

# SHORT SERVICE.

Army Form B. 217.

## ATTESTATION FOR FOOT GUARDS.

No. 912 Name William Alton  
Corps Greenadier Guards



Joined at London  
on 1st April 1887

### Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 1. What is your Name?.....  | 1. <u>William Alton</u>   |
| 2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? .....  | 2. In the Parish of <u>St. Mary's</u> in or near the Town of <u>St. Mary's</u> in the County of <u>Dorset</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? .....   | 3. <u>Yes</u>   |
| 4. Do you know your Age? .....  | 4. <u>Yes</u>   |
| 5. What is your Age? (You are warned that if you wilfully give a false answer to this question you are liable to be severely punished)  | 5. <u>23</u> Years..... <u>1</u> Months.  |
| 6. What is your Trade or Calling? .....   | 6. <u>Army Bailiff</u>  |
| 7. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? if so, where? to whom? and for what period?.....   | 7. <u>No</u>  |
| 8. 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?.....  | 8. <u>No</u>  |
| 9. Are you Married? .....   | 9. <u>No</u>  |
| 10. Have you ever been Convicted by the Civil Power?.....   | 10. <u>No</u>   |
| 11. Have you ever been discharged from any part of Her Majesty's Forces, with Ignominy, or as Incurable and Worthless, or on account of conviction of felony, or of a sentence of penal servitude, or have you been dismissed with disgrace from the Navy? (You are warned that there is a special provision in the Army Act which renders you liable to heavy Punishment if you make a false answer to this question). | 11. <u>No</u>   |
| *12. Do you now belong to, or have you ever served in Her Majesty's Army, the Marines, the Militia, the Militia Reserve, or Royal Navy? If so, state which and cause of discharge.  | 12. <u>No</u>   |
| 13. Do you now belong to the Volunteers, or to the Naval Artillery Volunteers? or to the Royal Naval Reserve Force?.....  | 13. <u>No</u>   |
| 14. Have you truly stated the whole, if any, of your previous Service? .....  | 14. <u>Yes</u>  |
| 15. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for Her Majesty's Service? If so, on what grounds? .....   | 15. <u>No</u>   |
| 16. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? .....  | 16. <u>Yes</u>  |
| 17. For what Corps are you willing to be enlisted, or are you willing to be enlisted for General Service?.....  | 17. For <u>Greenadier Guards</u>  |
| 18. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? .....  | 18. <u>Yes</u> { Name <u>Gas Booth Sergeant</u> / Corps <u>Greenadier Guards</u>                              |
| 19. Are you willing to serve for the term of twelve Years, provided Her Majesty should so long require your services, for the first three years in Army Service, and for the remaining nine years in the 1st Class of the Army Reserve? .....   | 19. <u>Yes</u>  |
| 20. Are you aware, that, if at the expiration of the above-mentioned term of Army Service, a state of war exists, you will be liable if so directed by the competent Military Authority to serve in Army Service for a further term, not exceeding 12 months? .....   | 20. <u>Yes</u>  |
| 21. Are you aware that, if at the expiration of the above-mentioned terms of Army Service, you are so required by a proclamation from Her Majesty in case of imminent national danger or great emergency, you may be required to serve in Army Service so as to complete your term of 12 years, and for a further period not exceeding 12 months? .....   | 21. <u>Yes</u>  |
| 22. Are you aware that, if the above-mentioned term of 12 years expires while you are on service with the Regular Forces beyond the sea, or while a state of war exists with a Foreign Power, or while Soldiers in the Reserves are required by proclamation to continue in or re-enter upon Army Service, you will be liable to serve for a further period not exceeding 12 months? .....                              | 22. <u>Yes</u>  |

I, William Alton 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.  
William Alton Signature of Recruit. Gas Booth Sergeant Signature of Witness.

### OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, William Alton do make Oath, that I will be faithful and bear true Allegiance to Her Majesty, Her Heirs, and Successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully defend Her Majesty, Her Heirs, and Successors, in Person, Crown, and Dignity against all enemies, and will observe and obey all orders of Her Majesty, Her Heirs, and Successors, and of the Generals and Officers set over me. So help me God.  
Witness my hand. William Alton Signature of Recruit  
Gas Booth Sergeant Signature of Witness

### 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 oath before me at London on this 1st day of April 1887  
Signature of the Justice R. H. H. H.

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 80 (6), Army Act, 1881.  
The Recruit should, if he require it, receive a copy of the Declaration on Army Form B. 218.

