

17th Batty
6th Bde

ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. 49091

Folio.

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS).

22 2/2

1. What is your name? *Christie Nelson*
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born? *Montreal, P. Q.*
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin? *(mother) Mrs Nelson*
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin? *45 Drake St Cote St Paul Montreal*
5. What is the date of your birth? *28 May 1891*
6. What is your Trade or Calling? *Steam fitter*
- Are you married? *no*
- 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*

6th Bde

Christie Nelson (Signature of Man).
James A. [unclear] (Signature of Witness).

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, *Christie Nelson*, 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 *27th October* 1914. *Christie Nelson* (Signature of Recruit)
J. M. Hazell Sgt (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, *Christie Nelson*, 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 *27th October* 1914. *Christie Nelson* (Signature of Recruit)
J. M. Hazell Sgt (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 *Kingston, Ont.* this *28* day of *October* 1914.

[Signature] (Signature of Justice)

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

W. R. Rierdon Major (Approving Officer)

Description of Christie Nelson on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 22 years 5 months.
 (To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)

Weight 168
 Height 5 ft. 11 3/4 ins. 103/4

Chest measurement: Girth when fully expanded 39 ins.
 Range of expansion 5 ins. 4

Complexion Fair
 Eyes Blue
 Hair Light

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

Distinctive marks, and marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease.

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

Scar of operation for Varicella

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 27-10-1914

Place Newport

H. D. Paves Capt.
 Medical Officer.

*Insert here "fit" or "unfit."

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

CERTIFICATE OF OFFICER COMMANDING UNIT.

Christie Nelson 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.

W. R. Rierday Major (Signature of Officer)

Date Nov. 27th 1914.

DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS

M

R. O. No.

H. Q. No.

H

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- Proceedings of Court of Inquiry or on men reported Missing on Active Service.....
- Attestation Papers.....
- Declaration of change of name.....
- Authority for special enlistments.....
- Documents of re-enlisted men.....
- Regimental Conduct Sheet.....
- Compulsory Stoppages.....
- Casualty Forms.....
- Proceedings on discharge.....
- Corps History Sheet.....
- Date and No. of Deposit Receipt for Purchase Money and Amount.....
- Parchment Certificate.....
- Medical Report for Invalids.....
- Medical History Sheet.....
- Proceedings of Regt. Court Martial.....
- Copies of Convictions by Civil Power.....
- Company Conduct Sheet.....
- Clothing Transfer Certificate.....
- Inventory of Kit.....
- Last Pay Certificate.....

