

ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. 148619

Folio.

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS).

- 1. What is your surname? Smith
- 1a. What are your Christian names? William Henry
- 1b. What is your present address? 296, Kennedy St., Winnipeg
- 2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born? Pigeon Hill, Quebec
- 3. What is the name of your next-of-kin? Albert Smith
- 4. What is the address of your next-of-kin? Pigeon Hill, Quebec
- 4a. What is the relationship of your next-of-kin? Uncle
- 5. What is the date of your birth? 9th. November, 1886
- 6. What is your Trade or Calling? Engineer
- 7. Are you married? No
- 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated and inoculated? Yes
- 9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia? 100th. Winnipeg Grenadiers
- 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 } Yes
CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE? }

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, William Henry Smith, do solemnly declare that the above are answers made by me to the above questions and that they 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. H. Smith (Signature of Recruit)

Date December, 27th. 191 5

J. Morrison (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, William Henry Smith, 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. H. Smith (Signature of Recruit)

Date December, 27th. 191 5

J. Morrison (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 WINNIPEG, MAN this 27th day of Dec. 191 5

J. Morrison (Signature of Justice)

Description of William Henry Smith on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 28 years 8 months 10 ins.
 (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. 10 ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 38 ins.
 Range of expansion 3 ins.

Complexion Dark

Eyes Light Blue

Hair Brown

Religious denominations

Church of England Yes

Presbyterian

Methodist

Baptist or Congregationalist

Roman Catholic

Jewish

Other Denominations (Denomination to be stated)

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 declares that he is not subject to fits of any description.

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

Date 27th. December 1915

Place Winnipeg, Man.

J. D. Smith
 Capt & M.C.
 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.

William Henry Smith 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 27th. December 1915

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.....