\*If so, the Recruit is to be asked the particulars of his former Service, and to produce, if possible, his Parchment Certificate of Discharge, which should be returned to him on re-enlistment, conspicuously endorsed on the (Date) re-enlisted in the (Regiment)

Description of

*William Allen*

on Enlistment.

Age physically equivalent to } 23 years 2 months.  
 Height 5 5 feet 10 1/2 inches.  
 Weight† 164 1/2 lbs.  
 Chest Measurement 35 1/2 inches.  
 Complexion Irish  
 Eyes Blue  
 Hair Dark brown  
 Religious denomination Church of England

‡ Distinctive Marks.

*Note back of left neck none*

NOTE.—Civilian Medical Practitioners on making the primary examination of a recruit are to enter the above particulars in pencil only.  
 \* To be determined according to the instructions given at para. 985 of the Medical Regulations, and to be filled in in all cases.  
 † A Civilian Medical Practitioner is not required to fill this in.  
 ‡ Should the Medical Officer be of opinion that the recruit has served before, he will (unless the man acknowledges to any previous service) make a note to that effect in the column for distinctive marks.

CERTIFICATE OF PRIMARY MEDICAL EXAMINATION—(by a Civilian Medical Practitioner.)

I have examined the above-named Recruit and find that he does not present any of the following conditions, viz.:—  
 Scrofula; phthisis; syphilis; impaired constitution; defective intelligence; defects of vision, voice, or hearing; hernia; hæmorrhoids; varicose veins beyond a limited extent; marked varicocele with unusually pendent testicle; inveterate cutaneous disease; chronic ulcers; traces of corporal punishment, or evidence of having been marked with the letters D., or B.C.; contracted or deformed chest; abnormal curvature of spine; or any other disease or physical defect calculated to unfit him for the duties of a soldier.

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 he is not subject to fits of any description.

I consider him fit for service in the Army.  
 I have filled up the above "Description" in pencil.

Date 1<sup>st</sup> April 1887  
 Place Sellingham

W. Moore Brown M.B.  
per H. Owen Taylor M.D. } Civil Medical Practitioner.

NOTE.—This Certificate should be left blank when the Recruit is examined in the first instance by an Approving Medical Officer.

CERTIFICATE OF FINAL MEDICAL EXAMINATION—(by an Approving Medical Officer.)

Examined by me in accordance with above Certificate, I consider him\* fit for the Army.

I have completed the above Description in ink.

Date April 4<sup>th</sup> 1887  
 Place London

A. B. Stuart  
Surgeon Major, Grenadier Guards } Surgeon, Approving Medical Officer.

\* Insert here "fit," or "unfit."

NOTE.—Should the Approving Medical Officer consider the recruit unfit, he will state here briefly 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 Gren. Guards and that I have examined this Attestation and find it properly filled up. I also certify that nil was the bona fide bringer of this Recruit.

Date 4<sup>th</sup> April 1887  
 Place Green Guards

Responsible Major Hob  
Regt. Gren. Guards. } Recruiting Officer.

\* NOTE.—Insert here "fit" or "unfit."

† Insert Regiment or Corps.

Certificate of Approving Field Officer.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named recruit is correct, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to Grenadier Guards

If enlisted by special authority, number and date to be here quoted

Date April 1887  
 Place Green Guards

Col. G. H. ...  
Col. Comm. Gren. Guards } Approving Field Officer.

STATEMENT of the SERVICES of No. *912* Name *William Allow*

Corps in which served	Battn. or Depôt	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 Officer certifying correctness of Entries
					years	days	years	days	
<i>4th Class</i>	<i>Service towards limited engagement reckons from</i>			<i>1 Apr 87</i>					<i>William Allow</i> CAPTAIN GRENADEER GUARDS
<i>Record</i>	<i>transferred</i>		<i>Pk.</i>	<i>1 Apr 90</i>					
		<i>Re-engaged for Section</i>		<i>on 14 Dec: '98 for 6 m</i>					<i>William Allow</i> CAPTAIN GRENADEER GUARDS
		<i>years from 12 April '99</i>		<i>X</i>					
		<i>Discharged Pk. 31.3.03</i>							<i>William Allow</i> CAPTAIN GRENADEER GUARDS
		<i>Terms of Engmt.</i>							
				<i>Coys</i>	<i>3</i>				
				<i>a Res</i>	<i>9</i>				
				<i>Sec'd</i>	<i>7</i>				
Total amount of Service forfeited towards pension, and not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay brought forward from the old Record ...									
Total Service forfeited as above ... ..									
Total Service towards Engagement to <i>31.3.03</i> (date of discharge) <i>16</i> years <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> days									

STATEMENT of the SERVICES of No. *912* Name *William Green*

Corps in which served	Battn. or Depôt	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Period of Service in each Rank		Amount of Service towards Lim. Engagt.		Amount of Service for fixing the rate of Pension		Amount of Service towards G. C. Pay	
				From	To	years	days	years	days	years	days
<i>Green Guards</i>			<i>Private</i>	<i>April 8</i>							

Total Service as above ... ..

