

ATTESTATION PAPER

Folio.

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

ORIGINAL

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS)

1. What is your name? Cyril B Houlihan
2. In what Town, Township, or Parish, and in what Country were you born? Lindsay Ont
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin? Sister Mrs Joseph Huard
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin? 417 Dussell St Peterboro Ont
5. What is the date of your birth? September 3<sup>rd</sup> 1896
6. What is your trade or calling? Clerk
7. Are you married? No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? and inoculated Yes
9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia? No
10. Have you ever served in any Military Force? No  
If so, state particulars of former Service.
11. Do you understand the nature and terms of your engagement? Yes
12. Are you willing to be attested to serve in the CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE? Yes

Cyril B Houlihan (Signature of Man.)  
R. Anderson (Signature of Witness.)

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Cyril B Houlihan, 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 by me now made, and I hereby engage and agree to serve in the Canadian Over-Seas Expeditionary Force, and to be attached to any arm of the service therein, for the term of one year, or during the war now existing between Great Britain and Germany should that war last longer than one year, and for six months after the termination of that war provided His Majesty should so long require my services, or until legally discharged.

Date September 2<sup>nd</sup> 1915  
Cyril B Houlihan (Signature of Recruit.)  
R. Anderson (Signature of Witness.)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Cyril B Houlihan, do make Oath, that I will be faithful and bear true Allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will as in duty bound honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity, against all enemies, and will observe and obey all orders of His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, and of all the Generals and Officers set over me. So help me God.

Date September 2<sup>nd</sup> 1915  
Cyril B. Houlihan (Signature of Recruit.)  
R. Anderson (Signature of Witness.)

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE.

The Recruit above-named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.

The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence. I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me, at Lindsay this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of September 1915

G. J. Jamieson (Signature of Justice.)

I certify that the above is a true copy of the Attestation of the above-named Recruit.

G. J. Jamieson (Approving Officer.)

1915

DESCRIPTION OF Cyril B. Houlahan ON ENLISTMENT.

Apparent Age 18 years 11 months.  
(To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)

Distinctive marks, and marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease.

(Should the Medical Officer be of opinion that the recruit has served before, he will, unless the man acknowledges to any previous service, attach a slip to that effect, for the information of the Approving Officer.)

Height 5 ft 3 1/4 ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 33 1/2 ins.  
 Range of expansion 2 1/2 ins.

*None*

Complexion Fair

Eyes Grey

Hair Brown

Religious Denominations { Church of England  
 Presbyterian  
 Methodist  
 Baptist or Congregationalist  
 Other Protestants RC  
(Denomination to be stated.)  
 Roman Catholic  
 Jewish

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

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

He can see at the required distance with either eye; his heart and lungs are healthy; he has the free use of his joints and limbs, and he declares that he is not subject to fits of any description.

I consider him\* fit for the Canadian Over-Seas Expeditionary Force.

Date August 30<sup>th</sup> 1915

*J. McCulloch*  
 Lieut  
 Medical Officer.

Place Dundee

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

NOTE.—Should the Medical Officer consider the Recruit unfit, he will fill in the foregoing Certificate only in the case of those who have been attested, and will briefly state below the cause of unfitness:—

CERTIFICATE OF OFFICER COMMANDING UNIT

Cyril B. Houlahan having been finally approved and inspected by me this day, and his Name, Age, Date of Attestation, and every prescribed particular having been recorded, I certify that I am satisfied with the correctness of this Attestation.

*W. E. Fletcher* (Signature of Officer.)  
 COLONEL

Date OCT 6 1915

O. C. 80th Battalion, C.E.F.

REGIMENTAL DOCUMENTS

NAME Houlihan Cyril B.

