

Private David Wilson being asked to what date he has been paid, answered, that his Account is balanced up to the latest period required by the Regulations; and being further asked whether he has any claim on the Regiment for Arrears of PAY, ALLOWANCES, or CLOTHING, answered that he has received all just demands, from his entry into the Service up to the 29 August 1874 and in confirmation therefore, affixes his signature hereto.

I acknowledge this to be true.
 Witness Morgan Hoftouck Wilson
 Commanding the Company to which he belongs.

THE Board have ascertained that David Wilson's Soldier's Book is correctly balanced, and signed by the Officer Commanding his Company, and they declare, that they have impartially inquired into, and faithfully reported upon, all the matters brought before them, in accordance with the Regulations and Instructions issued by Her Majesty's Orders.

[Additional Paragraph applicable in cases of Discharge by Purchase.]

THE Board have likewise ascertained that the sum of _____, being the amount required by Regulation for his Discharge by Purchase, has been lodged with the _____ whose receipt for the same is annexed hereto.

McCaughy Capt R. J. P. President.
W. M. ... Members.
Chas. ...

Detailed Statement of the Services of 1307th David Wilson

Regiment	Promotions, Reductions, &c.	Rank	Period of Service in each Rank		Amount of Service towards G. C. Pay and Pension		Amount of Service towards completion of limited engagement	
			From	To	Years	Days	Years	Days
<u>70 Foot</u>	<u>Attested</u>	<u>Private</u>	<u>Feb 60</u>	<u>31 Aug 63</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>206</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>206</u>
<u>71 do</u>	<u>Transferred</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>1 Sept 63</u>	<u>2 Nov 64</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>63</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>63</u>
<u>98 do</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>3 Nov 64</u>	<u>12 Sept 66</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>314</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>314</u>
<u>38 do</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>13 Sept 66</u>	<u>1 Dec 67</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>80</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>80</u>
	<u>Resigned at Sealtah</u>			<u>Total</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>298</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>298</u>
	<u>for 1335th Co</u>	<u>Private</u>	<u>2 Dec 67</u>	<u>31 March 72</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>121</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>121</u>
	<u>Promoted Corporal in absent</u>		<u>1 Apr 67</u>	<u>20 Sept 74</u>		<u>173</u>		<u>173</u>
	<u>Mid + Red.</u>	<u>Private</u>	<u>21 Sept 73</u>	<u>31 May 73</u>		<u>250</u>		<u>250</u>
	<u>Promoted Corporal in absent</u>		<u>1 June 73</u>	<u>14 Jan 74</u>		<u>228</u>		<u>228</u>
	<u>Mid + Red.</u>	<u>Private</u>	<u>15 Jan 74</u>	<u>20 do</u>		<u>221</u>		<u>221</u>
	<u>Good Conduct pay at 3</u>		<u>7 Feb 1863</u>					
	<u>do</u>		<u>3 Feb 1868</u>					
	<u>Corp 7 do</u>		<u>2 Aug 1869</u>					
	<u>Reat 3 do</u>		<u>2 Aug 1870</u>					
	<u>Good Conduct pay at 3</u>		<u>2 Aug 1872</u>					
	<u>Corp 7 do</u>		<u>21 Sept 1872</u>					
	<u>Reat 3 do</u>		<u>24 Sept 1873</u>					
	<u>Corp 7 do</u>		<u>15 Jan 74</u>					
				<u>Total</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>196</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>196</u>
				<u>Deduct 4 yrs</u>		<u>1</u>		<u>1</u>

Total of the foregoing Statement 14 195 14 195
 * Further Service from the 30 Aug to the 14 Sept 74 when finally discharged 16 16
 Total Service allowed to reckon to the day of final discharge 14 211 14 211

* To be erased, when not required, by drawing the Pen through the Lines. † Also insert Paymaster or Agent, as the case may be.
 I have carefully examined the Proceedings of this Board in all its details and I find them in every respect correct.
McCaughy
 Commanding 38th Regt. of Foot

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Answers to these questions to be as full and as accurate as possible, and to be filled in by the Surgeon by whom the Soldier is brought forward for discharge.

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who is recommended for discharge, to be filled up by the Surgeons of Regiments and Corps serving at Home, or by the Staff Surgeons of Divisions at Netley in the cases of Invalids from Abroad.

QUESTIONS.

ANSWERS.

Answers to these questions to be as full and as accurate as possible, and to be filled in by the Surgeon by whom the Soldier is brought forward for discharge.

