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132338

I.D. number
No. d'identification

COTTON

Surname
Nom de famille

Walter, James

Given names
Prénoms

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NAME COTTON WALTER JAMES REGT. NO. 132338 UNIT 7th Bn H. Q. FILE NO. _____

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ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. 132338
TRIPLICATE
Folio.

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS).

1. What is your name?..... Botton Walter James.
 2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... Blesworth, Middlesex, England.
 3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?..... Gertrude Botton (Mother).
 4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... 251 Fortune St. Montreal
 5. What is the date of your birth?..... May 22nd 1897
 6. What is your Trade or Calling?..... Labourer.
 7. Are you married?..... No
 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated?..... Yes
 9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia?..... No
 10. Have you ever served in any Military Force?..... No
If so, state particulars of former Service.
 11. Do you understand the nature and terms of your engagement?..... Yes.
 12. Are you willing to be attested to serve in the CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE?..... Yes.
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C
- W. J. Cotton (Signature of Man).
Ernest W. Hopkins (Signature of Witness).

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Walter James Botton, 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.

W. J. Cotton (Signature of Recruit)
Ernest W. Hopkins (Signature of Witness)

Date SEP 8 - 1915 191.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Walter James Botton, 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.

W. J. Cotton (Signature of Recruit)
Ernest W. Hopkins (Signature of Witness)

Date SEP 8 - 1915 191.

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 Montreal this 8th day of September 1915.

J. J. Gagnon (Signature of Justice)

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

Lieut. Col. (Approving Officer)
O.C. 73rd (Overseas) Bn. Royal Highlanders of Canada, C.E.F.

Description of Cotton Walter James on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 18 years 3 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. 5 3/4 ins.

Chest measure -
 Girth when fully expanded 36 ins.
 Range of expansion 3 ins.

Complexion Fair

Eyes Blue

Hair 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 Sept 8 1915

Place Marhead

[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.

W J Cotton 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)
 O.C. 73rd (Overseas) Bn, Royal Highlanders of Canada, C.E.F.

Date SEP 8 1915 1915

m.X

50.7.20

H.G.

Regl. No., Rank & Name, 132 938 P. Cotton

Diagnosis, Impetigo, 14th Canadian General Hosp, Eastbourne.

To Officer i/c Laboratory

Ward, 7 D.

Please carry out an examination of the accompanying specimen of Carbuncle with special regard to Vaccine

Date, Jan 4, 1917

S.R. McSupper
Officer i/c Ward. *MS*

Laboratory Report

Autogenous vaccine - Staphylococcus
albus strength 1,000 millions per c.c.
Initial dose 4 mms increasing to 2 cc
avoiding marked reaction.

Date, 6-1-18 1917

3600

A. Sturthamton
Capt. C.A.I.C.
Officer i/c Laboratory.

Signature

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 13th Canadian Battalion

Rank Private Surname Cotton Christian Name Loj

Religion Age on Enlistment years months

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

Date of promotion to present rank Date of appointment to lance rank

Extended Re-engaged Qualification (b)
or Corps Trade and rate

Occupation Signature of Officer

Date	Report From whom received	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B.213, Army Form 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.30, or other official documents.
			Embarked ...		
			Disembarked ...		
<u>2/5/18</u>	<u>Can Base Depot.</u>	<u>Arrived in France for 13th Canadian Batta.</u>	<u>63 D</u>	<u>2/5/18</u>	<u>Sh No. 53 6/5/18</u>
<u>8/5/18</u>		<u>Left for Unit:</u>	<u>CCRC</u>	<u>8/5/18</u>	<u>NR</u>
<u>9/5/18</u>	<u>CCRC</u>	<u>Amuse</u>		<u>9/5/18</u>	<u>NR</u>
<u>27/6/18</u>	<u>11 FA.</u>	<u>Acco to 1 CCS</u>		<u>25/6/18</u>	<u>ES917</u>
<u>27/6/18</u>	<u>4 Gen St.</u>	<u>Acco</u>	<u>4 Gen St</u>	<u>27/6/18</u>	<u>ES25</u>
<u>26/6/18</u>	<u>1 CCS</u>		<u>Acco 1 CCS</u>	<u>25/6/18</u>	
			<u>To AT 3</u>	<u>26/6/18</u>	<u>4254</u>
<u>8/7/18</u>	<u>4 Gen</u>		<u>O Duty 1st Army</u>	<u>8/7/18</u>	<u>41002</u>
<u>13/7/18</u>	<u>13 Am</u>	<u>James</u>	<u>13 Am</u>	<u>9/7/18</u>	<u>B 213</u>
<u>16/7/18</u>	<u>CCRC</u>	<u>YOS</u>	<u>CCRC</u>	<u>16/7/18</u>	<u>BE 2155</u>
<u>27/7/18</u>	<u>13 Am</u>	<u>To CCRC</u>		<u>22/7/18</u>	<u>B 213</u>

(a) In 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, Signals, South, etc.

132338 Rec H J Cotton

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 or other official documents.	
Date	From whom received					
8 AOU 1918	BCHC	left for	13 Am	6 12/1 1918	LR	
10/8/18	13 Am	joined		8/8/18	B213	
23/8/18	11 C.F.A.	Desarrhoea etc by	148ccs	23/8/18	A7857	
24/8/18	48ccs	"	Adm	23/8/18	H2806	
14/9/18	14 Staty	"	Adm 14 Staty	4/9/18	H7486	
17/9/18	41	"	to Urish	17/9/18	K 1448	
21/9/18	13 Am	Reported			B213	
29/9/18		<u>Killed in action</u>	FCS	27/9/18	K-1 17/102	
		<p><i>[Signature]</i> for Lt.-Col., A. A. G. Canadian Section, G. H. Q. 3rd Echelon, D. E. F.</p>			<p><i>[Signature]</i> D. H. 125 4/18</p>	

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	Leaford 2nd Lt	PART II D.O. NO.	25.9.17	#183
				3rd Canadian Command Depot.
	Cancelled		4-11-17	#18
11-17	2CCD	Bransford		Pt 2 D.O. # 226
18-18	2CCD	Bransford	27-18	Pt 2 # 23
2 MAR 1918	OC, 2nd CCD	Bransford	1 MAR 1918	Pt. 2 D. O. No. 51
	Ceases to be attached to 2nd C. C. D. ✓ on return to 20 th Res. Bn.	Bransford		for OC, 2nd CCD.
3/3/18	12 RD		1/3/18	DO 56
2/3/18	20 Res Bn		2/3/18	D.O. 61
3.5.18	20 Res	Bransford	1/5/18	Pt 2 # 123
	Transf. to 13 th Bn 3rd Div			
				LT. & ASST. ADJUTANT 5TH CANADIAN RESERVE BN.
2-10-17	142 RD	Seaford	25.9.17	Pt 2 # 183.
3-10-17	3rd Bn		20-9-17	Pt 2 # 191.
8-11-17	142 RD			
	attached to 3rd Bn att'd to 2nd Bn		25.9.17	Pt 2 # 216
				Lieut for 1st Bn 3rd Div

Casualty Form - Active Service

73rd Batta 2nd Masch Regimental
 13th Cav Battalion
 Regiment or Corps
 Rank *Pfc* Surname *Cotton* Christian Name *Walter*
 Religion *Church of England* Age on Enlistment *18* years *3*
 Enlisted (a) *8/9/15* Terms of Service (a) *2 yrs* Service reckons from (a) *8.9.15*
 Date of promotion to present rank _____ Date of appointment to last rank _____
 Extended { } Re-engaged { } Qualification (b) *Laborer*
 or Corps Trade and Rate _____
 Signature of Officer. *Shut 2*

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				
<i>16/8/17</i>	<i>20 Genl</i>	<i>GSM Army Genl 20 Gen 16/8/17 11302</i>			
<i>20/8/17</i>		<i>Invalided to England per AT</i>			
		<i>Posted to 1st Cavalry</i>			
		<i>Regt Depot, Shoreham Elizabeth</i>			
<i>24-8-17</i>	<i>1st R. D.</i>	<i>T. O. S. from 1st B.</i>	<i>Shoreham</i>	<i>19-8-17 - P/149</i>	<i>Lieut. for Colonel 170 Records.</i>

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

Casualty Form—Active Service.

M. F. W. 54.
150M. 10-15.
H.Q. 1772-39-920.

Canadian War Office
Westminster House,
7, Millbank, S.W.

Unit, Regiment or Corps 73rd (Overseas) Bn. Royal Highlanders of Canada, C.E.F.
 Rank Private. Name Cotton, Walter James
 Instrumental No. 132338 C. E. F.
 Enlisted (a) 8/9/15 Terms of Service (a) Duration of War Service reckons from (a) 8/9/15
 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) Labourer

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				

Embarked at Halifax on R.M.S. "Adriatic", March 31st, 1916.
 Arrived at Liverpool, April 10th, 1916.

19.6.16.	13th Bn	Proceeded overseas for service with 13th Bn.	W. B. Shott.	18.6.16.	Adj. 73rd Bn. Canadian Infantry, Royal Highlanders of Canada.
19/6/16	Can. Base Depot.	Arrived in France for Depot. 13th Canadian Bn. Left for Unit.	Can. Base Depot Field.	19/6/16	N.R. Pl. n. Ord. 26. 30/6/16
20/6/16	13th Bn.	Joined Unit.		29/6/16	B.213
7/4/17	13th Bn	Not stated	To Hospital.	2/4/17	B.213
8/4/17	36th Amb	Trans. to 18 Coy	36th Amb	2/4/17	Stale. Dec 48, 27/4/17
5/4/17	7th Coy	Trans. to 7 Coy	7th Coy	5/4/17	W.3024
10/4/17	6th Coy	Trans. to 6 Coy	6th Coy	10/4/17	W.3024

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

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Data	From whom received				
16/4/17	C/3rd Dep	Arrived from Elaf...	C/3rd Dep	16/4/17	WR
25/4/17	.	LEFT FOR UNIT	Field	25/4/17	WR
28/4/17	13/3m	Rejoined 13/3m		28/4/17	B213 DCS 489, 19/5/17
2/6/17	4 C. S. Amb	Tuberculosis Adm	4 C. S. Amb	1/6/17	} A36 DCS 501, 28/6/17
3/6/17	16 C. S. Amb	Tuberculosis Adm	16 C. S. Amb	1/6/17	
23/6/17	13/3m	Rejoined 13/3m	Field	18/6/17	B213 DCS 504, 4/7/17
14/7/17	13/3m	Sick	To Hospital	5/7/17	B213
15/7/17	16 C. S. Amb	Influenza Adm	16 C. S. Amb	7/7/17	} A36
		Due to duty	Field	11/7/17	
14/7/17	13/3m	Rejoined 13/3m	Field	11/7/17	B213
17.6.17	4 C. S. Amb	Tuberculosis	?	(General) 24.7.17	A36 DCS 512
8.7.17	3 C.F.A.	Influenza	to #1, 6.8.17	24.7.17	A36 DCS 513
18/8/17	13/3m	Wounded to-hospital		18/8/17	213, D.C. B 520 dated
15/8/17	22 C. S. Amb	W. Hand Adm	22 C. S. Amb	15/8/17	} A36
		Trans. to 7 Amb In		15/8/17	

CHARGE.

