

First World War Service Record of Percy Blake Faskally

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Army Form B, 925-11.
Part II.

(SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM Part II).

Regiment or Corps 11th Air Bn R Fusiliers Regimental Number _____

*Substantive Rank Private Surname FASKALLY Christian Names P. B.

*Acting Rank _____

(* To be entered in pencil to facilitate alteration.)

Embarked Dover 7/11/18.

To be folded on this line.

Nothing to be written in this margin.

W. 1889 11/11/18 300000 3/18 G.W.P.C. (4490)

(A) Report		(B) Authority of Part II, of Orders	(C) Record of promotions, appointments, reductions, casualties, transfers, postings, &c. All acting as well as substantive promotions to be entered, for method of entry of which see A.C.I. 1816 of 1917. Corps and unit to which transferred and posted to be invariably named.	(D) Place of casualty	(E) Date of promotion, reduction, transfer, &c.	(F) Remarks, and initials and name of an officer
Date.	From whom received.					
4.11.18	DAG		Ordered to join B Co		7.11.18	Went down 5752
10.11.18	- -		Design 11 B Co & should be considered join without delay			Went down 5752
7.1.19	MRO.	9/2/19	Arrived 5th. Replaced Post to 22 R Co. And DAG 2158/839710) of 24/11/18 CR 1264/9277/C. Was then 5985. X. at 17/1/19	Calais	7.11.18	NR

NOTED ON
9-12-15
M.T.
Form 393

This Form is to be used for any candidate who is serving in the ranks of the New Armies, Special Reserve, or Territorial Force, and for any other 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, who is not serving in the ranks.

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.	Factally Perry Blake
2. Date of birth.		12: December 1879
3. Whether married.		Yes
4. Whether of pure European descent.		Yes
5. Whether a British subject by birth or naturalization. (State which, and if by naturalization attach a certificate from the Home Office.)		British Subject by birth.
6. Nationality by birth of father (if naturalized, state date).		Scotch
7. Permanent address.		70. East 66 Street New York City.
8. Present address for correspondence.		9. Hill St. Kethams Gate 31. Hill Street SW. Knightbridge
9. Whether now serving, or previously served, in any other Government Department (Home, Indian, or Colonial). If so, give particulars.		see No 11.
10. Whether able to ride.		Yes
11. Whether now serving, or previously served, in any branch of His Majesty's Naval or Military Forces, or in the Officers Training Corps. If so, state:— (a) Regiment, Corps, or Contingent ... (b) Date of appointment ... (c) Rank ... (d) Date of retirement, resignation or discharge ... (e) Circumstances of retirement, resignation or discharge ...		5th Royal Dublin Fusiliers 1899 2nd Lieutenant. 1900 Lack of Income.
12. Whether an application for a commission has been previously made, if so, on what date and for what branch of the service.		I applied to the War office in Nov. 1914 & April 1915.

Accepted candidates will be gazetted to a general list. They may, however, state here—

13. The Branch of the Service (Cavalry, Artillery, Engineers, Infantry, or Army Service Corps) in which desirous of serving

General Service
reference for Cavalry

When the above cert
A candidate who
Any other candi

14. The unit (if any) to which desirous of being appointed

but no guarantee can be given that they will be appointed to any particular unit.

I certify, upon my honour, that the above particulars as to my qualifications, previous service, and other particulars are correct and complete. I request that I may be appointed to a temporary commission in the Army for the period of the war.

Date

7th Dec. 1915

P. B. Faskally

Usual Signature of Candidate

desirous of
Appointment
to

Signature of parent or guardian, if the candidate is under 21 years of age

Certificate of moral character during the past four years. If the candidate has been at school or other educational establishment during any portion of the period the certificate should be signed by the head of the establishment, otherwise it may be signed by a responsible person (not a relative or connection), e.g., the minister of the parish or other local clergyman, a magistrate, or an officer of the Army or Navy who has been well acquainted with the candidate in person during the period.

If the above-mentioned person cannot certify for the whole period of four years, a second certificate for the period not covered by the first should be signed by a similar person.

I hereby certify to the good moral character of Percy Blake Faskally for the last 4 years.

Signature

H. D. Haslewood

Rank, office or occupation

Solicitor

Address

139 Temple Chambers E

I hereby certify to the good moral character of

from

to

Signature

Rank, office or occupation

Address

that the candidate has attained a good standard of education.

The candidate has:—

(a) obtained a leaving or qualifying certificate as required of a candidate for admission to the Royal Military College under the regulations in force up to 1st April, 1912, the Certificate should be attached;

(b) qualified at an Army Entrance Examination, the date of examination should be stated;

(c) passed the matriculation examination of a University, or a test accepted in lieu thereof, the Certificate should be attached.

Being one of the above, the following certificate must be signed by the Headmaster of a secondary school or other competent educational authority.

I certify from personal knowledge that

Percy Blake Faskally

has attained

State here educational position, e.g.,
Head of a College or School, etc.

C. Zoppi

acting Headmaster & Housemaster, Hulme College

†Here state whether Tutor, Head of School or College, Minister of Parish or other local clergyman, or Magistrate, &c.

