

First World War Service Record of Malcolm Wilfred Forester Hall

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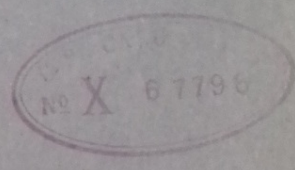
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Register No.



Minute Sheet No

C.2. CAS. Lt M. W. F. Hall 5th Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers

993/3 Missing 19.5.17.
/4 " 20.5.17.



No further official report has been received. Enquiries through the Netherlands Legation have been without result. In view of the lapse of time since anything has been heard of this Officer, his name is put forward for presumption of death. No unofficial information is attached.
Address of Next of Kin.

Colonel Adair Hall Gatter
7 Castle Hill Avenue
Folkestone

M.S.3 (CAS).

26.11.17

O. G. Scott-Tucker Capt

Letter sent to Colonel Adair Hall, as per copy of
C.2 Cas. 6.12.17

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POST OFFICE TELEGRAPHS.

No. of Telegram 761854

Prefix **A** Code (Inland Official) Office of Origin and Service Instructions. O. H. M. S.

Words. Sent At. To By

I certify that this Telegram is sent on the service of the

(Signature) *M. Bellingham*

Attention is called to the Regulations printed at the back hereof.

Dated Stamp.

TO { *Col. Adair - Hall.*
Eastview Monks Town, Dublin

<i>2/5</i>	<i>M. W. F.</i>	<i>7606</i>	<i>5th Royal</i>	<i>Immistilling</i>
<i>was</i>	<i>admitted</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>holding</i>	<i>award</i>
<i>20/10/15</i>	<i>Baker's</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>25th</i>	<i>September</i>
<i>was</i>				

FROM { SECRETARY, WAR OFFICE

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(Signature) *L. H. Haines*

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Dated Stamp.

TO { *Col Adolair - Hall*
Eastview
Monks Town Dublin

REGRET TO INFORM YOU THAT				
<i>Lt M. W. F. Hall</i>				
<i>5th Immistilling Fusiliers was wounded on 15th August</i>				
<i>further information will be given when received</i>				

FROM { SECRETARY, WAR OFFICE

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TELEGRAPHS.

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No. of Telegram 793/3

Office of Origin and Service Instructions.

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At _____ M.

To _____

By _____

(Signature) B. Hunter

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Dated Stamp.

TO { Col Hall, y Castle Hill Avenue.
Falkenstein.

Report to inform you that Mr. J. W. F. Hall, Falkenstein, has reported missing. This does not necessarily mean wounded or killed. Further news sent immediately as receipt.

FROM {

SECRETARY, WAR OFFICE

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7. Castle Hill Avenue
Folkestone
25th May 1918

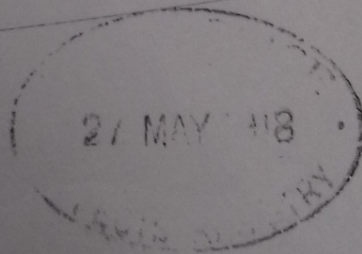
46397/6 (Accounts 4)

Sir
I beg to enclose
"Letters of Administration
with will attached" re
the Estate of my late son
Lieut M. W. F. Hall 5th Bn
Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers
and will be glad to receive
the gratuity of £103. 3. 7
at your early convenience
and also the will &c.

Yours obed^t. Servant

H. Adair Hall, Col

as under instructing



Soldiers Will date

Register No. H6397/1

Extract from Letters of Administration.
~~Probate of Will.~~ Annexed

Dated 24th March 1918 Granted at

P.P.R.

1. Estate of

Malcolm Wilfred Forester Hall of 4
Castle Hill Ave, Yolkstone, in the Co. of
Kent. Unpy. Jr. S.(s) Br. Installing Insurers

2. Date and Place
of Death

Died on or since 20th May 1917. in France or
Belgium, will duly treated, no executor or
Residuary Legatee appointed. That deceased
died a Bachelor.

3. Grantees

Henry Adair-Hall, natural & lawful father
& next of kin of the said deceased.

Soldiers Will dated 19th May 1917.

