

EAST AFR. PROT.

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Ministry
of Pensions

1919

30th Jan 19

CAPTAIN J. McCRAE

Medical certificate issued on 1st Jan 1919, stating that you are disabled at 40 per cent for a period of six months. If case had been for M/P he would have been awarded 270 p.a. from 1st Jan 1919 to 30th June 1919. You are informed that he might then apply for further medical examination. Returns orig. copies.

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244/18

Mr. Robinson,

Capt. McCrae is on leave for M/P on 1st Jan 1919. He retains his Commission in 1919 but he may wear uniform of his voyage, but he does not draw pay at the end of last year. Whether his period of service two years or more in rank of captain shall count towards gratuity or termination.

Whether retired pay should begin from the day following that on which he ceased to draw pay as an officer of the Royal Air Force, or the date upon which he relinquishes his Commission.

As the special arrangement in this case is merely a matter of convenience for Capt. McCrae and he may be considered really to have been discharged on Jan. 1st, I think we should find that the period between January 1st and relinquishment should not count towards gratuity, and that retired pay should begin from the 1st of January. I do not think we can ask the S.A. or P. for

To Mr. McCrae
Copy of letter to file in 30th Jan 19

Next subsequent Paper.

M/5555

advice as the circumstances are odd.

Authorize C.A. to arrange for the
payment to Captain McGee of £70 a year from the 1st of
Jan 1919 to the 30th of June 1919 both dates inclusive
and

Inform Captain McGee of action taken
mentioning re-examination as in para. 3 of the H. of P's
letter.

Send copy of 3085 and letter to P.A. to
C.A.S. in draft, explaining why retired pay begins before
relinquishment.

Atms

17.1.24

Smith so Capt M.C. wishes to wear
his uniform on the voyage out
for this we are that we have agreed with
it would be in relinquishment
there is no in. 1 to give him anything
with a view to security for his person
with his 1/8

17.1.24

D.J.

Telephone: Victoria 5153 (5 lines).

Telegraphic Address:

Pensioners, Via, London.

Reply should be addressed to
Secretary, Ministry of Pensions,
the following number quoted:-

D.A./80301.

MINISTRY OF PENSIONS,

Officers' Branch,

WESTMINSTER HOUSE,

MILLBANK.

LONDON, S.W.1.

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13th January, 1919.

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Sir,

M.C.

In reply to your letter No. 58489/1918 of the 17th ultimo, relative to the case of Captain D. McCrae, of the East African Military Labour Corps, I am directed by the Minister of Pensions to acquaint you for the information of the Secretary of State, that the medical authorities of this Department assess the degree of this officer's disablement at 40% for a period of six months.

Had Captain McCrae's case been one for the disposal of this Department, he would, therefore, have been awarded temporary retired pay at the rate of £70 a year, from the 1st January, 1919, to the 30th June, 1919, and informed that he might then apply for further medical examination.

The enclosures submitted in original to your letter are returned herewith as requested.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

C. M. D. Jones
Asst. Secretary.

Under-Secretary of State,
Colonial Office,
S.W.1.



HARLEY STREET, W.

Dec. 2, 1918.

Sir,

In reply to your letter (56354/1918) re Captain D. McCrae he was examined on Aug. 22 and as he then had had two attacks of blackwater fever. He also had a then quiescent tuberculosis. No sufficient recovery is possible for him to be fit for any form of service in Tropical Africa.

I have, etc.,

(Sd.) C. W. Daniels.

UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE,
COLONIAL OFFICE.

29, HARLEY STREET, W.

Aug. 22, 1918.

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Sir,

I have the honour to report that I have this day examined Captain D. McCrae, East Africa M.L.C. and he has had two attacks of blackwater fever. He has old now latent phthisis. In my opinion he is unfit for further military service in East Africa, or in most tropical places.

I have, etc.,

(Sd.) C. W. Daniels.

UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE,

COLONIAL OFFICE.

PROCEEDING OF A MEDICAL BOARD ASSEMBLED AT BRITISH GENERAL HOSPITAL NAIROBI ON 22ND FEBRUARY 1918, BY ORDER OF A.D.M.S. L OF C, No. BI/243/M dated 22/2/18 for the purpose of examining and reporting on the present state of health of Captain D. McCrae, M.L.D.

The Board having assembled pursuant to order proceed to examine the above named and find that this Officer is suffering from Chronic Malaria of the Subtertian Type. He has two severe attacks of Blackwater fever during the past 9 months the latest attack in January 1918. The Board recommend that he be invalided to England to proceed by Hospital Ship.