Army Form B. 252.
(See King's Regulations.)

Pte Cotton, W. J.

3rd C.C.D.

**BATTERY
SQUADRON
TROOP or
COMPANY**

CHARGE against No. 132338

Place 14th Canadian General

Hospital Eastbourne

Date of Offence 18/1/18

OFFENCE While on Active

Service and a patient in

hospital

(1) Using profane language

to an orderly

(2) Striking an orderly in

the execution of his duty.

Names of Witnesses:—

Pte Sovey.

Cpl Martin.

No. 14 CANADIAN
GENERAL HOSPITAL

* 18 JAN 1918 *

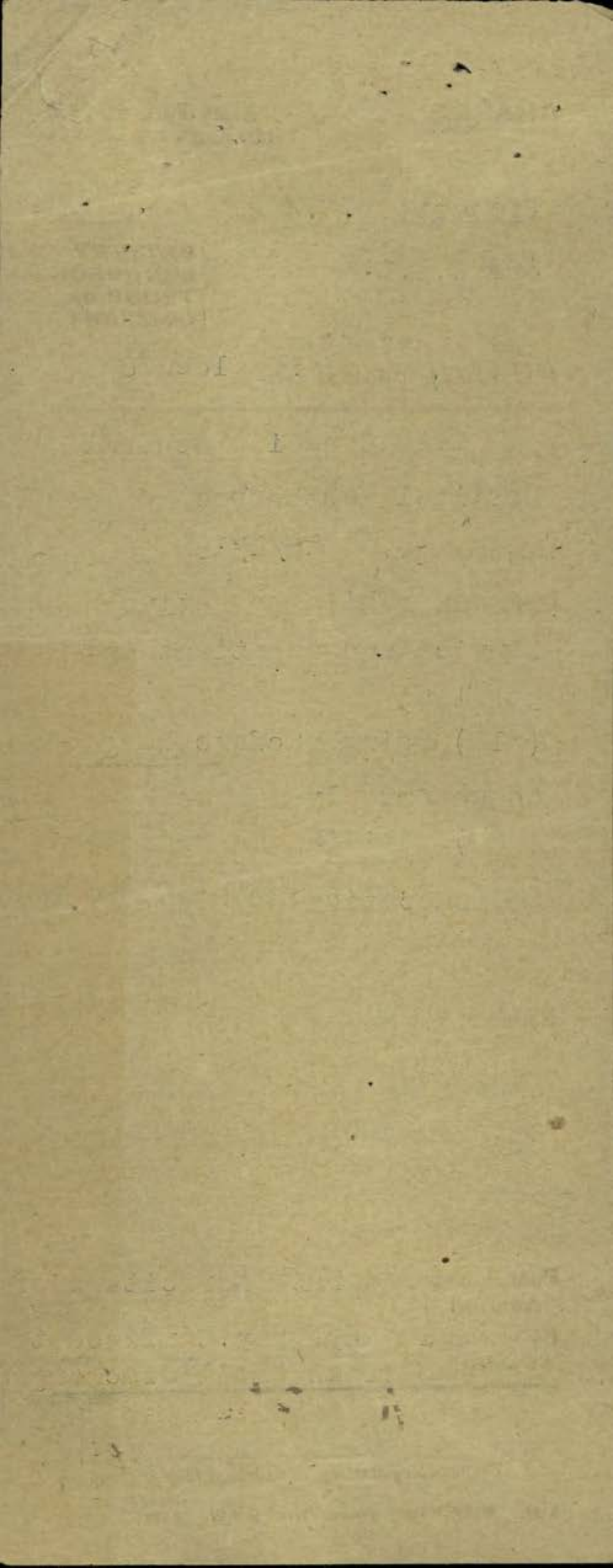
EASTBOURNE, SUSSEX

Punishment } Awarded forfeiture of
Awarded }

By whom } 10 days pay. Confined to
Awarded } hospital until discharged

K. L. Paulin

Commanding Battery, Squadron, Troop or Company.



No. 132338 Name **COTTON, W. J.** Sqn., Batty., } Corps 13th Bn. Date of enlistment } 8-9-15 } G.C. Badges } Service or Proficiency Pay }
 or Company }
 Date of last entry in } No. and date } Period not reckoning towards } Sheet No. Signature O.C. } Character }
 Company Conduct Sheet } of last drunk } freedom from extra fine } Company, etc. } *E. B. Smiley (Capt)* } *Poor.*

Place	Date of offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	Offence	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	Remarks
<i>Bahatt</i>	<i>19/2/18</i>	<i>Pte.</i>		<i>a. w. l. overstaying pass from room 19/2/18 until 8 p.m. same date.</i>	<i>L/C Nickerson Sgt Brassington Cpl Arnold</i>	<i>3 days F.P. 2</i>	<i>21/2/18</i>	<i>Major Montague R. W. T. Wain</i>	
<i>Biamshott</i>	<i>19/4/18</i>	<i>Pte.</i>		<i>Smoking on parade</i>	<i>Sgt. Diamond</i>	<i>3 days c.B.</i>	<i>20/4/18</i>	<i>Paul H. Hutchings</i>	
"	<i>21/4/18</i> <i>22/4/18</i>	"		<i>Absent from defaulters calls at 9 p.m. 21/4/18 and 6¹⁵ a.m. 22/4/18</i>	<i>Sgt. Miller</i>	<i>14 days C. B.</i>	<i>22/4/18</i>	<i>E. B. Smiley (Capt)</i>	
"	<i>22/4/18</i>	"		<i>Leaving the ranks without permission</i>	<i>Sgt. White</i>	<i>14 days F.P. #2</i>	<i>23/4/18</i>	<i>Lt. Col. Banthie, D.S.O.</i>	

Original not available
 Army Form B. 122
 Duplicate.

To be attached to Attestation Form.

Name Cotton Walter James

Address 251 Fortune St.

Are you your parents' sole support (if an only son) yes.

THE FARMILL

COND

TO BE ATTACHED TO ATTENTION FORM

THE FARMILL

132338
Regl. No., Rank & Name..... *Pte W. J. Cotton* Corps. *Infantry*
Disease..... *Impetigo* Hospital..... *14 C. G. H.*
To Officer i/c Laboratory. Ward..... *14*

Please carry out an examination of the accompany-
ing specimen of urine with special regard to.....

Date..... *11-12-17* *J. H. Baker* *Capt*
Officer i/c Ward.

Laboratory Report.

Colour. *straw*
Odour. *char*
Reaction. *acid*
S. G. *1.014*
Sugar. *neg*
Albumen. *neg*
Microscopic.
Special.
Date of Examination.....

360



A. H. C.
.....
Capt. C. A. H. C. i/c Laboratory.

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Handwritten signature or scribble in the bottom left corner.



Vertical handwritten text on the right side of the page, possibly a date or reference number.

A.G.R.

Rank _____ Name **COTTON, Walter James.** Reg'l No. **132338.**

Unit **73rd Bn.** If in perm. Corps, }
 What Unit? } **Montreal,** Married or Single **Single.**

Place and Date of Enlistment **8th September, 1915.** Place of Birth **Ilesworth,**
Middlesex, England.

Name and Address, Next-of-Kin **Gertrude Cotton,**
251 Fortune Street, Montreal, Canada. Relationship **Mother.**

Assigned Pay Monthly \$ _____ Payable to _____ Relationship _____

Separation Allowance \$ _____ Payable to _____ Relationship _____

W.E. R.B. No. 14344
 R. File No. 25C 3242
KILLED IN ACTION
 Category _____

Discharge, Date and Place Reason Character

Auth.	Report.		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place.	Date.	REMARKS. Taken from Official Documents.
	Date.	From whom received.				
			<i>Arrived in England</i>			
	<i>5-5-16</i>	<i>10/4/16</i>	<i>adm. Moore Beck's Hosp.</i>	<i>Shorncliffe.</i>	<i>20-4-16.</i>	<i>S.S. Adriatic C.S. No. 4 Pt. II. D.O. 96/16 (onsillitis.)</i>
	<i>5-5-16</i>	<i>✓</i>	<i>Sis. Hp.</i>		<i>5-5-16.</i>	<i>Pt. II. D.O. 106/16. A.F.B. 103. chd. 22/6/16.</i>
	<i>19-6-16</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>S.O.S. on transfer to 13th Bn.</i>	<i>Bramshott.</i>	<i>18-6-16.</i>	<i>Pt. II. D.O. #148</i>
	<i>30.6.16</i>	<i>7c 13-</i>	<i>Taken on strength</i>	<i>Field</i>	<i>19.6.16</i>	<i>" #26</i>
	<i>14.4.17</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>Adm 7 Can. Gen. Hosp.</i>	<i>Etaples</i>	<i>5.4.17</i>	<i>C.L. A635 P.M.O.</i>
	<i>21.4.17.</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>To 6 Can. Depot</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>10.4.17</i>	<i>C.L. A641</i>
	<i>23.4.17</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>Disch to Base Details</i>		<i>12.4.17</i>	<i>C.L. A642</i>
	<i>24.5.17</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>Rejoined Unit</i>		<i>28.4.17</i>	<i>C.L. A669.</i>
	<i>4.7.17</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>Adm 5 Can. Field. Amb.</i>		<i>4.6.17</i>	<i>C.L. A703. Funeral home</i>