1. Name the Disability. *Varicose Veins.*
2. How and when incurred, and, if not entirely so, how far in the opinion of the Surgeon the disability is considered to have been caused or aggravated by climate or exposure in and by the Service, or by the performance of any Military duty on which the Soldier may have been employed. *First signs 1867 since which they have much increased. Result of constitutional infirmity.*
3. If the disability be incurred directly by the Service, state its nature, and if a wound or injury, by what weapon inflicted, or by what specific act of duty incurred. *No.*
4. If the disability be attributable to malarious or climatic or other influences, state whether prevalent in the Regiment at the time, or if the man was by any act of Military duty exposed to such influences, or other cause from which it may have resulted. *No.*
5. Describe the man's present state, whether the disability is likely to be permanent or only temporary, stating in the latter case its probable duration, and in all cases how far it will probably affect his future power of contributing to his own support. *Veins left leg large + tortuous, limb at times swelling; cramp after exercise; weak knee. Disability permanent. Able to contribute.*
6. State how far the disability has been caused or aggravated by Intemperance or other vices. *No.*

Signature *C. A. Brown Surgeon Major 18th Reg* Place *Aldershot* Date *13th August 1874*

NOTE.—As the object of these questions is to put the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital in possession of the MOST RELIABLE INFORMATION, grounded on the opinion of those best capable of judging, to guide them in deciding upon the man's claim to pension, full and decisive answers must in all cases be given.

Opinion of the Inspecting Medical Officer.

I hereby declare that I have read the Medical Records of the case of No. *1307* *P. Wilson 3rd Reg* Regiment and have carefully examined the man himself, and have verified the answers of *Surgeon Major Brown* (name the Medical Officer) to the above questions, and I am of opinion that the disability of No. *1307* *P. Wilson 3rd Reg* Regiment, is fully and accurately described, and that it permanently incapacitates him for the active duties of a Soldier.

Signature of Principal Medical Officer } *Surgeon General P. M. W.* Place *Aldershot* Date *9 Sept*

I concur in the opinion as to this man's unfitness for further Service.

Signature of the Inspecting General Officer *William Pauling Major*

The Discharge of the above named man is approved by His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief, Horse Guards, *14th September 1874*

No. 1374 David Nelson
referred to in the preceding pages, by
Trade a Stam Serrant
was born in the Parish of St. Michael
near the Town of St. Michael
in the County of St. Michael
and attested for the St. Michael Regt.
at St. Michael
in the County of St. Michael
on the 19th day of Nov
at the Age of 19 years
His final description, &c., when discharged
from the Service, at _____

this _____ day of _____ 18____
Age 34 Pro
Height 5 Feet 9 Inches,
Complexion Sandy
Eyes Blue
Hair Dark Brown
Trade Stam Serrant
Marks or Scars upon the face, or other parts
of the body _____

Intended Place of Residence
St. Michael

DECLARATION TO BE MADE AND SIGNED BY SOLDIERS

WHO TAKE THEIR DISCHARGE EITHER AT THEIR OWN REQUEST, DURING
FIRST TERM, OR ON THE COMPLETION OF FIRST PERIOD OF LIMITED
ENGAGEMENT.

I, _____ in the Regiment of _____

* Here insert
the word "claim"
or "request."

hereby declare that I do of my own free will _____ * to be discharged
from Her Majesty's service; and that the conditions on which I can re-enter the
service, or join the Army Reserve, have been fully explained to me.

(Signature of the Soldier.) _____

Signed in the presence of the Regimental Board at _____

this _____ day of _____

_____ President.

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[Place and Date]

Madras 24 August 1874

PROCEEDINGS OF A REGIMENTAL BOARD, held this day, in conformity to the Articles of War, for the purpose of verifying and recording the Services, Conduct, Character, and cause of Discharge of No. 977, 1077, 1079, 107 David Nelson of the Regiment above-mentioned.

President.

Capt Campion 38 Regt

Members.

Capt Seal 38 Regt

Capt W. Smith 38 Regt

THE BOARD having examined and compared the Regimental Records, the Soldier's Book, and such other Documents as appeared to them to be necessary, report that after making every deduction required by Her Majesty's Regulations, the Service up to this day, which he is entitled to reckon, amounts to 14 years, 195 days, as shown by the detailed Statement on the 2nd page; during which period he served abroad 11 1/2 years, viz.

at _____ years,
in India 11 1/2 years;

and further, that his DISCHARGE is proposed in consequence of

[Here state whether—Completion of period, at his own request, or as unfit for further Service. Or any other cause.]

His being found unfit for further service

With regard to the CHARACTER and CONDUCT of Private David Nelson, the Board have to report that upon reference to the Defaulter's Book, and by the Parole testimony that has been given, it appears that

[Insert opposite—the man's Character, the number of Good Conduct Badges in his possession, and all Badges of Merit, or gallant conduct in the Field, conferred upon him; and if in possession of a School Certificate, record it and state the class.]

His Character has been good
He is in possession of 2 Good Conduct Badges
Indian Medal with Clasp for R. H. Frontier
and a 3rd Class Certificate of Education.

[Insert the number of times his Name appears in the Regtl. Defaulters' Book, and that he has been tried by Court Martial.

His name has been 3 times
recorded in the Regt Def Book
including 2 trials by Court
Martial.

The charge, finding, and sentence, on each occasion, is to be recorded on a separate sheet, which is to accompany the Discharge Documents.

If never tried or entered in the Defaulter's Book, state so.]

[If this man received Wounds, &c., in action, or other Injuries in or by the Service, although not invalidated on account thereof, state here the nature of the wound, or injuries, and when and where he received the same, and if any Court of Enquiry was held, (as is required) state or annex the result.]