I have examined the above details, and find them in every respect correct.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Paymaster,  
or Officer Commanding.

Further Service from the \_\_\_\_\_ to the \_\_\_\_\_ when finally discharged ... .. )

Total Service allowed to reckon to the day of final discharge... ..

## MILITARY HISTORY SHEET.

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

COUNTRY	FROM	To	YEARS	DAYS
<i>None</i>	<i>1.4.84.</i>	<i>31.3.03</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>5</i>

N.B.—The Country only to be shown—it is not necessary to shew separately the service in the different stations of same country. England, Scotland, and Ireland to be shewn under the general term "Home."  
For mode of computing Foreign Service, see Sec. XIX., Queen's Regulations.

Initials of Officer making the Entry

2. Educated at ...	{ Royal Military Asylum Royal Hibernian Military School	
3. Name and Address of Next of Kin ...	{ <i>Mother Sarah The Firs House No 13 Bedfordshire</i>	<i>and</i>
4. Campaigns ...	{	
5. Wounded ...	{	
6. Effects of Wounds	{	
7. Special instances of gallant conduct ...	{	
8. Medals, decorations, and annuities ...	{	
9. Injuries in or by the Service ...	{	
10. Married To whom Place and Date	{ <i>Not married</i>	<i>and</i>
11. Passed Classes of Instruction...	{	
12. Certificates of Education ...	{ <i>4<sup>th</sup> Class.</i>	<i>and</i>
13. Character on being passed to Reserve	{ On 1st transfer <i>Good</i> On 2nd transfer	
14. Numerical position on roll of Non-Commissioned Officers on transfer to the Reserve ...	{	
15. Character on being Discharged ...	{	
16. Place of Discharge	{	
17. Intended place of Residence on Discharge	{	
18. Cause of Discharge	{	
19. Pension awarded	{	
20. Died ...	{	
21. Notes ...	{	

NOTE.—These entries are to be made from time to time as they occur, and initialled by the Officer making the entry.

MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname Alton Christian Name William

Enlisted { on 1<sup>st</sup> day of April 18 87,  
 at Nottingham  
 Birthplace { Parish Heath, Belper  
 County Derby  
 Age (last birthday) 23  
 Former Trade Farm. bailiff  
 Height 71 Inches.  
 Weight 164 lbs.  
 Chest Measurement 36 1/2 Inches.  
 Physical Development Very good  
 Small Pox Marks None  
 Vaccination Marks { Arm L.  
 Number 2  
 When Vaccinated Infancy  
 Marks on body, congenital or otherwise  
None.

Finally approved by J. B. Hunt  
 Surgeon major Genl. Hunt  
 Examined for re-engagement,  
 day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_  
 \* Considered \_\_\_\_\_ Surgeon  
 \* if unfit, state disability.  
 Re-vaccinated on 5<sup>th</sup> day of April 1887  
 Arm Left Number Two  
 Result One Modified  
W. Campbell Surgeon Colo. 90

	CORPS.	REGTL. NUMBER.	DATE.
On Enlistment Joined ...	<u>3<sup>rd</sup> Gren. Guards</u>	<u>912</u>	<u>4. 4. 87</u>
Transferred to ...			

APPEARED BEFORE A MEDICAL BOARD.