RHA

Name *Nelson Christie*

Regt. No. *86405* Rank *Priv.*

Corps *R.C.H. 9*

Died of wounds 21.11.16

Prints 2/1/16

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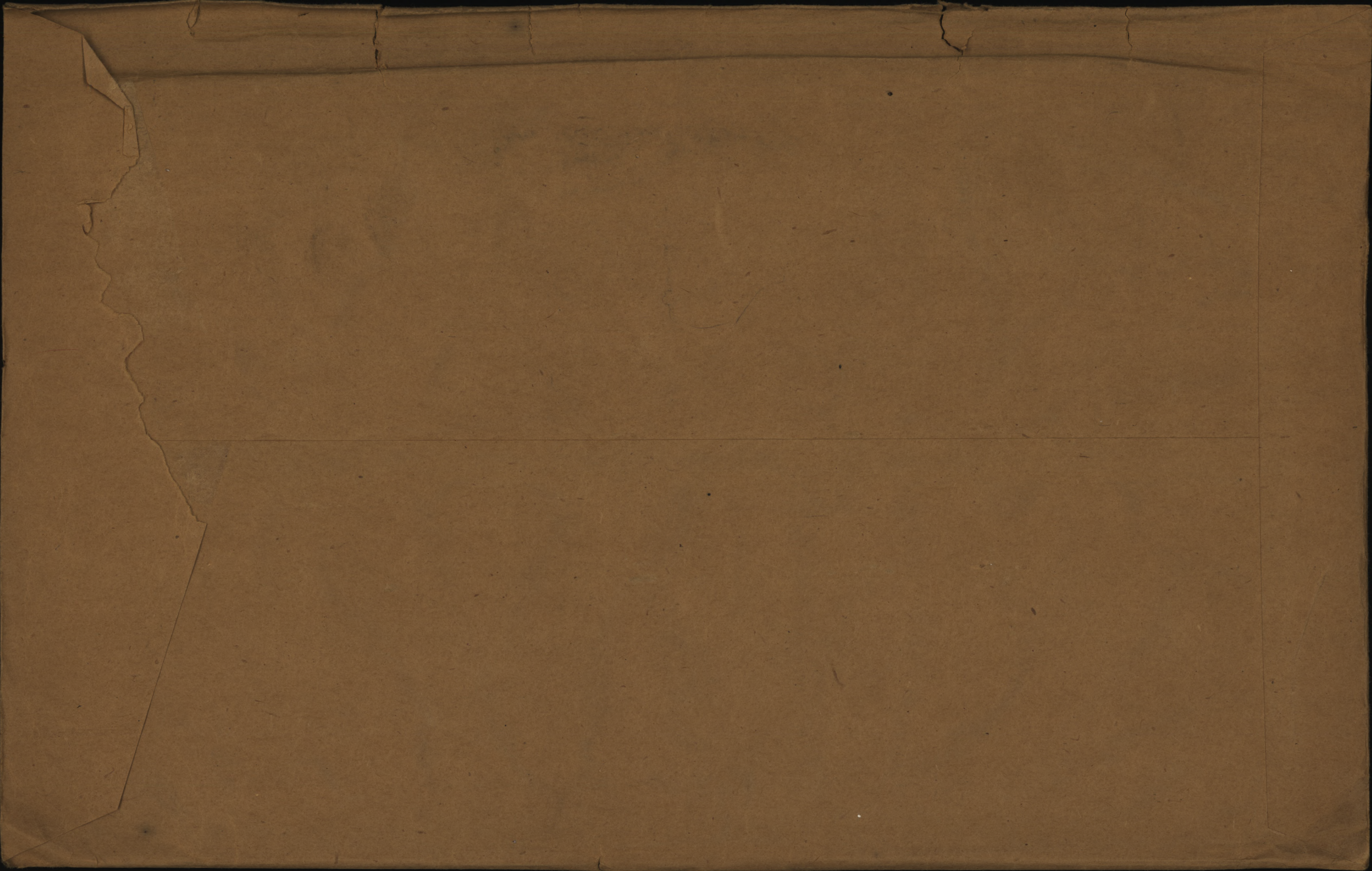
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CARD NO.

SURNAME. *Nelson*

CHRISTIAN NAMES *Christie*

FOLL.

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REGL. NO. ~~85388~~ *85405* RANK *Gnr.*

UNIT *22nd Bty, 6th Bde, (C.E.F.) C.I.A.*

FORMER CORPS

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAMES IN FULL *Nelson, Mrs.*

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER *Mother*

ADDRESS *45 Drake St, Cote St Paul,
Montreal, P.Q.*

COUNTRY OF BIRTH *Canada, Montreal*

DATE

PLACE OF ATTESTATION *Kingston*

DATE

Oct 27/14

O/S. 23-2-15. 49/10.

MARRIED

SINGLE

WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING

RELIGION

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE

YEARS

MONTHS

HEIGHT

FEET

INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT

INCHES

EXPANSION

INCHES

COMPLEXION

EYES

HAIR

DISTINGUISHING MARKS

MEDICAL EXAMINATION. PLACE

DATE

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was

B

Number..... *85405* Rank..... *a/cdr*

Surname..... *NELSON*

Christian Names..... *Christy*

Unit..... *P.C. H.A.* Theatre of War..... *France*

Dates of Service..... *19/1/16* *D*

Remarks.....

Latest Address..... *A. Nelson Esq (M)*
45 Drake St.

Roll No. *B. Page 1910* *Cote St-Paul*
Montreal P.Q.

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AUG 29 1921

DESP. OCT 25 1921

REBN. NO. 464682

NAME

RANK AND CORPS

REGT'L No.

CABLE

NO.

DATE

NATURE OF CASUALTY

Nelson Christie

A/Bombardier

85405

Royal Law. Horse Art.

