

SOLDIER'S PAY BOOK (ACTIVE SERVICE)

ARMY BOOK 64 (PART II)

Army Number

Surname (block letters) **KONIUSZEK**

Christian Names in full **ROMAN**

Regiment or Corps **8th RIFLE BATTALION**

(TITLE OF UNIT MUST NOT BE ENTERED.)

Instructions to Soldier

1. You will produce this book whenever you require an advance of cash on account, or when instructed to do so.
2. You will give a receipt, on the acquittance roll of the Officer paying you, for all cash advances made to you. The Officer making the payment will sign the corresponding entry in this book on the page for cash payments.
3. You will make no entries in this book, except to sign your name and enter your Army number on pages 7, 9, 11 and 13.
4. Should you lose your book you will at once report the loss to your Commanding Officer, when a new book will be issued to you, but it must be understood that no pay can be issued in respect of the period before the date on which you report your loss, until your balance has been ascertained from the Paymaster.
5. You should read carefully the information on pages 1, 2 and 3.

ARMY RATES OF PAY FOR LANCE-SERJEANTS AND BELOW

There are two separate Pay Codes for the Army as shown below :

(1) **THE POST-1925 CODE**—for soldiers enlisted on and after 26th October, 1925, and those who enlisted before that date who have elected to be paid under the Post-1925 Code.

(2) **THE PRE-1925 CODE**—for soldiers who last enlisted before 26th October, 1925, and have served continuously with the Colours, in the Reserve or T.A.

Each Code has two sets of rates : **Normal Rates** for soldiers other than tradesmen, **Tradesmen's Rates** for soldiers qualified as such and mustered in a trade.

Tradesmen's Rates are divided into four groups, A to D, in each Code.

NORMAL DAILY RATES OF PAY

POST-1925

Non-commissioned Officers					s.	d.
Lance-Serjeant					6	6
Corporal or Bombardier					5	9
„ after 3 yrs. service in rank ...					6	0
Lance-Corporal or Lance-Bombardier ...					5	3

Privates and equivalent	Period of reckonable man's service				
	Classification				
	Under 6 mths.	6 mths.	1 yr.	2 yrs.	3 yrs.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Class IA	—	—	—	—	4 9
Class I	—	3 6	3 9	4 0	4 6
Class II	3 0	3 0	3 3	3 6	4 0

PRE-1925

Non-commissioned Officers					s.	d.
Lance-Serjeant					7	0
Corporal or Bombardier					6	6
Lance-Corporal or Lance-Bombardier...					5	9

Privates and equivalent					s.	d.
Classification					s.	d.
Class IA					5	0
Class I					4	6
Class II					3	9

(To be placed in Class IA a Pre-1925 Private, etc., must hold a 2nd Class Army Certificate of Education.)

POST-1925

TRADESMEN'S DAILY RATES OF PAY

PRE-1925

Non-commissioned Officers	A	B	C	D
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Lance-Serjeant ...	8 9	8 6	7 9	7 0
L./Sjt. Dvr./Mech. ...	—	—	—	6 6
Cpl. or Bdr....	7 9	7 6	6 9	6 0
„ after 3 yrs. In rank	—	—	—	6 3
L./Cpl. or L./Bdr. ...	7 0	6 9	6 0	5 3
„ after 3 yrs. R.S.	—	—	—	5 6

Non-commissioned Officers	A	B	C	D
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Lance-Serjeant	9 0	8 9	8 6	7 9
Cpl. or Bdr. ...	8 3	8 0	7 9	7 0
L./Cpl. or L./Bdr.	7 6	7 3	7 0	6 3

Privates and equivalent

Class I	6 0	5 6	4 9	—
„ after 3 yrs. R.S.	6 9	6 3	5 9	—
Class II	4 9	4 6	4 3	4 0
„ after 1 yrs. R.S.	5 0	4 9	4 6	4 3
„ after 2 yrs. R.S.	5 3	5 0	4 9	4 6
„ after 3 yrs. R.S.	6 0	5 9	5 6	5 3
Class III	4 3	4 0	3 9	3 6
„ after 1 yrs. R.S.	4 6	4 3	4 0	3 9
„ after 2 yrs. R.S.	4 9	4 6	4 3	4 0
„ after 3 yrs. R.S.	5 6	5 3	5 0	4 9

Privates and equivalent				
Class I	6 0	5 9	5 6	—
„ after 2 yrs. R.S.	7 0	6 9	6 6	—
Class II	5 6	5 3	5 0	4 9
„ after 2 yrs. R.S.	6 6	6 3	6 0	5 9
Class III... ..	5 0	4 9	4 6	4 3
„ after 2 yrs. R.S.	6 0	5 9	5 6	5 3

R.S. denotes reckonable man's service rendered after age of 17½ years.

NOTES ON ARMY PAY FOR THE GUIDANCE OF LANCE-SERJEANTS AND RANKS BELOW

1. **POST-1925** Corporals and Bombardiers on Normal Rates and Tradesmen Corporals and Bombardiers on Group D rates receive an increase of pay after they have held the rank for three years.

POST-1925 Tradesmen Lance-Corporals and Lance-Bombardiers on Group D rates receive an increase of pay when they have completed three years' reckonable man's service.

2. **ALL PRIVATES, ETC.**, are placed in one of three classes—those on Normal Rates according to military efficiency, and those on Tradesmen's Rates according to trade proficiency.