4. Gross value, £ 617. 0. 0.

5. Disposal of Medals

As under inventory.
Introduced by D.C. Kirby - Turner, Solicitor, Queen's House 8 Queen's
Chapside, E.C.

Produced by

Col. H. Adair-Hall
4 Castle Hill Ave.
Yolkstone

to whom returned

by P.P. on 28.5.18

20th May, 1917.

Extract from No. X. 67793.

46397/3.

Lieut. M. W. F. Hall, 5th Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, reported "Missing 20th May, 1917" on List No. C/1212.

No further information has been received, and in view of the lapse of time since he was reported missing his death has now been accepted for official purposes as having occurred on or since the 20th May, 1917.



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Form M.T.
393

This Form is to be used for a candidate who is neither a cadet or ex-cadet of the Senior Division Officers Training Corps, nor a member of a University. Form M.T. 392 should be used for an Officers Training Corps (Senior Division) or University candidate.

APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO A TEMPORARY COMMISSION IN THE
REGULAR ARMY FOR THE PERIOD OF THE WAR.

The candidate will complete the following particulars and obtain certificates below as to character and educational qualification.

1. Name in full	Surname. Christian names.	Hall. Malcolm Wilfred Foster.
2. Date of birth.		20 th February 1888.
3. Whether married.		No.
4. Whether of pure European descent.		yes.
5. Whether a British born or a naturalized British subject.		British born.
6. Permanent address.		Castnew. Monkstown. Dublin.
7. Present address for correspondence.		Castnew. Monkstown. Dublin.
8. Whether now serving, or previously served, in any other Government Department (Home, Indian, or Colonial). If so, give particulars.		No.
9. Whether able to ride.		yes.

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Private Address,
Luddan Camp,
Bunorana, Co Donegal.

Army Form A. 45.

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD

assembled at The Military Hospital, Londonderry on 2-3-17
by order of The Major-General i/c Administration Irish Command.
for the purpose of examining and reporting upon the present state of health of
(Rank and Name) Lt. M.W.A. Hall. (Corps) 5th Bn. Invg. Fus.
Age 27 Service 2 2/12 Disability G. S. W. left foot.
Date of commencement of leave granted for present disability ✓
Date on which placed on half-pay for present disability ✓

The Board having assembled pursuant to order, and having read the instructions on the back of the form, proceed to examine the above-named officer and find that

his general health is excellent. The
band of foot has left considerable
thickening of the tarsal bones which
somewhat restricts movements and
renders him unfit for long marches.

Is the officer fit to perform any duties not coming within the above categories? If so, specify the nature of the duties which he might perform.

The opinion of the Board upon the questions herein is as follows:—

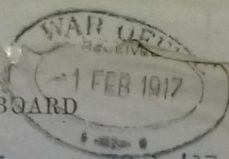
- (1.) a. Is the officer fit for "General Service"? No
b. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit? Two months
(2.) a. If unfit for General Service, is he fit for service at home? Yes
b. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit for service at home? ✓
c. If unfit for General Service at home, is he fit for light duty at home? ✓
d. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit for light duty at home? ✓
(3.) Was the disability contracted in the service? Yes
(4.) Was it contracted under circumstances over which he had no control? Yes
(5.) Was it caused by military service? Yes
(6.) If caused by military service, to what specific conditions is it attributed? Active Service.
(7.) If the disability was not caused by military service, was it aggravated by it? ✓

Signatures

W. J. Langford President.
Bt-Col. R.A.M.C.
Capt. R.A.M.C. Members.

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PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD



assembled at The Military Hospital, Londonderry on 30-1-'17
by order of The Major-General i/c Administration Irish Command.
for the purpose of examining and reporting upon the present state of health of
(Rank and Name) Lt. M.T.A. Hall. (Corps) 5th Bt. Inng. Fus.
Age 27 Service 2 1/12 Disability G.S.W. (left foot) & Scarlet Fever
Date of commencement of leave granted for present disability 22.11.16
Date on which placed on half-pay for present disability ✓

The Board having assembled pursuant to order, and having read the instructions on the back of the form, proceed to examine the above-named officer and find that

*he has now recovered from the effects of Scarlet
Fever. There is still some thickening about
ankle joint but all movements are good*