The opinion of the Board upon the questions hereinafter is as follows:

- (A). Is he fit for General Service? No.
- (B). If not fit, how long is he likely to be unfit? 6 months.
- (C). If not fit for General Service is he fit for light duty? No.
- (A). If not fit for General Service at home, 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? 6 months.
- Was the disability contracted by Military Service? Yes.
- Was it contracted under circumstances over which he had no control? Yes.
- Was it refused by Military Service. Yes.

If caused by Military Service to what specific conditions is it attributed? Active Service in tropics.

If the injury has resulted in the loss of limbs or eyes, such losses should be specified. Not applicable.

PRESIDENT.MEMBERS.

A.C. Adderley, Major. R.A.M.C.

R.S. Herrich, Capt., I.M.S.

V. Townrow, Capt. R.A.M.C.

APPROVED.

G. W. Tate.

Colonel.

D.D.M.S., E.A.F.

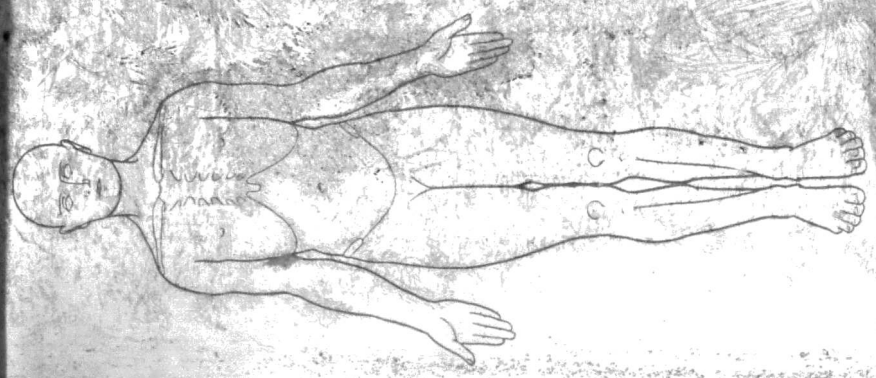
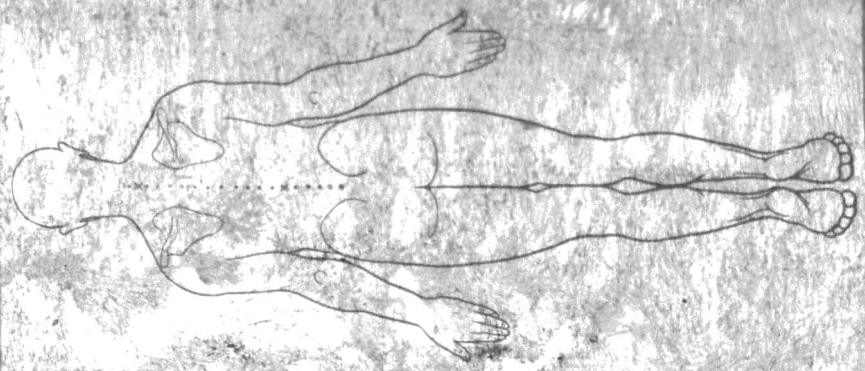
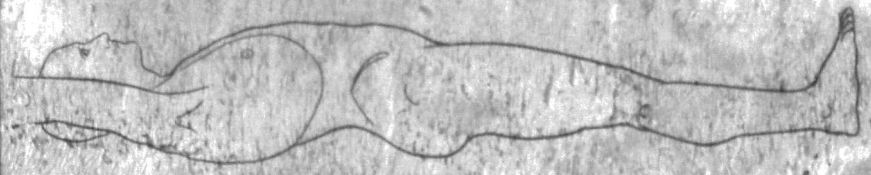
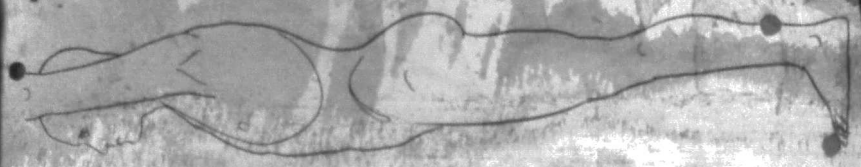
GENERAL HEADQUARTERS

Dar-es-Salaam

16th March, 1918.