3. **CLASSIFICATION**.—On joining for service a soldier receives Class II Normal Rates of pay.
 4. **RE-CLASSIFICATION**.—All Privates, etc., (unless they are tradesmen or qualifying as such) will be classified by their C.O.'s:—

(a) After six months' service, and raised to Class I if efficient, and

(b) After three years' service, and raised to Class IA only if thoroughly trained and efficient. A Private, etc., who has not attained the required standard of efficiency will be informed in what way he must improve to qualify for a higher class.

A Private, etc., on Normal Rates can be re-classified by his C.O. at any time, after six months' service, according to his military efficiency, unless he is under training as a tradesman.

A Tradesman Private, etc., if he falls below standard or fails to show diligence, can be disrated, or reverted to Normal Rates of pay, Class II.

All Classifications and Re-classifications are published in Part II or III Orders, from which the Paymaster adjusts soldiers' pay accounts.

5. **INCREASES OF PAY** for rank service or for reckonable man's service are credited by the paymaster when due. Reckonable man's service counts from a soldier's PAY DATE.

6. **THE PAY DATE** is normally the date a soldier last joined for service, but former Colour Service acknowledged on joining, or rendered before transfer to the Reserve, may be allowed to count towards increases of pay for service, and the Pay Date is altered accordingly by the Paymaster. If pay is forfeited for more than 28 consecutive days, the Pay Date is altered by that number of days and future increases are delayed by a corresponding period.

ALLOTMENTS OF PAY

(1) A **Qualifying Allotment** is deducted from the pay of soldiers who are married or have been granted Special Dependants' Allowance, and paid to their wives or dependants in addition to Family Allowance or Special Dependants' Allowance.

(2) A **Contributory Allotment** is deducted from the pay of soldiers who have been granted Ordinary Dependants' Allowance, and the allotment is included in the weekly rate paid to dependants. During the period of the war the first -/6d. a day of Qualifying Allotment is paid by the State. The following rates apply ONLY to Lance-Serjeants and below :

FAMILY OR SPECIAL DEPENDANTS' ALLOWANCE—Qualifying Allotments.

Daily Rate of Pay	Deducted
	s. d.
Over 4/- a day	1 6 a day
4/- a day	1 3 " "
Over 3/6 but less than 4/- a day	1 0 " "
3/6 a day	0 9 " "
Below 3/6 a day	0 6 " "

A Voluntary Allotment may be paid to a wife or dependant in addition to the above rates.

ORDINARY DEPENDANTS' ALLOWANCE—Contributory Allotments.

Daily Rate of Pay	Deducted
	s. d.
Over 8/-	1 6 a day
6/- but not exceeding 8/-	1 3 " "
4/- but less than 6/-	1 0 " "
3/6 but less than 4/-	0 9 " "
3/- but less than 3/6	0 6 " "

NOTES

1. The pay account of a soldier while on Active Service is normally kept by the Fixed Centre Paymaster concerned, and all communications relating to the soldier's account should be addressed accordingly. If serving in India, Burma or Ceylon the pay account is kept by the Chief Paymaster (British Troops in India), Meerut.
2. A soldier's entitlement for cash payment purposes is the net rate of pay recorded on pages 5 and 6, to which may be added any temporary emolument known to be due for the period covered by the cash payment.

Name in full KONIUSZEK ROMAN

Army Number.....Rank.....CPL

Date of Attestation (Regular Army).....

Date of last Joining for Service { Reservist, Territorial or Army Class }

Pay Date.....
 (See note 6 on page 3)

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ALLOWANCES BEING PAID ON SOLDIER'S BEHALF

Family Allowance
 or
 Special Dependants' Allowance
 or
 Ordinary Dependants' Allowance.
 (To be recorded as instructed by the Paymaster on A.F.N.1483 or other form.)

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8-th RIFLE BATTALION
1-st POLISH ARM. DIV.

P/43. Polish Forces,
B.A.O.F.

15. November 1946.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

C E R T I F I C A T E.

This is to certify that the below items are lawful
property of No.....Rank. *cpl.*.....Name. *KONIUSZEK ROMAN*

1- BICYCLE

1- WIRELESS



Commanding Officer

Aleksander Kowaczynski
Kowaczynski Aleksander, D.S.O.
Lt. Colonel

CANTEEN PASS No. 14521

No. 27838

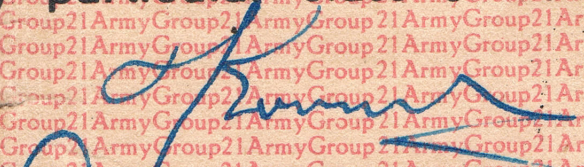
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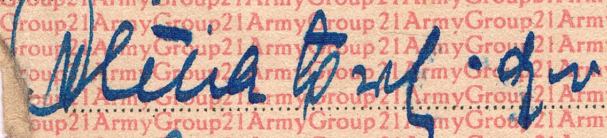
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Signature of Holder



Signature of Issuing Officer



Date of expiry

16 9 1945

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GEWESTELIJK ARBEIDSBUREAU BREDA.

BREDA, 20/12 1944.

Den Heer Commissaris van Politie
te

BREDA

Tegen tewerkstelling van
in het beroep
bestaat mijnerzijds geen bezwaar.

Roman Kaminshak, geb. 10-2-23
Comer bij de H.K.L. te Greda

DE DIRECTEUR VAN HET GEWESTELIJK
ARBEIDSBUREAU BREDA,

J. W. Maats