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Army Form B. 2055.

SHORT SERVICE.

(Three years with the Colours.)

ATTESTATION OF

No. 1553 Name Charles Edward Redit Corps R.F.C.

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your Name? Charles Edward Redit
2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? St. Andrew's, in or near the Town of Bury, Suffolk
3. Are you a British Subject? Yes
4. What is your Age? 34 Years
5. What is your Trade or Calling? Shoering Smith
6. Have you resided out of your Father's house for three years, continuously in the same place, or occupied a house or land of the yearly value of £10 for one year, and paid rates for the same, and, in either case, if so, state where? Yes
7. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? if so, where? to whom? for what period? and, when did, or will, the period of your apprenticeship expire? No
8. Are you Married? No
9. Have you ever been sentenced to imprisonment by the Civil Power? No
10. Do you now belong to the Royal Navy, the Army, the Royal Marines, the Militia, the Special Reserve, the Territorial Force, the Army Reserve, the Militia Reserve, or any Naval Reserve Force? If so, to what unit and Corps? No
11. 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 cause of discharge. No
12. Have you truly stated the whole, if any, of your previous Service? Yes
13. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for the Military or Naval Service of the Crown? If so, on what grounds? No
14. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? Yes
15. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? Yes
16. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, who gave it to you? Yes Name W. J. King Corps R.F.C.
17. Are you willing to serve upon the following conditions provided His Majesty should so long require your services?
For a term of three years, unless War lasts longer than three years, in which case you will be retained until the War is over. If employed with Hospitals, Depots of Mounted Units, and as Clerks, you may be retained after the termination of hostilities until your services can be spared, but such retention shall in no case exceed six months. If however, the War is over in less than three years, you will be discharged with all conveniences.

Yes

Charles Edward Redit 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.

Charles Edward Redit SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

Alfred J. Brown Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.
Charles Edward Redit 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, and will observe and obey all orders of His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, and of the Generals and Officers set over me. So help me God.

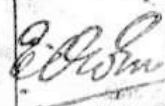
CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.
The Recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.
The above questions were then read to the recruit in my presence.
I have taken care 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 LONDON on this day of 30 OCT 1914.

Signature of the Justice E. J. Cantwell
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 8 (G), Army Act.
The Recruit should, if he requires it, receive a copy of the Declaration on Army Form B. 2055a.

possible, the Certificate of Discharge and Certificate of Character, which should be returned to him immediately on receipt of his form.

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STATEMENT of the SERVICES of No. 15630 Name Charles Ed. Redt

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon towards rate of Pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of Entries
					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>3-10-14</u>									 MAJOR R.F. REDT COMMDG. 20th RESERVE BATTERY, R.I.
Joined at <u>Woolwich</u> on <u>4-10-14</u>									
<u>R.F.A.</u>	<u>4th Depot</u>	<u>Attached & posted</u>	<u>4th</u>	<u>3-10-14</u>					
<u>R.F.A.</u>	<u>9th Div</u>	<u>Artillery Police</u>	<u>9th</u>	<u>30-10-14</u>					
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days									
" " " Pension " _____ (") _____ " _____ "									

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SHORT SERVICE.
(Three years with the Colours.)

ATTESTATION OF

No. 15530 Name Charles Ed Redit Corps R.F.A.

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your Name? Charles Edward Redit
2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? Badwell Ash, Suffolk
3. Are you a British Subject? Yes
4. What is your Age? 39 Years 5 Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? Shaving Smith
6. Have you resided out of your Father's house for three years, continuously in the same place, or occupied a house or land of the yearly value of £10 for one year, and paid rates for the same, and, in either case, if so, state where? Yes
7. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where? No
8. Are you Married? Yes
9. Have you ever been sentenced to imprisonment by the Civil Power? No
10. Do you now belong to the Royal Navy, the Army, the Royal Marines, the Militia, the Special Reserve, the Territorial Force, the Army Reserve, the Militia Reserve, or any Naval Reserve Force? If so, to what unit and Corps? No
11. 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 cause of discharge. No
12. Have you truly stated the whole, if any, of your previous Service? Yes
13. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for the Military or Naval Forces of the Crown? If so, on what grounds? No
14. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? Yes
15. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? Yes
16. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? Yes Name W. J. KING Corps R.F.A.
17. Are you willing to serve upon the following conditions provided His Majesty should so long require your services? Yes

For a term of three years, unless War lasts longer than three years, in which case you will be retained until the War is over. If employed with Hospitals, depots of Mounted Units, and as Clerks, etc., you may be retained after the termination of hostilities until your services can be spared, but such retention shall in no case exceed six months. If however, the War is over in less than three years, you will be discharged with all convenient speed.

I, Charles Edward Redit 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.

Charles Edward Redit SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
Alfred Brown Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Charles Edward Redit 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, and will observe and obey all orders of His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, and of the Generals and Officers set over me. So help me God.

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

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 Badwell Ash on this 10th day of 10 OCT 1914.

Signature of the Justice L. F. Patten

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 8 (G), Army Act. The recruits should, if he requires it, receive a copy of the Declaration on Army Form B. 2055.

In red ink, as follows, viz.—(1) Name of the former Service, and to produce, if possible, his Certificate of Discharge and Certificate of Character, which should be returned to him unimpairedly enclosed on the (Data).

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STATEMENT of the SERVICES of No. 10530, Name *Charles Ed. Kester*

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of Pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of Entries
					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reopens from <i>3-10-14</i>									
Joined at <i>Woodluch</i> on <i>4-10-14</i>									
	<i>H Depot</i>	<i>Alleged & Vashed</i>	<i>Co.</i>	<i>3-10-14</i>					
	<i>R. I. & q. b. w. Arty</i>	<i>Samuel. Kester</i>	<i>Ga.</i>	<i>30-10-14</i>					<i>Imitation?</i>
Total Service forfeited as above ...									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days									
" " Pension " _____ " _____ " _____									

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STATEMENT AS TO DISABILITY.

(This form is not applicable to Officers and Soldiers in Hospital or on leave therefrom who will be brought before a Medical Board.)

On Demobilization every Officer and Soldier, whether remaining with the Colours or not, will be given an opportunity of filling in this Form. Should he not wish to put forward any claim in respect of a Disability due to Military Service he must sign the Statement hereunder to this effect, in the presence of an Officer of the Unit with which he is serving, who will witness the Signature. Whether a Claim is made or not, this Form will be forwarded by the Unit Commander, in the case of every Officer, direct to the Secretary, War Office; and in the case of every Soldier, to the Record Office of his Unit.

Unit 2/51st Bde.
 Regiment of RFA.
 Regt. No. 15070 1st Ches. Bn.
 Service REDIT
 Christian Names in full CHARLES.
 Present address 2 Horwich Green
Green Suburb Bolton
 Age last birthday 39
 First joined for duty (Date) Oct 1914 at (Place) Woolwich
 Medical Category or Grade in which joined A1

I do not claim to be suffering from a disability due to my military service.
 Place of Examination Chelms C. G. Hadd
 Date May 14/19 W. A. Stewart
Signature of Officer or Soldier
Signature of Officer witnessing

Before the claimant answers questions 1-6 the following should be read by, or to, him:-
 "Your statement will be checked by Official Boards. In answering questions 2, any special matters which in your opinion caused or aggravated any symptoms from which you are suffering, must be clearly stated."
 The claimant will answer the questions in his own words and after completing the form will sign it. The Officer will witness the signature. If the claimant cannot write, he will add the mark, such act being witnessed.