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I have now only to be discharged
from hospital

W. S. Woodley Trust



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REGD. 4 AUG 18



1. Rank and Name Capt. D. E. Crook D
 2. Corps RAMC
 5. Disability Fluorwasser Fever
 6. Date of Origin 17. 7. 18.

3.
 7. Place of Origin BE Africa

8. Name of hospital where undergoing treatment, and date of admission; Everstley Hoare Hospital 8. 8. 18
 9. Nature of wounds, injuries, or disease

A. WOUNDS.

- (a) Situation and condition of entrance wound
- (b) Situation and condition of exit wound
- (c) Nature of projectile
Whether lodged, passed through, or extracted
- (d) Nature and date of operation (if any)

B. INJURIES OR DISEASE

- (a) Site
- (b) History and particulars

In both Africa & Egypt. Malacia ^{begun} VII. 1914 on Everstley Hoare Hospital from Chumani 17. 7. 18 & Everstley Hoare 8. 8. 18 & Everstley Hoare 13. 8. 18 after 5000 hours and 5 months duty France had a mild attack of Radical Fluorwasser fever 2 days

10. Complications None

11. Present condition (if stayed, result to be stated) He is well & fit to be sent home for leave.

12. Date on which he will be fit to attend at the Medical Board 14. VIII. 18

13. Date on which he will be fit to travel to his home

14. Address to which proceeding

Place 53 Cadogan Square SW1
 Date 13. VIII. 18

Signature of Medical Attendant.

W. Hedley [Signature] M.T.O.

To be used (a) for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army and (b) for men of the Territorial Force when they are admitted to Hospital.
Army Form B, 120A to be used for Special Reserve recruits and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

Captain **MEDICAL HISTORY of** **23**

Surname: *McCree* Christian Name: *Donald*

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish ... County ...

Examined ... on ... day of ... 191...

Declared Age ... years ... days.

Trade or occupation ...

Height ... feet ... inches.

Weight ... lbs.

Chest Measurement ... inches.

Measurement ... inches.

Physical Development ...

Vaccination ... Marks ... Number ...

When Vaccinated ...

Vision ... R.E. ... L.E.

Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease ...

Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection ...

Approved by (Signature) (Rank) Medical Officer

Enlisted ... day of ... 19...

Joined on Enlistment ... Corps ...

Assigned to ...

Became non-effective ...

(Signature) (Rank)

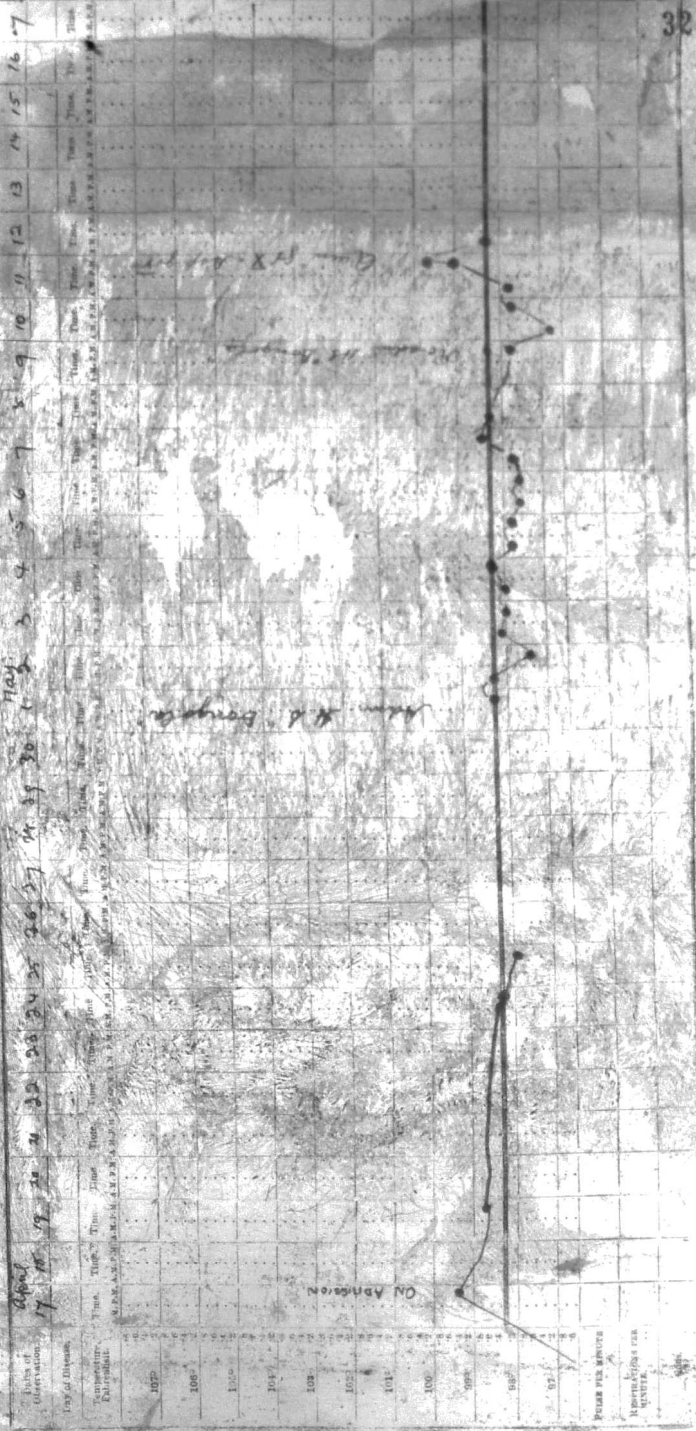
Table II.—Only for Admissions to Hospital or to the quarters in the case of Warrant Officers treated in quarters.