REGT. NO. 219754

UNIT \_\_\_\_\_

H. Q. FILE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

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Box  
4529

**DEATH**

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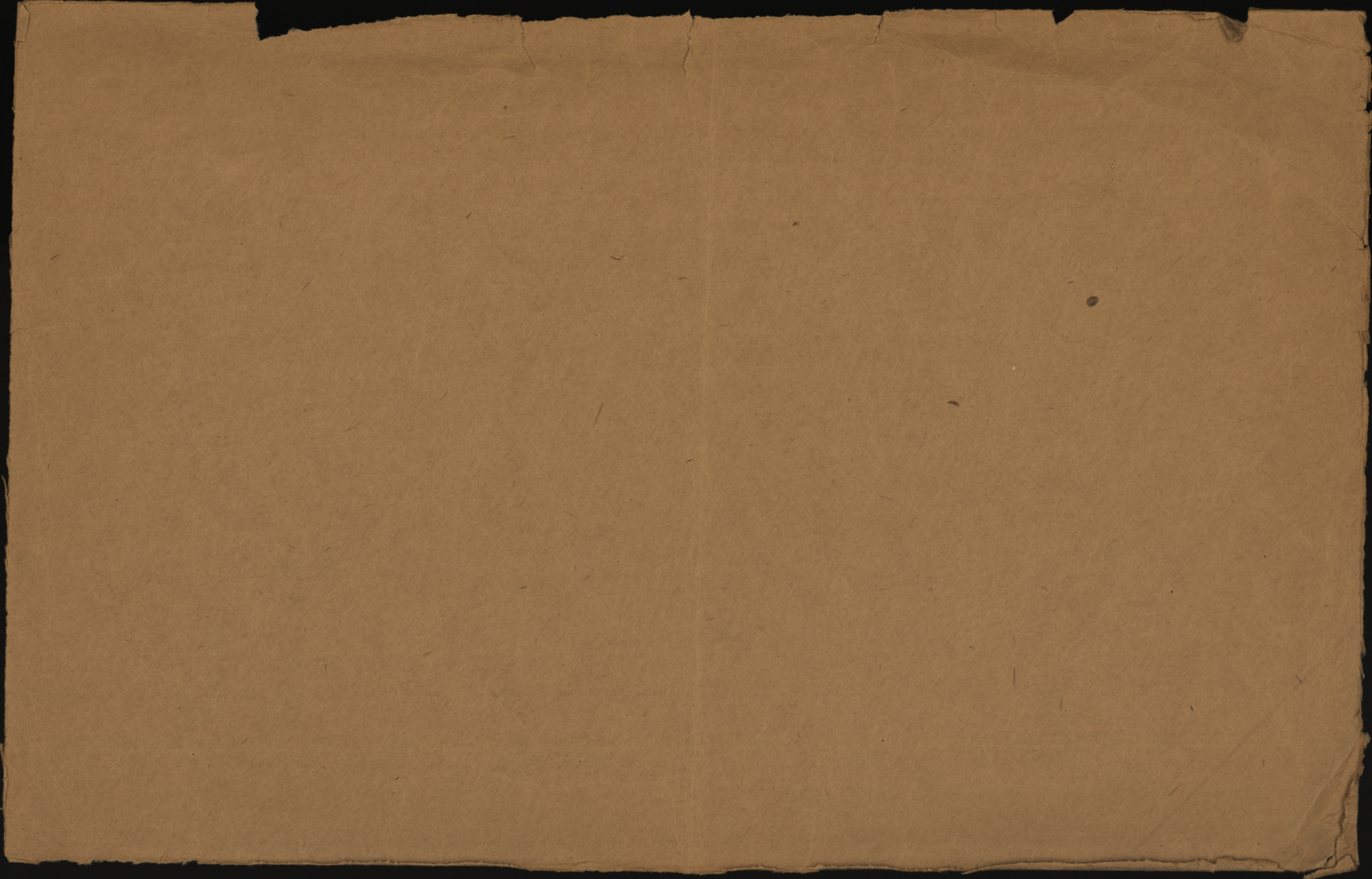
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**DISCHARGE**

Category

**DESERTION**

x  
10-3  
23-3  
31-3  
/



219754

**I.D. number**  
**No. d'identification**

HOUKIHAN

**Surname**  
**Nom de famille**

CYRIL B

**Given names**  
**Prénoms**

**PERSONNEL RECORDS CENTRE**  
**CENTRE DES DOCUMENTS DU**  
**PERSONNEL**

**Location**  
**Lieu**

4529



219754 Pte Houlihan C.B. 14322  
109th Bu. C.E.F.

Will removed by Regt. Paymaster  
Out 2-8-17 6497 10851

76264

*J. J. Williamson*  
CAPT.  
Paymaster, 109th Overseas Battalion, C.E.F.

