

James Wheatley Eaton
British Army Military Record

Derbyshire Regiment 11 Jan 1884 – 10 Jan 1896

Army Reserve 10 Apr 1896 – 9 Apr 1901

Territorial Force 12 Jan 1915 – 6 Aug 1917

20 Pages including this one

SHORT SERVICE ATTESTATION

Army Form B. 26

No. 71 Name James Peckley Eaton
 Corps Derbyshire Regt
 Joined Regt
 on 11th January 1884

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Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment:

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|---|---|
| 1. What is your Name?..... | 1. <u>James Peckley Eaton</u> |
| 2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? | 2. In the Parish of <u>St. James</u> in or near the Town of <u>Leeds</u> in the County of <u>York</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. What is your Age?..... | 4. <u>10</u> Years <u>2</u> Months |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>None</u> |
| 6. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? if so, where? to whom? and for what period? | 6. <u>No</u> |
| 7. 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? | 7. <u>No</u> |
| 8. Are you Married? | 8. <u>No</u> |
| 9. Have you ever been sentenced to Penal Servitude? | 9. <u>No</u> |
| 10. 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? And you are warned that there is a special provision in the Army Act which renders you liable to Penal Servitude if you make a false answer to this question. | 10. <u>No</u> |
| 11. Do you now belong to, or have you ever served in, Her Majesty's Army? | 11. <u>No</u> |
| 12. Do you now belong to, or have you ever served in, the Marines? | 12. <u>No</u> |
| 13. Do you now belong to, or have you ever served in, the Militia, or Militia Reserve? | 13. <u>No</u> |
| 14. Do you now belong to, or have you ever served in, the Royal Navy? | 14. <u>No</u> |
| 15. Do you now belong to the Volunteers, or to the Naval Artillery Volunteers? or to the Royal Naval Reserve Force? | 15. <u>Yes 1st - Derby Volunteers</u> |
| 16. Have you truly stated the whole, if any, of your previous Service? | 16. <u>Yes</u> |
| 17. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for Her Majesty's Service? | 17. <u>No</u> |
| 18. For what Corps are you willing to be enlisted, or are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? | 18. For <u>Derbyshire Regiment</u> |
| 19. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning? | 19. <u>Yes</u> |
| 20. Who gave you the Notice? | 20. (Name <u>James Peckley Eaton</u>)
(Corps <u>Derbyshire Regt</u>) |
| 21. Are you willing to serve for the term of twelve Years, provided Her Majesty should so long require your services, for the first seven years in Army Service, and for the remaining five years in the 1st Class of the Army Reserve, or if, at the termination of such period of Army Service, you are serving beyond the seas, then for the first eight years in Army Service, and for the remaining four years in the 1st Class of the Army Reserve? | 21. <u>Yes</u> |
| 22. Are you aware, that, if at the expiration of the above-mentioned terms of Army Service, whether of seven or eight years, 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? | 22. <u>Yes</u> |
| 23. 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? | 23. <u>Yes</u> |
| 24. Are you aware that, if the above-mentioned term of 12 years expires while you are on service with the Regular Forces beyond the seas, 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? | 24. <u>Yes</u> |

I, James Peckley Eaton 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.
 Signature of Recruit: James Peckley Eaton Signature of Witness: James Peckley Eaton

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.
 I, James Peckley Eaton 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. Signature of Recruit: James Peckley Eaton
 Signature of Witness: James Peckley Eaton

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 repuned to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and oath before me at
 on this 11th day of January 1884.
 Signature of the Justice: James Peckley Eaton

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 (5), Army Act, 1881.
 The Recruit should, if he require it, receive a copy of the Declaration on Army Form B. 26.

If on the Recruit to be asked the particulars of his former Service, and the cause of his Discharge, and to produce, if possible, his Discharge Certificate of Discharge, which should be returned to him.

Description of James H. Ashley Enlistment.

