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Surname DUTTON
Initials T.
Army No. 972381

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**SOLDIER'S
RELEASE BOOK**

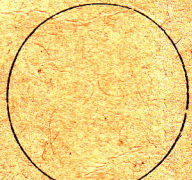
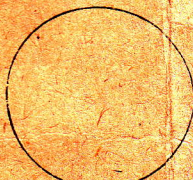
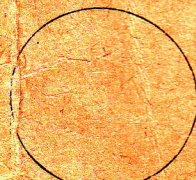
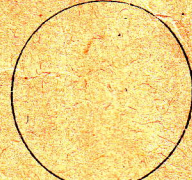
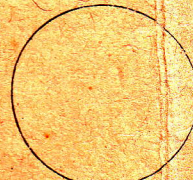
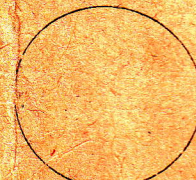
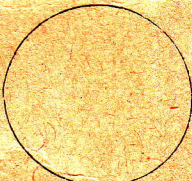
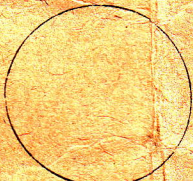
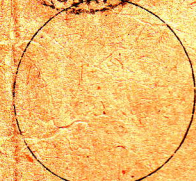
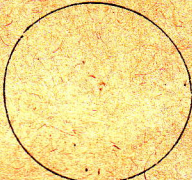
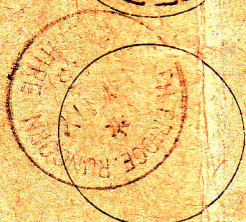
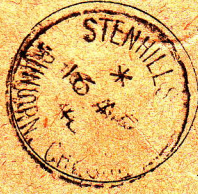
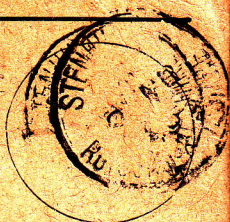
CLASS "A"

Any person finding this Book is requested to hand it in to any Barracks, Post Office, or Police Station, for transmission to the Under Secretary of State, The War Office, London, S.W.1.

This book must be presented at the Post Office whenever you cash a postal draft or one of the drafts in your payment book, to enable the Post Office official to record the date of payment on the inside page of the front cover.

POST OFFICE STAMP SHOWING DATE OF PAYMENT

War Gratuity and Post War Credits deposited
in Post Office Savings Bank.....



PAGE ONE (A)

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

NO STAMP
REQUIRED.

Postage
Prepaid by
War Office.

The Officer i/c **R.A.-FD.** Records,

at **FOOT'S CRAY, SIDCUP**
KENT

NOTIFICATION OF CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Name

Army No. Rank

Regiment or Corps

Date

SIR,

I beg to report the following change of address to which all
communications should be sent.

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.....
.....
Signature

PART I

INSTRUCTIONS TO RELEASED PERSON

MEDICAL TREATMENT AFTER LEAVING MILITARY DISPERSAL UNIT

You are now entitled to medical benefit under the National Health Insurance Acts, and a medical card telling you how to get treatment will be sent to you as soon as possible.

Medical benefit includes free treatment from an insurance doctor at his surgery, or if your condition requires it, at your home, and free medicine.

If you go back to live in your old district and had an insurance doctor before you joined up you will be restored to his list if he is still in practice himself or by deputy.

If you fall ill before the medical card comes, fill in the application below and hand this book to your previous insurance doctor (or, if absent, his deputy). If you did not have an insurance doctor before you joined up or if you go to live in another part of the country, apply to any insurance doctor. You can see a list of insurance doctors at the local Post Office.

Do not detach the form from the book. The doctor will do this.

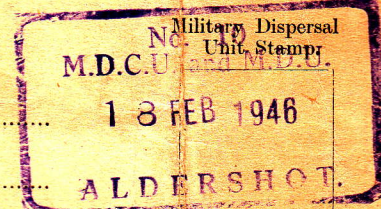
PART II—TO BE COMPLETED IN UNIT

Form Med. 50A.

Rank..... Cum Number..... 972381

Initials..... T Surname (Block Letters)..... DUTTON

Date of Birth..... 17/3/16 Sex..... Male (If a married woman, state maiden name).....



The above-named individual left this Military Dispersal Unit on the date in the stamp opposite.

PART III

Available for three months from date of leaving Military Dispersal Unit.

To be completed by released person ONLY if needing medical treatment before a medical card is received.

I have NOT received a medical card since leaving the Military Dispersal Unit and I hereby apply for a medical card to be issued to me.

Delete as may be necessary { I was on the list of Dr..... immediately before I was mobilised or called up for service.
I was not on the list of a doctor in the district where I am now, and I desire to be placed on the list of.....
(Insert name of doctor or approved institution.)

My present address is

Do you intend to leave this district within three months from the date hereof? If so when?.....

Name of Approved Society* (if any).....

(If a deposit contributor write "D.C.")

Name of Branch (if any) of Society

Membership number.....

(Signature of released individual.)

Date.....

* If you were a member of an Approved Society before you were mobilised or called up for service, or if you joined an Approved Society during service, your membership is still effective. (See also overleaf.)

HOSPITAL TREATMENT DURING FURLOUGH

If you need hospital treatment before the end of your release leave you should show this book to your doctor and if he is of opinion that such treatment is necessary he will advise you as to the steps to be taken to obtain that treatment. You should show this Release Book to the hospital authorities when admitted to or attending hospital for treatment.

For the information of the doctor.