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.				
6.8.17	13 Bn.	1 Can. Field. Amb.		1.7.17	C.L. A730.
6.8.17	--	To Gas Clearing Station		1.7.17	- A730.
8.8.17	--	To Gas Clearing Stn.		17.7.17	- A732 Influenza.
24.8.17	1st Q.R.P.	T.O.S. from 13 Bn	Sharn Pte	19.8.17	Pte 81d. 31.8.17 of 13th Bn. Pte 149
23.8.17	--	Adm Genl Hosp.	Bethnal Green	19.8.17	Lt Bull SSN 2 Hand
20.9.17	1st Quee	Hd. Can. Conv. Hosp.	Bromley	19.9.17	C.L. B16
29.9.17	1 Q.R.	Disc Do.	Do.	28.9.17	C.L. B. 23
2-10-17	" " "	On Comm at 366 D.	Seaford	25-9-17	Pte D.O. 183
3-10-17	366 D.	Att'd for R.T.	"	28-9-17	Pte D.O. 191
27.10.17	-	Ceases to be att. on proc. to 2 Coy	-	25.10.17	Pte 226d. 11.11.17 - 210. Pte 216d. 8.11.17 of 1st Q.R.P.
18.12.17	1 Q.R.	14 Can Gen Hosp.	Eastbourne	11.12.17	C.L. C91 Impetigo
28.1.18	2nd Q.R.	attached for P.T. S.O.S. from 1st Q.R.	Bshott	27.1.18	D.O. 23
2.3.18	2nd Q.R.	on reporting from 2nd Q.R.	"	2.3.18	800 56 of 5.3.18 1st Q.R. D.O. 61 200 52 2nd Q.R. D.O. #530/6.5.18 1st Q.R.
3.5.18	"	S.O.S. to 13 Bn.	"	1.5.18	" 123.
4-10-18	15th Bn.	Killed in action	Fla	27-9-18	D.O. 125.

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FORM OF WILL.

I, Walter James Cannon (Name in full)

Regimental Number B2338 serving in 73rd Bn C.E.F.

of the Canadian Expeditionary Force, do hereby revoke all former Wills by me made and declare this to be my last Will.

I bequeath all my real estate unto

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~~Mother~~ Mrs Gertrude Cannon
68 Sebastapol St
Point St Charles Montreal

Name & Address of person or persons to whom it is to go.

absolutely, and my personal estate I bequeath to

~~Mother~~ Mrs Gertrude Cannon
68 Sebastapol St
Point St Charles Montreal

Name & Address of person or persons to receive personal estate* (see note).

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand

this Ninth day of June A.D. 1918

W. J. Cotton Signature.

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* N.B.—Personal estate includes pay, effects, money in bank, insurance policy, in fact everything except real estate.



Signed and acknowledged by the Testator as and for his last Will in the presence of us both present at the same time, who in his presence, at his request, and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as Witnesses.

Name of Witness R. G. Browning, Sgt

Address of Witness 73rd Bn. ROYAL HIGHLANDERS OF CANADA, C. E. F.

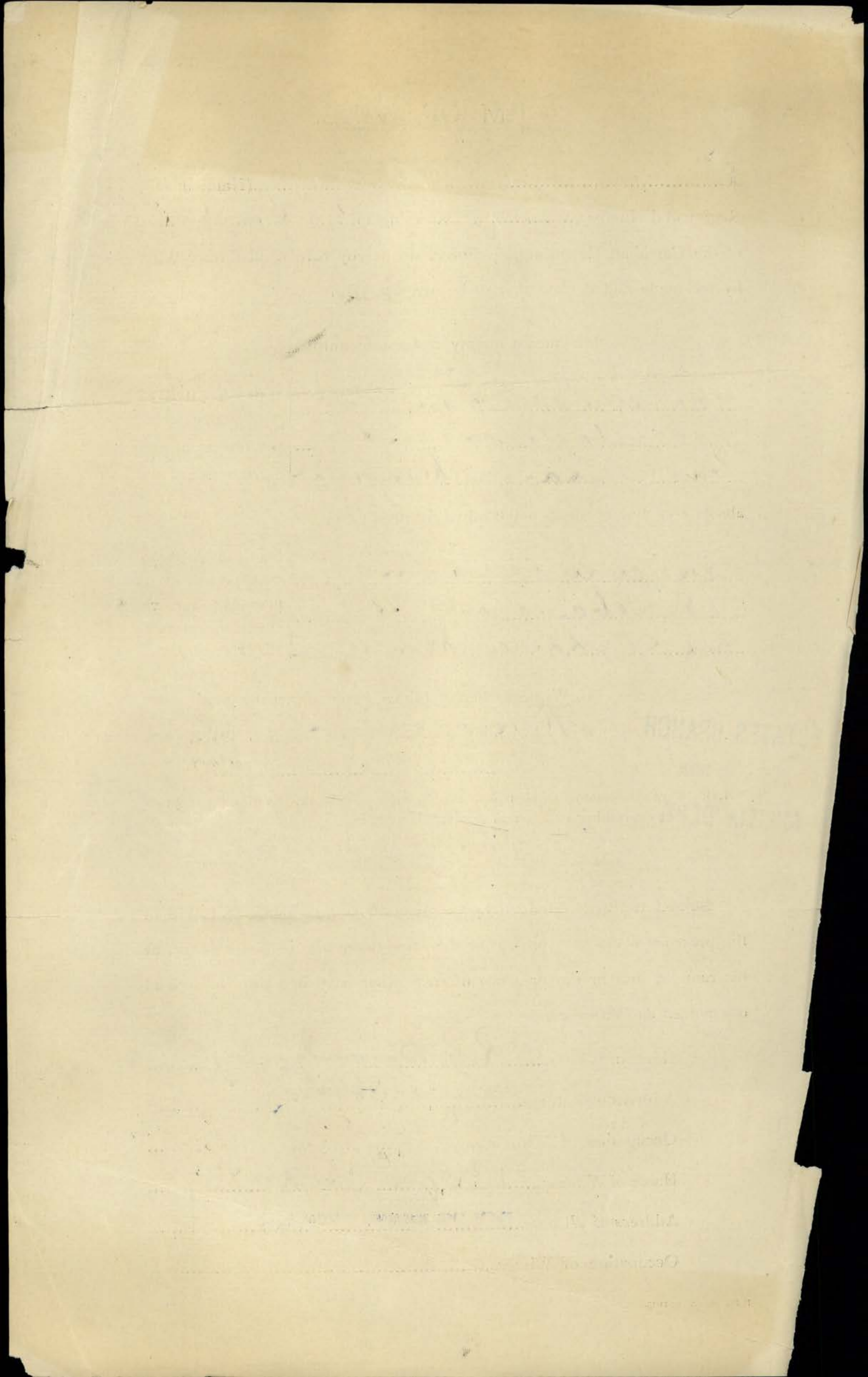
Occupation of Witness

Name of Witness R. G. Lee, Sgt

Address of Witness 73rd Bn. ROYAL HIGHLANDERS OF CANADA, C. E. F.

Occupation of Witness

CANADIAN.
14 NOV 1918



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GENERAL STATE

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

WASHINGTON

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR

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Regtl. No., Rank and Name 132338 Cotton Corps 73 Bu.
 Disease Tonsillitis Hospital M. B. Q. H.
 To Officer i/c Laboratory. Ward 7

Please carry out an examination of the accompanying specimen of Swab.
 with special regard to K. L.

Date 20-4-16 G. Bayfield, Capt.
 O. i/c Ward.

LABORATORY REPORT.

No K-f found.

Wadston

Date of Examination 21/4/16

~~Captain~~ O. i/c Laboratory
 Moore
 Shorcliffe.

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Bureau of Land Management
Washington, D. C.

LABORATORY REPORT

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DISCHARGE FROM HOSPITAL.

Canadian Form A.M.S 7002.
For W.O.s, N.C.O's & Men.

Bohm

Do not fail
to strike out
two of these
on each sheet

1. To Chief Paymaster, Canadians,
7, Millbank, London, S.W.
 2. To Officer in Charge of Records, Canadians (Casualty Branch),
7, Millbank, London, S.W.
 3. To Officer Commanding, 73rd Batt
East Sandling Name of Unit to which discharge is made
- At _____ Station.

73rd Corps 132338 Pte Botton W J
Regt. Number Rank Name (Surname first)

5th The above mentioned Canadian soldier will be discharged from this Hospital on the
May day of _____ 1916.

He may be expected to arrive at 5th Bus lines Railway Station,
at 11 o'clock A m. on the May day of _____ 1916.

- i. I consider him "Fit for duty"
- ii. I do not consider him "Fit for Duty"
- iii. I consider him fit for his former "light duty"
- iv. I do not consider him fit for his former "light duty"

Strike out that which is
inapplicable.

Name of Central Hospital Moore Barracks at Stromcliffe
Signed Whitman Capt. (A.M.S.) Officer in Charge.

This return is to be made out in quadruplicate. If discharge is made to the Canadian Casualty Assembly Centre, one copy is to be forwarded to each of the Officers specified 48 hours previous to discharge. If discharge is made to any other Unit, the copies are to be forwarded 24 hours previous to discharge. One copy is to be retained by Hospital for its records.

*For patients admitted to hospitals from "light duty service" only.

DISCHARGES FROM HOSPITALS.

HOSPITALS.	Patients from Troops serving Overseas from the United Kingdom.	Patients from Troops stationed in the United Kingdom.			
		Admitted from "Light Duty Service."		Other Patients.	
		All Patients.	If fit to resume former "Light Duty."	If not fit to resume former "Light Duty."	If "Fit for Duty."
British Hospitals.	Cannot Discharge.	Discharge to former "Light Duty."	Cannot Discharge.	Discharge to Unit or Reserve Unit.	Cannot Discharge.
Canadian Military Hospitals.	Cannot Discharge.	Discharge to former "Light Duty."	Cannot Discharge.	Discharge to Unit or Reserve Unit.	Cannot Discharge.
Canadian Convalescent Hospitals.	Discharge to Canadian Casualty Assembly Centre.	Discharge to former "Light Duty."	Discharge to Canadian Casualty Assembly Centre.	Discharge to Unit or Reserve Unit.	Discharge to Canadian Casualty Assembly Centre.