C
(from 22nd Bty, 6th Bde)

04081	2-11-16	Adm. No. 11 General Hosp. Camiers October 23 rd 1916. (G.S.W. head, burns hand, severe) ✓
05097	20-11-16	Dangerously ill at No 11 General Hosp., Camiers, Nov. 19, 1916. (G.S.W. head) ✓
05335	23-11-16	Prev. rep. dang. wounded now Died of wounds at No. 11. Gen. Hosp. Camiers Nov. 22 nd 1916 G.S.W. head. ✓
A. FB	2090 ^a	Died of wounds received in action. No 11
Rouen	26-11-16	Gen Hosp
		France 21-11-16 (Rec'd 13-4-17)

LIST No.	HOSPITAL	DATE OF ADMISSION	REMARKS
a218	No 11 Gen., Carriers	23-10-16	GSW Head Burns L. Hand.
a225.	O.C. No 11 Gen., Carriers reports	19-11-16.	Dang. ill. (GSW. Head, Burns L. Hand.
a227	O.C. No 11 Gen., Carriers reports	22-11-16	Died of wounds (Prev. rep. dang ill) GSW Head sev.
		21-11-16	Date of death per L. a231

649-N-1192

R.C.H.A.

NELSON, Christie, A/Bomb. 85405. 22nd. Bty. 6 Bde. C.F.A.

*Not Eligible for 14-15 Star,
Medals & Dec. (Father)*

(Form)

M

A. Nelson, Esq.,
~~45 Drake St.,~~ R.R. # 4

~~Côte St. Paul, Sherbrooke
Montreal, P.Q.~~ *P.Q. 13/6/21*

Scroll Desp. **FEB 18 1921** Regn. No. *Z 20414*

Plaque Desp. **DEC 29 1921** Regn. No. *P 88710*

P & S.

(Father) A. Nelson, Esq.,
Address as above.

Serial No 780972

(M) DESPATCHED *11918* **APR 13 1921**

23027

Memorial Cross (Mother) Mrs. Caroline Nelson, R.R. # 4
Address as above.

Desp **SEP 16 1920**

(M) *Sherbrooke, Que.*
C 22992 *JA 5*

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Name *Nelson* ^{*Christie*} Rank *W. Pdr*

Reg. No. 85405.

Unit *Royal Canadian Horse Artillery*

Next of Kin *Canada.*

R.L.25.N.423

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
<i>1915.</i>						
<i>31.</i>	<i>5. The Dobson Relief Hosp.</i>	<i>Blackheath.</i>	<i>(not stated)</i>	<i>2.</i>		
<i>23-10.</i>	<i>No. 11. Gen. Hosp.</i>	<i>Camiers.</i>	<i>GSW. Head. Sev.</i>	<i>A.218.</i>	<i>O.4081.</i>	
<i>19-11</i>	<i>O.C. Reports</i>	<i>"DANGEROUSLY ILL."</i>		<i>A.225.</i>	<i>O.5097</i>	
<i>22-11.</i>	<i>DIED OF WOUNDS.</i>			<i>A.227.</i>	<i>O.5335</i>	
<i>Erratum. Correcting entry on D. Cd A227 to read date of death 21/11/16.</i>				<i>A 231.</i>		

Surname

Christian Name or Names

Reg. No.

Nelson G.
Rank *Gr.* Unit *F. B. D. A.*
Hospital

85405.

Troop Batty

Date of Admission

Transferred

Blackthorn - Relief
11 Gen. Carriers

Hosp. *31. 5. 15.*

Hosp. *20-10-16*

Hosp.

Hosp.

Diagnosis

G. S. W. Head Burns h. Hand sw.
H. G. D.

(1) Later Diagnosis (if changed)

(2)

(3)

Additional Diagnoses: If more than one state present

Died of Wounds. 22. 11. 16.
21. 11. 16

DISPOSITION

Date

6 L. 4. 6. 15.

O.C. Reports

Dang Ill. 19. 11. 16

REMARKS

c. L. 3-11-16 A 218
21. 11. 16 A 225
24. 11. 16 227
2. 12. 16 231

note correct date of Death

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

W. R.

EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

Hospital

Adm.

1.

2.

3.

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5.

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7.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps R. C. N. A.