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is the officer fit to perform any duties not coming within the above categories? If so, specify the nature of the duties which he might perform

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The opinion of the Board upon the questions herein is as follows:—

- (1) a. Is the officer fit for "General Service"? *no*
b. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit? *Two months*
- (2) a. If unfit for General Service, is he fit for service at home? *no*
b. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit for service at home? *no*
c. If unfit for General Service at home, is he fit for light duty at home? *no*
d. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit for light duty at home? *no*
- (3) Was the disability contracted in the service? *(a) yes (b) no*
- (4) Was it contracted under circumstances over which he had *(a) yes* no control? *(b) no*
- (5) Was it caused by military service? *(a) yes (b) no*
- (6) If caused by military service, to what specific conditions is it attributed? *(a) Active Service*
- (7) If the disability was not caused by military service, was it aggravated by it? *(a) yes (b) no*

Signatures

[Signature]

[Signature]
Lt.Col. R.A.M.C. P

[Signature]
Capt. R.A.M.C.

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Private Address,
~~XXXXXXXXXX~~

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Military Hospital, Londonderry

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD

assembled at The Military Hospital, Londonderry on 22-11-'16
by order of The Major-General i/o Administration Irish Command.

for the purpose of examining and reporting upon the present state of health of
(Rank and Name) Lt. M.W.A. Hall. (Corps) 5th Bt. Inng. Fus.

Age 27 Service 1 11/12 Disability SSW, Left Foot, & Slight Fever.

Date of commencement of leave granted for present disability -

Date on which placed on half-pay for present disability -

The Board having assembled pursuant to order, and having read the instructions on the back of the form, proceed to examine the above-named officer and find that

he is at present in the Military Hospital
Londonderry suffering from Slight Fever.

Condition of foot remains much the same.

Is the officer fit to perform any duties not coming within the above categories? If so, specify the nature of the duties which he might perform

The opinion of the Board upon the questions herein is as follows:—

- (1.) a. Is the officer fit for "General Service"? No.
b. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit? Two months.
- (2.) a. If unfit for General Service, is he fit for service at home? No
b. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit for service at home? Two months.
c. If unfit for General Service at home, is he fit for light duty at home? No
d. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit for light duty at home? Two months.
- (3.) Was the disability contracted in the service? yes
- (4.) Was it contracted under circumstances over which he had no control? yes
- (5.) Was it caused by military service? yes
- (6.) If caused by military service, to what specific conditions is it attributed? Active Service
- (7.) If the disability was not caused by military service, was it aggravated by it? -

Lt. Col. R.A.M.C. President.

Signatures

G. W. Pugh CAPT. P.A.M.C.
W. J. Lavelles Capt. R.A.M.C. } Members.

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Army Form A. 45

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD

AND NORTHERN GENERAL HOSPITAL

assembled at

R.A.M.C. (T)

on

by order of:

G. O. C. C. Command

for the purpose of examining and reporting upon the present state of health of

(Rank and Name) 2nd Lt. Malcolm W. F. Hall (Corps) 5th Royal Inniskilling

Age 27 Service 14/12 Disability gunshot wound left foot

Date of commencement of leave granted for present disability

Date on which placed on half-pay for present disability

The Board having assembled pursuant to order, and having read the instructions on the back of the form, proceed to examine the above-named officer and find that

On Aug 15th 1915 he sustains gunshot wound of left foot. Wounds are unhealed. but there is much hard swelling and tenderness of whole foot with wasting of the leg muscles. and there is little or no movement in the toes. The foot is clean, quite. useless at present. He cannot stand. He walks with crutches.

See notes on this subject

and upon the questions herein is as follows:—

If unfit for General Service at home is he fit for light duty at home? No

If not so fit how long is he likely to be unfit for light duty at home? 2 mns

no control?

(5.) Was it caused by military service? Yes

(6.) If caused by military service, to what specific conditions is it attributed? S.L. Wound

Signatures

W. Barr Lt. Col. R.A.M.C. (T) President.
S. W. Dean CAPT. R.A.M.C., T. Members.
J. Stansfield CAPT. R.A.M.C., T.

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To be used in cases of wounds or injuries received in action.
(For instructions for preparing this report see back of form.)

