

No. 03298 Name Blatch/o

Questions to be put to the Recruit on enlistment.

1. What is your Name ? 1. George Henry Blackford
2. What is your full Address ? 2. 34 Woodlands Avenue
Lebanon End, Finsbury
3. Are you a British Subject ? 3. Yes
4. What is your Age ? 4. 31 Years 3 Months 12 Days
5. What is your Trade or Calling ? 5. Member of Staff of Works
6. Are you Married ? 6. No
7. Have you ever served in any branch of His Majesty's }
Forces, naval or military, if so*, which ? } 7. No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated ? ... 8. Yes
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service ? ... 9. Yes
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its } 10. Yes { Name C. Sgt. C. Harvey
meaning, and who gave it to you ? } Corps S.C.B.
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. You will be required to serve for one day with the Colours and the remainder of the
period in the Army Reserve, in accordance with the provisions of the Royal Warrant dated
20th Oct., 1915, until such time as you may be called up by order of the Army Council. If
employed with Hospitals, depots of Mounted Units, or as a Clerk, 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. Yes

I, George Henry Blatchford 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.

George Henry Blatchford SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
Walter D. Basse Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, George Henry Hatchford 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 Mill Hill on this 30 day of Nov 1911.

Signature of the Justice

Recruiting Officer 574th Regt

Approving Officer.

I certify that this Attestation of Credit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the forms appear to have been properly filled up, and appoint him to the position of _____

ORIGINAL

SHOW

(For the duration of the War)

ATTES

No. 03298 Name

Blatchford

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your Name ? ... 1. George Henry Blatchford
2. What is your full Address ? ... 2. 30 Woodlands Avenue, Leamington, Warwickshire
3. Are you a British Subject ? ... 3. Yes
4. What is your Age ? ... 4. 31 Years 3 Months 15 Days
5. What is your Trade or Calling ? ... 5. Weaver
6. Are you Married ? ... 6. No
7. Have you ever served in any branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so, which ? ... 7. No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated ? ... 8. Yes
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service ? ... 9. Yes
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you ? ... 10. Yes { Name G. S. G. Corps F.C.P.
11. Are you willing to serve upon the following conditions provided His Majesty should so long require your services ?
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I, George Henry Blatchford 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.

George Henry Blatchford SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
W. A. D. ... Signature of Witness.

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Signature of the Justice Recruiting Officer 5th Reg. D.C.

of Approving Officer.

I certify that this Attestation is correct, and properly filled up, and that the forms appear to have been duly filled up, and appoint him to the ...

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Distinctive marks

Name and Address of next-of-kin

35 Willow Lane

Bathurst Blatchford

Relationship

Moche

(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)

(b)

(c)

(d)

Christian Names

Date and Place of Birth

1. Passed classes of Instruction †

† This includes any authorised class of instruction, e.g., in swimming, chiropody, &c.

2. Campaigns
(including Actions)

3. Wounded

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

Medals, decorations and annuities

Name of Medal

Classroom

ry Sheet.)

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 36 inches.
Range of expansion 2 1/2 inches.

Distinctive marks

Name and Address of next-of-kin

Name and Address of next-of-kin Bathurine Blatchford
35 Willow Lane Lancaster Relationship Mother

(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)	(b)	(c)	(d)

Christian Names

Date and Place of Birth

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth	

1. Passed classes of Instruction †

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2. Campaigns
(including Actions)

3. Wounded

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

Medals, decorations and annuities

Name of Medal

Classes

R.E. RECORD

STATEMENT AS TO DISABILITY

(This Form is not applicable to Officers and Soldiers in Hospital or on leave 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 497TH (KENT) FIELD CO: R.E.

Regiment or Corps Royal Engineers

Regtl. No. 203298 Rank CORPORAL

Surname BLATCHEFORD
(Block Letters)

Christian Names in full { GEORGE
HENRY

Permanent address 43 WILLOW LANE
LANCASTER, LANC.

Age last birthday 34

First joined } (Date) 16-10-16 at (Place) CHATHAM
for duty }

Medical Category or Grade in which joined A.I.

If the Officer or Soldier has previously been discharged from the Army, Royal Navy or the Royal Air Force, he will state:—

(a) Former Regiments or Corps with Regimental Numbers:—

(b) Dates of discharge

(c) Causes of discharge

(d) Particulars of Pension or Gratuity received (if any):—

TO BE CANCELLED
IF A CLAIM IS MADE

I do not claim to be suffering from a disability due to my military service.