Age apparently 18 years _____ months.
 Age physically equivalent to _____ years _____ months.
 Height 5 feet 4 1/2 inches.
 Weight 128 lbs.
 Chest Measurement 33 inches.
 Complexion Flesh
 Eyes Brown
 Hair Brown
 Religious denomination Methodist

† Distinctive Marks.
Blue scar right arm

Norm.—Civilian Medical Practitioners on making the primary examination of a recruit are to enter the above particulars in pencil only.
 * If the recruit is above the physical equivalent of 19, enter here "above 19."
 † 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 _____
 Place _____ } Civil Medical Practitioner.

Norm.—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 11th January 1864 } A. Francis Surgeon, Approving Medical Officer.
 Place Dorset } Surgeon Major R. A.

* Insert here "fit," or "unfit."
 Norm.—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 Her Majesty's Service, and that I have examined this Attestation and find it properly filled up. I also certify that fit was the bonâ fide bringer of this Recruit.

Date 11th January 1864 } P. C. D. M. C. Captain
 Place Dorset } 5th Dorset Regiment } Recruiting Officer.

* Norm.—Insert here "fit" or "unfit."

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 the 5th Dorset Regiment
 If called by special authority, number and date to be here quoted: 1864 Jan 11 1864

Date 11th January 1864 } Wm. Bowyer Major
 Place Dorset } 5th Dorset Regiment } Approving Field Officer.

MEDICAL HISTORY OF _____

CHRISTIAN NAME

Form 4.

MEDICAL HISTORY of

Army Form
(late W. O. 10)

Surname Eaton Christian Name James Wadley

Enlisted on 11th day of January 1884 Finally approved by A. D. Francis

Birthplace Parish St. John County Derbyshire Surgeon Major M. D.

Age (last birthday) 18

Former Trade Fitter Examined for re-engagement

Height 64 Inches. day of _____ 18__

Weight 123 lbs. * Considered _____

Chest Measurement 33 Inches. Surgeon _____

Physical Development Good * If unfit, state disability.

Small Pox Marks None

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right Number Three Re-vaccinated on 11th day of March 1884

When Vaccinated In childhood Arm Left Number Three

Marks on body, congenital or otherwise Result Perfect

Blue scar right nose Surgeon Major M. D.

	CORPS.	REGT. NUMBER.	DATE.
On Enlistment Joined ...	<u>Derbyshire Regt</u>	<u>726</u>	<u>11th January 1884</u>
Transferred to ...			

APPEARED BEFORE A MEDICAL BOARD.

Station	Date	Disease	Result

General remarks as to habits, conduct, &c. _____

N.B.—This sheet to be disposed of in accordance with instructions in G. O. 11, 1877, on the man becoming non-effective; the date and cause being stated at the foot of next page.

STATEMENT of the SERVICES of No. *726* Name *James Hearty, Lt Col.*

Corps in which served.	Rank, or Dept.	Promotion, Reduction, Transfer, etc.	Army Rank.	Branch.	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	

Service towards limited engagement reckons from *1st Jan'y 1914*

1st Corps 2nd Div. 2nd Bn. 2nd Coy. 11 Jan'y 1914

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

Wm. D. ...
**COMDS 2ND BATTN
 DERBY REGT**

A.R. 1st Bn. 24.11.1914

W. Roy ...

W. ...
Col.
COMMANDANT
EXCHANGE DEPOT

Discharged 10.1.1916 4 48 4 48

W. ... Major
Army Station Paymaster

Total amount of Service included towards pension, and not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay brought forward from the old Record ...	4	48	4	48
	4	48	4	48

Total Service towards Engagement to *10/1/1916* (date of discharge) *12* years *0* days

