

5. Classification for service, or proficiency pay Class _____

6. Campaigns, Medals and Decorations

Home s b 15 to 9-2-16

7. His accounts are correctly balanced, and I have impartially inquired into all matters brought before me in accordance with regulations.

(Place) *Halton Campobest* _____ *W B R Adams* ^{Major} _____
 (Date) *9 AUG 1916* _____ Commanding *Comm'dg 3/1 SHEFOLK YEOMANNY* _____
Regiment

8. Certificate to be signed by the soldier on discharge.

I hereby acknowledge that I have received all my PAY and ALLOWANCES, and all just demands up to the present date, subject to the reservations of the claims noted on the 3rd page.

(Place) *Halton Campobest* _____ *Pte Synnoder* (Signature of Soldier.)
 (Date) *9 AUG 1916* _____ *W J Spelard* (Signature of Witness.)

(When a soldier is absent through illness or any other cause, and it is not desirable to forward these proceedings to him for signature, a manuscript copy should be sent for the man to sign, and when returned should be attached here.)

9. Additional certificate in the case of a soldier who takes his discharge at his own request.

I hereby declare that I do of my own free will request to be discharged from His Majesty's Service.

_____ (Signature of Soldier.)

10. Statement of service.

Service towards engagement to *9 AUG 1916* (the date to which the record of service is completed) *1* years *68* days.

Further service " " _____ (the date of confirmation of discharge) " "

Total .. *1* .. *68* ..

11. Confirmation of discharge.

The discharge of the above-named man is hereby confirmed for *9-2-16* (date) _____

(Place) *Warley* _____ Signature *P. Lovell* ^{Major} _____
 (Date) *28 JUL 1916* _____ **Asst. Officer T F. Records.**

Commanding officers (or the Paymaster, if at Netley) will issue to every discharged soldier whose claim to pension, on account of disability, is to be brought under the consideration of the Chelsea Board, a memorandum for his guidance on Army Form D. 401, and will at the same time transmit to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, a descriptive return of the man on Army Form D. 400.

12. Chelsea decision.

RESERV

(To be signed by the soldier.)

Pte

Adm. to Pension 10-8-16
 Rank PLC Regimental No. 2157
 Name Raymond Synonds
 Regiment Suffolk Yeomanry T.F.
 Discharge 9-8-16
 on commencement of Pension 24
 Grade Farmer
 Address Shakerland, Badwell Ash, Suffolk.
 Character Very good Badges 11
 Medals ✓
 Place of Birth Badwell Suffolk

Chelsea Number

34193
E

Pension District

BOARD'S DECISION (Pension per week)

R. *Date 2/13/17* *Sent to Rmt? 13/17* *60p*

Children's Allowance per week

Names of Children.	Dates of Birth of Children.

Separation Allowance paid to

Service	Former Corps	Class for Pension.						Total.
		Wt.	I.	II.	III.	IV.	V.	
								<u>1 3/12</u>

Foreign Service.

	Y.	M.
India		
France		
Mediterranean Expeditionary Force		
Egypt		
South Africa		
	<u>nil</u>	

Date of Enlistment 5-6-15
 Date of Mobilization

A.F. D400 and D453 Issued.

Cause of Discharge Medically unfit - Mental Deficiency
 Report of Medical Board (dated 23-7-16)

Mental condition much below normal. Not result of or aggravated by Service. Permanent. No incapacity.

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 Symonds Christian Name Raymond

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace .. Parish Badwell County Suffolk

Examined { on 3rd day of June 1915.
 { at Bury St Edmunds

Declared Age Twenty three years days.

Trade or Occupation Farmer

Height 5 feet, 8 1/2 inches.

Weight lbs.

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded 35 1/2 inches.
 { Range of Expansion 3 inches.

Physical Development Good

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right Left
 { Number

When Vaccinated In childhood

Vision { R.E.—V= 1/6
 { L.E.—V= 1/6

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

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

Approved by .. (Signature) [Signature]
 (Rank) Capt R.A.M.S. Medical Officer.