Place of Examination BURSCHEID

Date 15-9-19

Signature of Officer or Soldier.
G.H. Blatchford

Signature of Officer witnessing:
MAJOR, R.E.
O.C. 497TH (KENT) FIELD CO. R.E.

Before the claimant answers questions 1—8 the following should be read by, or to, him:—

R.E. RECORD OFFICE

STATEMENT AS TO DISABILITY

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Unit **497TH (KENT) FIELD CO. R.E.**

Regiment or Corps **Royal Engineers**

Regtl. No. **203298** Rank **CORPORAL**

Surname **BLATCHEARD**
(Block Letters)

Christian Names in full **GEORGE HENRY**

Permanent address **43 WILLOW LANE LANCASTER, LANC.**

Age last birthday **34**

First joined for duty (Date) **16-10-16** at (Place) **CHATHAM**

Medical Category or Grade in which joined **A.I.**

If the Officer or Soldier has previously been discharged from the Army, Royal Navy or the Royal Air Force, he will state:—

(a) Former Regiments or Corps with Regimental Numbers:—

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I do not claim to be suffering from a disability due to my military service.

Place of Examination **BURSCHEID**

Date **15-9-19**

Signature of Officer or Soldier **G.H. Blatcheard**

Signature of Officer witnessing **MAJOR R.E.**

O.C. 497TH (KENT) FIELD CO. R.E.

Before the claimant answers questions 1—8 the following should be read by, or to, him:—

(For the Duration of the War)

ATT

No. 203298 Name Blatchford

Questions to be put to

1. What is your Name? ... Blatchford
2. What is your full Address? ... 2.
... ..
... ..
3. Are you a British Subject? ... Yes
4. What is your Age? ... 3 Years 3 Months ...
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ... Clerk
6. Are you Married? ... No
7. Have you ever served in any branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so*, which? ... No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? ... Yes
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? ... Yes
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? ... Yes { Name ...
Corps ...
11. Are you willing to serve upon the following conditions provided His Majesty should so long require your services?
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I, George Henry Blatchford 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.

George Henry Blatchford SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
... Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, George Henry Blatchford 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.

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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 Mill Hill on this 30 day of Nov 1915

... Signature of the Justice
... Attesting Officer with Reg. Dist.

Swearing Officer.

I certify that this Attestation is correct, and properly filled up, and that the forms appear to have been correctly filled up, and that the Recruit is fit to be enlisted, and I appoint him to the ...

(For the Duration of the War)

ATTENDANCE

No. 203298 Name

Blatchford

Questions to be put to the

1. What is your Name? ... *George Henry Blatchford*
2. What is your full Address? ... *2,
Church Road, Yarnley*
3. Are you a British Subject? ... *Yes*
4. What is your Age? ... *30* Years ... *3* Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ... *Former Clerk of Court*
6. Are you Married? ... *No*
7. Have you ever served in any branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so*, which? ... *No*
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? ... *Yes*
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? ... *Yes*
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? ... *Yes* { Name *Lt. Gen. Blatchford*
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. You will be required to serve for one day with the Colours and the remainder of the period in the Army Reserve, in accordance with the provisions of the Royal Warrant dated 20th Oct., 1915, until such time as you may be called up by order of the Army Council. If employed with Hospitals, depots of Mounted Units, or as a Clerk, 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. ... *Yes*

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W. J. ... Signature of Witness.

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on this *30* day of *Nov* 191*5*

Signature of the Justice

W. J. ...
Attesting Officer 107th Regt. Div.

† *...* Approving Officer.

I certify that this Attestation of the Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been completed, and I appoint him to the † *...*

If enlisted by *...* authority for the enlistment, will be *...*

Chest Measurement

Height 5 feet 7 inches.

36 inches.

inches.

Distinctive marks

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next-of-kin

35 Willow Lane

319 707 111
Lancaster

Relationship

Mother

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)

(b)

(c)

(d)

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names

Date and Place of Birth

MILITARY HISTORY SHEET.

1. Passed classes of Instruction †

† This includes any authorised class of instruction, e.g., in swimming, chiropody, &c.

2. Campaigns ...
(including Actions)

3. Wounded ...

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

5. Medals, decorations and annuities

Name of Medal

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[illegible]

1930. (Bureau of Health) 5.
 J. Ford
 J. Ford
 Signature of Officer in Records.

(a) In the case of a man who has engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.

(b) Signaller, Shoeing Smith, & [REDACTED]

(133). Wt. 1501/5158. 1,000,003. 1/16. P.F., Ltd. Forms/B.103/3.

[P.T.O.]