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD assembled by order of

G.O.C. in C, Northern Command
for the purpose of examining and reporting on the present state of a wound or injury sustained
by *2/Lt Dalwyn W.F. Hall, 5th Royal Inniskilling*
at (Place of injury) *Kidney Hill, Surla Bay, Dardanelles* on the (Date of injury) *Aug. 15. 1915*

The Board find *that at place & date named this patient was*
wounded in the left foot by a bullet entering the tendo Achillis
leaving in the inner side of side of foot.
The wounds are now healed but the foot is swollen & livid. There is
wasting of leg muscles & little or no movement of the toes, & the foot is
useless.

The opinion of the Board upon the questions below is as follows:—

- 1.—Has the officer lost an eye or a limb; or has he permanently lost the use of an eye or a limb; or is the injury equivalent to the loss of a limb, and permanent, or likely to be permanent? (Articles 585 to 588 of the Royal Warrant for Pay, &c.)
- 2.—If the case does not come under the category of 1:—
 - (a) Was the injury, in the first instance, very severe in character?
 - (b) Are its effects still very severe?
- 3.—If the case is classified under category 2, are the effects of the injury permanent, or likely to be permanent? (Article 590.)
- 4.—Injuries that do not come under the above categories should be classified here, making use of the following terms:—*severe or slight and permanent or not permanent*, as the case may be.
- 5.—For what period, calculated from the date of the wound or injury, is it probable that the officer will be incapacitated for military duty by such wound or injury?

Replies		
As to first wound	As to second wound (if any)	As to third wound (if any)
<i>No</i>		
<i>No</i>		
<i>See 2</i>		
<i>Severe</i> <i>Not permanent</i>		
<i>3 1/2 months</i>		

Signatures

2nd NORTHERN GENERAL HOSPITAL
R.A.M.C. [T. LEEDS]

Station

Date

4 OCT 1915

A. Barrs Lt Col R.A.M.C. (V).
S. W. Drew CAPT R.A.M.C.
J. J. Stansfeld CAPT R.A.

Embarked Devonport 10-7-15.

Army Form B. 103.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps *5th (S) Div Royal Welsh, Fns.*

Regimental No. _____ Rank *Plat* Name *Hall M.W.L.*

Enlisted (a) _____ Terms of Service (a) _____ Service reckons from (a) _____

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) _____

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 88, 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. 88, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
25-8-15	O.C.	Wounded	Gallipoli	15-8-15	R.O. ✓
16-8-15	26th C.C.S. Admt	(Wound L Ankle)	"	16-8-15	A 6097 ✓
18-9-15	D.A.A.G.	To England on H.S. Aquitania from	Mudros	18-9-15	B 220 ✓
Admitted 2nd Northern General Hospital, Becketts Road Leeds.				27-9-15.	✓

Capt.

Officer i/o 11&12 Districts.

3rd Echelon, G.H.Q., E.E.F.

Sign, Your obedient Servant.

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WAR OFFICE,

LONDON, S.W.

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- Rank and Name *2nd Lt. H. W. F. Hall.*
2. Corps *5th Ryl. Linnishilling Hnd.*
3. Address *Castnew. Mondstown. Dublin.*
4. Date of leaving Unit *16th August '15.*
5. Date of Embarkation *(Was in 1st Australian Stationary Hospital, Mandra Bay from 17th August until 15th Sept.)*
15th September '15.
6. Port of Embarkation *Mandra Bay.*
7. Port of Disembarkation (England) *Southampton.*
8. Date of Arrival in England *26th September '15.*
9. Name of Ship *"Aquitania"*
10. Cause of Return *Bullet wound left foot.*
11. Dates if on leave, from *4th October '15.*
to *4th December '15.*
12. Authority *Medical Board*
at 2nd Northern General Hospital, Leeds.
13. Whether examined by a Medical Board since return from Continent *Boarded at 2nd Northern General Hospital, Leeds.*
on 4th October '15.
- (Date) *15th October '15.*
- (Signature) *H. W. F. Hall 2nd Lt.*