Enlisted { at Bury St Edmunds
 { on day of 191 .. .

Corps	Regtl. No.
<u>3/1 SUFF. YEs.</u>	<u>2157</u>

Joined on Enlistment

Transferred to

Became non-effective by discharge under para 392 xvi 1915
 on day of 9 AUG 1916 191 .. .
 (Signature) [Signature]
 (Rank) Capt Commdg. 3/1 SUFFOLK YEOMANRY.

Table II.—Only for Admissions to Hospital or to the Sick List in the case of War

Name of Hospital	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number of days in Hospital	Remarks bearing on the cause, nature, or treatment. In case of syphilis, admissions and residence program, including particulars of treatment special syphilis case sheet.
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year			
<i>Cocheater Mil. H</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>Diphtheria</i>	<i>38</i>	
<i>to Isolation, Myland</i>									
<i>Cocheater Mil. H</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>Convalescent</i>	<i>2</i>	

22-500 9/16 E W V (K) 9/Gen. No. 1975
 (This slip should be attached to the front page of Army Form E. 501 and Army Form E. 501a before issue to the intending Recruit.)
 Note.
 Attention is drawn to paragraph 4 of Army Order 399 of 1914, which provides that every man who enlists into the Territorial Force during the period of the War will be allowed to claim a free discharge at the end of the War.
 Men claiming their discharge under this provision will be discharged with all convenient speed. If employed with a Hospital, the Depot of a Mounted Unit or as a Clerk, &c., it may be necessary to retain a man after the termination of hostilities until his services can be spared, but the period of such retention will in no case exceed six months.
 Question 2 on the Attestation Paper (Army Form E. 501) should accordingly be read with this provision in view.

4 years' Service in the United Kingdom.

ATTESTATION OF

No. 2157 Name Raymond Symonds Corps 3/1. Suff. Yeo

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your Name and Address?..... 1. Raymond Symonds
Badwell Ash
nr. Bury St Edmunds
2. Are you willing to be attested for service in the Territorial Force for the term of 4 years (provided His Majesty should so long require your services) for the County of Suffolk to serve in the 3/1. Suff. Yeo?..... 2. Yes
3. Have you received a notice stating the liabilities you are incurring by enlisting, and do you understand them?..... 3. Yes
4. Do you now belong to, or have you ever served in the Royal Navy, the Army, the Royal Marines, the Militia, the Special Reserve, the Territorial Force, the Imperial Yeomanry, the Volunteers, the Army Reserve, the Militia Reserve, or any Naval Reserve Force? If so, state which unit, and, if discharged, cause of discharge..... 4. No
5. Are you a British Subject?..... 5. Yes

Under the provisions of Sections 13 and 99 of the Army Act, if a person knowingly makes a false answer to any question contained in the attestation paper, he renders himself liable to punishment.

I, Raymond Symonds 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 made.

Raymond Symonds SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
F.C. Rose Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Raymond Symonds swear by Almighty God, 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, according to the conditions of my service.

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

I, J. H. Mee do hereby certify, that, in my presence, all the foregoing Questions were put to the Recruit above named, that the Answers written opposite to them are those which he gave to me, and that he has made and signed the Declaration, and taken the oath at Bury St Eds. on this 3rd day of June 1915 J. H. Mee Justice of the Peace { Signature of Justice of the Peace, Officer, or other person authorized to attest Recruitment.
3/1. Suff. Yeo

If any alteration is required on this page of the Attestation, a Justice of the Peace should be requested to make it and initial the alteration under Section 99 (6), Army Act.
 The Recruit should, if he requires it, receive a copy of the Declaration on Army Form E. 501a.
 * Here insert County. † Here insert Corps.

The entries on this page only require to be made from time to time as they occur.
STATEMENT of the SERVICES of No. 2157 Name Raymond Symonds
Showing preliminary training, other special courses of training, Annual Training, † and when mobilized, etc.