Regimental Number 203298

ank W Surname Blatford Christian Name George Henry
 eligion 6 of 6 Age on Enlistment 31 years 9 months

unlisted (a) 30-11-18 Terms of Service (a) June of 1898 Service reckons from (a) 30-11-18

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

Extended	Re-engaged	Qualification (b)	or Corps Trade and Rate
		<i>Chamber</i>	

Signature of Officer in Records. 19 of Corps and Rate 14

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(a) In the case of a man who has been engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.

(b) *Smaller, Shoeless Smith & Co.*

[P.T.O.]

Date	Report From whom received	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form H. 218, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form H. 218, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents
18.2.19	R. E. Harries	"Inauguration" 4th Bn. New York to "C" Coy R.E.	Camp. France	20.2.18	No. 38575
		William Mac Glasgow joined "A" Coy Machine Co. P. S. 69. Maffra joined 5th Res. Bn. R.E.		15.12.17	Addition
			Boscombe.	20.3.18	
				8.8.18	
				29.9.18	
29/9/18	Gay. 5th Res. Bn. R.E. To Port of Embarkation	Prioritry - W.O. Telegram J45 K/558 (A.G. 78) 24.3.18			
		FOR O.C. H. 5th Res. Bn. R.E.			
23.11.18	O.B. 421 M. Co.	joined unit from R.E. R.R.	T.S.	17.12.18	Excess
				14.1.19	born 71
				18.5.19	Fallen 21
15.5.19					

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 218, Army Form A. 38, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Taken from Army B. 218, Army Form A. 38, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
18.8.18	R. E. Records	Transfer & Study Deep "Inauguration 3rd (1st Bn) New Zealand" to "C" Coy R.E.	En Service	18.12.17	CIS 0
		Wiltshire No. 4 Squadron formed "No. 4 Coy New Zealand" to R.E. 5th Battalion formed 5th Res. Bn. R.E.		15.12.17	Adjoining
				20.3.18	
				8.8.18	
				8.8.18	
29/9/18	Cay. 5th Res. Bn. R.E. To Port of Embarkation		Boscombe.	29.9.18	
29/9/18	Authority: - W.O. Telegram 145 K/558 (A.G. 7B) 24.3.18				
	For O.C. H. 5th Res. Bn. R.E.				
	ARRIVED IN FRANCE				
23.11.18	OC, 421 M. Coy.	formed unit from R.E. R.R.	O.S.	17.10.18	British
	OC 497 M. Coy.	formed unit from 421 Coy		14.1.19	British
		1st days leave to U.K.			
		Appointed 7/12 to General (leave)		18.5.19	British 21
4.5.19		Quitting, C.N.E. & then Director			
		R.O. 155			

SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM (Part I).

Army Form
Part I

(1) Substantive rank

Barker

(2) Regiment or Corps

(3) Regiment

* Acting rank
(To be entered in pencil to indicate alteration.)

(4) Surname

Blackford

(5) Christian Names

George Henry

(6) Army Form, number of, Attestation Form or Record of Service paper

(7) Whether of British or of Alien origin [vide A.C.I. 578 of 1918]

(8) Date of birth as stated on enlistment

(9) (a)

(10) Enlistment (b)

(12) Service reckons from (date) *16/10/16*

(13) Special conditions (if any) of enlistment (d)

(14) Any subsequent variations (if any) of conditions of service

(Authority)

(date)

(15) Category

Date

Medical Authority

Initials and Rank of an Officer

(16) (Record of Occupation in Civil life [vide Army Order 137 of 1914])

Industrial Group No. *30*

Trade or Calling *Plumber*

Married or Single

Particulars of Trade Test

Occupation Cards despatched on (date)

Second Occupation Card despatched on (date)

(17) Next of Kin

(18) Demobilizer (f)

(Place)

(19) Pivotal-man (f)

(Date)

(20) Qualifications (g)

or (21) Corps trade and rate

(22) Extended {

(23) Re-engaged {

(24) Miscellaneous entries:—

NOTES.—[a] Here enter particulars of any subsequent claim as to actual age after verification by birth certificate [vide A.C.I. 470 of 1918. (b) Whether "not to be transferred without the soldier's consent, &c." [c] Whether for specified term of years or for duration of the war. [d] Whether "for Home Service, period, if specified, to be stated, also authority, &c." [e] Required for demobilization purposes. [f] Signaller, Shoemaking, &c.

Nothing to be written in this margin.

W1889—PP 1150 1M 5/18 G.W.P.Co (3490)

Address.
*35 Wilton Lane
Lancaster.*

*Blackford
(then)*

W. 12/10/16

Army Form
Part 1

Bathpean

to facilitate alteration.)