THIS PORTION IS NOT TO BE COMPLETED IF A CLAIM IS NOT MADE.

- (a) In what countries have you served during this war and for what periods?
(b) In what capacity?
- If you are suffering from any disease, wound or injury, state what it is, the date upon which it started, and what in your opinion was the cause of it.
(If more space is required a sheet of foolscap should be used and attached firmly to this form).
- Give the names of any Hospitals in which you have been treated for the above disabilities during this war.
- Did you suffer from the disease or injury mentioned in above answer to Question 2, or anything like it before joining the Army? If so, give details and dates.
- Give the names and addresses (if you know them) of any Hospitals you were in or Doctors who attended you before you joined the Army.
- Give the name of your National Health Approved Society and, if possible, your membership number.

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7. What is the name and address of your last employer before joining the Army?

8. What was—
 (a) your Industrial Group
 (b) your occupation before joining the Army
 (c) your occupation before joining the Army
 (To be checked in Form A.B. 429, A.B. 430, or A.P. 1003)

The above statement has been read over to me, and I agree to it and have nothing to add to it.

Place of Examination _____ Signed _____ (Claimant)

Date _____ Signed _____ (Witness)

OPINION OF THE EXAMINING MEDICAL OFFICER.

(1) Clear and definite answers to the following questions are to be carefully filled in by the Examining Medical Officer, as it is essential that the Minister of Pensions should be in possession of the most reliable information to enable him to decide upon the applicant's claim to pension.

Expressions such as "may," "might," "possibly," etc., should be avoided.

(2) The rates of pension vary according to whether the disability is (a) caused or aggravated by service in the present war, (b) due to causes not connected with the present war, viz: (1) previous active service, (2) climatic diseases in pre-war service, (3) ordinary military service before the war. It is therefore essential when assigning the cause of a disability to differentiate between them.

(3) When there is more than one disability the replies will distinguish between them.

9. Give particulars and particulars of—

(a) Each disability claimed or discovered.

(b) The present condition thereof.

THIS PORTION IS NOT TO BE COMPLETED IF A CLAIM IS NOT MADE

10. State whether each disability is:—	(i) Attributable to	or (ii) Aggravated
(a) Service during the present war.		
(b) Previous active service.		
(c) Climate in pre-war service.		
(d) Ordinary military service before the war.		
(e) Serious negligence or misconduct on the part of the claimant.		
Give details:—		

11. (a) Is each disability in a final stationary condition?
 (b) If not is re-examination before the expiration of the period of twelve months specially advised?

12. (a) What is the degree of disablement at which in your opinion he should be assessed at present?
 (Degree of disablement should be expressed in words in the following percentages: 100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 30, 20, less than 20, or nil.)
 (b) In case of aggravation, what in your opinion was the degree of disablement which existed before joining the Army?

Examining Medical Officer's Signature _____ Rank _____

Unit to which attached _____

Date of Examination _____ Date _____

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Thomas Smith

57- per day

106 Troops

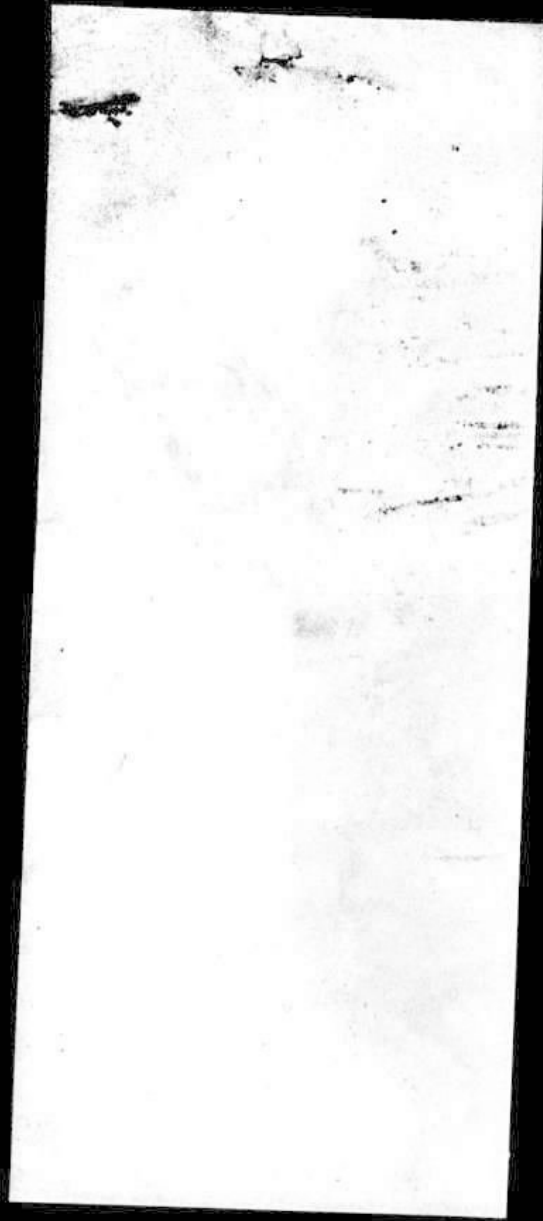
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Woolwich

Proprietary certificate



To search this
evening



STATION—WHETSTONE, G.N.R.

TELEPHONE—133, BARNET.

From

CHAS. M. HOLMES, A.F.C.L. R.S.S.

LECTURER ON AND INSTRUCTOR OF FARRIERY AT THE LONDON FARRIERY SCHOOL, DRUMMOND ROAD, BROMSDEN, SE.
LECTURER ON "HORSE AND STABLES, THEIR CARE AND MANAGEMENT" AT BIRBECK'S INSTITUTE, LONDON, S.W.
HOLDER OF THE BRIDGE-BUILDING CHAMPIONSHIP OF BEDFORDSHIRE.
AN EXAMINEE APPOINTED BY THE WORSHIPFUL COMPANY OF FARRIERS.
CHAIRMAN OF THE LONDON DISTRICT COMMITTEE OF THE NATIONAL MASTER FARRIERS' ASSOCIATION.