STATEMENT of the SERVICES of No: *726* Name *James Weekly Eaton*

In which served	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Service in Rank		Amount of Service towards Lim. Engagt.		Amount of Service towards Pension		Amount of Service towards G. C. Pay		
			From	To	years	days	years	days	years	days	
<i>Derbyshire</i>	<i>Attached</i>	<i>Private</i>	<i>11 Jan 84</i>	<i>14 Dec 85</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>338</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>338</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>338</i>	
<i>2/24th Regt</i>	<i>Posted</i>	<i>Private</i>	<i>15 Dec '85</i>	<i>31 May '86</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>168</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>168</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>168</i>	
	<i>Issued 14 G.C. Pay</i>		<i>11th</i>	<i>January 1886</i>							
			<i>Total</i>			<i>4</i>	<i>141</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>141</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>141</i>

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

J. H. M. OOL
 COMMDE 2ND BATTN
 DERBYSHIRE REGT

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	N.B.—The Country only to be shown—it is not necessary to show separately the service in the different stations of same country. England, Scotland, and Ireland to be shown under the general term "Home." For mode of computing Foreign Service, see Sec. XIX., Queen's Regulations.
Home	11 Jan 84	14 Dec 85	1	308	
East Indies	15 Dec 85	14-11-91	5	395	
Home	15-11-91	10-1-96	4	57	
		<i>Total</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>"</i>	

2. Name and Address of Next of Kin ... *Mother Harrill- Baker 27 Grosvenor Terrace South St. Derby* Initials of Officer making the Entry

3. Campaigns ... *Cikkin Expedition 1888* *JWR*

4. Wounded ...

5. Effects of Wounds ...

Special instances of gallant conduct ...

7. Medals, decorations, and annuities ... *Indian Medal of 1888 with clasp for Cikkin 1888* *JWR*

8. Injuries in or by the Service ...

9. Married To whom Place and Date ... *Emily Blithe in the Dorset Chapel (Dist of Derby) Derby 6th August 1894* *U.*

10. Passed Classes of Instruction ...

11. Certificates of Education ...

12. Character on being passed to Reserve ...

James & Dale of Derby
 13. Character on being Discharged ... *Discharged*

14. Place of Discharge ...

Dale when taken
 15. Cause of Discharge ... *He resigned*

16. Pension awarded ...

17. Died ...

18. Notes ...

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

Duplicate

Section D (or Supplemental Reserve) 1st CLASS ARMY RESERVE.

ATTESTATION of No. 726 Name James Heaton

Questions to be put to the Man before Enlistment into Section D. of the 1st Class Army Reserve

- (1) What is your name? ... James Heaton
- (2) Have you been discharged from section B. or C. of the 1st Class Army Reserve on completing your first period of engagement during the last discharge? ... No
- (3) What character did you receive on your last transfer to the Reserve? ... Good
- (4) Do you now belong to the Regular Army? If so, ...
- (5) Have you been discharged from the Regular Army on completing your first period of engagement during the last six months? And if so, from what Corps? ...
- (6) What character did you receive on discharge from the Regular Army? ...
- (7) Are you willing to be attached to service in the 1st Class Army Reserve, for 3 four years provided Her Majesty should so long require your services? ... General Service Infantry Yes
- (8) Are you aware that you will be liable to be called out for permanent service, in the United Kingdom or elsewhere, after the whole of the 1st Division of the 1st Class Army Reserve have been called out for permanent service? ... Yes
- (9) Are you aware that, if so called out, you will be liable to be detained in Army Service for the unexpired portion of your term of service in the 1st Class Army Reserve and for a further period not exceeding 12 months if so directed by the competent Military Authority? ... Yes

* If so, the man should be required to produce his Pardonment Discharge Certificate and Certificate of Character, which should be returned to him.
 † How issued—
 In the case of a man who has served in the Infantry, "General Service Infantry."
 In the case of a man who has served in the Royal Artillery, "the Royal Artillery."
 In the case of a man who has served in the Royal Engineers, "the Royal Engineers."
 In the case of a man who has served in the Army Service Corps, "the Army Service Corps."
 In the case of a man who has served in a Departmental Corps, insert the Departmental Corps in which he has served.
 In the case of a man existing in Section D. before being discharged from the Army, the four years' service in Section D. commences on the day after his discharge from the Army.