Station	Date	Disease	Result

General remarks as to habits, conduct, &c. good & temperate

Dublin 5  
9<sup>th</sup> March 90 3

Accott Lieut + Asst 3  
3<sup>rd</sup> Bu. Genl. J. B. Hunt 3

Christian Name *William*

Surname *Alton*

Station, or Troop Ship	Date of arrival at the Station, or of Embarkation	Dates of						Diseases according to Nomenclature. (a) Primary. (b) Secondary.	Number of Days in Hospital	Remarks on nature of the disease; how induced; if mild or severe; if completely recovered from; whether any particular treatment was adopted. In venereal cases, state nature of primary disease, and whether mercury has been given. If an accident, state whether it occurred on duty.	Signature of Surgeon.
		Admission into Hospital			Discharge from Hospital						
		Yr.	Mo.	Day	Yr.	Mo.	Day				
<i>Baterham</i>	<i>6. 11. 87.</i>										
<i>Lough</i>	<i>8. 9. 89</i>						<i>No entry</i>				
<i>Dublin</i>	<i>10. 12. 89</i>	<i>90</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>90</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>No entry influenza</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>Epidemic - not - simple.</i>	<i>Aspd...</i>	

PENSION EXPIRES.

*Gratuity*

**SOLDIERS.**

# Award Sheet.—Disablement Pension.

In charge Documents received.

*2-2-18* (Date).

WEEK ENDING *10-3-18*

Case Number *G.P.S.E. 2090*

Name *Alton William*

Regl. No. *19707* Rank *Private*

Regiment *Grenadier Guards 4th Bn. Bata.*

Date of Discharge *5-10-14* Date of commencement of Pension *20-2-18*

Cause of Discharge *Physically unfit*  
*D.O.P. (1870) 48.0*

Corps.	Class for Pension.					Total.
	WT.	I.	II.	III.	IV.	
<i>6th G.P.S.</i>						<i>3</i>
<i>3rd G.P.S.</i>						<i>9</i>
<i>6th (S.P.S.)</i>						<i>4</i>
						<i>19 1/2</i>
						<i>13</i>

Sent to Secretary, R.H., Chelsea, for assessment of service pension (Date) *6/12*

Rate of service pension awarded \_\_\_\_\_ Returned from R.H., Chelsea \_\_\_\_\_ (Date)

Disability for which invalided *Myalgia* Degree of Disablement *less than 20%*

Opinion of Medical Board *Permanent* service during war with Germany

Opinion of D.G.A.M.S. service during war with Germany

Artificial Appliance required \_\_\_\_\_ A.A.B. advised \_\_\_\_\_ (Date)

Artificial Appliance supplied \_\_\_\_\_

Hospital or Special Treatment suggested *Hospital G.P. 3 months*

Action taken \_\_\_\_\_

Writer \_\_\_\_\_ (Init.)

Checker \_\_\_\_\_ (Init.)

Init.	Date.	AWARD.	
		Pension or Gratuity.	Children's Allowance.
<i>IS</i> sent	<i>11.7.0</i>	<i>Am: 7'</i>	
A.F. W.348	<i>8.3.18</i>	<i>Grat: 7' RW17</i>	
A.19 to R.			
A.19 to Records	<i>11.3.18</i>		
L.C. &c. to man		<i>£ 32.10</i>	
Notification to I.O. (Card and D. 400)	<i>HAD</i>	Duration _____ from _____ to _____ nature <i>Gratuity</i>	Number _____
A.19 to N.H.I.C.		Degree of Disablement _____	Proposer <i>RG</i>
A.19 to W.P.C.		Attributable _____ Non-attributable _____	Approver _____
Entered on Weekly Return sent to I.O.		Names of Children.	Dates of Birth.
Analysis: Case Examined	<i>R.D.C. 8.3.18</i>		
Entered on Conditional Register			
Extracted for Statistical Card	<i>HAD 11.3.18</i>		
Audited _____		Separation Allowance issued to _____	
Put away _____ (Date)		_____ (Date)	

## APPEAL TRIBUNAL.

Appeal received \_\_\_\_\_ (Date).

Decision \_\_\_\_\_ (insert here whether attributable or non-attributable).

FORM 90.



**Casualty Form—Active Service.**

Regiment or Corps Granadier Guards.

Regimental No. 19704. Rank Pte Name William Albion.

Re-Enlisted (a) 5.9.14. Terms of Service One year or War Service reckons from (a) 5-9-14

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

Extended \_\_\_\_\_ Re-engaged Group 35 (Police) Qualification (b) \_\_\_\_\_

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				
		Occupational card sent	Kens.	13/1/14	

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

1878 T.M. 17 '15

Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station Chelsea Barracks

Date 21/19

- 1. Unit 5th (Res) Grenadier Guards
- 2. Regimental No. 19707
- 3. Rank Pl.
- 4. Name William Cotton
- 5. Age last birthday 50
- 7. Former Trade or Occupation Policeman
- 7A. If with previous service in Army, state--
  - (a) Former Unit; Grenadier Guards
  - (b) Regimental No.; 912
  - (c) Date of Discharge; 31.3.1904
  - (d) Cause of Discharge; Termination of Engagement Sect. 2

Enlisted at Cambridge on 5.10.1914

8. Disability in respect of which invaliding is Proposed.

(Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question No. 19).