Forge House,

Tolleridge,

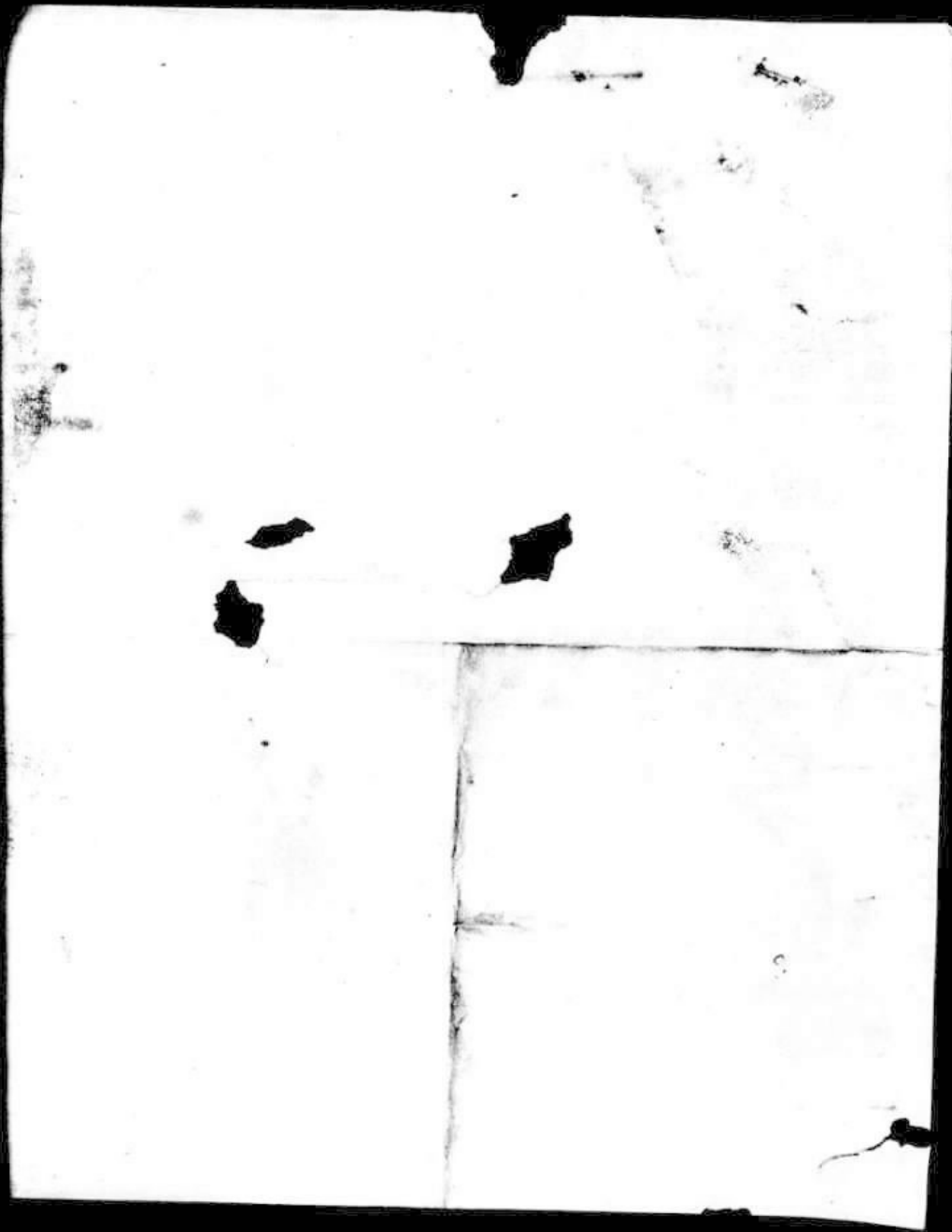
Herts.

Sept 28 1914

This is to certify that Chas & Nedie is a qualified
Shoing Smith, by examination, holds a Registered
Shoing Smith Certificate from the Worshipful Company
of Farriers also a ~~1st~~ 2nd Class of the London
Farrery School. He is a reliable man, for horse
shoe making & knowing him personally I
can recommend him with confidence.

Chas Holmes A.F.C.L.
Inspector of horse shoes to Woodhouse

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MILITARY HISTORY SHEET.

1. Service at Home and Abroad.

COUNTRY	FROM	TO	YEARS	DAYS	N.B.—The Country only to be shown—it is not necessary to show separately the service in the different stations of the same country. England, Scotland and Ireland to be shown under the general term "Home." For mode of computing Service Abroad, see King's Regulations.
Home (B)	3 10 14				

2. Army School and other certificates of education ...

3. Passed classes of Instruction † ...
† This includes any authorized class of instruction, e.g., in swimming, Outposts, &c.

4. Campaigns (including Actions) Medals, and decorations

5. Wounded ...

6. Effects of wounds

7. Special instances of gallant conduct and mentions in public dispatches ...

8. Annuities ...

9. Injuries in or by the Service ...

10. Name and Address of next of kin ...

*Wife, Alice Caroline Reddit
Kingston Rd
Ewell
Surrey*

Initials of Officer making the entry

(a) Christian and Surnames of Woman to whom married, and whether spinster or widow, (b) place and date of marriage, (c) name of officiating Minister or Registrar, and (d) names of two witnesses

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	† Date of being placed on Married Roll	Initials of Officer
<i>Alice Caroline Reddit Derrington (Spinster)</i>	<i>Willesden 26/12/04</i>				

Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth	Date and Place of Baptism, and Name of officiating Minister
<i>Alda May Age 7 yrs</i>		
<i>Alice Maud Age 5 yrs</i>		

Note.—These entries are to be made from time to time as they occur and initialed by the Officer making the entry.
 † To be ruled through (a) in the case of a Soldier married without leave whilst serving with the Colours who desires the entry to be made,
 (b) when a Soldier is married whilst in the Reserve.

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Home (A)	3 10 14				

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† This includes any authorized class of instruction, e.g., in swimming, Catechism, &c.

4. Campaigns (including Medals, and decorations)

5. Wounded ...

6. Effects of wounds

7. Special instances of Special conduct and meritorious in public despatches ...

8. Amputations ...

9. Injuries in or by the Service ...

10. Name and Address of next of kin ...

Wife, Alice Caroline Pedit
Kingston Rd
Ewell Surrey

Initials of Officer making the entry

(a) Christian and Surname of Woman to whom married, and whether spinster or widow, (b) place and date of marriage, (c) name of officiating Minister or Registrar, and (d) names of two witnesses

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	Date of being placed on Marital Roll	Initials of Officer
Alice Caroline Pedit Kingston (Spinster)	Wellesden, 24/1/04				

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth	Date and Place of Baptism, and Name of officiating Minister
Alda May Age 7 yrs		
Alice Maud Age 5 yrs		

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Edward

Description of ~~Charles~~ Pedit on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 34 years 0 months.
(To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Service.)

Height 5 feet 8 1/2 inches.
 Weight 150 lbs.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 43 1/2 inches.
 Range of expansion 1 1/2 inches.

Complexion Fair
 Eyes Blue
 Hair Brown

Religious denomination { Church of England _____
 Presbyterian _____
 Wesleyan _____
 Methodist or Congregationalist Methodist
 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 this effect for the information of the approving Officer.)

Scar clear appendicitis

Certificate of Medical Examination.

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

Date: _____ 191 .
 Place: London
* Insert here "fit" or "unfit."

R. J. Bruce
 Medical Officer.

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 10th Battalion of Royal Fusiliers and that due care has been exercised in his enlistment.

Date: 3 Oct 1914 191 .
 Place: London
* Insert here "fit" or "unfit."

R. J. Bruce
 Recruiting Officer.
† 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 10th Battalion of Royal Fusiliers.

If enlisted by special authority, Army Form B. 203 (or other authority for the enlistment) will be attached to the original attestation.

Date: _____ 19 .
 Place: _____
 Approving Officer.

* 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.

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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 Bedit Christian Name Charles Edward

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace Parish Badwell County Suffolk

Examined on _____ day of _____ 1914
at London

Declared Age 34 years _____ days.

Trade or Occupation shoing smith

Height 5 feet, 8³/₄ inches.

Weight 150 lbs.

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded
Range of Expansion 42¹/₂ inches.
4¹/₂ inches.