I, James Heaton, do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true and that I am willing to fulfil the engagement made.

James Heaton Signature of Recruit. Hillier Dmls Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY THE MAN ON ATTESTATION. I, James Heaton, 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.

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL OFFICER. I certify that I have carefully examined this man, and in my opinion he does not suffer from any disability or ailment likely to interfere with the efficient performance of his duties either at Home or Abroad. (Place) Derby (Date) 10-4-1906. Alfred Francis, Medical Officer.

CERTIFICATE OF THE MAN'S COMMANDING OFFICER (or his Commanding Officer if discharged). I certify that I have examined the documents of the above-named man, and that he is eligible for enlistment into Section D. 1st Class Army Reserve. His Army Engagement expires on the 10 January 1911. (Date) 10 April 1906 (Place) Derby J. G. Spence, Commanding Officer.

CERTIFICATE OF ATTESTING OFFICER. The above questions were read to the man named above 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 by the said man by him and signed the attestation and taken the oath before me at Derby on this 10 day of April 1906. J. G. Spence, Attesting Officer.

STATEMENT of the SERVICES of No. 726 Name James H. Eaton

Corps in which served	Battn. or Depts.	Promotions, Reductions, Occupations, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for being the rate of Pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officer verifying correctness of entries
					years	days	years	days	
<u>1st Class Army Reserve</u> <u>Detachment</u> <u>Regt</u>		<u>Attended</u>	<u>Plc</u>	<u>10.4.96</u>					<u>Mr. Nelson</u> <u>Plc</u>
		<u>Recalled to Army Service</u> <u>12.3.1900</u>							<u>(Mr. Nelson) Regt 015</u> <u>Detachment</u>
		<u>Discharged</u> <u>Termination of Engagement</u> <u>Character Good</u>	<u>Plc</u>	<u>7-3-1901</u> <u>9.4.01</u>					<u>Mr. Nelson</u> <u>Plc</u>

Total Service forfeited as above	<u>✓</u>	<u>✓</u>	<u>✓</u>	<u>✓</u>
Further Service forfeited from the _____ to the _____ when finally discharged							
Total Service forfeited to date of discharge	<u>✓</u>	<u>✓</u>	<u>✓</u>	<u>✓</u>

Required only in the case of men included in and by Army duty after recall to the Colours.	Total Service in Section D. allowed to reckon	Previous Army Service shown on Army Attestation	Total service allowed to reckon on discharge	For fixing rate of Pension		Towards G. C. Pay	
				years	days	years	days
	<u>5</u>		<u>5</u>	
	<u>12</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>0</u>
	<u>17</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>0</u>
Total Service towards engagement in Section D. to <u>9.4.01</u> (date of discharge)				<u>6</u>	<u>✓</u>		
				<u>6</u>	<u>✓</u>		

Discharged in consequence of Termination of Engagement.

The discharge of the above-named man is hereby approved
 Station Derby
 Date 9 April 1901.
 Signature J. N. Burns Colonel
 Commanding 45th Regimental District

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1917

Not Rec

Army Form E. 501.

TERRITORIAL FORCE.

4 years' Service in the United Kingdom.

7/11E/1529

ATTESTATION OF

Name James Wheatley Ebdon Corps 5th (RESERVE) BATTALION
NOTTS & DERRYSMIRE REG'T

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your Name and Address?..... 1. James Wheatley Ebdon
72 Margaret St
Leeds
2. Are you willing to be attested for service in the Territorial Force for the term of 4 years (provided His Majesty should so long require your services) for the County of..... 2. Yes
5th (RESERVE) BATTALION
3. Have you read the Regulations for the Territorial Force in the County of..... 2. Yes
NOTTS & DERRYSMIRE REG'T
4. Do you now bring to, or have you ever served in the Royal Navy, the Army, the Royal Marines, the Militia, the Special Reserve, the Territorial Force, the Imperial Yeomanry, the V Volunteers, the Army Reserve, the Militia Reserve, or any Special Reserve Force? If so, state which unit, and, if discharged, cause of discharge..... 1. Herbert's Cavalry 17 years
Time Expired.