OVERSEAS OFFICE,
Westminster House,
7, Millbank, S.W.

Regimental No. 85405 Rank Pl. Name Nelson, C.

Enlisted (a) 28 10/15 Terms of Service (a) War. Service reckons from (a) 28 7/11

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

Extended _____ Re-engaged _____ Qualification (b) _____

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 86, 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. 86, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				

Drafted to France January 1916.
L. Mac Laughlin MAJOR
G.S. 1ST REG. BATTY. G.F.A.

20-1-16 A.C. Com. Having arrived from Eng. Can. Base as reinforcement is taken as the strength of the...

<i>23 1/16</i>	<i>C.B.G.</i>	<i>Trans. "N.C."</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>23 1/16</i>	<i>101/B/3/199.</i>
<i>21.7.16</i>	<i>O.C. unit</i>	<i>appointed Troop of Bombardier</i>	<i>Field</i>	<i>18.5.16</i>	<i>B 213 2/18.7.16</i>
<i>27 10/16</i>	<i>do</i>	<i>To Hosp. Wounded</i>	<i>Not Stated</i>	<i>21 10/16</i>	<i>B213 D.C.S 167</i>
<i>28 10/16</i>	<i>38 Famb</i>	<i>adm + trans of SW lead</i>	<i>Col S</i>	<i>22 10/16</i>	<i>3936 D.C.L 168.</i>

(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. P.T.O.

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
16-11-16	10 General	Admitted N.Y.D.	10 General	16-11-16	W3034 199
22-11-16	11. Gen Hosp.	DIED OF WOUNDS. received in Action.	11 General.	21-11-16.	Death Report D115/6/16. Part 11 98 d/ 26-11-16
<p><i>Reese</i></p> <p>LIEUT. OFFICER in RECORDS CANADIAN SECTION G.H.Q. 3RD ECHELON</p>					

NAME NELSON, Christie

Regimental No. 85405 Name and address of next-of-kin R.C.I.A.
 Unit 6th. B dge. C.F.A. Mrs. Nelson. (Mother)
 Date of enlistment Oct. 27th. 1914 45 Drake St. Cote St. Paul
 Place of Birth Montreal Que Montreal. Canada.
 Married (yes or no) No Date and place discharged
 Amount of pay assigned monthly \$ Reason for discharge
 To whom payable Died of wounds. 27/11/16 Character on discharge Chapman 27/11/16

Entered on N.E. Card index
 Checked by *[Signature]*



Date		PAY			Field Allowance			Other Credits	Total Credits	Voucher		Cash Payments	Assigned pay	Other Charges	Total Debits	Balance	Remarks, Casualties, etc.		
From	To	No. of Days	Rate	Amount	No. of Days	Rate	Amount			No.	Date								
1 3/15	31 3/15	31	1.00	31.00	31	1.10	34.10		34.10			32.50			45	32.95	1.15	Sal for	
1/4/15	30/4/15	30	1.00	30.00	30	1.10	33.00		33.00					1.68	1.68	32.47		Admitted to Hospital 19/4/15	
1/5/15	31/5/15	31	1.00	31.00	31	1.10	34.10		34.10					4.34	4.34	62.23		Chg in error Credits in June	
1/6/15	30/6/15	30	1.00	30.00	30	1.10	33.00	2.24	35.24			96.50		84	97.34	-13		do Hop 15/4. disch 27/6/15	
1/7/15	31/7/15	31	1.00	31.00	31	1.10	34.10		34.10			34.00		86	34.00	-23		Final pay 2/6/15 & 15/6/15	
								4.35				163.50				4.58			Hospital Chg in error, credited in August
1/8/15	31/8/15	31	1.00	31.00	31	1.10	34.10	6.86	40.96			29.20			29.20	16.34		B. 6 ⁸⁶ Hosp: Stop debited in error apt. May 7 June	
1/9/15	30/9/15	30	1.00	30.00	30	1.10	33.00		33.00							49.34			
1/10/15	31/10/15	31	1.00	31.00	31	1.10	34.10		34.10			37.72			37.72	45.72			
	Nov	30		30.00	30		33.00		33.00			30.42			30.42	48.30			
1/12/15	31/12/15	31	1.00	31.00	31	1.10	34.10		34.10			63.24			63.24	19.13		Trans: Res Bdg. C.F.A. 31/12/15	
	Jan 31	31		31.00	31		33.00		34.10			5.24		28	5.24	47.71		clothing	
	Feb	29		29.00	29		29.00		31.90			5.28			5.28	44.38		Trans to R.B.K.A.	
	Mar.	31		31.00	31		31.00		34.10			5.22			5.22	103.26			