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Perforated sheet for Will from Pay Book of Reg.

No. 219754  
Name C.B. Houlihan  
Unit 109th Can. Inf.

Military Will.

In the event of my death I give the whole of my property and effects to be equally divided between my two sisters

Mrs Joseph Heard  
Miss Annie Houlihan  
475 Champlain St  
Quebec Que.

Witness  
*J. J. Williamson*  
Signature C.B. Houlihan

Rank and Regt. Pte 109th Batt

Date Oct 12/1916

ESTATES BRANCH  
AUG 27 1917  
MILITIA DEPT.

MEMORANDUM

From

From

To

To

ANSWER

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

M. F. W. 54. (A. F. B. 103.)

250M.—1-16.

H. Q. 1772-39-920.

# Casualty Form—Active Service.

Unit, Regiment or Corps 109th OVERSEAS BATTALION, C. E. F.

Regimental No. 219454 Rank Private Name Houlihan Cyril Benedict

Enlisted (a) 1-1-16 Terms of Service (a) D of W Service reckons from (a) 2-9-15

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

Extended \_\_\_\_\_ Re-engaged \_\_\_\_\_ Qualification (b) Clerk

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				

CERTIFIED CORRECT.  
28-11-16  
14 DEC 1916  
CAN. RECORDS, LONDON.

	Embarked Canada		Halifax	24.7.16.	
	Disembarked England		Liverpool	31.7.16.	

28-11-16.		Proceeded overseas for service with 20th Btn.	Witley.		
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	Witley	<del>Transf'd to 20th Bn,</del>	<del>Overseas</del>	<del>28-11-16;</del>	<del>D.O. 333-28-11-16.</del>
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*A. W. Aseltine*  
Capt.  
ADJUTANT  
109th Overseas Battalion, C. E. F.

*A. W. Aseltine*  
CAPTAIN  
ADJUTANT,  
109th BATTALION CAN. INFANTRY

29/11/16	Depot	Arrived taken on strength	20 Bn Havre	29/11/16	NR Pt. 2.0.75	11/12/16
do	do	Left for Unit	Field	1/12/16	NR	
8/12/16	20 Bn	Joined Unit	do	4/12/16	B213	

19.5.17	---	Missing	---	9-5-17	---	295A 29-5-17.
2.6.17	---	Now rep'd killed in action	---	9-5-17	---	298A 9-6-17.

*Whogau* Capt. for Lt.-Col., A. A. G.  
Canadian Section, G. H. O. 3rd Echelon, B. E. F.

(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.



80th Battalion, C.E.F. 219754  
**MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.** ORIGINAL

Surname Houlihan Christian Name Cyril B.

Examined { on 30<sup>th</sup> day of August 1915  
 at Lindsay  
 Birthplace { City or Town Lindsay  
 County Ontario

Approved by J McCulloch  
 Rank Lieut. M.O.

Apparent age 18 years  
 Trade or occupation Clerk  
 Height 5 Feet 3 1/4 Inches.  
 Weight 113 Lbs.  
 Chest measurement { Minimum 31 inches. M.O.  
 Maximum expansion 33 1/2 inches. M.O.  
 Physical development Good M.O.  
 Small-Pox Marks None M.O.

Date	Fit or Unfit	EXAMINED FOR RE-ENGAGEMENT,

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right None Left Two  
 Number Two  
 When Vaccinated last September 9 1915  
 (a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease None

Date	Result	VACCINATIONS.
<u>9-9-15</u>	<u>ml</u>	<u>J. McCulloch</u> M.O.
<u>3-3-16</u>	<u>ml</u>	<u>J. McCulloch</u> M.O.