Under the provisions of Sections 13 and 50 of the Army Act, if a person knowingly makes a false answer to any question contained in the attestation paper, he renders himself liable to punishment.

I, James Wheatley Ebdon 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.

James Wheatley Ebdon SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
W. Ebdon Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, James Wheatley Ebdon swear by Almighty God, that I will be faithful and bear true Allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs, and Successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs, and Successors, in Person, Crown, and Dignity against all enemies, according to the conditions of my service.

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

I, W. Ebdon do hereby certify that, in my presence, all the foregoing Questions were put to the Recruit, above named, that the Answers written opposite to them are those which he gave to me, and that he read and signed the Declaration, and takes the oath as RECRUIT on this 11th day of July 1917.

W. Ebdon Signature of Justice of the Peace, Clerk, or other person qualified to administer Oaths.

If the Recruit is attested as a Soldier, the Attestation is subject to the provisions of the Army Act, 1908, and the Army Act, 1914, and the provisions of the Army Act, 1917, in force at the time of the attestation.

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The entries on this page only receive to be made from time to time as they occur.
STATEMENT of the SERVICES of No. ~~James W. Eaton~~ James W. Eaton
 Showing preliminary training, other special courses of training, Annual Training, † and when mobilized.

Corps	Unit	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Rank	From	To	Signature of Officers certifying correctness of Entries
Service towards engagement reckons from 1911/15						
Shan. Ser	5	ATTESTED	Private	1911/15		J. S. [Signature] Capt
Royal Defence	7th	EMBODIED SER.	Private	12. 1. 15		
		Transferred		29. 4. 16		Sir [Signature] Capt
	149th	POSTED		17. 11. 16		[Signature] Capt
	118th	POSTED		18 JAN 1917	6 AUG 1917	[Signature]
		Colo	7 1/2			
		O. Ser	6 1/2			
		Ser D	5	19 7		
		Col (act)	2 3/4			
		Det O. Ser + Ser D	9 1/2	10 6		

Total service towards engagement in the Territorial Force to 6 AUG 1917 (date of discharge) 2 years 207 days.

CHARACTER
Good

Discharged in consequence of Para. 202 (xiv) King's Regulations. No longer physically fit for War Service.

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

Station 1, LONDON WALL BLDG. E.C.
 Date 17 JUL 1917

Signature [Signature] COL.

1/c Territorial Force Records
 London

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

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

No. ~~127115~~ Name *James W. Calver*

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MILITARY HISTORY SHEET.

1. Service.

Place	From	To	Years	Days
<i>Home</i>	<i>12/1/15</i>	<i>- 6 AUG 1917</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>207</i>

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

Home - 12/1/15 To - 6 AUG 1917

W.C.

W.C.

*Wife *Lucia Calver*
73 *Alcander St*
*Deby**

J.W.C.

Description of James W. Radwin Enlistment

MEDICAL INSPECTION REPORT.

(Applicable to all Recruits.)

Name James W. Radwin
Apparent age 49 years 1/2 months.
Height 5 feet 0 inches.
*Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 36 inches.
Range of expansion 2 1/2 inches.
Vision DS
Physical development DS

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

Certificate of Medical Examination.

I have examined the above named Recruit and find that he does not present any of the causes of rejection specified in the Regulations. He can see at the required distance with either eye; his heart and lungs are healthy; he has the free use of his joints and limbs; he does not suffer from hernia; and declares that he is not subject to fits of any description.

I consider him DS for the Territorial Force.
Date 10 JAN 1916 19 .
Place Derby Medical Officer.

* Insert here "fit" or "unfit."

