disability. April 28th 1915.
- 10. Place of origin of disability. St. Julienne
- 11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case.

April 28th wounded and over-come with gas poison. Unconscious two days. Does not remember much until May 1st, when he arrived at Colchester Military Hospital, remaining there 7 days Woodford V.A.D. Hospital about 5 weeks. Monks Horton from July 1st to Sept. 5th, when he came to Woodcote Park, Epsom.

- 12. (a) Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability. Gas poison and shrapnel wounds.
- (b) If you consider it to have been caused by wounds received or illness contracted (1) in the presence of the enemy (2) on active service, explain the specific conditions to which you attribute it. (See notes on page 3). Active Military Service.

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President.

Lt. Col.

Major.

Lt. Col.

Major.

13. What is his present condition?

Weight should be given in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.

General condition good. Heart and lungs normal - but says he becomes tired very easily, especially upon walking.

14. If the disability is an injury, was caused

- (a) In action? Yes
- (b) On field service? Yes
- (c) On duty? Yes
- (d) Off duty?

15. Was a Court of Inquiry held on the injury?

- If so—(a) When? No
- (b) Where? No
- (c) Opinion?

16. Was an operation performed? If so, what? No

17. If not, was an operation advised and declined? No

18. In case of loss or decay of teeth. Is the loss of teeth the result of wounds, injury or disease, directly* attributable to active service? Lost three teeth on Active Service

19. Do you recommend

- (a) Fit for duty?
- (b) Fit for light duty?
- (c) Invalided to Canada? Wants transfer to C.A.M.C.
- (d) Discharge as permanently unfit?

(SGD) DONALD A. MURRAY, Capt. Officer in medical charge of case.

I have satisfied myself of the general accuracy of this report, and concur therewith, except† Can. Conv. Hospital, Station Woodcote Park, Epsom, Surrey. (SGD) NELSON C. COOPER, Capt. C.A.M.C. Officer in charge of Hospital. O.C. Can. CONV. Hosp. Woodcote Park, Epsom Surrey. Date Nov. 3rd 1915.

* Loss of teeth on, or immediately after, active service, should be attributed thereto, unless there is evidence that it is due to some other cause.

† Delete this word if no exceptions are to be made.

Opinion of the Medical Board.

NOTES.—(i.) Clear and decisive answers to the following questions are to be carefully filled in by the Board, as, it is essential that the Members of the Pensions and Claims Board should be in possession of the most reliable information to enable them to decide upon the man's claim to pension.

(ii.) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," &c., should be avoided.

(iii.) The rates of pensions vary according to whether the disability is attributed to wounds or injuries received or illness contracted, (1) in the presence of the enemy, (2) on active service. It is therefore essential when assigning the cause of the disability to differentiate between them (see Article 591 to 598 of the Canadian Pay and Allowance Regulations as amended G.O., 57, May 1st, 1915).

(iv.) In answering question 20 the Board should be careful to discriminate between disease resulting from military conditions and disease to which the soldier would have been equally liable in civil life.

20. (a) State whether the disability is the result of injuries received or illness contracted, (1) in the presence of the enemy, (2) on active service.

Active Service. Injuries received in the presence of the enemy.

(b) If due to one of these causes, to what specific conditions do the Board attribute it?

Shrapnel Wounds and gas poisoning.

21. Has the disability been aggravated by

- (a) Intemperance? No
- (b) Misconduct? No

22. Is the disability permanent? No

23. If not permanent, what is its probable minimum duration? One Month

To be stated in months.

24. To what extent is his capacity for earning a full livelihood in the general labour market lessened at present? Not at all.

In defining the extent of his inability to earn a livelihood, estimate it at 1/4, 1/2, 3/4, or total incapacity.

25. If an operation was advised and declined, was the refusal unreasonable? Not applicable

26. Do the Board recommend

- (a) Fit for duty?
- (b) Fit for light duty? Yes
- (c) Invalided to Canada?
- (d) Discharge as permanently unfit? No

Approved.

(SGD) T.T.KIRKBY.

Signatures:—

(SGD) A.B.SCHUNBEIN, Capt. President.

Station Shorncliffe Mil. Hosp. (SGD) DARRELL P. HANINGTON, Capt. Date Nov. 6/1915. (SFD) D.A. DUNBAR, Capt. Members.

Approved.

Station Shorncliffe. (SGD) G.H. BOWLBY, Administrative Medical Officer.

Date 8-11-15

Capt. A/D.A.D.M.S. Canadian Training Division, Shorncliffe.