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection None

Date	Result	ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.
<u>29/11/15</u>	<u>good</u>	<u>H. H. Halper</u> M.O.
<u>9/12/15</u>	<u>good</u>	<u>H. H. Halper</u> M.O.

Enlisted on 2<sup>nd</sup> day of September 1915 at Lindsay

	CORPS.	REG'TL NUMBER.	HABITS.	DATE.
Joined on enlistment	<u>Overseas Conty</u>	<u>45<sup>th</sup> West Regt. 219754.</u>		<u>30.9.15</u>
Transferred to.. ..	<u>20th. Br</u>			<u>2.9.15</u>

**EXAMINED OR DISCHARGED BY A MEDICAL BOARD.**

STATION.	DATE.	DISEASE.	RESULT.

N. B.—This sheet to be disposed of in accordance with instructions in the Regulations for Army Medical Service, on the man becoming non-effective; the date and cause being stated on next page.



Em  
WJ

Number 219754 Rank P to ~~B~~

Surname HOUWLIHAN

Christian Name Cyril Benedict

Units 20 Bn Can Coy Theatre of War France

Date of Service 29/11/16 ~~D~~

Remarks Sister

Latest Address Mrs Jos. Seward  
72 Queen St

Roll No. B Page 14701 Lindsay,  
Ont

DESP  
REC  
JUL 15 1922  
RVH 5603.

(649-H-10851)

CARD NO.

L

SURNAME. *Houlihan,*

CHRISTIAN NAMES *Cyril B.*

D

FOLL.

REGL. NO. *219754*

RANK *Pte.*

UNIT ~~*80<sup>th</sup>*~~ *109<sup>th</sup>*

*Bath*

FORMER CORPS *Kil.*

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAMES IN FULL *Huard, Mrs. Joseph*

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER *Sister*

ADDRESS ~~*477 Driscoll Terrace Peterboro,*~~  
*Lindsay 92 Queen St., Ont.*  
*# Q type 10/7/11*  
*tel: 24-6-12.*

COUNTRY OF BIRTH *Canada, Lindsay, Ont.*

DATE *Sept. 3<sup>rd</sup> 1896*

PLACE OF ATTESTATION *Lindsay, Ont.*

DATE *Sept. 2<sup>nd</sup> 1915*

*Trans. from 80<sup>th</sup> Bn. to 109<sup>th</sup> Bn. auth. sailing*

*L. L. 94504. M. & D. 6512. Dist 15.7.16.*

MARRIED

SINGLE

Yes

WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING

Clerk

RELIGION

Roman Catholic

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE

18

YEARS

11

MONTHS

HEIGHT

5-

FEET

3  $\frac{3}{4}$

INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT

33  $\frac{1}{2}$

INCHES

EXPANSION

2  $\frac{1}{2}$

INCHES

COMPLEXION

Fair

EYES

Blue

HAIR

Brown.

DISTINGUISHING MARKS

Nil.

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

PLACE

Lindsay, Ont.

DATE

Aug. 30<sup>th</sup> 1915-

Sailed from Halifax 23/7/16 per "SS" Olympic.



649-H-10851

*N*  
Houlihan, Cyril B. #219754 Pte., C.E.F. *not reg. for 14-15 Mar.* *as the R.*

Medals & Decs. Sister Mrs. Jos. Huard  
72 Queen St.,  
Lindsay, Ont.

P. & S. Sister Same as above.

*Serial No 787209*

Mem. Cross Nil

MAR 3 - 1921

*78* Desp. \_\_\_\_\_ Reqn. No. 225208 813

JUN 17 1922

Plague Desp. \_\_\_\_\_ Reqn. No. P40304

*L*



REGT'L. No. 219754

NAME

Houlihan Cyril Benedict

H. Q. FILE NO 649

RANK AND CORPS

Plt 20th. Bn. (Form-80th. Bn)

FOLLOWS

NO.

FOLLOWS

CABLE

NO.