Name of Hospital	Admitted to Hospital		Discharged from Hospital		Disease	Number of admissions to hospital in the case of the patient on the case, nature of treatment of the case likely to be of interest or value. In cases of syphilis admissions and re-admissions to hospital will be shown in general progress including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers given in the special syphilis case sheet.	Signature of Medical Officer
	Day	Month	Year	Day			
GENERAL HOSPITAL WIMBORG	13	5	18		Blackwater Fever	Admitted to Gen Hosp Wimborg from Dingle, 13.5.18, as Comrades Patient. — Went down with Blackwater fever and ague in June 27, 1918. Has been in hospital ever since. No fever since admission. But has had public attacks previously. Has been boarded for England. is still debilitated. Spinal — 5 weeks in hospital. Heart — Weak. No murmurs. In previous Blood 12.5.18 B.T.R.	J. J. Lawrence
						11.15 Remained into 11.15 for for for had with cold 12.5 Complicated 13.5 — more into hospital with things back of feet Heart — with other Blood 12.5 B.T.R. 14.5 Respiratory distress Suffered for days from Nausea being prepared for Blood 12.5.18 B.T.R. 17.6.18 24.6.18 Boarded for England	

Dr. *Barckhausen*

Date of admission *17 April 1930*

Female



In office of case.

Signature

Laboratory & Home, Columbia - No. 4817, Army - 284-17-14, 20, 000.

PUBLIC RECORD OFFICE Reference **C.O. 533** 221

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MEDICAL CASE SHEET.
(SER. I. A. R. M1249.)

R *908*
S.A.

U. S. ARMY
 MEDICAL DEPARTMENT
 18-1-10

No. in Admission and Discharge Book.	Regtl. No.	Surname.	Christian Name.	Age.
<i>7/9/18</i>				33
Date and Station.	Disease.			
	<p><i>2nd attack of Blackwater Fever at Kanchi, Jan 2nd 1918</i></p> <p><i>1st attack of Blackwater Fever at Kanchi, Jan 1st 1918</i></p> <p><i>1st attack of Blackwater Fever at Kanchi, Dec 31st 1917</i></p>			

Purified for England by Murchison

J. B. Murchison
C. P. O.

Date.

Shipname.

L. Linn

H.S.

District
BORCOLO

6-18

EMBARKED AT

16-115 Kongda. - Progress satisfactory during voyage.

7-5-18

Nothing further to note on case sheet.

8-5-18

Disembarked at Durban.

J. Middleton, Capt. R.N.C.

9-5-18

Under orders from J.O.M.S., Durban, this officer
re-embarked on "Kongda" today.

13/18

Disembarked at Cape Town.

J. Middleton, Capt. R.N.C.

Bacteriological and Pathological Laboratory.

Patient's regimental No.:

Rank:

Name: *McCrae*

Ward and bed No.:

Nature of specimen: *Blood film*

Examination required:

Diagnosis of case by Medical Officer in charge:

Date: *16.9.19*

Medical Officer in charge ward:

REPORT.

No parasites found.