DISCHARGE FROM HOSPITAL

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MEDICAL CASE SHEET.*

No. in Admission and Discharge Book. 132338. Rank. Pte. Surname. Cotton. Christian Name. Waele. Age. 19. Service. 8/12. Year. 73rd Base Unit.

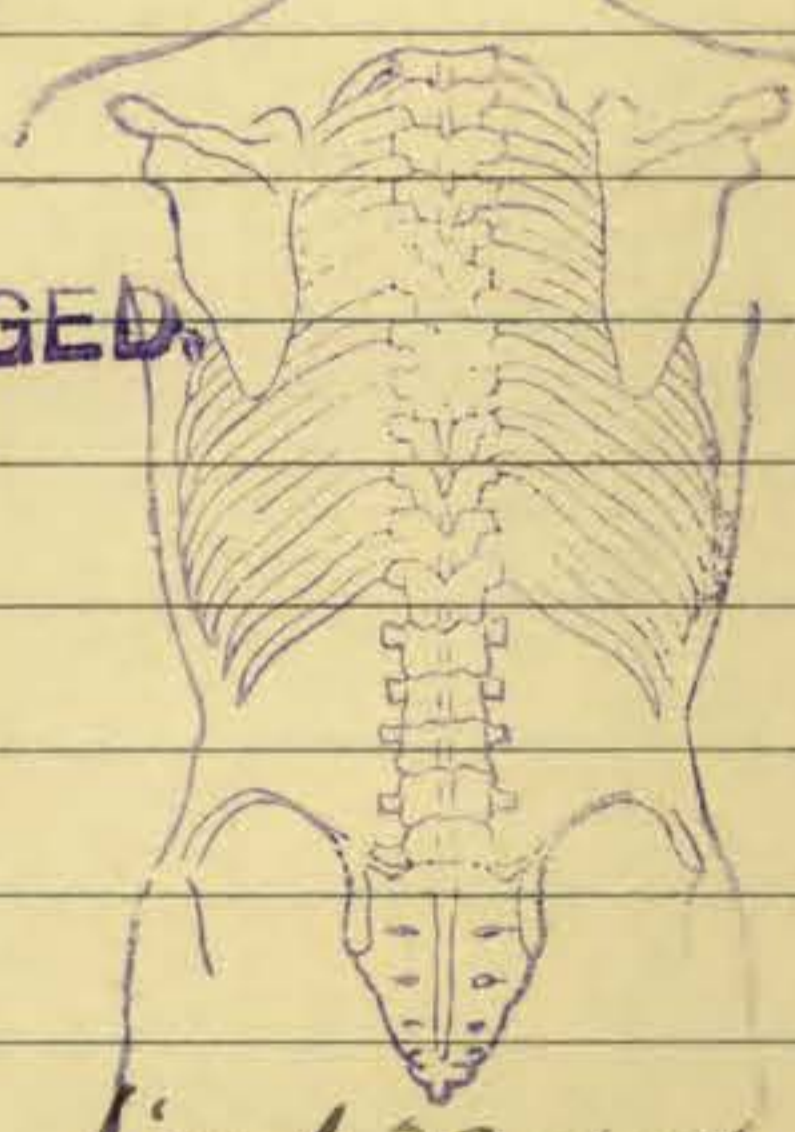
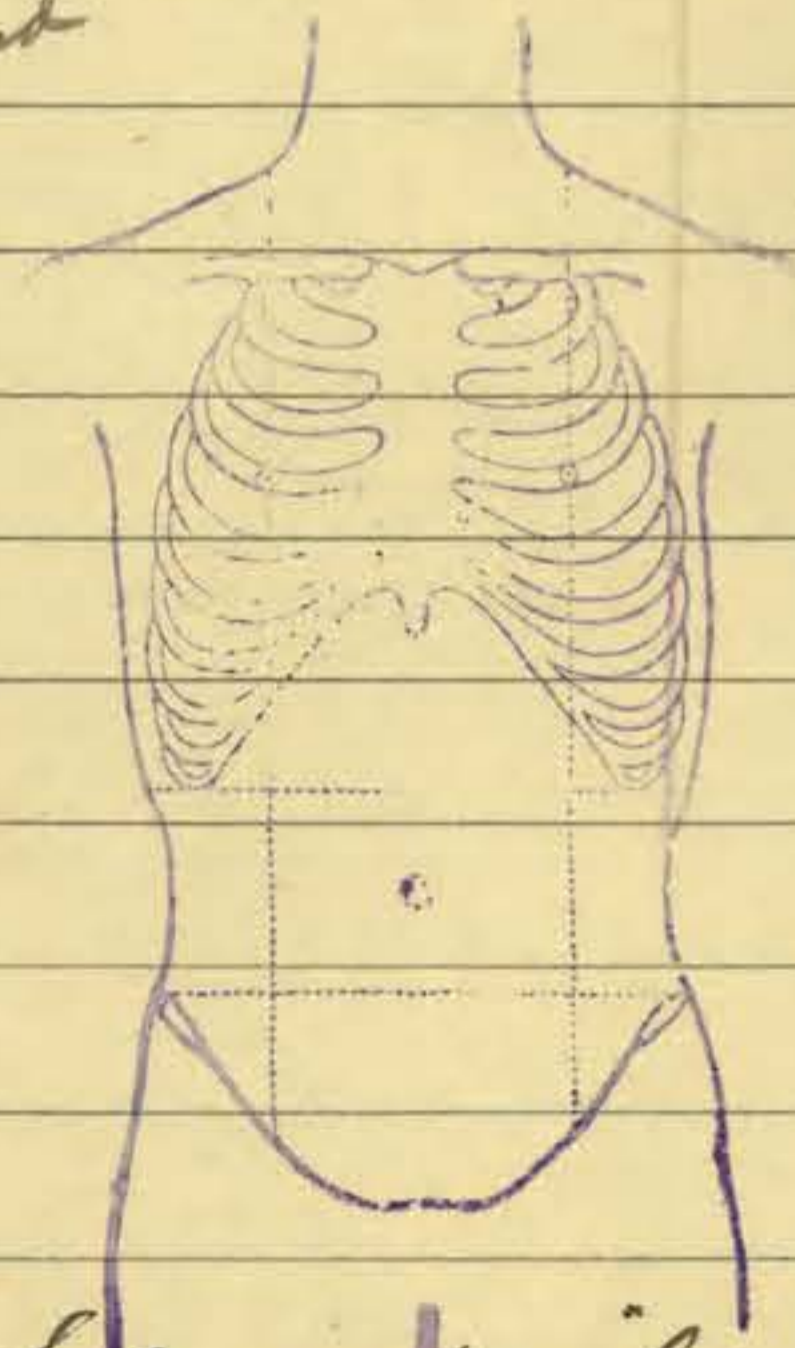
Station and Date. Disease. Tonsillitis. Comp. Sore throat. Duration. 2 days. Per. Hist. Had first 6 years ago - second attack two months ago - Had tonsillectomy in childhood. Fam. Hist. Negative. Med. Pres.

23-4-16. Sore throat - began two days ago - looks like quinsy. Swab taken. Swab the tonsils with Glycerine Iodine

3-5-16. Externally paint the throat with Toluic. Throat cleaned - general condition good discharged.

20-4-16 no K.L. found

Edw. J. Gilbert Capt. Col. Amc.



DISCHARGED. 5 MAY 1916

Treat. 22-4-16. Sol. salicyl. for & hot. Discont. 27-4-16. gargal.

Station
and Date.

1918

MEDICAL CASE SHEET.*

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No. in
Admission
and
Discharge
Book.

Regimental No.
132338.

Rank.

Pte.

Surname

Cotton.

Christian Name.

W. J.

Unit.

13th Can. R. H. C.

Age.

21.

Service.

2 yrs.

Station
and Date.

Aug 20. 17.

Disease

G.S.W. Left Hand

1) 15. 8. 17. Loss - while in Puma trenches
hit by a sniper

2) Two shrapnel. This ball of shrapnel: smaller was
on the unexposed side of thumb: larger was in the
All joints of thumb can be moved & thumb moved by
patient himself. No evidence of fracture.
By dressing

20. VIII 17. G. J. S. 570 U. T. R.

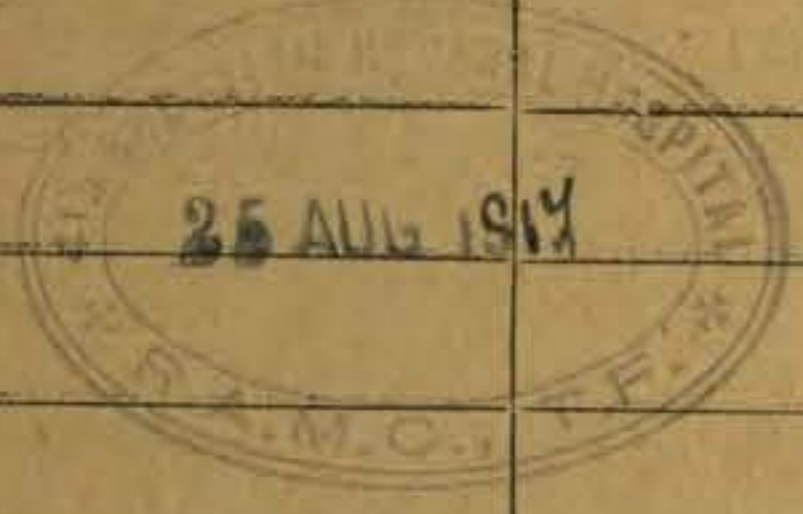
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Station
and Date.

E.F. - FRANCE.