DATE

NATURE OF CASUALTY

C.

M. 5510

2-6-17.

Reported missing, May 9th 1917 ✓

M 5563

13-6-17

Prev. rep. missing now killed in action  
May 9th 1917. ✓

A. D. B. 2091a

9-6-17

Killed in action in the field France

Red

30-8-17

9-5-17

LIST NO.

HOSPITAL

DATE OF  
ADMISSION

REMARKS

A525

Rep. from Base

9-5-17

Missing

A534

Pres. rep. missing  
action

9-5-17

now rep. killed in





No. 219754. RANK

Pte

NAME Houlikan C B

T. O. S. 29-8-15

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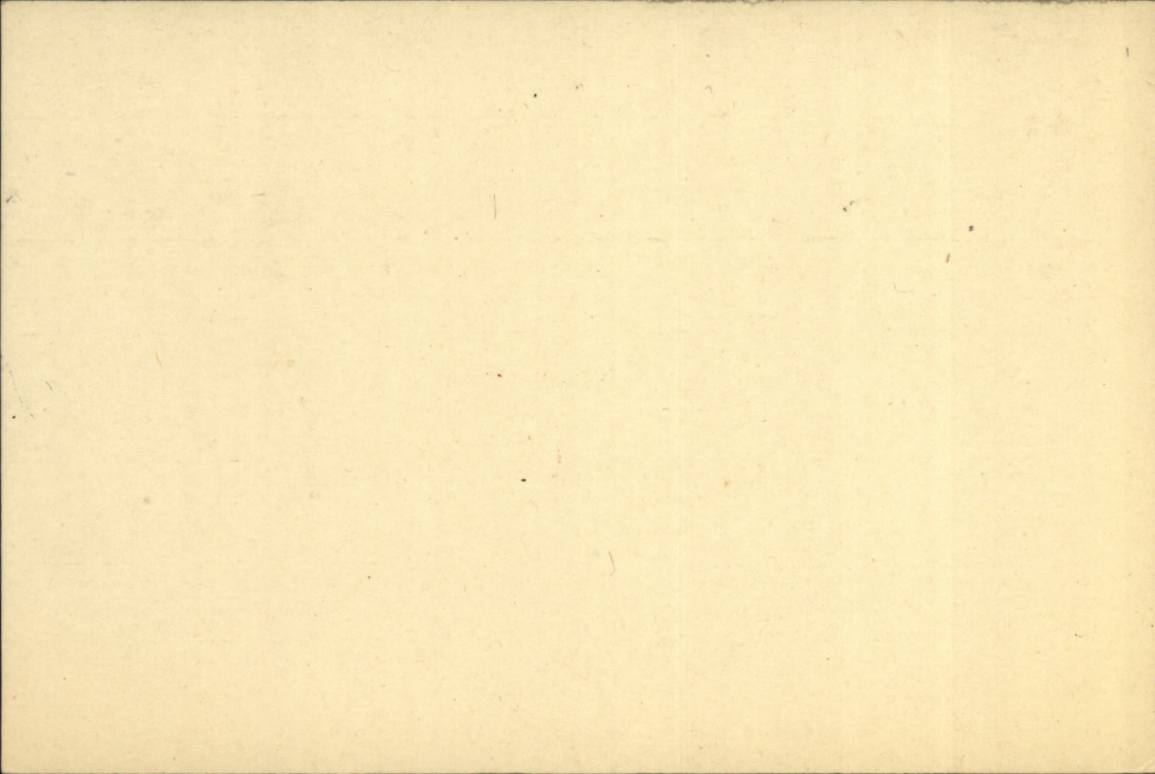
UNIT

45<sup>th</sup> Victoria Regt

O. S. Capt

M. D. 13

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
1915 Aug 29	1915 Aug 31	✓	Transferred to 80 <sup>th</sup> Bn 28-9-15	829228-9-15
Sept 1	Sept 28	✓	shown on 80 <sup>th</sup> Bn paylists	
Sept 29	Sept 30	✓		
	Oct.	✓		
	Nov.	✓		
	Dec.	✓	Transferred to 109 <sup>th</sup> Bn 31-12-15	D. O. 97 27-12-15





No. 21975-3

RANK

Pte

NAME

Haulihan J.