Date:

17/11

W. J. Matt

In charge Laboratory

HOUR CHART

Prio
DISEASE:

Name

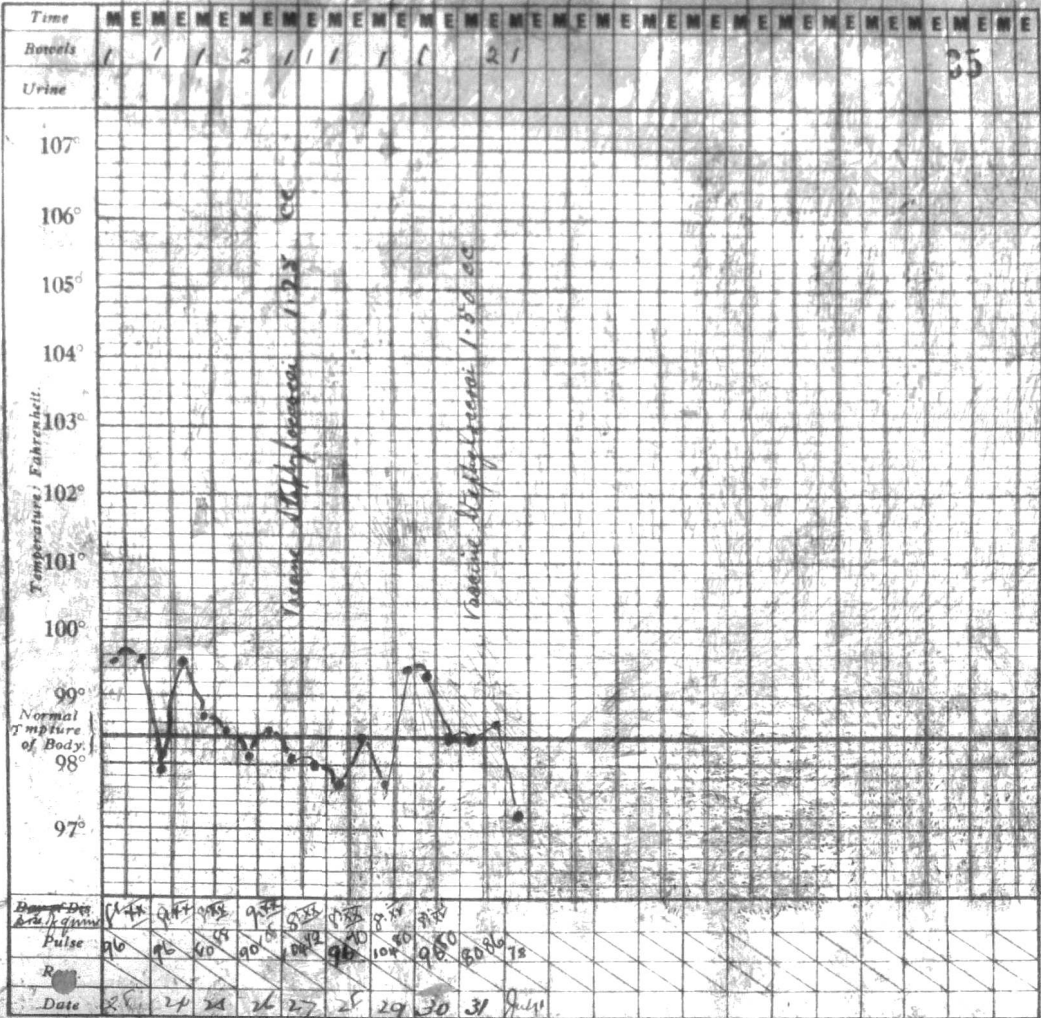
McGill
CALEMAN, C.

Age

Sex

Case book No

Notes of Case



Temp of Dist	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	13th	14th	15th	16th	17th	18th	19th	20th	21st	22nd	23rd	24th	25th	26th	27th	28th	29th	30th	31st		
Pulse	96	96	90	90	98	98	98	98	98	104	104	98	100	100	98	98	98	98	98	98	98	98	98	98	98	98	98	98	98	98	98	98	
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Date	23	24	24	26	27	28	29	30	31	July																							

Date of Admission: July 23 1915

Result:

no. 100

DRAFT

23 January 1919

Dear Sir

Reference is made to the letter of the 17th inst.

in reply to the letter of the 17th inst.

MINUTE

Mr. [Name] has been appointed to the position of [Title] in the [Department] and will be in charge of the [Division] from the 1st of February 1919.

The [Name] has been appointed to the position of [Title] in the [Department] and will be in charge of the [Division] from the 1st of February 1919. This appointment is subject to the approval of the [Authority]. The [Name] has been in the [Department] for some time and has been found to be a most efficient and capable officer. It is therefore recommended that he should be appointed to the position of [Title] in the [Department] and that he should be in charge of the [Division] from the 1st of February 1919.

Mr. [Name]
[Title]