

Number.

From whom and Date.

23/90

119854

J. W. Emerson 13/8

SUBJECT.

16

L. W. Vincent 2/4

Date of Registry— 15/8/19

For paymt. of a/c

Per 6  
139  
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Former paper.	3182 Referred to	Date.	Referred to	Date.
15 mob 2 <sup>c</sup> 2/8/19			no 11	
Referred to.		Date.		
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For authority to p.a.

pa  
26/11/19

**SCHEDULE OF CORRESPONDENCE.**

**LETTERS TO AND FROM WAR OFFICE.**

*(To be filled in by Branches.)*

DATE	FROM	TO	Number of Enclosures in each
16. 8. 19.	a/s.	T. W. Emerson Esq.	
16. 8. 19.	- " -	- " -	7.2.
25. 10. 19	" "	<del>W. Emerson</del> Aldershot	ch.
27. 10. 19	"	W. Emerson	
17. 11. 19	"	Aldershot Ind	
25. 11. 19	"	Mr. Emerson.	

*(To be continued on fresh jacket if necessary.)*

1  
Letter + Encl. for W. Emerson Esq

2  
Ask Mr Emerson to forward cheque (2A)

A.G.3  
15/8/19

*Ant. ...*

3.

Mr Emerson forwards cheque. 3A

Ack. receipt. 3B

A.G.3.

22.8.19.

*W*  
D.A.A.G.

4.

A.G.2.(0),

Would <sup>you</sup> please say how this officer is at present situated.

A.G.3.

22.8.19.

*W. ...*  
D.A.A.G.

5

A.G.4a.

Can you please trace this Officer? A.I. 873573 rendered by 3<sup>rd</sup> Bn Royal Lancashire show this Officer struck off the strength, leave on Voluntary for overseas. 4.3.19.

A.G.2.(0)

27.8.19.

*E. R. J. Ford*  
Capt.

A.G.20. The only information <sup>we</sup> are able to glean is, that

that given by Coast. Please see attached  
Form 12. (A)

1. to 1a here Capt.

Alpa  
wom 012  
4/9/19

7

Ash Western Command (A)

A.G. 2(0)  
4/9/19

Ch.

LA

8

W.S.H.B.

Reference to enclosure 8. Have you  
any record of this officer being placed  
on Half Pay please.

A.G. 2(0)  
23.9.19

Charley Major

9

MOB 2 c (Repat)

With reference to min 12 x/13 and min 4 x/16 can you  
please say?

A.G. 2(0)  
6.10.19.

Mumson Lt

10

A.G. 3

Please see att. file 15, which explains  
this officer's present position. Kindly  
return file.

MOB 2(c) Repat?

21.10.19.

A. S. L. Goddard  
Major

<sup>11</sup>  
Reminders from Mr. Emerson (11A)  
Reply as drafted (11B)

APB  
23/10/19.

Aut.  
W. O. O. G.

<sup>12</sup>  
15 shows St. Vincent on the strength of the  
Officers being Repatriation Camp, Portbright,  
awaiting repatriation to Australia under group  
4513.

<sup>13</sup>  
Write Aldershot Cd. as drafted (13A)

APB  
23/10/19

Aut.  
W. O. O. G.

<sup>14</sup>  
Send reminders to Aldershot Cd. St. Vincent  
enbarks for Australia on 22 inst (see 15) (14A)

APB  
14/11/19

W. O. O. G.

<sup>15</sup>  
Aldershot Cd. reports this matter has occurred (15A)  
Inquire Mr. Emerson accordingly (15B)

APB  
14/11/19

Aut.  
W. O. O. G.

16

Mr. Emerson states that this matter has been adjusted  
(167)

T. W. EMERSON,  
Solicitor.  
COMMISSIONER FOR OATHS.  
TELEPHONE NO. 627.  
TELEGRAMS,  
"EMERSON, PLYMOUTH, 627."

16A  
4, SUSSEX TERRACE,  
PRINCESS SQUARE,  
PLYMOUTH.

24th November 1919.

Dear Sir,

119854/16 ( A.G.3 )

Lieut. Vincent

2  
With reference to your letter of the  
27th ult I am advised by my client Mr. A.C.  
Turner that £4-4-0 was sent him by Money Order  
dated the 10th November 1919 issued from Lancas-  
ter Street Hyde Park West in settlement of the  
account the subject of the unpaid cheque.

Thanking you for your kind assistance  
in the matter.

Yours faithfully,

*T. W. Emerson*

The Secretary,  
The War Office,  
S.W. 1.

NOV 22 1919

15B

25 November 1919.

119854/16. (A.G.3.)

Sir,

With reference to correspondence ending with your letter of the 16th August 1919, on the subject of an unpaid cheque for the sum of £4.4.0. which was given to your client, Mr. A.C. Turner by Lieutenant Vincent, Royal Lancaster Regiment, in part payment for hire of a motor car, I am directed to inform you it has been reported to this Office that the matter is now in order.