MEDICAL CASE SHEET.*

No. in Admission and Discharge Book. <i>CP 486</i>	Regimental No.	Rank.	Surname.	Christian Name.
	<i>132 338</i>	<i>Pte</i>	<i>Cotton</i>	<i>Walter</i>
Year <i>10</i>	Unit.	Age.	Service.	
	<i>13 Canadians B Co</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>2</i>	
Station and Date.	Disease <i>G.S.W. Lt hand.</i> <i>Is a transfer from Bethnal Green Military Hosp.</i> <i>Wound almost healed on admission here.</i>			
<i>16-9-17.</i>	<i>Parade</i> <i>W. M. Martin M.B.</i>			
<i>28/9/17</i>	<i>Discharged to Hospital Representative</i> <i>D.F.</i>			
	<div style="text-align: right;"> <i>Dallein</i> CAPTAIN C.A.S.M.C. CANADIAN CONVALESCENT HOSPITAL </div>			



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Station
and Date.

DUPLICATE.

MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.

Surname Collins Christian Name Walter James

Examined { on 8 day of Sept 1915 at Montreal Approved by A. J. Ford
Birthplace { City or Town Illesworth, Middlesex Rank Lieut M.O.
County England

Apparent age 18 yrs
Trade or occupation Labourer
Height 5 Feet 5 3/4 Inches M.O.
Weight 126 Lbs. M.O.
Chest measurement { Minimum 33 inches M.O.
Maximum expansion 36 inches M.O.
Physical development good M.O.
Small-Pox Marks M.O.

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right Left
Number 4
When Vaccinated last 4 yrs ago Feb 18 M.O.
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease Negative M.O.

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection
Date Result ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.
Sept 10/15 Good M.O.
20/9/15 M.O.
Oct 29/15 M.O.

Enlisted on 8 day of Sept 1915 at Montreal

	CORPS.	REG'TL NUMBER.	HABITS.	DATE.
Joined on enlistment	<u>27 B.C. C.E. F.</u>	<u>132338</u>		
Transferred to	<u>18th Battalion</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.

Surname *Cotton* Christian Name *Walter James*

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					
<i>Wounded in S. F.</i>		<i>General Hospital</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>Dec</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>Dec</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>Wound Right chest</i>	<i>improved</i>	<i>Just</i>	<i>C. P. Brown</i> <i>C. P. B.</i>
			<i>6</i>	<i>Jan</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>Jan</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>Obstr. mediocrisis Sept 25</i>	<i>Pharyngitis, dysphagia, gagging</i>		
No. 7 Can Gen Hospital			<i>5</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>P.U.O. Slt.</i>			<i>A635-A641.</i>
No. 6 Can Dep. Etaples			<i>10</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>17</i>		<i>Discharged to Base Det,</i>		<i>A641-A642 -3 HH</i>

FORM OF WILL.

I. Walter James Cotton (Name in full)

Regimental Number 132338. serving in 73 Batt C.E.F. of the
~~the Overseas Military Forces of Canada~~, do hereby revoke all former Wills
by me made and declare this to be my last Will.

I bequeath all my real estate unto

Mother Mrs Gertrude Cotton

68 Sebastapool St,

Point St Charles. Montreal

)
) Name and Address
) of person or
) persons to whom
) it is to go.
)

absolutely, and my personal estate I bequeath to

Mother. Mrs Gertrude Cotton

68 Sebastapool St,

Point St Charles. Montreal.

)
) Name and Address
) of person or
) persons to receive
) personal estate.
) (See note).
)

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand

this Ninth day of June A.D. 1916.

W.J. Cotton. Signature.

RECORDED	68 Sebastapool St,
GREEN	Point St Charles. Montreal.
OLD EASY	
R.L.	<u>R.A.I</u>
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TO	
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N.B. Personal estate includes pay, effects, money in bank, insurance policy, in fact everything except real estate.

Signed and acknowledged by the Testator as and for his last Will in the presence of us both present at the same time, who in his presence, at his request and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as Witnesses.

Name of Witness R.G. Browning Sergt

Address of Witness 73rd Bn Royal Highlanders of Canada C.E.F.

Occupation of Witness

Name of Witness R.W. Gee. Sergt

Address of Witness 73rd Bn Royal Highlanders of Canada C.E.F.

Occupation of Witness

I hereby certify the above to be a true copy of the original Will now on file in Estates Branch

Date 8 Nov 1918.

[Signature]
Lieut.
For OFFICER I/C ESTATES.

NOTE Died ~~xxx~~ Killed in Action. 27-9-18. 25-C-4190.
Transferred 5-11-18.

W.J. Cotton. 132338. Pte. 73rd Bn.

MX.

REGISTERED.
WILLS-SECTION
14 NOV 1918
STATES

CANADIAN. 14 NOV 1918

MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR

DATE: 10/15/54

TO: DIRECTOR

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK

SUBJECT: [Illegible]

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TO,

TO R. *II*

From R.III

URGENT

Please give List of Location and Hospital admission for the following man since

73rd Bn

132 338

Cotton W. J.

134th Bn

to Eng

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134th Bn

<i>10.</i>	<i>4.</i>	<i>16</i>
<i>20.</i>	<i>4.</i>	<i>16</i>
<i>5.</i>	<i>5.</i>	<i>16</i>
<i>18.</i>	<i>6.</i>	<i>16</i>

W. G. Young
R.III
23.6.17

MEDICAL CASE SHEET.*

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No. in Admission and Discharge Book	Regimental No.	Rank.	Surname.	Christian Name.
	132338	Pte	Ratton	W. J.
Year	Unit.	Age.	Service.	
	3rd CCD	21	27 12	



11/12/17

Mother Mrs G. Cotton
 1559 Coleridge St
 Brighton

Station and Date: Disease Impetigo
 Healthy Family
 Previous Illnesses
 none
 Present Illness
 Condition started 1 month ago
 Denies Venereal Disease
 Has large area of impetigo on arms
 and face face much pigmented
 from old sores Pus-tules numerous
 over whole body
 J. P. M. Supt

Jan 5/18
 Vaccine made from Pus-tules
 on Buttocks - Staphylococcus
 albus. Several courses appearing
 Jan 18/18
 Condition all Clear. Fit to return
 to Duty
 J. P. M. Supt

Jan 22.
 Discharge tomorrow
 J. P. M. Supt

DISCHARGED
 23 JAN. 1918
 To 51

DISCHARGED
 23 JAN. 1918
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SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

Sheet No. 2. Mrs. Gertrude Cotton W. Mother Name of Soldier Cotton Walter Jas.
PAYMENTS.

L. L. Job 4503. Req. 6832.

Pte. 132338.

73rd Bn.

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
April	1916			
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SEPARATION ALLOWANCE
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

Sheet No. 2 (Contd.)

Name of Soldier.....

PAYMENTS.

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O.K. BQR. 1. 5. 17.

MILITIA AND DEFENCE

M. F. W. 11.
15m.—6-17.
H. Q. 1772-39-818.

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

Name Mrs. Gertrude Cotton
Address 1539 Chabot St.
Montreal
P.Q.

Name of Soldier Cotton Walter Jas.
Regtl. No. 132338
Rank Pte.
Corps 73rd Bu.

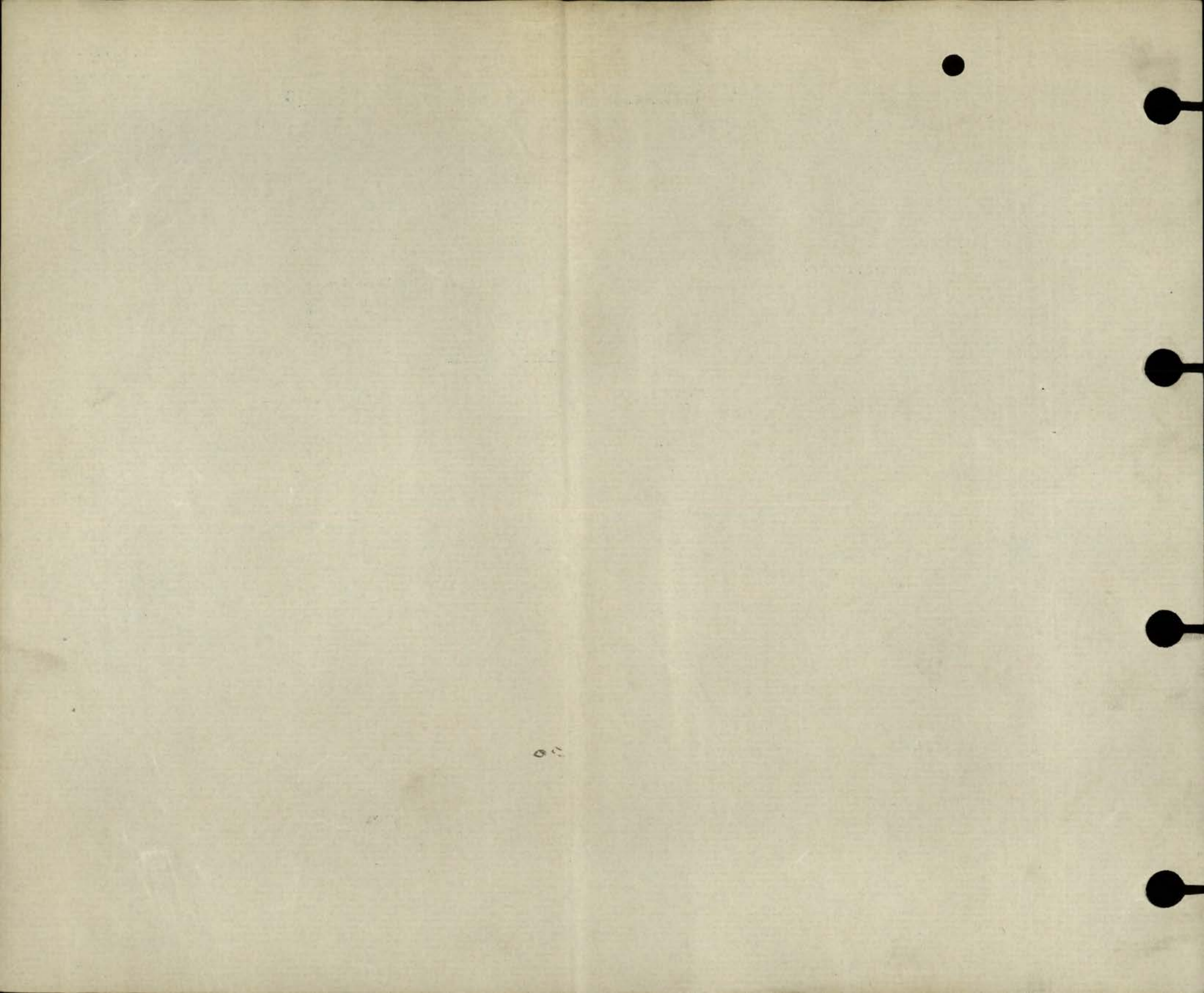
Relation to Soldier }
wife, child or mother } W. Mother

To what Corps belonging }
when called out }

PAYMENTS

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.	REMARKS
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ASSIGNED PAY

OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

Sheet No. 2. *Mrs Gertrude Cotton*

Name of Soldier *Cotton W. J.*
132338
a. coy. 42 Batt.