Myalgia

Statement of Case.

Note.—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Officer in medical charge of the case. In answering them he will carefully discriminate between the man's unsupported statements and evidence recorded in his military and medical documents. He will also carefully distinguish cases entirely due to venereal disease.

- 9. Date of origin of disability. States 1914
- 10. Place of origin of disability. States Chelsea Barracks.
- 11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case.
 

Not a Expeditionary Force.  
He states that he got his Rheumatism through being constantly wet while doing his duty as a sweeper in Barracks. Has never done full military duty.
- 12. Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability, stating whether in your opinion it is—
  - (a) attributable to or aggravated by service during the present war, climate, or ordinary military service. (The specific condition to which it is attributed should be stated, see Notes on page 3).
 

He states that he never had Rheumatism before re-Enlistment, therefore attributes to present war. by exposure to damp.
  - (b) constitutional or hereditary, and not aggravated by service during the present war.
 

No
  - (c) attributable to or aggravated by want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c.
 

No

13. What is his present condition?

*Weight should be given in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.*

*General health - Good  
Pain complained of chiefly in the shoulders and right leg, also  
complaints of swelling of right foot, no  
evidence of this. No objection symptoms  
Heart & lungs sound.*

14. If the disability is an injury, was it caused—

- (a) In action?
- (b) On field service?
- (c) On duty?
- (d) Off duty?

*Not applicable*

15. Was a Court of Inquiry held on the injury?

- If so—(a) When?
- (b) Where?
- (c) Opinion?

16. Was an operation performed? If so, *NO* what?

17. If not, was an operation advised and declined? *No*

18. *In case of loss or decay of teeth.* Is the loss of teeth the result of wounds, injury or disease, directly\* attributable to active service?

19. Give particulars of any other disabilities existing, but not in themselves sufficient to cause invaliding, and state whether they are attributable to or have been aggravated by service during the present war.

20. Do you recommend—  
(a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or  
(b) Change to England?

*Yes permanently unfit  
W. F. McEwen Wolfe*

Officer in medical charge of case.

I have satisfied myself of the general accuracy of this report, and concur therewith, *except †*

Station \_\_\_\_\_

Officer in charge of Hospital.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

\*Loss of teeth on or immediately after, active service, should be attributed thereto, unless there is evidence that it is due to some other cause.

† Delete this word if no exceptions are to be made.

Opinion of the Medical Board.

Notes.—(i.) Clear and decisive answers to the following questions are to be carefully filled in by the Board, as, in the event of the man being invalided, it is essential that the Minister of Pensions should be in possession of the most reliable information to enable him to decide upon the man's claim to pension.

(ii.) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," &c., should be avoided.

(iii.) *The rates of pension vary directly according to whether the disability is, (A) caused or aggravated by service in the present war, (B) due to causes not connected with present war, viz. (1) earlier active service, (2) climatic disease 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.*

(iv.) In answering question 21 the Board should be careful to discriminate between disease resulting from military conditions and disease to which the soldier would have been equally liable in civil life.

(v.) A disability is to be regarded as due to climate when it is caused by military service abroad in climates where there is a special liability to contract the disease.

1. (a.) State whether the disability is clearly attributable to—

(i.) Service during the present war;

(ii.) Climate;

(iii.) Ordinary military service;

(iv.) Want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c.; or

(v.) Whether it is constitutional or hereditary.

(b.) If due to one of the first three of these causes, to what specific conditions do the Board attribute it?

22. Has the disability been aggravated by any of the conditions mentioned in Question 21, and if so, which?

23. Is the disability permanent?

24. If not permanent, how soon do the Board recommend re-examination?

25. What is the degree of disablement at which, in the Board's opinion, he should be assessed for pension purposes at present?

*Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages:— 100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 30, 20, less than 20, or nil.*

26. If an operation was advised and declined, was the refusal unreasonable?

27. Do the Board recommend—

(a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or

(b) Change to England?

28. If discharge is recommended it should be stated whether further medical treatment (including orthopaedic training) is desirable in a—

(a) Sanatorium;

(b) Hospital;

(c) Convalescent home;

(d) Asylum; or

(e) Other institution either as an in-patient or an out-patient, and if so the period for which recommended.