Physical Development good

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right Left
Number 4

When Vaccinated infancy

Vision R.E.—V = 6/9
L.E.—V = 6/9

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

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection (b) slight varicose (both legs)

Approved by (Signature) R. J. B. Esq.
(Rank) _____
Medical Officer.

Enlisted at London
on _____ day of 3 OCT 1914 191

Corps	Regtl. No.
<u>4 Depot W.F.A.</u>	<u>15640</u>

Became non-effective by Discharge on Demobilisation at _____ Date
Para 302 (XXVIII) B.R.

(Signature) on _____ day of _____
(Rank) Officer of the R. H. & R.F.A. Records, 101 Woolwich.

Report in the case of Warrant Officers treated in quarters.

Bearing on the cause, nature, or treatment of the case, likely to be of interest or of future value. In cases of syphilis, admissions and re-admissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers, etc., will be shown in the special syphilis case sheet.

Signature of Medical Officer

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**INSTRUCTIONS as to the transmission of a
Soldier's documents on transfer, posting, &c.**

1. When a soldier is transferred, posted, or detached for duty for a lengthened period, his commanding officer and officer i/c records will send to his new commanding officer and officer i/c records respectively, the documents mentioned on this form. No documents will be forwarded in blank except the regimental and company conduct sheets.

2. When a soldier is attached to the permanent staff of the yeomanry the whole of his documents (excepting his original attestation and regimental conduct sheet which will be kept by the officer i/c cavalry records), will be sent to his new commanding officer.

3. A copy of Army Form B. 279, duly filled up, will, at the same time, be sent to the officers concerned.

4. Before transmission the documents should be arranged in the sequence shown on this form and placed in this form. A separate form will be prepared for each man, and in the case of a draft the forms will be arranged alphabetically. Should any document be missing, an explanation of the deficiency, signed by the commanding officer, must be substituted.

5. The statement of accounts, Army Form O. 1811 (and Army Form O. 1814, in the case of men transferred to the army reserve), will be sent as directed in the Financial Instructions.

6. When a man is transferred on probation to a departmental corps, the Army Service Corps, or the Royal Army Medical Corps, the following documents only will be forwarded, the other documents being retained until the transfer is confirmed:—

- a. Statement of accounts (Army Form O. 1811).
- b. Savings bank transfer, if any.
- c. List of necessaries.
- d. Clothing receipt.
- e. Regimental conduct sheet.
- f. Squadron, troop, battery, or company conduct sheet.
- g. Medical history sheet.
- h. Copy of 3rd page of attestation.

7. When an army schoolmaster is moved from a home station to a station abroad, the duplicate attestation will be forwarded to the officer i/c records, War Office, in order that the necessary entries may be made in the original attestation.

The other documents mentioned on this form (except the list of necessaries and musketry transfer return), will be sent direct to the Commander-in-Chief in India, or to the General Officer Commanding in the Command to which the schoolmaster has been posted.

When a schoolmaster is moved from one home station to another, his documents, including duplicate attestation, will be sent direct to the officer commanding the school to which he has been posted. When moved from abroad to a home station, all the documents will be sent to the officer i/c records, War Office.

When a schoolmaster is moved from one station to another abroad, his documents, including the duplicate attestation will, if the stations are in the same command, be sent to the officer commanding the new school. If moved to a new command or to India, they will be sent to the General Officer Commanding in the Command, or Commander-in-Chief in India.

**INSTRUCTIONS AS TO THE RECEIPT
OF DOCUMENTS.**

1. Officers receiving documents should at once check them by the entries in this form. If any document is missing they must at once apply for it, as they will be held answerable for any deficiency which may afterwards be found to exist.

2. They will then sign Army Form B. 279 and return it to the officer from whom the documents were received.

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PUBLIC RECORD OFFICE

**WORLD WAR ONE SOLDIERS'
DOCUMENTS
WO 363**

NEW SOLDIER'S RECORD

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at the
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LIST OF TRANSFER DOCUMENTS.

Army Form B. 278.

(To be forwarded in accordance with Instructions on the back.) *4 A box*

Rank *Gr* (Name) *Charles Ed. Reid*
 No. *12346* (Corps) *R. H. + R. G.*
 No. (Corps)
 No. (Corps)
 No. (Corps)

N.B.—When a man is transferred the old number and Corps should be erased, and the new number and Corps entered in next line.

By Book, Active Service (Army Form 84) Army Condition Sheet (Army Form B. 128) Statement of Account (Army Form G. 101) Previous Bank Transfer statements Social Claims List of accessories in possession Clothing Return Compensation for Clothing Company Conduct Sheet Copies of Convictions by Civil Court Proceedings of Court of Inquiry and on all injury, or on Men reported as active serving Medical History Sheet Military Transfer Return Proceedings on Transfer to Army Reserve Employment Sheet A. P. H. 208 Certificate of Character (Army Form B. 54) Compulsory Messages (Army Form B. 282) Active Service Casualty (Army Form B. 220) Regimental Conduct Sheet Declaration completion of first term of engagement A. P. H. 102 Certificate of Trade (Insolvency) (A. P. H. 104) Documents of recruited men Declaration of change of rank Authority for any Prolongation of Service under Sec. 17, Army Act Application to extend Service under Sec. 19 (1) Army Act Notice of Prolongation of service beyond 21 years Re-engagement Paper Compulsory Messages (Army Form B. 282) Authority for Special assignments (A. P. H. 205) Situations of Transiently and Improperly Assigned Men for Corps in which not held to serve Proceedings of Court of Inquiry on injury or on Men reported as active serving in the Field				
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EXPLANATORY NOTES.

* Insert here, "transferred," "posted," or "detached," as the case may be.
 † State here the officer to whom the Documents are sent.

On the occasion of this man being *
 to _____
 I forward the following documents to
 † _____
 (Signature) _____
 (Date) _____ Comdg.
 (Place) _____

On the occasion of this man being *
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 (Place) _____

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On the occasion of this man being *
 to _____
 I forward the following documents to
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 (Signature) _____
 (Date) _____ Comdg.
 (Place) _____

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The Book, Active Service (Army Form 84) Final Unofficial Report (Army Form 121) Statement of Accounts (Army Form 121a) Service Book Transfer statement Special Clauses List of necessaries in possession Clothing Return Compensation for Clothing Company Conduct Sheet Orders of Convictions by Civil Power Proceedings of Courts of Inquiry (not on an injury, or on Men missing on active service) Medical History Sheet Musketry Transfer Return Proceedings on Transfer to Army Reserve Employment Sheet (A.F. 200) Certificate of Character (Army Form 8, 8a) Unofficially Discharged (Army Form 8, 8a) Active Service Character (Army Form 8, 100) Regimental Conduct Sheet				
Official Attribution and Document without character Declaration of completion of 48th term of engagement (A.F. 200) Certificate of Final Privileges (A.F. 200) Discharge of reservational men Declaration of change of name Authority for any Proscription of Service under Sec. 52, Army Act Application for re-entrance to service under sec. 53 (1) Notice of Proscription of service beyond 21 years Re-engagement Paper Voluntary Discharge (Army Form 8, 200) Authority for Special Privileges (A.F. 200) Attestation of a Transiently and Improperly Recruited Man for Corps in which not held to serve Proceedings of Courts of Inquiry on injury of on Men Reported Missing while on active service in the Field				

EXPLANATORY NOTES.