PAYMENTS.

L. L. Job 95618-M. & D. 6555.

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
				<i>2000</i>
April	1916	<i>2532</i>	<i>20</i>	
May		<i>45684</i>	<i>20</i>	
June		<i>R7947</i>	<i>20</i>	
July		<i>78010</i>	<i>20</i>	
Aug.		<i>I13027</i>	<i>20</i>	
Sept.		<i>W16898</i>	<i>20</i>	
Oct.		<i>W. 21967</i>	<i>20</i>	
Nov.		<i>F26331</i>	<i>20</i>	
Dec.		<i>J 33153</i>	<i>20</i>	
Jan.	1917	<i>238549</i>	<i>20</i>	
Feb.		<i>343881</i>	<i>20</i>	
March		<i>A50427</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20-6-</i>
April		<i>41006</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>206</i>
May		<i>87729</i>	<i>20</i>	
June		<i>L14124</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>20.6</i>
July		<i>Z 23223</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>B.</i>
Aug.		<i>28034</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>B.</i>
Sept.		<i>F39302</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>B.</i>
Oct.		<i>S 48198</i>	<i>20</i>	
Nov.		<i>S 55032</i>	<i>20</i>	
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ASSIGNED PAY
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

Sheet No. 2 (Contd.)

Name of Soldier _____

PAYMENTS.

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2nd Contingent

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MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY
OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

W. J.
J. J.

Mrs. Gertrude Cotton
To Whom ~~of Mrs. Hampton~~
Address ~~68 St. Charles~~ ~~251 Fortune St.~~
~~St. Charles~~ Montreal P.Q.
1559 Chabot St 13-9-16
Rate 20.00 APR 1 1916

By Whom Assigned Cotton
Regtl. No. 132338
Rank PRF.
Corps a. Co. 73 of Bn. P. N. C.

SEE ALSO ACCOUNT IN SPEC. REM. LEDGER.

PAYMENTS

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.	REMARKS
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MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY
OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

To Whom *Miss Gertrude Cotton*

By Whom Assigned *Cotton W J.*

Address *1559 Chabot St
Montreal
Que*

Regtl. No. *132358.*

Rank *pte.*

Corps *13th Bn.*

Rate *2500*

ALSO ACCOUNT IN CURRENT LEDGER.

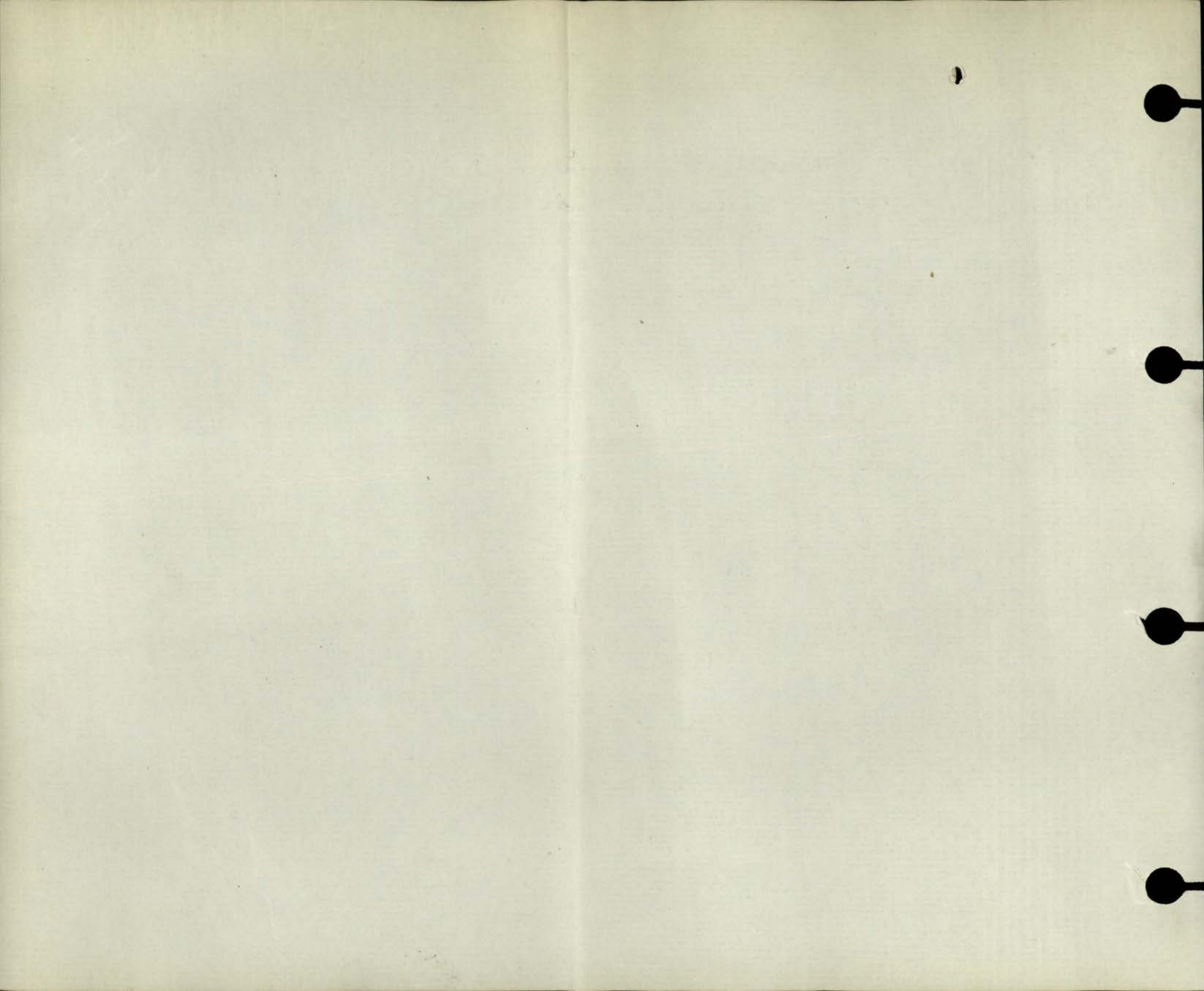
SPECIAL PERMITTANCE

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PAYMENTS

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Oct.				
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Dec.				
Jan.	1916			
Feb.				
March				





Register No. *D. 6. 1451.*

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY
TO
DEPENDENTS OF DECEASED SOLDIERS

A.P. File No. *3759-20-9.*

Reg't No. *132338* Name *Walter James Cotton*
(Christian Name) (Surname)
Unit *13th Bn.* Rank *Pte.* Date of enlistment.....
Date of casualty *27. 9. 18.* B.P.C. File No. *53049*
Was service performed overseas? *yes.*

DEPENDENT

Name *Mrs. Gertrude Cotton* Relationship *Mother*
Address *1524 a Chabot St.,
Montreal,
P. Q.*

Amount of Special Pension Bonus \$ *nil* Abstracted by *M. Knox*

Eligible for Gratuity \$ *180.00*
Less amount of Special Pension Bonus paid \$
Less Debit Balance of S. A. or A.P. \$

Total deductions \$

Balance due \$ *180.00*

Cheque No. *91900548* Date issued *10/8/20*

REMARKS :
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Clerk *W. Mitchell*

Audited by
Kent
Date *12/8/20*

180.00

DS 18

M.F.W. 2652
25M-6-20.
H.Q. 1772-38-1473

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		

Remarks:

M. F. W. 127
 300M-1-19
 1772-30-1140

Date of Enlistment

1.5.17

MILITIA AND DEFENCE

Date of Assignment

Séparation and Assigned Pay Branch

10684

Apr. 1/16.

OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

RATE OF SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

To	25		
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1-12-17
Pb. 3257.

RATE OF ASSIGNMENT

20.			
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PARTICULARS OF SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

No. 132338

Rank *Pte.* Promoted Reverted Discharge

Soldier's Name *W. J. Cotton*

Battalion *A. Co. 70th Bn. R. H. C. (73 Pte)*

Beneficiary *Mrs Gertrude Cotton*

Relationship *W. Mother Mrs 4554 1/18*

Address

PARTICULARS OF ASSIGNMENT

Name *Mrs. Gertrude Cotton (Mother)*

Address *1559 Chabot St. Montreal, P. Q.*

Change of Address

- 1
- 2
- 3
- 4

Date 1917	Cheque No.	Amount S/A	Amount A/P	Total
Dec 31		160	420	580
1918 Jan 31	57021	30	20	50
Feb	99291 D	25	20	45
March	117456 A	25	20	45
April	8883 Q	25	20	45
May	16006 M	25	20	45
June	27447 G	25	20	45
July	30938 S	25	20	45
Aug	40844 I	25	20	45
Sept	42698 L	25	20	45
Oct	50613 N	25	20	45
"	1854 P	10	14399	10

See 3759 - W-9

A 57020 can't be 3/4 given Walter for Cotton

KILLED IN ACTION }
 DIED OF WOUNDS } DATE *Sept 27/18*
 C. L. No. *329 FOL 7* DATE *12/15/18*
 M. R. O. *7625* TO DESTROY RENDERED *19/1/18*
 B. P. C. FORM 1 & C. F. X. COMPLETED ON FILE
3759-21-9
 CLERK *[Signature]* DATE *19/1/18*

Pension granted 20/1/18 effective
1-11-18 per B.P.C. 52049.
P 1854 Mars 25/3/18
E. F. X send 25-6-18. W.P.