The entries on this page only
No. 2157 N

MILITARY

1. Service.

Place	From
<u>Home</u>	<u>3/6/15</u>

Corps	Unit	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Rank	From	To	Signature of Officers certifying correctness of Entries
Service towards engagement reckons from <u>1915</u>						
<u>Suffolk</u>	<u>4 Co</u>	<u>3/1</u>	<u>Embarked Private</u>	<u>3/6/15</u>	<u>9 8 16</u>	<u>Major</u> <u>3/1 Suff' Yeo</u>

2. Passed classes of Instruction† ...
*This includes any authorized class of instruction
3. Campaigns (including medals and decorations) ...
4. Wounded ...
5. Effects of wounds
6. Special instances of gallant conduct and mentions in public despatches
7. Annuities ...
8. Injuries in or by the Service ...
9. Name and address of next of kin ...

Total service towards engagement in the Territorial Force to 9 8 16 (date of discharge) 1 years 68 days.

CHARACTER

Discharged in consequence of being no longer physically fit for War Service
para 302 WT & R

The discharge of the above-named man is hereby approved.

Station Warley Signature Major
Asst. Officer T.F. Records
WARLEY.

Date 9 8 1916.

† In the case of Annual Training it will be sufficient to state if "Present," or "Absent" and the year.

... time to time as they occur.

Raymond Symonds

(Training,† and when mobilized, etc.)

The entries on this page only require to be made from time to time as they occur.

No. 2157 Name Raymond Symonds

MILITARY HISTORY SHEET.

1. Service.

Place	From	To	Years	Days
<i>Home</i>	<i>3/6/15</i>	<i>9-8-16</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>68</i>

*1/5 9-8-16/11/14 Major
3/1 Suff. Geo.*

Initials of Officer making the entry

2. Passed classes of Instruction† ...
(This includes any authorized class of instruction)

Home 3 6 15 to 9-8-16

3. Campaigns (including medals and decorations) ...

4. Wounded ...

5. Effects of wounds

6. Special instances of gallant conduct and mentions in public despatches ...

7. Annuities ...

8. Injuries in or by the Service ...

9. Name and address of next of kin ...

*Father
Spencer Symonds
Bedwell Ash
nr. Bury St Edmunds*

NA

8-16 (date of) CHARACTER

Widow to War Service

Major,
Asst. Officer T.F. Records
WARLEY.

† or "Abent" and the year.

Description of Raymond Symonds on Enlistment. 2157

MEDICAL INSPECTION REPORT.
(Applicable to all Ranks.)

Name Raymond Symonds
 Apparent age Twentythree years _____ months.
 Height 5 feet 8 1/2 inches.
 *Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 35 1/2 inches.
 Range of expansion _____ inches.
 Vision R 4/6 L 6/6
 Physical development Good

*Chest measurement will be obtained by adjusting the tape so that its posterior upper edge touches the inferior angles of the shoulder blades, and its anterior lower edge the upper part of the nipples, while the arms hang loosely by the side.

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. 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; he does not suffer from hernia; and declares that he is not subject to fits of any description.

I consider him * fit for the Territorial Force.
 Date June 3rd 1915. Richard J. [unclear] Capt R.A.M.C.
 Place Bury St Edmunds. 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 Primary Military Examination.

I hereby certify that the above-named Recruit was inspected by me, and I consider him * fit for service in the † 3/1 Buff Yeo. and that due care has been exercised in his enlistment.

Date 3. June 1915. H. Moore Major } Recruiting Officer.
 Place Bury St Edmunds. Commdg 3/1 Buff Yeo. }
 * Insert here "fit" or "unfit." † Insert the "Regiment" or "Corps."

* Certificate of Approving Officer.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the † 3/1 Buff Yeo.
 If enlisted by special authority, Army Form B. 203 (or other authority for the enlistment) will be attached to the original attestation.

Date 3. June 1915 H. Moore Major } Approving Officer.
 Place Bury St Edmunds. Commdg 3/1 Buff Yeo. }

* The signature of the Approving Officer is to be affixed in the presence of the Recruit.
 † Here insert the "Corps" for which the Recruit has been enlisted.