Statement of
 JUN 21 1917
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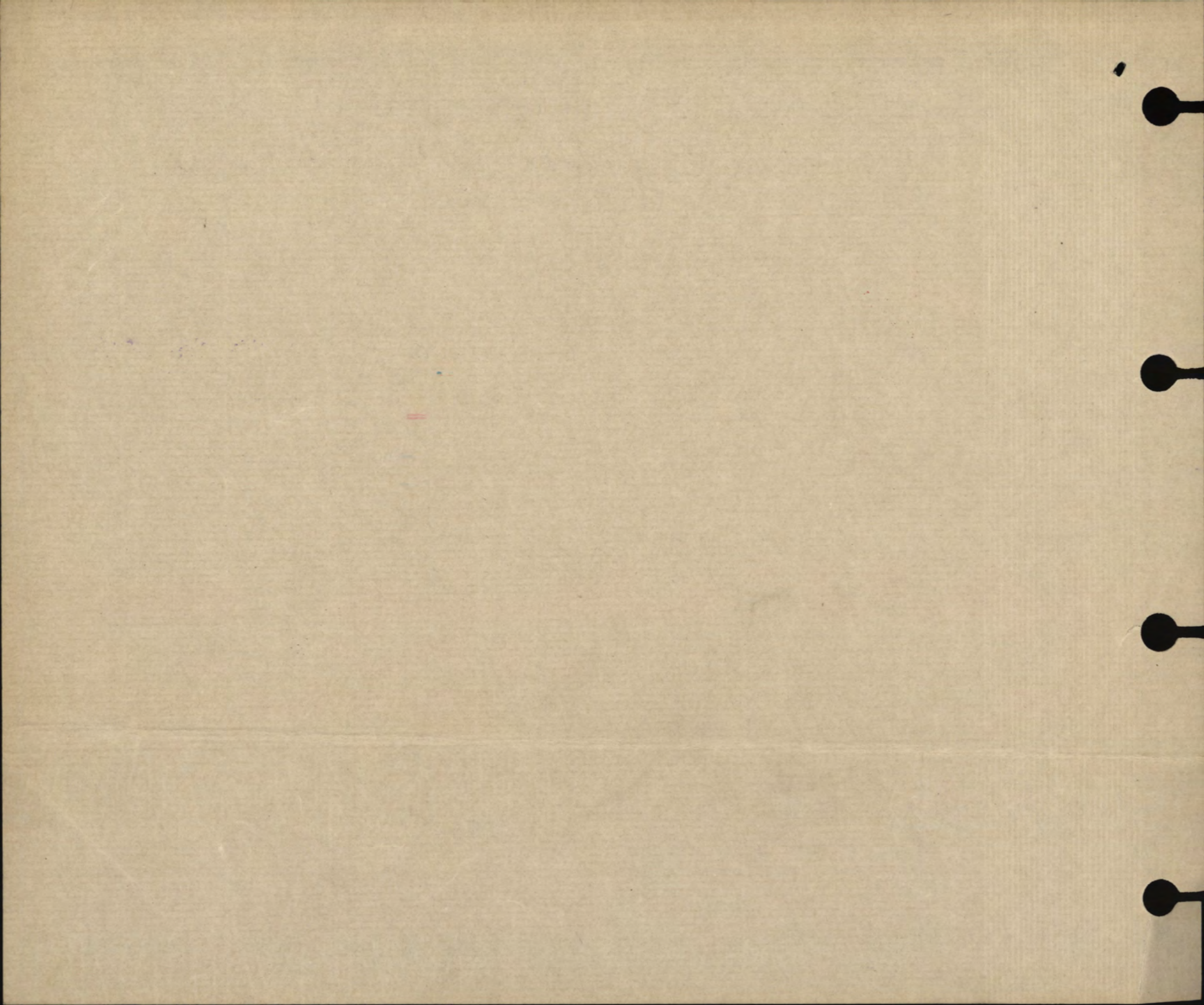
MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY
OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