* Insert here, "reservant," "pending," or "detached", as the case may be.
 † State here the Officer to whom the Documents are sent.

On the occasion of this man being * to _____ I forward the following documents to † _____ (Signature) _____ (Date) _____ (Place) _____ Comdg.	On the occasion of this man being * to _____ I forward the following documents to † _____ (Signature) _____ (Date) _____ (Place) _____ Comdg.	On the occasion of this man being * to _____ I forward the following documents to † _____ (Signature) _____ (Date) _____ (Place) _____ Comdg.	On the occasion of this man being * to _____ I forward the following documents to † _____ (Signature) _____ (Date) _____ (Place) _____ Comdg.
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MILITARY - HISTORY SHEET

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1. Service at Home and Abroad (including former service of re-enlisted men when allowed to reckon towards U. C. Pay of Pension)

COUNTRY	FROM	TO	YEARS	DAYS
France	2.10.14	9.12.15		318
	10.5.15	23.8.15		79
	19.8.19	31.8.20		137

N.B.—The Country only to be shown—it is not necessary to show separately the service in the different sections of the same Country, England, Scotland and Ireland to be shown under the general term of Great Britain.

For mode of computing Service abroad, see King's Regulations.

2. Whether educated at ... (Apply only to the ...)

Name of School to be stated: Duke of York's Royal Military School, Royal Hibernian Military School, Queen Victoria School, Industrial School under Home Office or Local Government Board

3. Army School and other certificates of education ...

4. Passed classes of Instruction ...

5. Campaigns ... (Including Actions) ...

6. Wounded ...

7. Effect of wounds ...

8. Special instances of ... (including despatches)

9. Medals, decorations and annuities ...

10. Character assessed under para. 48, King's Regulations ...

11. Injuries in or by the service ...

11(a). Extract from H.F.B. 179a—

(i) Nature of the disability ...

(ii) Whether the disability is permanent ...

(iii) Whether it is clearly attributable to, or aggravated by, service during the war or otherwise in pre-war service ...

12. Name and Address of next of kin ...

Particulars as to Marriage

(a) Christian and Surname of Woman to whom married, and whether spinster or widow,	(b) place and date of marriage,	(c) name of officiating Minister or Registrar, and (d) names of two witnesses.	Date of being placed on Married Roll	Initials of Officer
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	

Particulars as to Children

Christian Name	Date and Place of Birth	Date and Place of Baptism, and Name of officiating Minister

Notes.—These entries are to be made from view as they occur, and initialed by the Officer making the entry.

To be relied through (a) in the case of a soldier married without leave while serving with the Colonel, who desires the entry to be made; (b) when a soldier is married while in the last ...

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Gen. No. 2535

Army Form B. 2505.

Original

SHORT SERVICE.

(For the Duration of the War.)

ATTESTATION OF

No. 15530 Name Recruit Charles Edward Redit of the R.F.A.

Questions to be put to the Recruit before enlistment.

1. What is your Name?	1. <u>Redit Charles Edward</u>
2. What is your full Address?	2. <u>Kingston Road</u> <u>Wrexham, Shropshire</u>
3. Are you a British Subject?	3. <u>Yes</u>
4. What is your Age?	4. <u>24</u> Years <u>4</u> Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling?	5. <u>Shoering Smith</u>
6. Are you Married?	6. <u>No</u>
7. Have you ever served in any branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so, * which?	7. <u>No</u>
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated?	8. <u>Yes</u>
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service?	9. <u>Yes</u>
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?	10. <u>No</u> (Name Corps
11. Are you willing to serve upon the following conditions provided His Majesty should so long require your services? <small>For the duration of the War, at the end of which you will be discharged with all previous pay, if employed with Hospitals, depots of Mounted Units, and as Cooks, etc., you may be retained after the termination of hostilities until your services can be spared, but such retention shall in no case exceed six months.</small>	11. <u>Yes</u>

Charles Edward Redit 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.

Charles Edward Redit SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

N. Rogers Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

Charles Edward Redit 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, and will observe and obey all orders of His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, and of the Generals and Officers set over me. So help me God.

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

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 Bardon on this 20th day of April 1915.

W. E. ... Signature of Justice

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 compiled with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the:

If enlisted by special authority, Army Form B. 203 (or other authority for the enlistment) will be attached to the original attestation.

Date 20/4/1915 W. E. ... MAJOR, R.F.A. Approving Officer.

Place Bardon COMDS. D BATTERY, 25th BDE. R.F.A.

* The signature of the Approving Officer is to be affixed in the presence of the Recruit. I then insert the "Corps" for which the D-Form has been filled.

* If so, the Recruit is to be asked the particulars of his former service, and to produce, if possible, his Certificate of Discharge and Certificate of Character, which should be returned to him subsequently endorsed in red ink, as follows, viz.—(Name) on the (Date)

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DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

Applicable to all ranks. To correspond with entries on the Medical History sheet.

Name _____
 Apparent age _____ years _____ months. Height 5 feet _____ inches.
 Chest measurement (Girth when fully expanded _____ inches.
 (Range of expansion _____ inches.
 Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin Mrs Redit, Kingston Road
Ewell Surrey. Relationship Wife

Particulars as to Marriage.

(a) Christian and Surname of Woman to whom married, and whether spinster or widow. (b) Place and date of marriage.
 (c) Present address. (d) Initials of Officer verifying entry.

(a) <u>Alice Caroline</u> <u>Terrington.</u>	(b) <u>Parish of Kelston</u> <u>London</u> <u>26/12/02</u>	(c) <u>Kingston Road</u> <u>Ewell Surrey</u>	(d)
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Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth
<u>Hilda May</u>	<u>8/9/07</u> <u>Ewell Surrey.</u>
<u>Alice Maude</u>	<u>13/2/09</u> <u>Ewell Surrey.</u>

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps to which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of Pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. O. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries.
					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>3/10/14</u>									<u>H. P. C.lett</u>
Joined at <u>Woolwich</u> on <u>3/10/14</u>									
<u>W.P.A. Depot</u> Posted to <u>12/1/15</u>									
EXPEDITIONARY FORCE <u>France</u> <u>1915</u> <u>6.5-15</u>									
DISPERSAL CENTRE.									
Total Service furnished as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days.									
" " " Pension " _____ " _____ " _____ "									

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Casualty Form Active Service.