29. With reference to Army Council Instruction No. 144 of 1917, is any surgical appliance recommended?

30. Does the man require the constant attendance of another person?

Signatures:—

Station DUKE OF YORKS HEADQUARTERS, CHELSEA.

Date 30 JAN 1918

Approved.

Station DUKE OF YORKS HEADQUARTERS, CHELSEA.

Date 30 JAN 1918

*Bx*

*no*

*et/come ||*

*✓*

*Yes*

*✓*

*less than 20%*

*✓*

*Discharge*

*Hospital 00. 3 months*

*no  
no*

*Robert O'Jack H. B. M. B.* President.

*G. Marks*  
*S. A. Simpson Capt* Members.

*Robert O'Jack H. B. M. B.*  
Administrative Medical Officer.

To be used only for Special Reserve Recruits, and for Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

# MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Alton OF Christian Name William

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish Heagar County Derbyshire

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined ... ..	on	5 <sup>th</sup> day of October 1914	on	day of 191
	at	Cambridge	at	
Declared Age <u>date of birth</u> ... ..	23 years 8 months <sup>24</sup> / <sub>1870</sub>			
Trade or Occupation ... ..	Labourer			
Height ... ..	5 feet	11 1/2 inches	feet	inches
Weight ... ..	182	lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement {	Girth when fully expanded		inches	
	Range of expansion ...		inches	
Physical development and Pulse rate...	Good			
Vaccination marks {	Right.	Left.	Right	Left
	-	3		
When Vaccinated... ..	Infancy			
Vision ... ..	R.E.—V=	6/6	R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=	6/6	L.E.—V=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection	(b)		(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	<i>W. H. ...</i>			
(Rank)	Major		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted... ..	at		at	
	on	day of 191	on	day of 191
Joined on enlistment ... ..	Corps	Regtl. No.	Corps	Regtl. No.
	<i>Gen. Spt</i>	19704		
Transferred to ... ..				
Became non-effective by ... ..	on	day of 191	on	day of 191
(Signature)				
(Rank)				



# LIST OF TRANSFER DOCUMENTS

Army Form B. 278

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

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N.B. - When a man is transferred the number and Corp should be filled and the new number and Corp entered in next line.

(Rank) Private (Name) William Allen  
 (No.) 082215 (Corps) Army Service Corps  
 (No.) \_\_\_\_\_ (Corps) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (No.) \_\_\_\_\_ (Corps) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (No.) \_\_\_\_\_ (Corps) \_\_\_\_\_

- Pay Book, Active Service (Army Book 61)
- Field Conduct Sheet (Army Form B. 129)
- Statement of Accounts (Army Form O. 1811)
- Savings Bank Transfer statement
- Special Claims
- List of necessaries in possession
- Clothing Return
- Compensation for Clothing
- Company Conduct Sheet
- Copies of Convictions by Civil Power
- Proceedings of Court 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. B. 2006)
- Certificate of Character (Army Form B. 64)
- Compulsory Stoppages (Army Form B. 293)
- Active Service Casualty (Army Form B. 108)
- Regimental Conduct Sheet
- Declaration on completion of first term of engagement (A. F. O. 1839)
- Certificate of Trade Proficiency (A. F. B. 196)
- Documents of re-enlisted men
- Declaration of change of name
- Authority for any Prolongation of Service under sec. 87, Army Act
- Application to extend Service under sec. 78 (1) Army Act
- Notice of Prolongation of Service beyond 21 years
- Re-engagement Paper
- Compulsory Stoppages (Army Form B. 293)
- Authority for Special Enlistment (A. F. B. 203)
- Attestations of Fraudulently and Improperly Enlisted Men for Corps in which not held to serve
- Proceedings of Court of Inquiry on injury or on men reported missing while on active service in the field

Original Attestation and Documents retained therewith.

### 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 posted  
 to Army Service Corps Depot  
 I forward the following documents to  
 † Army Service Corps  
 (Signature) William Allen  
 (Date) 14 15 1914  
 (Place) Army Service Corps Depot A. S. C.

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\*  
 to \_\_\_\_\_  
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 (Signature) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Date) \_\_\_\_\_ Comdg.  
 (Place) \_\_\_\_\_

On the occasion of this man being\*  
 to \_\_\_\_\_  
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 (Signature) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Date) \_\_\_\_\_ Comdg.  
 (Place) \_\_\_\_\_