In-patient treatment would normally be given at the nearest military or civil Emergency Medical Scheme hospital where the treatment required can be given. If you are in doubt as to the location of the nearest suitable hospital the Hospital Officer for the district in which the patient resides can give you the required information and he will also be in a position to advise as to the nearest military or E.M.S. hospital where any massage, X-ray examination or other out-patient treatment can be obtained.

Dental Treatment. If you need dental treatment of an emergency nature, e.g., for relief of pain or acute infection, during your leave, you should report to the nearest Army Dental Centre or military hospital. If you live over two miles from any such institution you may obtain such treatment from a civilian dental practitioner to whom you will show this Book and whose attention will be drawn to instructions below. The cost of any other form of treatment or of supply of dentures will NOT be met by W.D. unless prior sanction has been given by the War Office or the Deputy Director of Dental Service of the Command in which you live.

For the information of Practitioner. A soldier, or member (other than an officer) of the A.T.S. or of a V.A.D. may be given treatment of an emergency nature as above at Army expense up to the end of his leave. Cost of treatment given after leave expires will not be met by W.D. but will be the patient's liability.

The practitioner should claim for payment on Army Form O. 1667 which should be sent to the Asst. Director of Medical Services of the area in which the patient is living. Payment will be made for emergency treatment only, and at the rates admissible under the N.H. Ins. Act (Dental Benefit Regulations).

PART IV

TO BE COMPLETED BY DOCTOR PROVIDING TREATMENT WHO SHOULD ALSO DETACH THE FORM AND SEND IT TO THE INSURANCE COMMITTEE (IN NORTHERN IRELAND TO THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR, PALACE GROUNDS, ARMAGH, NORTHERN IRELAND) FOR THE AREA IN WHICH THE INSURED PERSON IS STAYING.

* The individual named overleaf who was not on my list immediately before serving in H.M. Forces is accepted as from to-day as a temporary/permanent* resident.

* The individual named overleaf who states that he was on my list immediately before serving in H.M. Forces has to-day applied to me for treatment.

* Delete where not applicable.

Date..... Signature.....

If doctor is to supply
drugs he should enter
DR here

If doctor claims mileage
he should enter mileage
distance here

A.F. X 201/3

M.P.B. 281/3

OTHER RANKS—MEN

CLAIM FOR DISABILITY PENSION—OTHER RANKS—MEAN

[illegible]

This Form is to be used within six months after the date of completion. You may complete the Form should be sent to the Officer-in-Charge Records, whose name and address must be made on a different form, to be obtained from the local Post Office.

- * After six months from the nearest office of the MINISTRY OF DEFENCE.

1. Surname
(Block Letters)

- Regt. or Corps.

3. Christian Name/s I been discharged? ("Yes" or "No")

4. Present Rank before the present War and been discharged : (

- | | Particulars of Pension (if any) for Disablement or Cause of |
|---|---|
| 6. Have you served in the Armed Forces before the present war? —
If "Yes," give particulars below :— | |

Former Regt., Corps or Ship, etc.	Army or Official Number	Date of Discharge	Discharge	any) for Service

Army No. 972381 Present Rank gun
 Surname (Block Letters) DUTTON
 Christian Name/s. THOMAS
 Unit, Regt. or Corps. 19 Fd Regt.
 Date of: *Last enlistment.....

*Calling up for military service 18.4.40
 * Strike out whichever is inapplicable.

(a) Trade on enlistment PNEUMATIC TOOL OPERATOR

(b) Trade courses and trade tests passed.....

Military Conduct: Exemplary

Testimonial: Sm Dutton has been employed on general duties and has always worked in a most conscientious and willing manner. Honest, sober, and hardworking

Place MEF.

Date

2nd Feb 1946.
 Officer's Signature

Signature of Soldier T. Dutton

* Army Education Record (including particulars under (a), (b), (c) and (d) below).—

This Section will not be filled in until the receipt of further War Office Instructions.

(a) Type of course.

(b) Length.

(c) Total hours of Instruction.

(d) Record of achievement.

(i)*

(ii)*

(iii)*

(iv)*

* Instructors will insert the letter "I" here to indicate that in their case the record refers to courses in which they have acted as Instructors.

Signature of Unit Education Officer.....

POSITION OF SOLDIER ON TERMINATION OF RELEASE LEAVE

1. A regular soldier with Reserve service to complete will be transferred to the Royal Army Reserve, and will receive Reserve pay until his period of Reserve service has been completed. If on that date Emergency still exists, he will cease to draw Reserve pay, and will then be transferred to Army Reserve Class "Z" (unpaid).
2. A regular soldier who has completed his Colour and Reserve service engagement will be transferred to Army Reserve Class "Z" (unpaid).
3. All other soldiers will be transferred to Army Reserve Class "Z" or Class "Z" (T).

SPECIAL NOTE.—Army Reservists are liable to recall to the colours, if necessary, during the continuing period of the Emergency.

Notes: (i) Further details of service and of medals to which entitled may be had on application to O/c Records, accompanied by the applicant's A.B.64, Part I.

(ii) If this certificate is lost or mislaid, no duplicate can be obtained.

(iii) Any alterations of the particulars given in this certificate may render the holder liable to Prosecution under the Seamen's and Soldiers' False Characters Act, 1906.

THE ABOVE-NAMED MAN PROCEEDED ON RELEASE LEAVE ON THE DATE SHOWN IN THE MILITARY DISPERSAL UNIT STAMP OPPOSITE.

N.B.—A certificate showing the date of transfer to the appropriate Army Reserve (A.F. X 202/B) will be issued by the Officer i/c Record Office.

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Unit overseas or U.K. Stamp

Date

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