M. F. W. 128
 4009-6-17-1772-89-1141
 L. L. 22320-M. & D. 1983.



EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

	Hospital	Adm.
1.	Gas. Clearing Station	1-7-17
2.	l. b. b. Station	17-7-17
3.	Bethnal Green Mill. & Can. Coal. Bromley	19-8-17 19-9-17
4.	14 Can. Gen. Eastbourne 4 S. H. Dannes Carriers Hl. Sta. Amiens.	11-12-17 27-6-18 1-9-18
5.		
6.		
7.		

Ch 26-1-18 @ 122
 " 4-7-18 @ 256 (2)
 " 16-7-18 @ 266 (2)
 6-9-18 @ 312 (5)
 24-9-18 @ 327-3
 8-10-18 @ 339

Surname **Cotton** Christian Name or Names **W. J.** Reg. No. **132338**
 Rank **Pvt.** Unit **~~73rd Batt.~~ 134th Bn. Depot.** Troop **1st Que Regt.**
 Hospital **Moore Barracks 7 H. Etaples.** Date of Admission **20.4.16**
 Transferred **5-4-17** Hosp.

no 6 Convalescent Etaples Hosp. **10.4.17**
5 Can Fld. Amb. Hosp. **1.6.17**
1 Fld Amb. Hosp. **1.7.17**

Diagnosis **Tonsillitis**
 (1) **P.V.O. slt. aw.**
 Later Diagnosis (if changed)
 (2) **Tuberculosis aw.**
 (3) **Influenza J.P.**
 Additional Diagnoses: If more than one state present
G. Sw. L. hand. B.
Impetigo. b.
P.V.O. aw.

R.F.B. Killed in Action **27.9.18** at **Dis. 5.5.16**
Ch. 27.5.16 4/1 **to Base Det. 12.4.17**

REMARKS
R.F.B. Rej. unit 28.4.17
R.F.B. Rej. unit 18.6.17
Disch 28.9.17.
" 28.1.18.
Disc. to Duty. 8-7-18
Desto Unit. 17-9-18
A.M.D. 2 DEPT.
Beh. of D.G.M.S. O.M.F.C. London.
21-9-17 B.16-2
29.9.17 B23 (3)
19.12.17 691

R

649-C-14006

COTTON, Walter James, Pte. 132338, C.E.F. *13th Bn*

Medals & Dec. (Mother) Mrs. Gertrude Cotton, *with dis. from 14-15 Star*

*44 Warleigh Rd.
Brighton, Sussex.
Eng. 30¹⁰/23*

~~1524~~ ^A Chabot St.

~~Montreal,~~

~~P.O.~~

M

P & S. (Mother) Same as above.

(Ser. # 765739)

Memorial Cross (Mother) Same as above.

Not married.

Resp JUL 27 1920 (M.) C. 16295.

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M P/R. 8-9-22

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Number

132338

Rank

ptd
PRV

Surname

COTTON

Christian Name

Walter James

Units

13th Bn Cavalry Theatre of War France

Date of Service

19-6-16

Remarks

(M) Mrs. Gertrude Cotton

Latest Address

1524th Chapot St.

53049

Montreal, P.Q.

Roll No.

669 Henri Julien Ave. Montreal

BRC

200m. -6-21.

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TOTAL SERVICE WHERE AND HOW LONG DATE AND PLACE OF OR

DISEASE OR INJURY

OPERATIONS

RESULT OF OPERATIONS

(A) DATE OF ARRIVAL AT HOSPITAL AS AN ADMISSION

(B) AS A TRANSFER (STATE WHERE FROM)

NAME OF HOSPITAL

DATE OF DISCHARGE TO UNIT

DATE OF DISCHARGE AS AN INVALID

DATE OF DEATH

DATE OF TRANSFER (STATE WHERE FROM)

NAME OF HOSPITAL

OTHER INDEPENDENT CONDITIONS DIAGNOSED

NEXT OF KIN

HOSPITAL

ADDRESS

* CROSS OUT

DEPT	NO.
7320	

DESP. NO. 14190
 JAN 16 1923
 14190

[Handwritten signatures and scribbles]

M. F. W. 142.

1772-39-1171.

50m.-2-19.

✓ *Walter James* 25-C-5272

Name *COTTON* Rank *Pte* Reg. No. *132338*

Unit ~~*1st Bn. R. S.*~~ *13th C.R.H.C.* *Gertrude Cotton*

Next of Kin *Canada* *251 Fortune St. Law Montreal. Canada.*

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
1917						
11-12	<i>No. 14. B.L.A. Bathhouse.</i>	<i>Impatiago</i>	<i>B 91.</i>			
1918						
23-1	<i>Discharged</i>		<i>do</i>	<i>8</i>		<i>2679</i>
27-6	<i>4 C. 24</i>	<i>Camiers</i>	<i>P.V.O.</i>	<i>255</i>		<i>228414</i>
8-7	<i>4 in duty</i>		<i>do</i>	<i>266</i>		<i>2509-2</i>
1-4-18	<i>41 S.H. Amiens</i>	<i>Wianha</i>		<i>312</i>		<i>3444-6</i>
17-9-18	<i>Discharged - unit</i>	<i>do</i>		<i>317</i>		<i>4225-3</i>
27-9	<i>KILLED IN ACTION</i>			<i>337</i>	<i>4376</i>	<i>3892</i>
	<i>P.V.O. 125. H-10-18</i>					

MARRIED

SINGLE

WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING

Labourer.

RELIGION

yes. Church of England.

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE

18,

YEARS

3,

MONTHS

HEIGHT

5,

FEET

5 3/4.

INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT

36.

INCHES

EXPANSION

3,

INCHES

COMPLEXION

Fair.

EYES

Blue.

HAIR

Brown.

DISTINGUISHING MARKS

Nil.

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

PLACE

Montreal, P.Q.

DATE

Sept 8th 1915

27
9/18

SURNAME.

Cotton,

CARD NO.

CHRISTIAN NAMES

Walter James

FOLL.

R.H.

REGL. No.

132338,

RANK

Pte.

UNIT

73rd.

Bn.

FORMER CORPS

Nil.

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAMES IN FULL

Cotton, Mrs. Gertrude

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER

Mother.

ADD

S.A.C.

~~1559~~ Chabot St Montreal

1524^a

PQ

SSAOP 10-9-16

with letter 10/7/20

COUNTRY OF BIRTH

England. Hlsworth.

DATE

May 22nd / 1897.

PLACE OF ATTESTATION

Montreal. P.Q.

DATE

Sept 8th / 1915.

Sailed 31-3-16 "Adriatic" $\frac{362}{4}$

Halifax

No. 132338. RANK *Plt.*

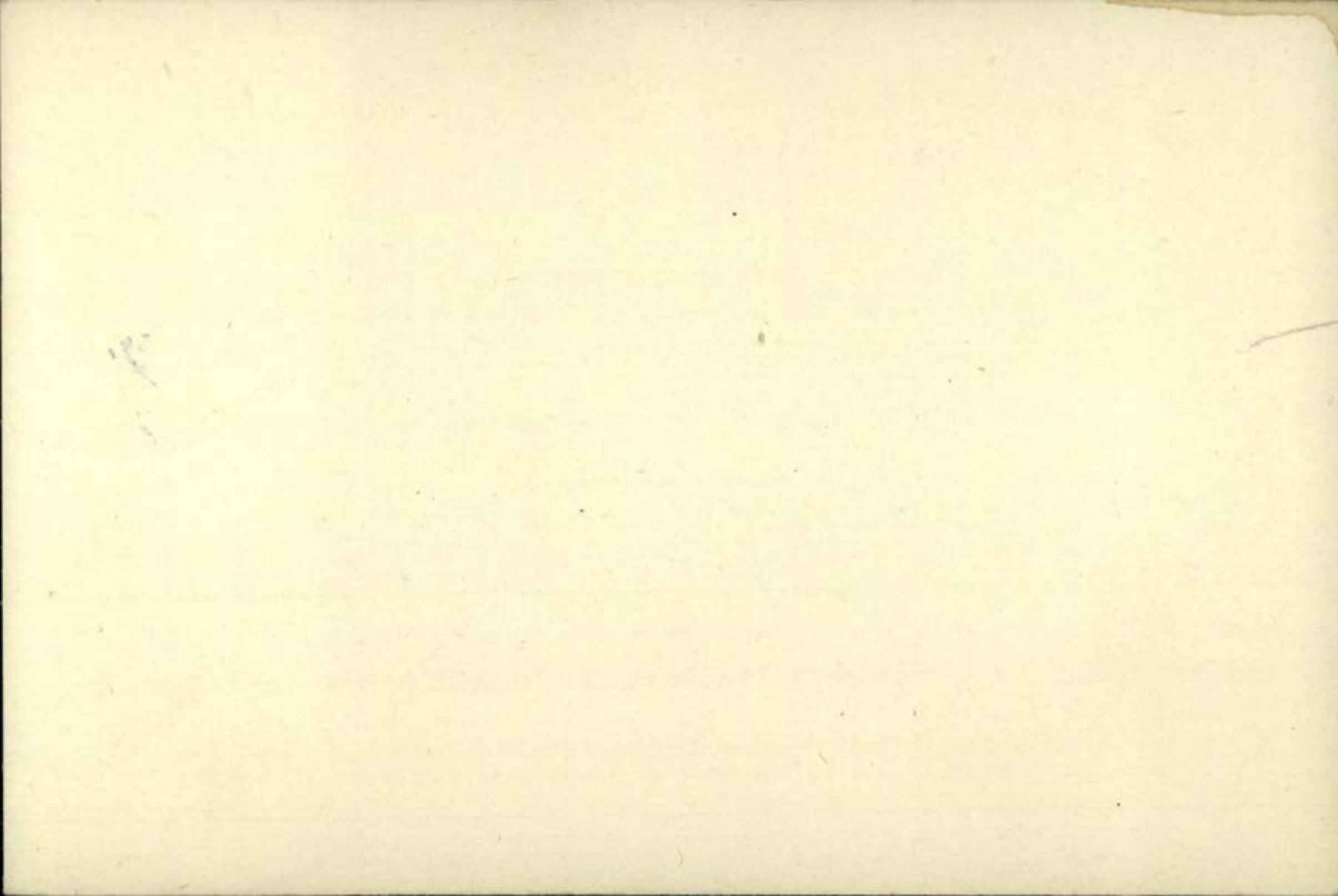
NAME *Cotton W. J.*

T. O. S. *8-9-15 (2834.)* UNIT *73rd. Battalion C. I. F.*
(8-9-15)

M. D. *4.*

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
<i>1915</i>	<i>1915</i>			
<i>Sept. 8.</i>	<i>Sept. 30.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Oct.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Nov.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Dec.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
<i>1916</i>	<i>1916</i>			
	<i>Jan.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Feb.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Mar.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Apr.</i>	<i>✓</i>		