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

Certificate of Primary Military Examination.

I hereby certify that the above-named Recruit was inspected by me, and I consider him fit for service in the 6th (RESERVE) BATTALION and that due care has been exercised in his enlistment. NOTES & DERBYSHIRE REGIMENT

Date 10 JAN 1916 19 .
Place DERBY Recruiting Officer.
6th (RESERVE) BATTALION
NOTES & DERBYSHIRE REGIMENT

* Insert here "fit" or "unfit."

** 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 6th (RESERVE) BATTALION

If enlisted by special authority, Army Form No. 255 (if issued) in authority for the enlistment) will be attached to the original attestation.

Date 10 JAN 1916 19 .
Place DERBY Approving Officer.
6th (RESERVE) BATTALION
NOTES & DERBYSHIRE REGIMENT

* The signature of the Approving Officer is to be attached to the back of the attestation.
† Here insert the "Corps" for which the Recruit has been enlisted.

STATEMENT of the SERVICES of No. 698

Army Form B. 200. Name **Eaton James Wheatley**

Corps	Date of Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Date	Service allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of Pensions		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of Entries.
					years	days	
Age on Enlistment <u>19</u> years <u>0</u> months.					Status of Engagement, i.e., Regular, T.F. or Special Reserve		
Enlisted for <u>4</u> years' Army Service. <u>0</u> years' Reserve Service.					E 501 T.F.		
Service towards limited engagement reckoned from <u>12.1.15</u>							
Joined at <u>Derby</u> on <u>12.1.15</u>							
<i>Claims previous service in Sherwood Foresters</i>							
		<i>Sherwood Res Subodied</i>	<i>P.</i>	<i>12.1.15</i>			
		<i>10 Coy Transferred</i>	<i>-do-</i>	<i>29.4.16</i>			
		<i>11th Coy Postal</i>	<i>-do-</i>	<i>17.11.16</i>			
		<i>11th Coy Postal</i>	<i>-do-</i>	<i>12.1.17</i>			
		<i>Para. 558 (a) King's Regulations. No longer physically fit for War Service.</i>	<i>-do-</i>	<i>6.8.17</i>			
<i>Certificate true Copy as</i>							
<i>Miaul R Coy Col</i>							
16 INFANTRY RECORD OFFICE							
(5) LONDON							
Total Service included as above							
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>6.8.17</u> (date of discharge)					<u>2</u> years	<u>207</u> days	
" " " Pension " " " "					"	"	

ORIGINAL



Station RAINHAM, ESSEX
Date 10 JUL 1917

No. 118 Protection Co.

- 1. Unit Royal Defence Corps.
- 2. Regimental No. 698
- 3. Rank Private
- 4. Name James W. Eaton

- 5. Age last birthday 32
- 6. Enlisted on 8-1-15 at Derby
- 7. Former Trade or Occupation Cattle & Wagon Fitter

8. Disability.

L. ear totally deaf
R. ear partially deaf

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 cerebral disease.

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

about 1910

Derby

Pls James W Eaton contracted a "cold" in the head" became partly deaf in the left ear which is totally deaf now. The right ear became slightly deaf twelve months after the left one. This man is now partially deaf in right ear.

- 12. (a) Give your opinion as to the cause of the disability.
- (b) If you consider it to have been caused by active service, climate, or ordinary military service, explain the specific conditions to which you attribute it (See notes on page 2).

Cataract

This man was working at his trade as a civilian when he became partially deaf, therefore not due to military service

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.

Good. No symptoms, but not active.
105 lb 10 lb

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

Not an injury

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

No
No
No
Yes

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

No

If so—(a) When?

Never,
Nowhere,
None.

(b) Where?

(c) Opinion?

16. Was an operation performed? If so, what?

No

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?

False teeth
are not attributable to active service

19. Do you recommend

- (a) Discharge as permanently unfit,
or
- (b) Change to England?