Regiment or Corps R.F.A.
 Regimental No. 15530 Rank Cpl. S.S. Name Peddie G.E.
 Enlisted (a) 3/10/14 Terms of Service (a) 1 year Service reckons from (a) 3/10/14
 Date of promotion to present rank 4/5/15 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. 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. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked			
		Disembarked			
<u>24¹²/₁₅</u>	<u>OC D/53</u>	<u>Leave to England with ration allowance</u>	<u>Undefined</u>	<u>12.15</u> <u>15.12.15</u>	<u>Base</u>
		<u>Became D/51 Bde m.</u>	<u>enguarded</u>	<u>27.2.16</u>	
<u>26.7.17</u>	<u>OC 51 Bde</u>	<u>leave to W. Kingdoms.</u>		<u>27.7.17</u>	<u>Base</u>
<u>9.5.18</u>	<u>OC 51 Bde</u>	<u>Adm. "Dental Caries"</u>	<u>Field</u>	<u>2.5.18</u>	<u>B. 213.</u>
<u>19.5.18</u>	<u>283 Q.</u>	" "	" "	<u>3.5.18</u>	<u>A 36. 3310/10</u>
<u>21.5.18</u>	<u>544 Spt</u>	" "	<u>Subengue.</u>	<u>6.5.18</u>	<u>H.A. 23141</u>
<u>27.5.18</u>	<u>1 Com Dep.</u>	" "	<u>Boulogne</u>	<u>8.5.18</u>	<u>H.A. 23160</u>
<u>25.6.18</u>	<u>OC Base Dep</u>	<u>joined R.H.A. S.A. Base Depot</u>	<u>Havre</u>	<u>24.5.18</u>	<u>Memo.</u>
<u>12.9.18</u>	<u>OC 51 Bde</u>	<u>joined R.H.A. S.A. Base Depot</u>	<u>Field</u>	<u>7.7.18</u>	<u>B. 213</u>
		<u>concentration camp for Demobilization</u>		<u>15.5.19</u>	<u>10.213</u>

H. Jackson Adjutant
 ADJUTANT 61st BRIGADE R.F.A.

(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.

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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				

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LIST OF TRANSFER DOCUMENTS.

Army Form B. 278.

(To be forwarded in accordance with instructions on the back.)

(Rank) Capt. S. Smith (Name) Merit - C-6

(No.) 15530 (Corps) 1st Lt. 1st Inf. Div.

(No.) (Corps)

(No.) (Corps)

(No.) (Corps)

N.B.—When a man is transferred the old number and Corps should be crossed, and the new number and Corps entered in next line.

Pay Book, Active Service (Army Book 84)				
Final Accounting Statement (Army Form B. 122)				
Statement of Accounts (Army Form O. 1611)				
Service Bank Transfer statement				
Special Claims				
List of necessities in possession				
Clothing Receipts				
Computation for Clothing				
Company Combat Sheet				
Copy of Convictions by Civil Court				
Proceedings of Court of Inquiry (not in an injury, or on his status as active service)				
Medical History Sheet				
Military Transfer History				
Proceedings on Transfer to Army Reserve				
Certificate of Character (Army Form B. 44)				
Compulsory Shipping (Army Form O. 262)				
Active Service Casualty (Army Form B. 10)				
Regimental Combat Sheet				
Documents or receipts on hand				
Compulsory Shipping (Army Form B. 262)				
Declaration of change of name				
Certificate of Draft Proceeding (A.P. B. 10)				
Authority for any Proclamation of Service under Sec. 41, Army Act				
Application for National Service under sec. 39 (1) Army Act				
Notice of Prolongation of service beyond 21 years				
Re-engagement Paper				
Authority for special enlistment (A.P. B. 20)				
Attestation of Family and Dependents Entitled them for Corp's subsistence field to receive				
Proceedings of Court of Inquiry on injury or on his reported missing while on active service in the field				

EXPLANATORY NOTES.

* Insert here, "transferred," "promoted," or "detached".

† State here the Office to which the Documents are sent.

On the occasion of this man being *
to _____
I forward the following documents to
+ (Signature) _____
(Date) _____
(Place) _____ Comdg.

On the occasion of this man being *
to _____
I forward the following documents to
+ (Signature) _____
(Date) _____
(Place) _____ Comdg.

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to _____
I forward the following documents to
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(Place) _____ Comdg.

On the occasion of this man being *
to _____
I forward the following documents to
+ (Signature) _____
(Date) _____
(Place) _____ Comdg.

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<p>Pay Book Active Service (Army Form 84)</p> <p>Pay Book Reserve (Army Form 85)</p> <p>Statement of Account (Army Form 9, 1915)</p> <p>Service Book Unmolested statement</p> <p>Special Claims</p> <p>List of accessories in possession</p> <p>Chattel Returns</p> <p>Composition for Clothing</p> <p>Company Application Blank</p> <p>Bill of Conviction by Civil Court</p> <p>Proceedings of Civil Inquiry into an injury or on claim for pay on active service</p> <p>Medical History Book</p> <p>Missing Tender Return</p> <p>Proceedings on Transfer to Army Reserve</p> <p>Certificate of Discharge (Army Form B, 84)</p> <p>Commissary Receipts (Army Form D, 402)</p> <p>Active Service Demand (Army Form E, 101)</p> <p>Regimental Conduct Book</p> <p>Documents of associated with</p> <p>Commissary Receipts (Army Form D, 392)</p> <p>Declaration of change of name</p> <p>Certificate of Title Property (A. F. R. 101)</p> <p>Application for pay benefits of Service under Sec. 42 Army Act</p> <p>Application for release from Service under sec. 13 (1) Army Act</p> <p>Notice of Prolongation of service beyond 21 years</p> <p>Reassignment Paper</p> <p>Assignment for special employment (A. F. R. 201)</p> <p>Attestation of Fitness for duty and appropriate Kaffed 200 for Corps to which he is being sent</p> <p>Proceedings of Civil Inquiry into an injury or on claim reported, relating while on active service in the field</p>				
<p>EXPLANATORY NOTES</p> <p>* Insert here, "indefinite", "suspended" or "detached".</p> <p>† State how the Officer to whom the Documents are sent.</p>	<p>On the occasion of this man being _____ to _____</p> <p>I forward the following documents to _____</p> <p>(Signature) _____</p> <p>(Date) _____ Comdg.</p> <p>(Place) _____</p>	<p>On the occasion of this man being _____ to _____</p> <p>I forward the following documents to _____</p> <p>(Signature) _____</p> <p>(Date) _____ Comdg.</p> <p>(Place) _____</p>	<p>On the occasion of this man being _____ to _____</p> <p>I forward the following documents to _____</p> <p>(Signature) _____</p> <p>(Date) _____ Comdg.</p> <p>(Place) _____</p>	<p>On the occasion of this man being _____ to _____</p> <p>I forward the following documents to _____</p> <p>(Signature) _____</p> <p>(Date) _____ Comdg.</p>

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SHORT SERVICE.

(For the Duration of the War)

ATTESTATION OF

No. 15520 Name Robert Edward Redit Corps Royal Field Artillery

Questions to be put to the Recruit before enlistment.

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|--|---|
| 1. What is your Name? | 1. <u>Robert E. Redit</u> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>Kingston Road</u>
<u>South Curry</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. What is your Age? | 4. <u>35</u> Years <u>4</u> Months |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>Blacksmith</u> |
| 6. Are you Married? | 6. <u>Yes</u> |
| 7. Have you ever served in any branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so, which? | 7. <u>No</u> |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? | 8. <u>Yes</u> |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? | 9. <u>Yes</u> |
| 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? | 10. <u>No</u> (Name
Corps |
| 11. Are you willing to serve upon the following conditions provided His Majesty should so long require your services?
For the duration of the War, at the end of which you will be discharged with all convenient speed. If employed with Hospitals, depots of Mounted Units, and as Clerks, etc., you may be retained after the termination of hostilities until your services can be spared, but such retention shall in no case exceed six months. | 11. <u>Yes</u> |

I, Charles Edward Redit 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.

Charles Edward Redit SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

H. Hager Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Robert E. Redit 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, and will observe and obey all orders of His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, and of the Generals and Officers set over me. So help me God.

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The Recruit above named was questioned 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 Bordon on this 20th day of April 1915.