Richard Johnson

Yeon

(6) Army Form, number of, Attestation Form or Record of Service paper

(7) Whether of British or of Alien origin [*vide* A.C. I. 578 of 1918]

(8) Date of birth as stated on enlistment

(g) (a)

(10) **Enlistment (b)**

(12) Service reckons from (date) 16.10.16

(14) Any subsequent variations (if any) of conditions of service

(Authority)

(ii) **Engagement (c)**

(13) Special conditions (if any) of enlistment (*d'*)

(olate)

**Initials and Rank
an Officer.**

(16) (Record of Occupation in Civil life (*vide* Army Order 35 of 1947).

Industrial Group No. 30

Trade or Calling

Particulars of Trade Test

Occupation Cards despatched on (date)

Second Occupation Card despatched on (date)

(17) Next of Kin

(18) Demobilizer (*V*)

(Place)

(19) Pivotal-man (\mathcal{U})

(Date)

(20) **Qualifications (g)**

or (21) Corps trade and rate

(22) Extended }

(23) Re-engaged }

(24) Miscellaneous entries:—

NOTES.—[a] Have enter particulars of any subsequent claim as to actual age after verification by birth certificate [vide A.C.I., 470 of 1968]. [b] Whether deceased was employed or called up under the Military Service Acts. [c] Whether for specified term of years or for duration of the war. [d] Whether for Home Service or otherwise. [e] Is to be retained on Home Service; period, if specified, to be stated, also authority, and whether to be transferred without the soldier's consent, &c. [f] Required for demobilization purposes. [g] Signaller, Shewing-smith, &c.

(A) Report From whom received	(B) Authority of Part II. of Orders	(C) Record of promotions, appointments, reductions, transfers, etc. All entries as well as substantive promotions to be shown, for method of entry of which see A.C.J. 1886 of 1912. Corps and unit to which transferred and posted to be invariably named.	(D) Place of casualty	(E) Date of promotion, reduction, reversion, casualty, etc.	(F) Remarks, and initials and rank of an officer
18.6.19 C. 1973/24	29	Officer to board (BMD) audy. CKE Southern Divn. R. 018.13.14.14/19. in days leave to British Empire leave Club. Leave 15.7.19 Proceeded to UK for Demobilization 16.9.19	—	10.6.19	
19.7.19 —	29			15.7.19	
20.9.19 —	38		—	16.9.19	

Nothing to be written in this margin.

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28-6-19	20-4-19	29	10-6-19	15-7-19	
19-7-19	—	29	15-7-19	15-7-19	
20-9-19	—	38	16-9-19	16-9-19	

App. to board (BMD)
 and: CKE Southern Down. 1018/3/24/19.
 in army leave to British Empire-leave
 Club. Leave 18-7-19
 Proceeded to UK for
 Demobilization 16-9-19

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STATEMENT OF

Corps	Battn. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Attested	To Army Reserve	Mobilized	Posted
General Service						
General Service						
PE	D	Plumley Skilled	SAPPER		16-10-16	
<p>Gen Base Depot Transferred Ex Force France Embarked</p>						
497 (Kent) Sd Coy	10-11-17	Joined unit from R.E.B.D.			24-4-17	
497 (Kent) Sd Coy	10-11-17	Appointed (Paid) Sd/Bpt			6-10-17	
497 (Kent) Sd Coy	10-11-17	Appointed (Paid) Sd/Bpt			12-11-17	
497 (Kent) Sd Coy	10-11-17	Appointed (Paid) Sd/Bpt			17-11-18	
497 (Kent) Sd Coy	10-11-17	Appointed (Paid) Sd/Bpt			18-5-19	
497 (Kent) Sd Coy	10-11-17	Appointed (Paid) Sd/Bpt			10-6-19	
<p>transferred to Class "2" Army Person on mobilization.</p> <p>Challenger Yellow Lane Lancaster</p>						

O.C. Denot Co's.. R.E.

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STATEMENT of the SERVICE

Corps	Battn. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Attested	To Army Reserve	Mobilized	Posted
General Service						
General Service						
PE	7	Plumley Skilled	SAPPER			16. 10. 16
<p>Gen Base Depot transferred</p> <p>Force France transferred</p> <p>24. 4. 17</p> <p>11th Field Coy. transferred from</p> <p>11th H.E. Co. E.B.D.</p> <p>6. 10. 17</p> <p>11th Field Coy. appointed (paid) to 11th</p> <p>13. 11. 17</p> <p>11th Field Coy. joined unit from</p> <p>11th H.E. Co. E.B.D.</p> <p>17. 11. 18</p> <p>497 (Kent) Fld. Coy. no 21/19</p> <p>App'd</p> <p>18. 6. 19</p> <p>497 (Kent) Fld. Coy. no 26</p> <p>App'd</p> <p>18. 6. 19</p>						
<p>transferred to class "2" Army</p> <p>res. on mobilization.</p> <p>11th Field Coy.</p> <p>11th H.E. Co. E.B.D.</p> <p>11th Field Coy.</p> <p>11th H.E. Co. E.B.D.</p> <p>11th Field Coy.</p> <p>11th H.E. Co. E.B.D.</p>						
<p>Home</p> <p>Ex. Force, France</p> <p>29. 9. 18</p>						