I am,  
Sir,  
Your obedient Servant,

(Sd.) A. C. S. CHICHESTER,  
Major.

for Major-General,  
Director of Personal Services.

T.W. Emerson, Esq.  
Solicitor,  
4. Sussex Terrace,  
Princess Square,  
PLYMOUTH.



SUBJECT:- Lieutenant W.J. Vincent, King's Own Regiment - Cheque.

REFERENCES:- W.O. letter 119854/16 (A.G.3.) dated 25-10-1919 and  
17-11-1919.

C.R.A.C. No. 2/63570. (A).

Secretary,  
War Office.

**CONFIDENTIAL**

The G.O.C., Blackdown Brigade, reports that a money order for £4.4.0. in settlement of the unpaid cheque in question has now been forwarded to Mr. A.C. Turner.

*C. J. Pickering*  
*A.G. for*

Aldershot.  
19/11/1919.

General,  
G.O.C., Aldershot Command.



119854/16. (A.G.3.)

14A  
17<sup>th</sup> November 1919.

Sir,

With reference to the letter from this Department of the 25th October 1919, numbered as above, on the subject of an unpaid cheque for £4.4.0. which was drawn by Lieutenant W.S. VINCENT, 2nd Battalion, Royal Lancaster Regiment, I am directed to inform you that the officer in question embarks for Australia on the 22nd instant.

I am, therefore, to enquire how this matter stands.

I am,  
Sir,  
Your obedient Servant,

(Ed.) J. MACREADY, Major,  
D. A. A. G.

for Major-General,

Director of Personal Services.

The General Officer  
Commanding-in-Chief,  
Aldershot Command,  
ALDERSHOT.

U R G E N T.

13A

119854/16. (A.G.3.)

25 October 1919.

Sir,

Unpaid  
cheque.

I am directed to inform you it has been represented to this Department that in payment for hire of a motor car, Lieutenant W.S. Vincent, 2nd Battalion, King's Own Regiment, drew a cheque in favour of A.C. Turner, 13. Tavistock Road, Plymouth, on Messrs Cox & Co. for the sum of £4.4.0., which on presentation has been returned unpaid endorsed "Requires Drawer's confirmation, 2.4.19." The cheque is numbered C/S114167, dated 18th March 1919, and is attached hereto.

Lieutenant Vincent is at present on the strength of the Officer's Wing, Repatriation Camp, Pirbright, awaiting repatriation to Australia under Group 45(B), and I am to request you to be good enough to take such action as you may deem necessary, and when notifying the result to this Department, please state whether the matter has been adjusted financially.

I am,  
Sir,  
Your obedient Servant,

The General Officer  
Commanding-in-Chief,  
Aldershot Command,  
ALDERSHOT.

(Sd.) A. C. S. CHESTER,  
Major.

for Major-General,  
Director of Personal Services.

11 B

119854/16. (A.G.3.)

27 October 1919.

Sir,

With reference to correspondence ending with your letter of the 14th instant, concerning an unpaid cheque issued by Lieutenant Vincent, I am directed to inform you that the matter is still the subject of correspondence..

A further communication regarding this matter will be addressed to you as early as possible.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

(Sd.) A. C. S. CHICHESTER,  
Major.

for Major-General,  
Director of Personal Services.

T.W. Emerson, Esq.  
Solicitor,  
Sussex Terrace,  
Princess Square,  
Plymouth.

*[Handwritten mark]*

T. W. EMERSON,  
Solicitor.  
COMMISSIONER FOR OATHS.  
TELEPHONE NO. 627.  
TELEGRAMS,  
"EMERSON, PLYMOUTH, 627."

11A  
4, SUSSEX TERRACE,  
PRINCESS SQUARE,  
PLYMOUTH.

14th. October 1919.

WAR OFFICE  
OCT 1919  
Dear Sir,

119854/16 (A.G.3.)

Turner v Vincent

I shall be pleased if you will  
kindly inform me the present position  
of this matter.

Yours faithfully,

*T. W. Emerson*

The Secretary,  
War Office,  
S.W.1.

Headquarters, No. 3 District,  
Preston.



re Lieut. W. G. Vincent, K.O.R.L. Regt.

With reference to War Office Letter 119854/16.  
G/538/S. A.G.2.(O) dated 8.9.19., C.R.W.C. 3/61656/3 M.S. dated  
Chester 11.9.19. and your M/11/11/Lan. dated 12.9.19. I have  
to report that the present whereabouts of the above-named officer  
are not known here. He was ~~retired~~<sup>placed</sup> on the Half-Pay List, and the  
address of his Father is :-

Bath Club, Dover Street, London W.

Lancaster,  
13.9.19.

*R. M. Johnson*  
Major, Commanding,  
Depot, The King's Own Royal Lancaster Regiment.

M/11/11/Jan.

Headquarters,  
Western Command.

Headquarters, No. 3 District,  
Preston.

ON C. M. R. No. 3/61656/3 M.S. dated 11.9.19.

With reference to War Office letter 11854/1a.