Signature of Justice H. H. Scott

† 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 Royal Field Artillery. If enlisted by special authority, Army Form B, 203 (or other authority for the enlistment) will be attached to the original attestation.

Date 20/4/15 1915

Place Bordon

H. H. Scott Approving Officer.
COMD. IV BATTERY 51st BDE. R.F.A.

*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.

**If so, the Recruit is to be asked the particulars of his former service, and to produce, if possible, his Certificate of Discharge and Certificate of Character, which should be returned to him conspicuously endorsed in red ink, as follows, viz.—(Name on the (Date)

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Applicable to all ranks. To correspond with entries on the Form.

Name _____
 Apparent age _____ years _____ months. Height _____ feet _____ inches.
 Chest measurement { G fully expanded _____ inches.
 Range _____ on _____ inches.
 Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin *Mrs Redit Kingdon Road
 Ewell Surrey* Relationship *Wife*
 Particulars as to Marriage.

(a) Christian and Surname of Woman to whom married, and whether spinster or widow. (b) Place and date of marriage.
 (c) Present address. (d) Initials of Officer verifying entry.

(a) <i>Miss Caroline Ferrington</i>	(b) <i>Parish of Witleton London</i>	(c) <i>Kingdon Road Ewell Surrey</i>	(d)
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Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth
<i>Hilda May</i>	<i>8-19/06 Ewell Surrey.</i>
<i>Alice Maud.</i>	<i>16/2/08 Ewell Surrey.</i>

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, etc.	Army Rank	Date	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of Pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries.
					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <i>3-10-14</i>									
Joined at <i>Woolwich</i> on <i>3/10/14</i>									
<i>R.F.A.</i>	<i>2533rd</i>	<i>Postal Co.</i>		<i>18-1-15</i>					
EXPEDITIONARY FORCE <i>France</i>			<i>1915</i>	<i>10-8-15</i>					
Discharged on <i>10-8-15</i> (date of discharge) <i>3-10-14</i> (date of engagement)									
Para 802 (XXI) (1) (b) (i)									
Signature <i>Officer in Charge R.F.A. Records, Woolwich.</i>									
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days.									
" " " Pension " _____ " _____ " _____ "									

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IF FOUND, please drop this Certificate in a Post Office letter box. Army Form Z 11
NOTICE.—This document is Government property. It is no security
ever for debt, and any Person being in possession of it, either as a pledge or security for debt, or
without lawful authority or excuse, is liable under Section 156 (g) of the Army Act to a fine of twenty
pounds (£20) or imprisonment for six months, or to both fine and imprisonment.

PROTECTION CERTIFICATE AND CERTIFICATE OF IDENTITY (SOLDIER NOT REMAINING WITH THE COLOURS).

Surname REDIT
(Block letters)
Christian Names Ernest

Dispersal Unit Stamp and date of dispersal. 63
DISPERSAL UNIT
19 MAY 1919
CRYSTAL

Regtl. No. 155-20 Rank Private Record Office London
Unit R.F.O. Regt. or Corps 4/51 Bde Pay Office London

I have received an advance of £ 2 Address for Pay 2 Horsehay Lane
(Signature of Soldier) B. E. Redit

The above-named soldier is granted 28 days' furlough
from the date stamped hereon pending* _____ (as far
as can be ascertained) which will date from the last day
of furlough after which date uniform will not be worn
except upon occasions authorized by Army Orders.

Theatre of War or Command } Eastern Front
Born in the Year 1879
Medical Category O.T.
Place of rejoining in case of emergency } London
Specialist Military Qualification }

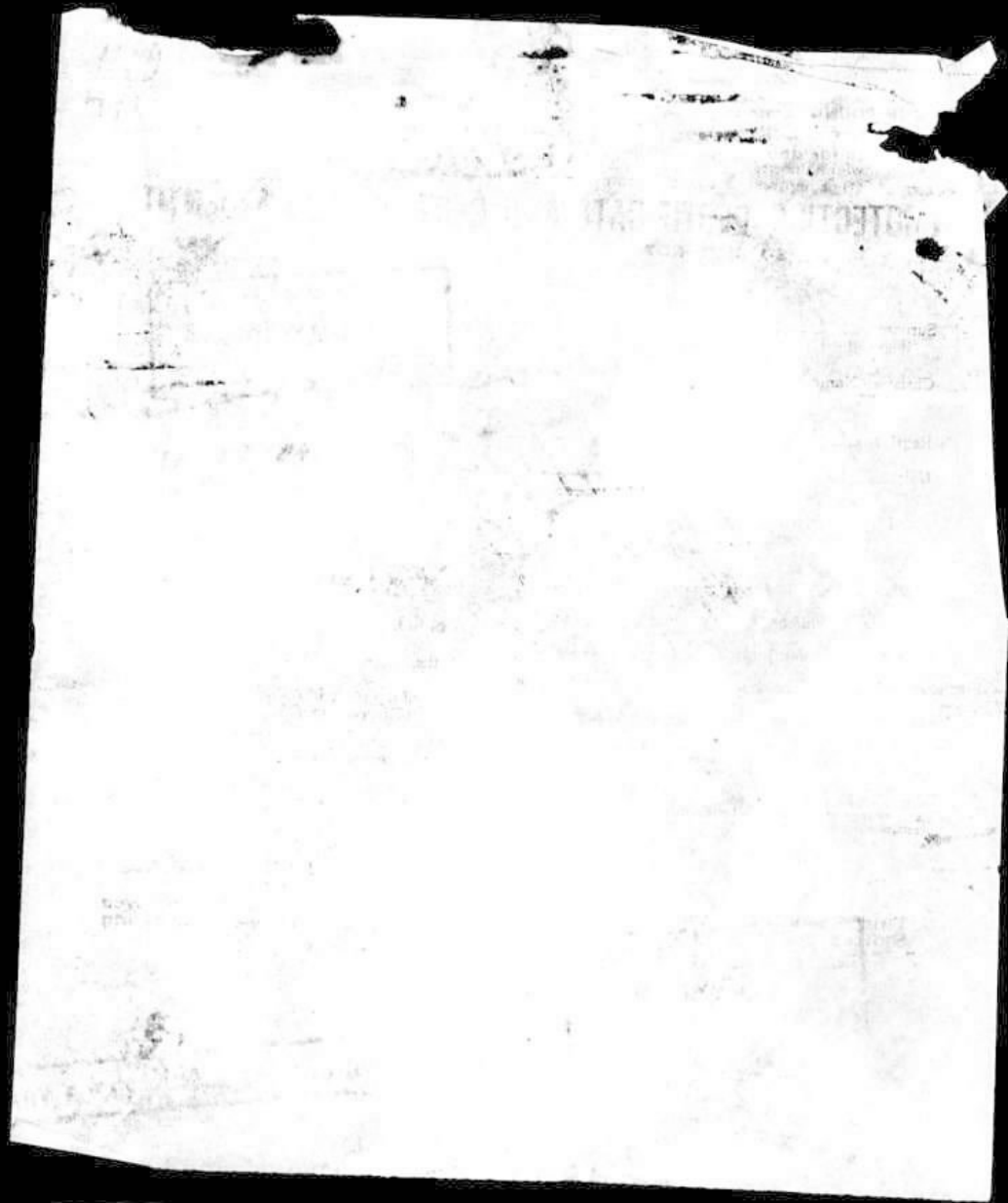
* If for Final Demobilization insert 1.
Disembodiment insert 2.
Transfer to Reserve insert 3.
† As this is the address to which pay and discharge documents will be sent unless further notification is received,
any change of address must be reported at once to the Record Office and the Pay Office as noted above, otherwise delay in
settlement will occur.