(Application)

No. 203,298

TRADE AND SERVICE

Trade or Special qualification.	Classification.	With effect from	Rating.	Assessment.	Officer Entry and date of signing.	Remarks.
		Date.				

ON JOINING THE CORPS OR POSTING TO THE RANKS.

Plumber	Skilled	16-10-16	1/4	E. S.M.B.	19/10/14	<i>R. H. McLaughlin</i> for Captain, R.E. Supt. of Workshops.
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SUBSEQUENT ENTRIES.

(Applicable only)

No. 203.298

Name

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To be used (a) for recruits and
men of the Territorial Force
Army Form B. 178A to be used
Reservists enlist

MEDICAL

Surname

Blatchford

Christie

TABLE I. - GENERAL

Birthplace ... Parish *St Marys* County *Lancaster*

Examined ...

on *19* day of *June* 191*6*
at *Mill Hill*

Declared Age ...

31 years *9* months *9* days.

Trade or Occupation ...

Black of work

Height ...

5 feet *7* inches.

Weight ...

134 lbs.

Chest

Girth when fully
Expanded

Measurement

Range
of Expansion

36 inches.

2 1/2 inches.

Physical Development ...

Fair

Vaccination Marks

Arm ...

Right

2

Left

Number

inf

When Vaccinated ...

Vision ...

R.E.-V=
L.E.-V=
6/6

(a) Marks indicating con-
genital peculiarities or
previous disease ...

(a)

(b) Slight defects but not
sufficient to cause rejec-
tion ...

(b) *Artificial Denture Upper. Defective Teeth &
Slight Varicose*

Approved by (Signature)

(Rank)

Medical Officer.

Enlisted ...

at *Mill Hill*
on *30* day of *Nov.*

191*5*.

Joined on Enlistment ...

Corps.

Royal Engineers

Regtl. No.

203298

Transferred to ...

Became non-effective by

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MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Blatchford Christian

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Height ... 5 feet 7 inches.

Weight ... 134 lbs.

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded 36 inches.

{ Range of Expansion 2 1/2 inches.

Physical Development ... Fair

Vaccination Marks { Arm ... Right 2 Left
Number hyp

When Vaccinated ...

Vision ... { R.E.—V=6/6
L.E.—V=6/6

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

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection ... { (b) Artificial Denture Upper. Defective teeth lower
Slight Varicella

Approved by (Signature) _____
(Rank) _____

Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... at Hill Hill
on 30 day of Nov. 1915.

Joined on Enlistment ... Corps. Royal Engineers. Regtl. No. 203298

Transferred to ...

Became non-effective by

missions to Hospital or to the Sick

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list in the case of Warrant Officer

bearing on the cause, nature, or treatment of the case, likely to
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Gladys Montgomery. M.B., Ch.B.

5. Convalescent.

Command Dept

Robson. for O.C.

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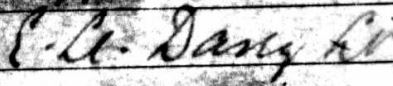
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R.A.M.C.

Recruiting Medical Staff
WITT HILL.

21.10.16

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G. B. Glavin Lieut. R. A. M. C.

25:11:16

T.H.B.

At Hamilton

CAPT. R.A.M.C.

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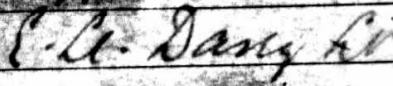
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Chatham.

16-10-16

B.E.F. France.

24-4-17

Inside Sheet.

(For Original Attestation.)

No. 11111

Name

(Rank not be shown)

Robert Ford G

Registry No.	From whom	Purport and Date	Action
	Robert Ford G	MA8	9-1-18
	Stacy Lee PG	Call for 2nd	with 5
	Chittah	(Hand 11/1/18)	

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	<u>McG. Lee P.E.</u>	<u>Call for 2nd</u>	<u>with 5</u>
	<u>Clinton</u>	<u>Good 11/1/18</u>	

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Royal Engineer,
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