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R149 -
cas card
R122 -*

M. F. W. 62.
50M.-9-16.
H. Q. 1772-30-935.

DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS

R. O. No.

H. Q. No.



Name *SMITH Wm HENRY*

Regt. No. *148619* Rank *Pte-*

Corps *78th Bn.*

Rec'd in A. 20. 11. 16

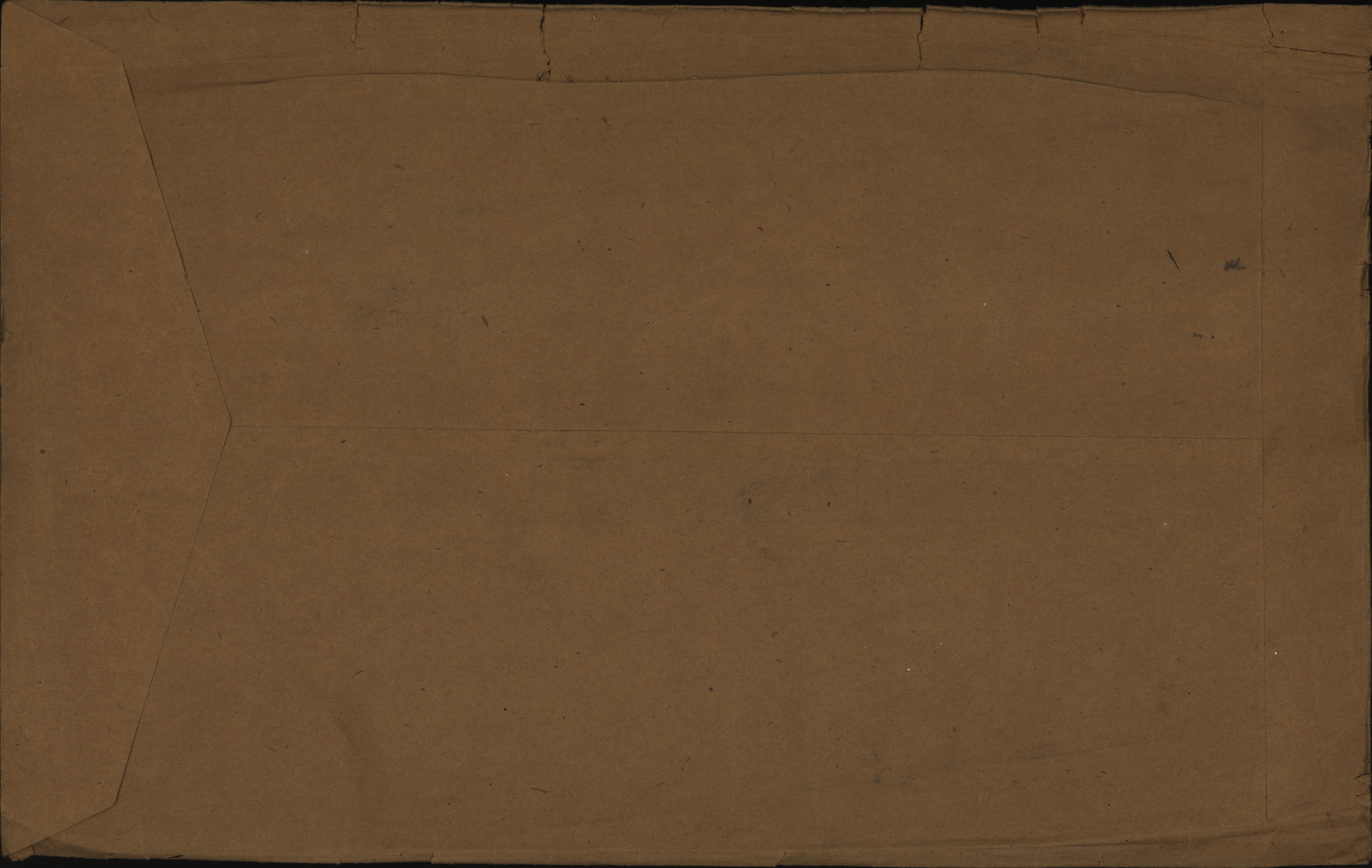


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1911



NAME

Smith, William Henry

(649-5-8966)

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RANK & No.

Pte.

148619

CORPS

7^gth

Batt.

ENLISTMENT, PLACE

Winnipeg, Man.

DATE

Dec. 27th, 1915

S.

FORMER CORPS

100th Wind Grenadiers

COUNTRY OF BIRTH

Canada

Pigeon Hill, P. Q.

NEXT OF KIN

Smith, Albert (Uncle)

ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

Pigeon Hill, P. Q.

DISCHARGE, PLACE

DATE

*Sailed from Halifax per S.S.
Empress of Britain 20-5-16*

M. F. W. 22. 100 m.--9-15.

H. Q. 1772-39-839.

REMARKS:



REG'T'L No 148619
H. Q. FILE No. 649-

NAME Smith William Henry
RANK AND CORPS Pvt 78th Br.

FOLLOWS No.
FOLLOWS

CABLE		NATURE OF CASUALTY
No.	DATE	
<u>05906</u>	<u>5-12-16</u>	<u>C. Killed in action Nov. 20th 1916. ✓</u>
<u>A. F. B 3090a</u>	<u>Nov 2-13-16</u>	<u>Killed in action in France Nov. 20th 1916. (dated 26-21?)</u>

LIST No

HOSPITAL

DATE OF
ADMISSION

REMARKS

975

Repprom Base

20-11-16

Killed in action

No 148619

RANK

Pte.

NAME

Smith, W.

H.

T. O. S. 27-12-15.

UNIT

78th Battalion.

D.O. 1151. 27-12-15

M. D. 10

PAID
FROMPAID
TOSIG.
OR
REC'T

PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.

PARTICULARS

AUTHORITY

1915

1915.

Dec. 27

Dec 31

✓

1916. Jan. 1916

✓

Feb.

✓

Mar.