R. E. Mades
This Certificate must be produced when applying for an Unemployed
Sailor's and Soldier's Donation Policy or, if demanded, whenever applying
for Unemployment benefit.

Date 19 MAY 1919 Office of Issue CRYSTAL Policy issued No. 72072

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Inside Sheet

Name Charles Redit

No. 15530

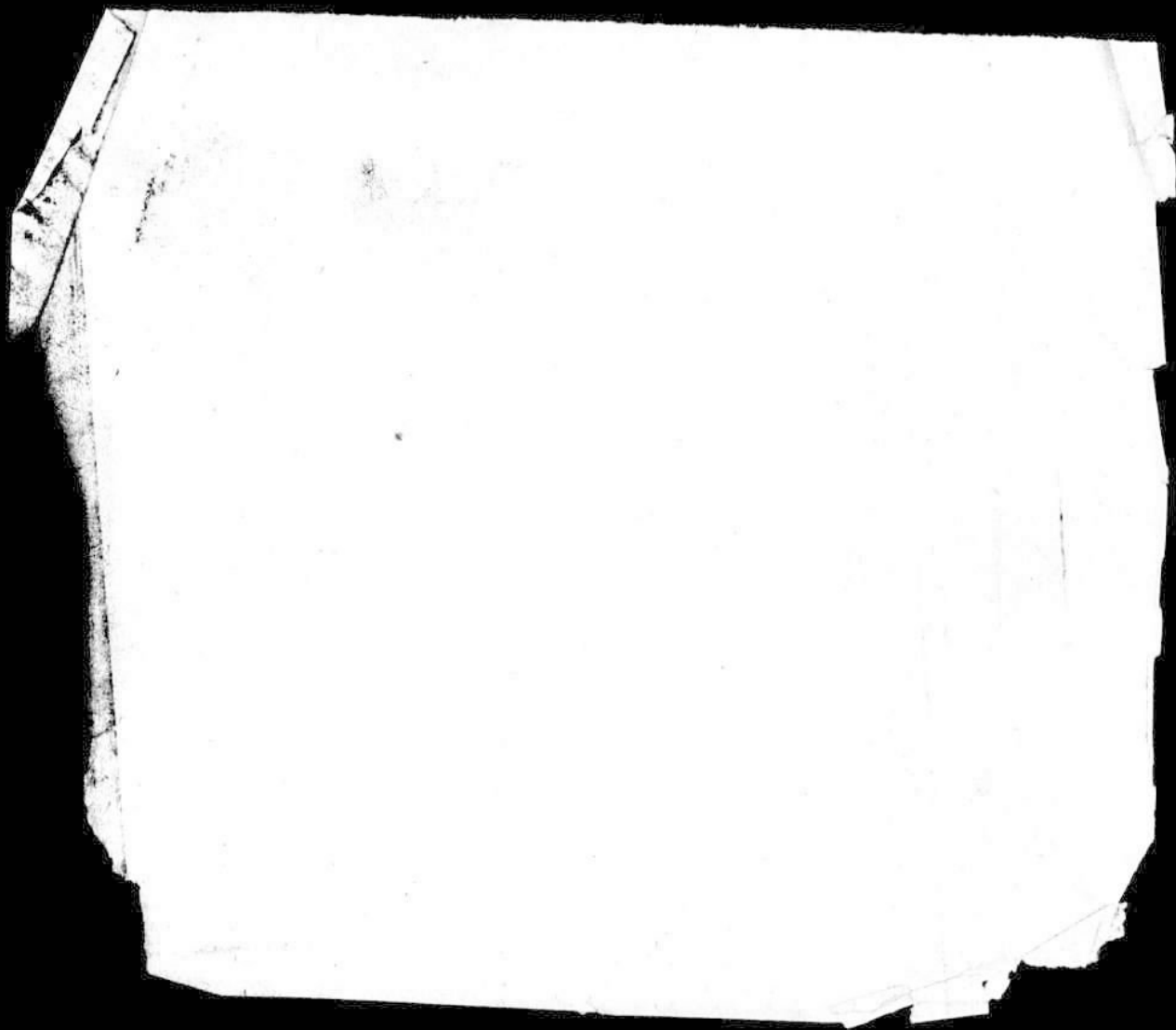
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REGIMENTAL CONDUCT SHEET.

Army Form B. 120.

Number of sheets } First
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 Signature of C.O. }
 or Adjutant }

Regimental Number and Name } 15530 Redit Co Attested 20.4 1915. Joined 3 / 10 1915.
 Regiment of Royal Field Arty. Regiment.

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Names of Witnesses	OFFENCE	PUNISHMENT awarded	Date of award, or of order dispensing with trial	By whom	Date of Commencement	Date of Expiration	REMARKS

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MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname Redit Christian Name Charles Edward

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish Redwell Ash County Suffolk.

Examined ... (on 20 day of April 1915.
at Bordon.

Declared Age ... 35 years 110 days.

Trade or Occupation ... Shoemaker

Height ... 5 feet, 8 3/4 inches.

Weight ... 186 lbs.

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded. 41 inches.
Range of Expansion 2. inches.

Physical Development ... Good.

Vaccination Marks { Arm ... Right Left
Number 5

When Vaccinated ...

Vision ... R.E.—V—4/6
L.E.—V—4/6

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease ... (a) Scar from appendix operation

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

Approved by (Signature) Chancellor
(Rank) Lt Col Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... at ...
on ... day of ... 191 ...

Corps.	Regt. No.

Transferred to ...

Became non-effective by Discharged on 11 Nov 1915 Date
on Para 303 day of ... 191 ...
(Signature) W. H. & R. F. A. Records,
(Rank) Wootwich.

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MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname Reid Christian Name Charles Edward

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish Barnack Ash County Suffolk

Examined ... { on 20 day of April 1915.
at Bordon

Declared Age ... 25 years 110 days.

Trade or Occupation ... Shoe-maker

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Weight ... 186 lbs.

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded 41 inches.

{ Range of Expansion 2 inches.

Physical Development ... Good

Vaccination Marks { Arm ... Right Left
Number 5

When Vaccinated ...

Vision ... { R.E.—V— 4/6
L.E.—V— 4/6

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease ... { Scars of appendicectomy

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

Approved by (Signature) Quailton
(Rank) VRM Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... { at
on ... day of ... 191...

Joined on Enlistment ...
Transferred to ...
Became non-effective by ...

Corps.	Regt. No.

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

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Table II.—Only for Admissions to Hospital or to the Sid

Name of Hospital	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number of days in Hospital	Rate
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year			

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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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Table III.—Boards; Courts of Inquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, etc.; Examinations for Field or Foreign Service, Extension, Re-engagement, or Prolongation of Service; Issue of Surgical Appliances; Particulars of Dental Treatment, etc.

Date	Brief details, and signature

Table IV.—Service Table.

Station or Troopship	Date of arrival or embarkation	Date of departure or disembarkation	Station or Troopship	Date of arrival or embarkation	Date of departure or disembarkation

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Signature of Medical Officer

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