**UNIT SAILED
MAR 31 1916**



Name *Cotton W. L.* Rank *Pte.* Reg. No. *132338*
 Unit *73 Batt to 13 Batt.*
 Next of Kin *Canada* *13th*

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
<i>1916</i> <i>20.4</i> <i>5.5.16</i>	<i>Moose Barr.</i> <i>Discharged</i>	<i>Tonsillitis</i> "	<i>4.</i> "	<i>B33</i>		
		<i>written 23/8</i>				

MOORE BARRACKS, CANADIAN HOSPITAL, SHORNCLIFFE.

ADMITTING CARD.

Regt. No. *132338.* A. & D. No. *13332*
Rank *Pte*
Name *Button, Walter J.*
Corps *73. R. Bact & Coy*
Religion *Copt* Age *19*
M. H. Rec'd M. H. Requested M. H Ret'd

Disease *Impetigo*
Admitted *19/4/16*

Discharged *MAY 5 - 1916* Discharged to Duty

Place in Hospital *7*

Transferred

Results

8/12 Montreal no no 410

REMARKS:

MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.	Orig. recd. from	73 Baw	MAY 7 - 1916	
	Dup. recd. from		/.../191	
	Orig. sent to		/.../191	
	Dup. sent to		/.../191	
	Received from Registrar this	Orig. Dup.		/.../191
			A. J. Dye	Ward 9

Farmer

Form DMS 1401

8289 100M 9/3/17.

ban bowst HOSPITAL.

A. & D.
CARD

F

AT Bromley.

A. & D. No. T 3304 PL. OF ACTION _____

RANK Pte. 132338 UNIT 13th Bn B60 SICK OR WOUNDED

NAME Bottom w. J. AGE 21. RELIGION C of E

PLACE IN HOSPITAL _____

DIAGNOSIS gsw. Left thumb

ADMITTED 18.9.17 FROM 4th Scottish Gren.

DISCHARGED 28/9/17 TO Seaford Glasgow.

TRANSFERRED _____

SERVICE AT HOME 10 months IN FIELD 14 months

RESULTS _____

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

19.8

(P.T.O.)

REMARKS.

ADMITTING CARD.



Regt. No. 132338. A. & D. No. 360.

Rank Pte

Name Cotton W.J.

Corps (3rd ccd.)

Religion CC

Age 21

M. H. Rec'd M. H. Requested M. H. Ret'd

Disease Impetigo Di

Admitted 1 0 DEC 1917

Discharged 2 3 JAN 1918 Di 3rd ccd

Place in Hospital 14.176/81.-70

Transferred

Results

27
12

110 P.T.O.

REMARKS:

Temp. from 3rd b.b.D. 10/12/17

MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.

Requested			
From	Date	Reply	Date
1 3rd b.b.D.	12/12/17	Sturckoff Sh. to 2ccs.	12/12/17
2 2nd b.b.D.	8/1/18	Orig Remitt.	10/1/18
3			
4			

Orig. Dup. Recd. from 2nd b.b.D. 12/1/1918

Orig. Dup. Sent to [Signature] 2/1/1918

Recd. from Repr. this Orig. Dup. / /19

Ward

Original Temp. Recd. 21 JAN 1918
A.C. Shannon

* Strite out which ever inapplicable.

ASSIGNED PAY.	ENGLAND or CANADA.	SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.	ENGLAND or CANADA.
EFFECTIVE DATE:- 1-10-16.		EFFECTIVE DATE:-	
AMOUNT:- \$20.		AMOUNT:-	

NAME:- COTTON, Walter James.
NUMBER:- 132338.

NAME, ADDRESS, RELATIONSHIP & AUTHORITY { WHEN PAYEE OF A.P. IS THE SAME AS PAYEE OF S.A. THE WORD "SAME" ONLY TO BE WRITTEN IN THIS SPACE.

Mrs. Gertrude Cotton,
1559 Chabot St.,
Montreal, P.Q. (Mother)

PARTICULARS OF RANK OR APPOINTMENT		
AUTHORITY	DATE EFFECTIVE	RANK OR APPOINTMENT
		<u>Pte.</u>

UNIT AND TRANSFERS

ORIGINAL UNIT:- 73rd Bn.
DATE ACCOUNT FIRST OPENED:- 1-5-16.

AUTHORITY	DATE EFFECTIVE	DATE LEDGER SHEET T'S P'D	UNIT TRANSFERRED TO
			<u>1st G.R.D.</u>
<u>53</u>	<u>6/5/18</u>	<u>1/6/18</u>	<u>13th Bn D</u>
	<u>11/10/18</u>	<u>21/10/18</u>	<u>76th D</u>

EXTRACTS FROM ACTIVE SERVICE PAY-BOOKS { UPON CLEARANCE OF VOUCHERS, ENTRIES WILL BE CANCELLED BY INSERTION OF DATE CHARGED IN RED INK

DATE OF PAYMENT	NUMBER OF A.R.	UNIT PAID BY	AMOUNT	DATE OF PAYMENT	NUMBER OF A.R.	UNIT PAID BY	AMOUNT

DAILY RATES OF PAY AND ALLOWANCES

AUTHORITY	PAY	F.A.	P.F.A.	SUBS'CE ALL'CE
	<u>1</u>	<u>10</u>		

PARTICULARS OF RENDERING NON-EFFECTIVE:-

MONTH	PARTICULARS	CR 1	CR 2	PARTICULARS	DR 1	DR 2	DR 3	DR 4	BALANCE	DEFERRED	SEPARATION
31.3.18	Bal. Fwd.								<u>2725</u>		
Apr.	PP.	<u>33</u>		ap.				<u>20</u>			
				AR 41-20 Res. 10.4.18	<u>973</u>						
				G4005/226 13 Bn 28.2.18	<u>61</u>				<u>2991</u>		
				100.115-24.4.18-20 Res.					<u>1451</u>		
				14 70.7 P.2. off 23.4.18.			<u>1540</u>		<u>1208</u>		
				AR 91 20th Res 24/4/18	<u>243</u>						
		<u>33</u>			<u>1287</u>	<u>1540</u>		<u>20</u>			
May	Can AP.							<u>20</u>	<u>792</u>		
	Discharge on 1st EFF 11/5/18 No 12320 Res	<u>610</u>							<u>132</u>		
	PP	<u>3410</u>		AR 272 20th Res 1/5/18	<u>243</u>				<u>375</u>		
				AR 351 1st Div 20/5/18	<u>446</u>				<u>3035</u>		
		<u>4070</u>			<u>689</u>			<u>20</u>	<u>2589</u>		
JUN	P. Pay.	<u>33</u>		Can AP				<u>20</u>	<u>3889</u>		
				LOR 70 14.10.13 Bn. May 1918	<u>55</u>				<u>3834</u>		
				AR 484 1st Bn 60th 5.6.18	<u>357</u>						
				" 604 5th Bn 60th 30.6.18	<u>446</u>				<u>3031</u>		
		<u>33</u>			<u>858</u>			<u>20</u>			
July	P. Pay	<u>3410</u>		Can AP				<u>20</u>	<u>4441</u>		
				AR 155 13th Bn 16.7.18	<u>357</u>						
				" 115 " 16.7.18	<u>446</u>				<u>3638</u>		
		<u>3410</u>			<u>803</u>			<u>20</u>			
Aug	P.P.	<u>3410</u>		Can AP				<u>20</u>	<u>5048</u>		
				AR 975 1st Bn 1/8/18	<u>357</u>				<u>4691</u>		
		<u>3410</u>			<u>357</u>			<u>20</u>			
Sept	P.P.	<u>33</u>		Can AP				<u>20</u>	<u>5991</u>		
				" 136 Bn. 19.9.14	<u>357</u>				<u>5634</u>		
		<u>33</u>			<u>357</u>			<u>20</u>			

NON EFFECTIVE ACT.

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TABLE II.—Only for admissions to Hospital or to the Sick List in 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				
Montreal, N.S.H. Gen. Hptl.	11	12	15	12	12	15	WA. Rt. Cheek	25	Improved. Pit.	C. R. Brune, C. R. B.
7 Can. Gen. Hospital	6	1	16	31	1	16	Otitis Media acute SY.		Pharyngitis Syringing, Gargles.	A635-641 (XV)
19.6 Can. Gen. Hospital	5	4	17	10	4	17	P.A.U. O. Slt.		Discharged to Base Det. Co.	A641-642-3 "
Military Hospital, Cambridge Road	19	8	17	24	8	17	G.S.W. hand L.	5	To Gen. Hosp., Bramley.	
CANADIAN CONVALESCENT HOSPITAL, BROMLEY, KENT.	19	9	17	28	9	17	DO	10	Cured discharged to Hosp. Ref. closed di.	Shammond
16.7.17	17	12	18	18	12	18	Impetigo	15	Cured by hummer's. Cured at home.	

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	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
19th SCOTTISH GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOBHILL, GLASGOW	19	8	17	24	8	17	G.S.W. hand R.	5	Gargles to both corners	J.M. Kelly
CANADIAN CONVALESCENT HOSPITAL, BROMLEY, KENT.	19	9	17	28	9	17	DO	10	Cured Class D.	W. H. Lewis