✓

April

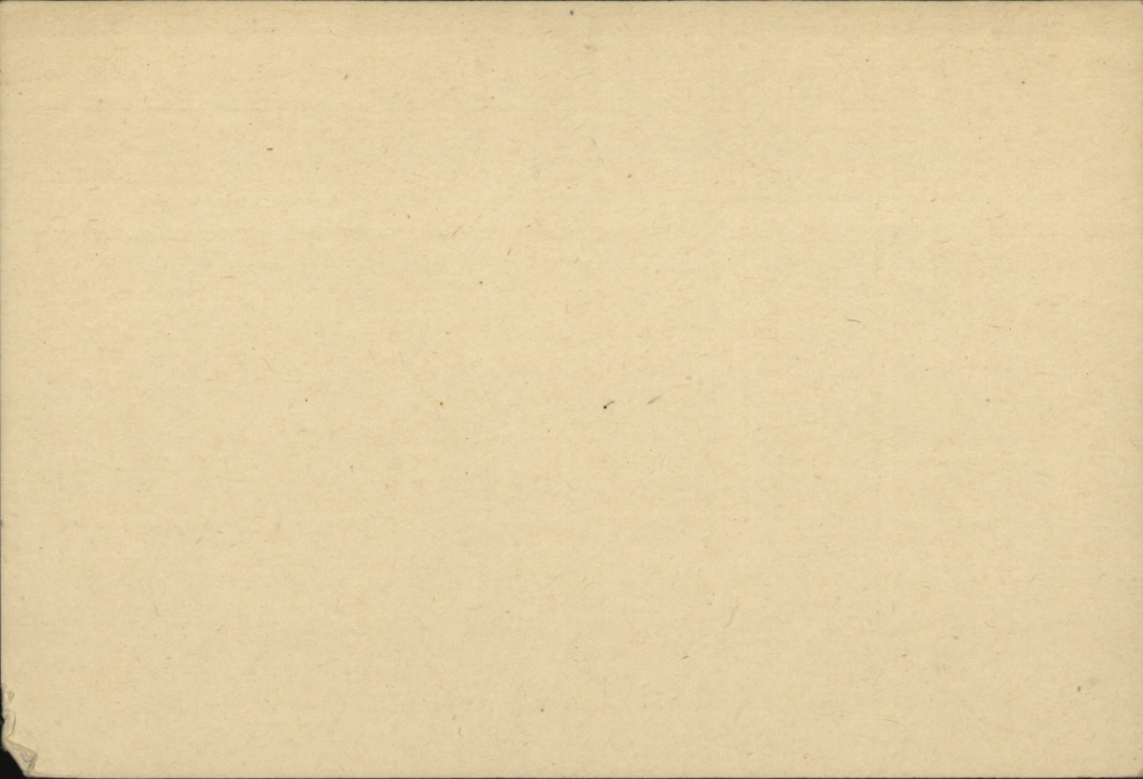
✓

May

✓

Absent 12 days. 10 days detention. B.O. 361 of 28/4/16.

UNIT SAILED
MAY 20 1916



HSB

Plc B

Number 148619 Rank

Surname SMITH

Christian Name William Henry

Units 78th Cav Inf Theatre of War France

Date of Service 12-8-16

Remarks Brother,

Latest Address Mr. Arthur Smith

40. Hamilton Douglas St.

Roll No. D Page 11680 R. M. D. No. 2

Bedford. P. 2.

DE

APR 6 1922

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49-S-8966

SMITH, Pte. W. H. # 148619 - 78th Bn

Med & D (Brother)

Arthur Smith,
c/o Hamilton Douglas, Esq.
R.M.D. No. 2
Bedford, P.Q.

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P & S (Brother)

See above

(Ser. # 797373)

Mem Cross (NIB) on Desp.

APR 6 - 1921

Reqn. No. 2-33529

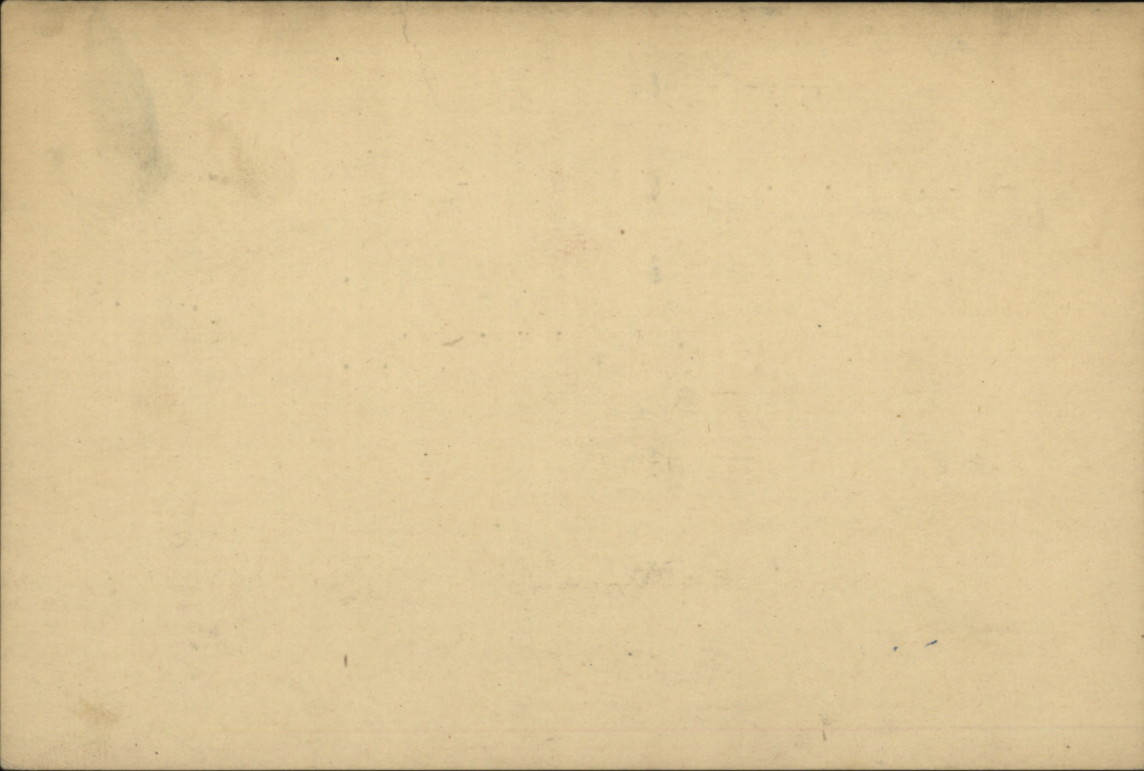
Not elig. for 4-15 Star
Elig. for v. m.