Discharge as permanently unfit

In in England

S. H. J. Danaher
Officer in medical charge of case.

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

except

Station 2nd London Gen Hosp

Palmer

1st Col. R.A.M.C.S.
Officer in charge of Hospital.

Date 30-7-37

* 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 obtained by the Board, as in the event of the man being invalided it is essential that the Commissioners of Customs Hospital should be in possession of the most reliable information to guide them in deciding 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 attributed to (a) active service, (b) climate, or (c) ordinary military service. It is therefore essential when assigning the cause of the disability to differentiate between them (see Articles 118B and 118C, Pay Warrant, 1932).
- (iv.) In answering question 20 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.

20. (a) State whether the disability is the result of (i.) active service, (ii.) climate, or (iii.) ordinary military service.

with result of 2013

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

FOR OPINION OF THE D. G. OF A. M. S.
SEE MINUTE SHEET No. 3

21. Has the disability been aggravated by

- (a) Intemperance? NO
- (b) Misconduct? NO
- (c) Any of the conditions mentioned in question 20, and if so, which? NO

22a. Is he fit for discharge from the Service as an Out-patient, and will he require Out-patient treatment on discharge from Hospital?

YES
YES

23. To what extent is his capacity for earning a full livelihood in the general labour market lessened at present?

In defining the extent of his inability to earn a livelihood, estimate it as a, b, c, or total incapacity.

one half.

24a. Is the man suffering from a disability which would obviously, as far as you can judge, cause him to be rejected by an Approved Society under the National Insurance Act?

YES

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

26. Do the Board recommend

- (a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or
- (b) ~~Change to England~~

YES

Signatures:—

F. Lewis Major R.M.S.
M. J. [unclear] Capt. R.M.S.

Station 2nd London Gen. Hosp.

Date 16-7-17

Members.

Approved.

Station 2nd London Gen. Hosp.

Date 16-7-17

F. Lewis Major R.A.M.C.F.
Administrative Medical Officer.

CERTIFIED COPY of an ENTRY OF DEATH Pursuant to the Births and Deaths Registration Acts, 1836 to 1929.

D. Cert. R.B.D.

The Statute for this Certificate is G. 14. If required, additional fee of registration, a Special Fee is payable in addition.

Registration District DERBY.									
1918 Death in the Sub-district of DERBY SOUTH EAST. in the COUNTY BOROUGH OF DERBY									
No.	When and where Died.	Name and Surname.	Sex.	Age.	Rank or Profession.	Cause of Death.	Signature, Description, and Residence of Informant.	When Registered.	Signature of Registrar.
198	2nd nd night November 1918 17. The Lane R.	James Wheatley Eaton	M	48 Year	Police Sergeant (Police)	1/2 Abdominal P. Symptomatic 1. Chills Chills by Plat. 4.8	E. S. Bennett Thykes 17. The Lane Derby	2nd nd night November 1918	R. H. Witt Registrar.

Send to the Registrar any Notes which appear in the original entry.

I, **R. H. Witt**, Registrar of Births and Deaths for the Sub-District of **DERBY SOUTH EAST.** in the **COUNTY BOROUGH OF DERBY.** do hereby certify that this is a true copy of the Entry No. **198** in the Register Book of Deaths for the said Sub-District, and that such Register Book is now legally in my custody.

Witness my Hand this **20th** day of **November**, 1918.

R. H. Witt
Registrar of Births and Deaths.

CAUTION—Any person who (1) falsifies any of the particulars on this Certificate, or (2) uses it as true, knowing it to be falsified, is liable to Prosecution.

The payment of 5/- being the amount due to me for the Certificate covering the death of James Wheatley Eaton in receipt of an allowance is hereby requested, also the reimbursement of 4/- paid by me for Death Duty enclosed

R. H. WITT,
Registrar of
Birth and Deaths,
MARKET PLACE,
DERBY.

R. H. Witt
Registrar

ARMY NUMBER	RANK	N. I. S.	
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END OF RECORD