T. O. S. 2-9-15-

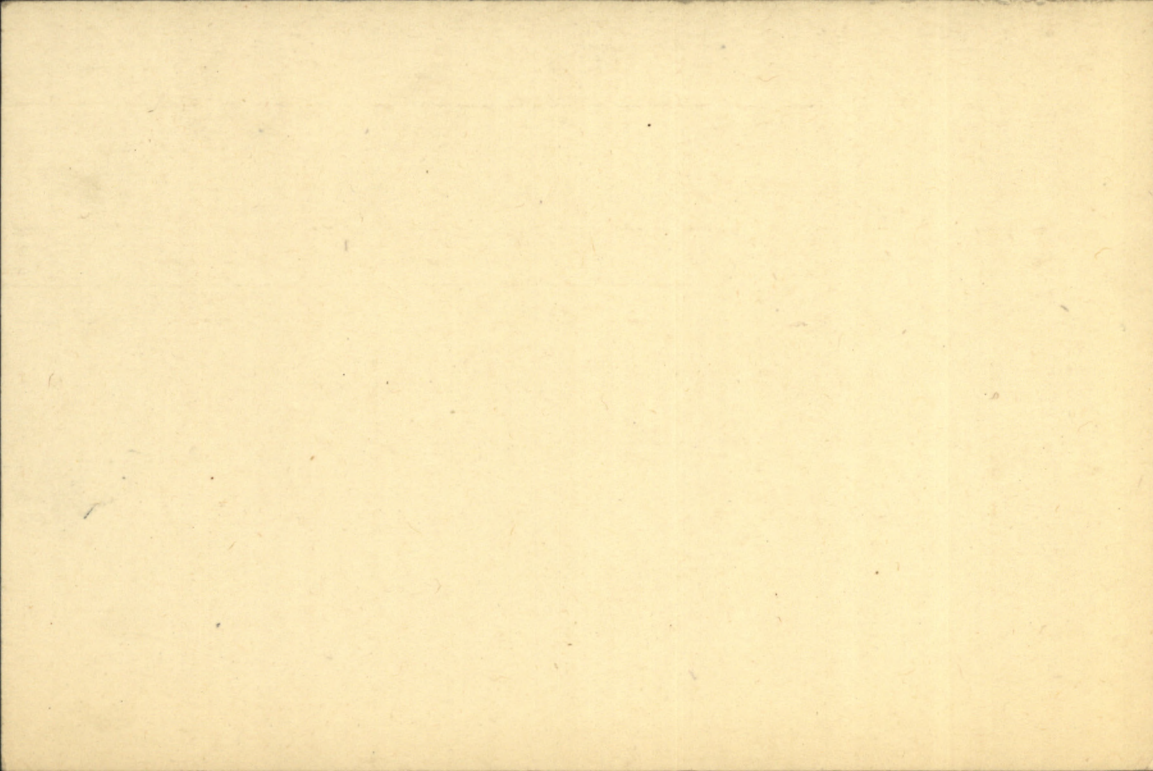
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UNIT

45th Victoria Regt.  
D. L. Coy.

M. D. 3

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
1915- Sept 2	1915- Sept 28	✓	Transferred to 80th Bn 28-9-15-	DD 92 28-9-15-
Sept 29	Sept 30	✓	shown on 80th Bn paylists	
Oct.		✓		
Nov.		✓		
Dec.		✓	Transferred to 109 Bn.	W. O. 2. 4-1-16.