To Whom *Mrs. L. Nelson* By Whom Assigned *Nelson, C.*
Address *45 Drake St.* Regtl. No. *85405.*
Cote St. Paul Rank *A. / Br.*
Montreal, Pa. Corps *A. C. H. A.*
Rate *\$ 150.⁰⁰/_{XX}*
Sched 218 18¹⁰/₁₆ PAYMENTS

SPECIAL REFERENCE

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.	REMARKS
Aug.	1914			
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1915 1916			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.		<i>P. 26169</i>	<i>150.00</i>	
Dec.				
Jan.	1916			
Feb.				
March				





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 Nelson Christian Name Christie

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish Montreal County P. Q.

Examined ... { on 27th day of October 1914.
at Montreal

Declared Age ... 22 years 5 months

Trade or Occupation ... Steam-fitter

Height ... 5 feet, 11³/₄ inches.

Weight ... 168 lbs.

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded. 39 inches.
Range of Expansion. 4 inches.

Physical Development ...

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

When Vaccinated ...

Vision ... { R.E.—V=
L.E.—V=

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease ... { (a) Operation scar for varicella.

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

Approved by (Signature) J. Y. Sparks
(Rank) Capt Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... { at Montreal
on 28th day of October 1914.

Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.
	<u>22nd Bally</u>	<u>85405</u>
Transferred to		

Became non-effective by ...

on _____ day of _____ 191 ____
(Signature) _____
(Rank) _____

Entries in Red Ink made from Attestation Sheets.

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

marks 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

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Docs

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

2 4/21

No.	Rank	Surname	Christian Names
85405.	a Bomb.	Nelson.	Christie, (S)

Address Mrs Caroline Nelson. (m)
R. R # 4 Sherbrooke.
P. Q.

*auth d. 29/3/21
letter H.A.H.*

10
Section
awards.

D-19
LHP.

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PROFESSION	EMPLOYEE OR MERCHANT	CLERICAL WORKER	

secs.

MAR 21 1921

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

No. 85405 Rank a/cmdr Surname Nelson Christian Names Christie (W.)

Address Mrs. C. Neilson (M)

R.F.D. # 4.

Sherbrooke. P.Q.

Auth: Letter ^{recd} of 18^{3/21}
G.P.A.T.

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Section

Awards

19.
LHP.

Rank and Name NELSON, Christie

Regimental No. 85405

Unit 6th Bgde, C.F.C.

Date of enlistment Oct 27th, 1914

Place of birth Montreal, Que.

Married (Yes or No) No

If in Permanent Force

Promotions or appointments

Name and Address of Next-of-kin

Mrs Nelson, (Mother)

45 Drake St. Cote St. Paul.
Montreal, Canada

Date and place of discharge

Reason for discharge

Character on discharge

Env 34326

Mr R. C. H. A.

M

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*M.I. 8 9 20
g.A.S.*

Agony

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				
8-4-15	OC. 6th Bde	Transf to R.C.H.A.	Stoncliffe	31-3-15	Part II orders #22. Para 64
15-6-15	W.O.	Adm ^{td} Tolson Relief Hosp	Blackheath	31-5-15	base sheet. 2
2-11-15	OC R Bde	Taken on SH 1 st Res Bty	Stoncliffe	1-11-15	PT II O 193
19-1-16	"	Struck off strength	"	"	"
		Transf to R.C.H.A. France	"	19-1-16	PT II O 16.
31-7-16	R.C.H.A.	Appointed A/Bombardier	In the field	18-5-16	PT II O 20.
3-11-16	"	Adm, No 11 General Hospital	Dannes Corniers	23-10-16	C.L.A 218 S.S.W Head. Burns Ref Hand Severe
21-11-16	"	Dangerous Ill	"	"	" A 225
24-11-16	"	DIED OF WOUNDS	"	21 C.L.A. 231 22-11-16	"
26-11-16	oe. "	DIED OF WOUNDS. Seemed in Action	In the field	21-11-16	Part II NO 98 of his made by date of casualties as of death 1-12-16