MAY 12 1922

Reqn. No. P37605

" " D.W.M.

B-



Surname
Smith
Rank
Plt
Hospital

Christian Name or Names
W. H.
Unit
78 Batt
Co.

Reg. No.
148619
Troop
Batty

Date of Admission

Transferred

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Diagnosis

(1)
Later Diagnosis (if changed)

(2)

(3)

Additional Diagnosis: if more than one state present

*Killed in action
Rps base 20-11-16*

DISPOSITION

Date

6-12-16 a75

REMARKS

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

EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

Hospital

Adm

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

6.

7.

CERTIFIED CORRECT.
1-SEP. 1916
CAN. RECORDS, LONDON.

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

M. F. W. 54.
130M., 10-15.
H.Q. 1772-39-922.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Unit, Regiment or Corps 78th OVERSEAS BATTALION C. E. F.
 Regimental No. 148619 Rank Pvt Name Smith, William Henry
 C. E. F. Avn
 Enlisted (a) 27/12/15 Terms of Service (a) _____ Service reckons from (a) 27/12/15
 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) Engineer

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 33, 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. 33, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked Canada Disembarked England	Halifax Liverpool	20-5-16 30-5-16	<i>J. J. Jones</i> ... Capt. & Adjt. 78th. Battalion, C. E. F. B. 213. CR. 43. Pt II D. 119. d/- 2. 12. 16. captain for Lt. Col. d. A. G. Canadian section
		Proceeded for Service Overseas	<i>Southern</i>	12-8-16	
<i>15. 11. 16.</i>	<i>78. Batt.</i>	Disembarked France <i>killed in Action</i>	Havre <i>Fuld.</i>	13-8-1916 20. 11. 16.	

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

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Date	From whom received				

C.T. Rank **SMITH William Henry** ✓ Reg'l No. **148619** ✓
 Unit **78TH BN** If in perm. Corps, }
 What Unit? } Married or Single *Single*
 Place and Date of Enlistment **27.12.15. Winnipeg, Man.** Place of Birth *Pigeon Hill, Quebec.*
 Name and Address, Next-of-Kin *Albert Smith, Pigeon Hill, Quebec.*
 Relationship *Uncle*
 Assigned Pay Monthly \$ Payable to
 Relationship
 Separation Allowance \$ Payable to
 Relationship
 Discharge, Date and Place Reason Character

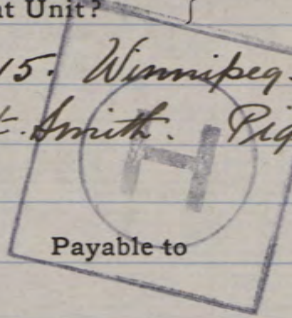
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Report.		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place.	Date.	REMARKS.
Date.	From whom received.				
		<i>Arrived in England.</i>		<i>29 MAY 1916</i>	<i>SS Empress of Britain</i>
<i>20 SEP 1916</i>	<i>78th.</i>	<i>Embarked For France</i>	<i>Bramshott</i>	<i>12-8-16</i>	<i>Pt. 11, D. O. 74.7</i>
<i>2. 12. 16</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>S.O.S. Killed in action</i>	<i>Field</i>	<i>20. 11. 16</i>	<i>Pt. II D.O. 119.</i>
<i>6. 12. 16</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>Rep'd from Base. Killed in action</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>20. 11. 16</i>	<i>D.C.L. A. 75</i>

W.A.
A.F.D. 103 CHECKED
28 AUG. 1916
J.B.4

N/E. R.B. NO. *10*
 File R.L. *R25-5-2463.*
 Category *KA*

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MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.