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COMMUNICATIONS ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS
BE ADDRESSED, AND ALL CHEQUES,
ORDERS, ETC. MADE PAYABLE TO "BRIT-
ISH GENERAL" AND NOT TO INDIVIDUAL
S OF THE STAFF.

PLEASE QUOTE
CGT:FI.

British Consulate General,
New York.

14th February 1920.

Sir,

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I have the honour to inform you that I have re-
ceived a request for assistance from the widow of the
late Percy Blake Faskally, who, she informs me, held a
commission in the 23rd Royal Fusiliers and was de-
mobilised in March of last year. She states that very
shortly after this he proceeded to Poland as a Staff
Captain on General Haller's staff; was invalided home
in October and died in a London hospital on the 17th
December. Mrs. Faskally is anxious to know her hus-
band's exact military status while in Poland with a view
to a possible application for a pension. I should be
much obliged for any information that can be supplied
on this point.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

L.M. Secretary of State for War,
War Office,
Whitehall,
London, S.W.

Giles Arundell
CONSUL GENERAL.

REPORT OF DEATH (All deaths are at once to be specially reported to the Officer Commanding the Corps, and to the Officer Commanding Station on this portion of the Form, which is also to be used for all communications regarding a death or burial)							
Regtl. No.	Rank	Name and Corps	Age	Religion	Disease	Time and Place of Death	Period after which Interment may take place
	Capt	Faskally, Percy 24th R. Fus. att	39	Eccl.	1. Pulmonary Tuberculosis	10.5 a.m. 14. 12. 19	Funeral arrangements being carried out privately by relatives.
					2. Coxaesthesia	3rd London General Hosp.	

TOTAL ...

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To C. C. Depot. C.C. Depot.

41 New St. Kensington

in favour of transmission by records, please

Thomas Hays

Medical Officer in Charge.

3rd London General Hos

WANDSWORTH, S.

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Army Form A. 45.

MEDICAL BOARD REPORT ON A DISABLED OFFICER.

(ALSO TO BE USED FOR DISABLED NURSES.)

Station

Tafflaw Bucks

Date

Feb 25-1918

1. Rank and Name Lt. P. B. Faskally
2. Unit 24th Royal Fus.
3. Age 38
4. Total Service 2nd Land War Service { (a) at home 8 months
(b) abroad 18 months
5. Address 4 Old Quebec St. London W.

STATEMENT OF CASE.

NOTE.—In answering the following questions the Board will carefully discriminate between the officer's statements and evidence recorded in his medical documents. When possible, a statement by his medical attendant should be attached.

6. Disability Debility
7. Date of origin of disability 8th Jan'y 1918
8. Place of origin of disability France
9. Give concisely the essential facts bearing on the history of the disability (personal and family history, etc.) :—

NOTE.—Boards subsequent to the first should record here the progress of the case since the officer's last appearance.

This officer has made steady improvement since last Board.

This officer has been granted three weeks leave with instructions to report at his Depot Dover on March 18th 1918—

Warrants issued - Slough - Crawborough. Crawborough to Dover. Duplicate to Doms & Co. Duplicate to Doms & Co.

OPINION OF THE MEDICAL BOARD.

NOTES.—(i.) The Board will on no account inform the officer of its opinion on any of the following questions.

- (ii.) Clear and decisive answers should be filled in by the Board to enable the Ministry of Pensions to come to a reliable decision on the officer's claim to pension, etc.
- (iii.) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," should be avoided, if possible.
- (iv.) When there is more than one disability the replies will distinguish between them.

10. Was the disability contracted (a) before entering the service? No
(b) in the service? Yes
11. Was it attributable to military service? Yes
If so, to what specific military conditions is it attributed? Active Service E.F.

[Enteric Fever, Dysentery, Malaria, &c., contracted on service in countries where there is a special liability to the disease are to be regarded as attributable to military service.]

12. If not attributable to, was it aggravated by, military service? —
If so, by what specific military conditions? —

13. Is it attributable to, or aggravated by, the officer's own negligence or misconduct? If so, in what way, and to what extent? No

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Station Caxton Hall, S. I.

Date 25th. Jan. 1918.

1. Rank and Name Lt. P. B. Faskally.
2. Unit 24th. Roy. Fus.
3. Age 38. 4. Total Service 2 yrs. War Service { (a) at home 6/12.
(b) abroad 1 6/12.
5. Address 4 Old Quebec. St. W.

STATEMENT OF CASE.

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6. Disability Debility.
7. Date of origin of disability 8th. Jan. 1918.
8. Place of origin of disability France
9. Give concisely the essential facts bearing on the history of the disability (personal and family history, etc.) :—

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~~he has lived in the Tropics and has had Malaria in 1910.~~
On Jan. 1916⁴ he went sick with severe headaches, vomiting but no
Pyrexia. Blood examined for Malaria but nothing found. He came
home 21st Jan. There were no physical signs but his eyes are
defective and glasses are to be worn.

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Register No.

Minute Sheet No.

Captain F. B. Bastable
Royal Engineers.

"1150" 17th November 1918.

{ (1) Pulmonary Tuberculosis
(2) Exhaustion

2nd London Gen. Hosp. Wandsworth.

William Bastable

Next of Kin :-

Mrs. F. B. Bastable, (Wife)
125 East
55 Street,
New York, City.

H. S. J. Bastable,
M.D. 1918.

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