No. 219754 RANK *Pte*

NAME *Maubhan G. B.*

T. O. S.

UNIT

*Transferred from 80th Bn.  
1-1-16 D.O. 40 6-1-16*

*109th Battalion*

M. D. *13*

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
<i>1916 Jan 1.</i>	<i>1916 Jan 31</i>	<i>✓</i>		
<i>Feb</i>		<i>✓</i>		
<i>Mar</i>		<i>✓</i>		
<i>April</i>		<i>✓</i>		
<i>May</i>		<i>✓</i>	<i>3 days detention.</i>	<i>5.0.139.</i>
<i>June</i>		<i>✓</i>		
<i>July</i>		<i>✓</i>		
		<i>✓</i>		

UNIT SAILED  
JUL 23 1916



Surname **Houlihan** Christian Name or Names **C.B.** Reg. No. **219754**  
 Rank **Pte** Unit **20th Bn** Co. Troop Batty.  
 Hospital Date of Admission

Transferred

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Diagnosis

(1)  
Later Diagnosis (if changed)

(2)

(3)

Additional Diagnosis: if more than one state present

**Killed in action 9-5-17** <sup>9</sup>/<sub>11</sub>

DISPOSITION

Date

**C.L.13-5-17 A534 P.R.Missing**

REMARKS

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

# EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

Hospital

Adm.

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

6.

7.







MILITIA AND DEFENCE  
**ASSIGNED PAY**  
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

M. F. W. 12a.  
 50m.-4-16.  
 1772-39-81a.

Sheet No. 2.

*Mrs. Jos. Haard*

Name of Soldier

*Houlahan G. B.*

PAYMENTS.

*#219754 Pte. "Blue" 109 Bath*

L. L. Job 310.-Req. 6374.

*(R20)*

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.
April	1916		
May			
June			
July			
Aug.		<i>21 5264</i>	<i>20</i>
Sept.		<i>Q 18510</i>	<i>20</i>
Oct.		<i>2 23252</i>	<i>20</i>
Nov.		<i>S 28368</i>	<i>20</i>
Dec.		<i>M 32921</i>	<i>20</i>
Jan.	<i>1917</i>	<i>T 38652</i>	<i>20</i>
Feb.		<i>J 45025</i>	<i>20</i>
March		<i>F 50042</i>	<i>20</i>
April		<i>a 3163</i>	<i>20</i>
May		<del><i>B 2591</i></del>	<del><i>20</i></del>
June		<del><i>B 8830</i></del>	<del><i>20</i></del>
July		<del><i>W 16109</i></del>	<del><i>20</i></del>
Aug.			
Sept.			
Oct.			
Nov.			
Dec.			
Jan.	1918		
Feb.			
March			
April			
May			
June			
July			

*\$20.00*

Remarks. *AUG 1 1916*

*20-L 200<sup>00</sup> C.F.X. 31-5-17 Payment 14-6-17*

*20-L B. 2591. loan 87B*

*a/c Closed car 31-5-17 Payment 14-6-17*

*20-C W 16109 cancelled*

F. X. Rend. *Total 200<sup>00</sup>*

E.F.X. " *14-11-17 V. K.*

MILITIA AND DEFENCE  
**ASSIGNED PAY**  
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

Sheet No. 2 (Contd.)

PAYMENTS.

Name of Soldier \_\_\_\_\_

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
Aug.	1918			
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1919			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1920			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				

MILITIA AND DEFENCE  
ASSIGNED PAY  
OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

To Whom *Ms. Jos. Huard,*  
Address *475 Champlain St.  
Quebec*

By Whom Assigned *Haulihan C. B.*  
Regtl. No. *219754*  
Rank *Pte.*  
Corps *109 Batt. B. Co.*

Rate *\$20,00* *Que.* **AUG 1 1916**

## PAYMENTS

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.	REMARKS
				9012-6-7
Aug.	1914			
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1915			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1916			
Feb.				
March				

Pensions Notified Date: *14-6-17*

Killed in Action } Date: *9-5-17*

~~Died of Wounds~~

~~Missing~~

~~Q. I. 13-6-17~~ Clerk: *payant*

Date Noted: *14-6-17*

1. 112222  
2. 112222  
3. 112222

4. 112222  
5. 112222  
6. 112222  
7. 112222  
8. 112222  
9. 112222  
10. 112222