Surname Smith Christian Name Williams Henry

Examined { on 27th day of December 1915
 at Winnipeg, Man
 Birthplace { City or Town Pigion Hill
 County Ouelles
 Apparent age 28
 Trade or occupation Engineer
 Height 5 Feet 10 Inches.
 Weight 145 Lbs.
 Chest measurement { Minimum 35 inches.
 Maximum expansion 38 inches.
 Physical development Good
 Small-Pox Marks

Approved by J. J. [Signature]
Cap [Signature]
 Rank _____ M.O.

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

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right Left X
 Number One
 When Vaccinated last childhood
 (a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease _____

Date	Result	VACCINATIONS.	
<u>13/1/16</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>J. Reake</u>	M.O.
			M.O.
			M.O.

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

Date	Result	ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.	
<u>13/1/16</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>J. Reake</u>	M.O.
<u>2/2/16</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>J. Reake</u>	M.O.
<u>5/7/16</u>	<u>TAB</u>	<u>J. Reake</u>	M.O.

Enlisted on 27th day of December 1915 at Winnipeg, Man

	CORPS.	REG'TL NUMBER.	RANKS.	DATE.
Joined on enlistment	<u>78 Batts.</u>	<u>148619</u>		<u>27 December, 1915</u>
Transferred to.. ..				

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.

MARRIED OR SINGLE

PLACE OF BIRTH

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

RELATIONSHIP OF NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

RELATIONSHIP OF NEXT OF KIN

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE MONTHLY \$ EFFECTIVE (DATE)

PAYABLE TO

RELATIONSHIP OF DEPENDANT

CASUALTIES, PROMOTIONS, &c.

Table with columns: PARTICULARS, EFFECTIVE DATE, AUTHORITY. Includes handwritten entry: Killed in action 20-11-16.

ADMISSIONS TO HOSPITAL, &c.

Table with columns: DATE ADMITTED, DATE DISCHARGED, V. OR A., NAME OF HOSPITAL.

REG'L. NO. 148619 RANK Pte

NAME Smith

IF IN PERM. CORPS WHAT UNIT

UNIT 781Bn

TRANSFERRED TO

Non-Eff. B.

DATE 21-11-16

AUTHORITY

PERMANENT FORCE ALLOWANCES

TRANSFERRED TO

DATE

AUTHORITY

PLACE OF ATTESTATION

Winnipeg

TRANSFERRED TO

DATE

AUTHORITY

DATE OF ATTESTATION

27-12-15

TRANSFERRED TO

DATE

AUTHORITY

ASSIGNED PAY MONTHLY \$

DATE EFFECTIVE

PAYABLE TO

RELATIONSHIP

ASSIGNED PAY MONTHLY \$

DATE EFFECTIVE

PAYABLE TO

RELATIONSHIP

STOP-PAYMENT FORM (ASSIGNED PAY) RENDERED (DATE)

EFFECTIVE

REASON

DISCHARGE DATE AND PLACE

REASON AND AUTHORITY

ACCOUNT TRANSFERRED TO NON-EFFECTIVE BRANCH (DATE) 21-11-16.

ACCOUNT TRANSFERRED TO OFFICERS' PAY BRANCH (DATE)

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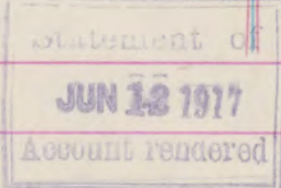
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Main pay statement table with columns: DATE, PAY (No. of days, Rate, Amount), FIELD ALLOWANCE, WORKING OR SPECIAL PAY, ASSIGNED PAY CREDITS, OTHER CREDITS, TOTAL CREDITS, ACQUITTANCE ROLLS (1-4), CASH PAYMENTS (1-4), ASSIGNED PAY, OTHER CHARGES, TOTAL DEBITS, BALANCE (CREDIT, DEBIT), PAY WITHHELD OR DEFERRED, PAY AVAILABLE FOR ISSUE, REMARKS.



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