G/538/2. A.G.S. (O) dated 8.9.19., C.H.W.C. 3/61656/3 M.S. dated 11.9.19. and your M/11/Jan. dated 12.9.19. I have to report that the present whereabouts of the above named officer are not known here. He was retired on the Half-pay list, and the address of his father is -

*John W. R. [Signature]*  
Colonel.

Preston.  
15. 9. 19.

Commanding No. 3 District.

*[Signature]*

Major, Commanding,  
Lancaster Regiment.

SEARCHED
INDEXED
16 SEP 1919
No.

Lancaster,  
13.9.19.

C.R.No. 3/61656/3.(M.S.)

Subject - Address - Lieut.W.G.Vincent, K.O.R.Lancs.Regt.

Secretary, War Office, London.S.W.

Forwarded with reference to War Office  
letter 119854/16. G/538/S. dated 8th September,  
1919.



*Hutchinson J.G.*  
*for*

Lieut.General.

G.O.C. Western Command.

Chester.  
17th September, 1919.

22 SEP 1919



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8th. September, 1919.

119854/16. G/538/S. (A.G.2.(o).)

Sir,

I am directed to request that you will ascertain and report to the office the present whereabouts of ;→  
Lieutenant. W.G. VINCENT, Kings Own Royal Lancs Regt.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

*Ch.*

*for* Staff Captain.  
for Director of Organization.

General Officer  
Commanding-in-Chief,  
Western Command,  
Chester.

G. 12.

*urgent*

*Mr Josephson  
44a  
(wom 072)*

WAR OFFICE, S.W.1,

11/9/ 1919

*Messrs. Coote & Co.*

are requested to

state the address of the officer undermentioned

*Lt. W. Vincent  
Kings own Royal Lancers  
Regt.*

*P. W. Vincent*

*Bk of New S. Wales 29 Threadneedle*

*A*

MEM.—It is necessary that the address be stated with accuracy, instances having occurred, too frequently, of official communications either not reaching the officer concerned at all, or too late for him to obey the orders contained therein.

*B. W. Child*

Brig.-General,

Director of Personal Services.

3B

25. August 9

18.8.19.

@@@@@@@@@@@ forwarding Lieut. Vincent's  
cheque for £4.4.0.

T.W. Emerson, Esq.  
Solicitor,  
4. Sussex Terrace,  
Princess Square,  
Plymouth.

*2/Jan.*

T. W. EMERSON,  
Solicitor.

COMMISSIONER FOR OATHS.

TELEPHONE NO. 627.  
TELEGRAMS,  
"EMERSON, PLYMOUTH, 627."

4, SUSSEX TERRACE, <sup>3A</sup>  
PRINCESS SQUARE,

Reg.

PLYMOUTH.

✓  
18th. August 1919.

Dear Sir,

119854/16 (A.G. 3.)

I thank you for your letter of  
the 16th. inst with reference to an unpaid  
cheque of Lieut. Vincent 2nd Kings Own  
Regt. and I enclose herewith the unpaid  
cheque dated the 18th March 1919 for  
£4-4-0 payable to A.C. Turner to you for  
necessary action as desired.

Yours faithfully,

*T. W. Emerson*

The Secretary,  
War Office,  
London S.W.

2A

119854/16. (A.G.3.)

16 AUGUST 1919.

Sir,

I am directed to inform you that your letters of the 6th, 8th and 12th instant, have been transmitted to this Department by the Chief Paymaster, Australian Imperial Forces, and to request that you will be so good as to forward Lieutenant Vincent's unpaid cheque to this Department for necessary action.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

(Sd.) G. S. THIGHE/PER,  
Major

for Major-General,

Director of Personal Services.

T.W. Emerson, Esq.  
Solicitor,  
4. Sussex Terrace,  
Princess Square,  
PLYMOUTH.

*Pms Aug 3 Notice*

4, SUSSEX TERRACE,

PRINCESS SQUARE,

PLYMOUTH.

T. W. EMERSON,  
Solicitor,  
COMMISSIONER FOR OATHS.  
TELEPHONE NO. 627.  
TELEGRAMS,  
"EMERSON, PLYMOUTH, 627."

12th. August 1919.

*Vincent*

Dear Sir,

I do not understand the attached  
Mem. No. F. 90570 and the information  
set out thereon is what I desire to know  
Thanking you for any assistance  
that you may be able to give me.

Yours faithfully,

*T. W. Emerson*

6  
Recd  
1919

The Chief Paymaster,  
A. I. F.,  
S. W.

*Not Australian  
Send to War Office  
13/8/19*

T. W. EMERSON,  
Solicitor,  
COMMISSIONER FOR OATHS,  
TELEPHONE NO. 627.  
TELEGRAMS.  
"EMERSON, PLYMOUTH, 627."

ADMINISTRATIVE HEADQUARTERS  
AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCES  
4, SUSSEX TERRACE,  
9 - AUG. 19 - 12 - 1919  
CENTRAL REGISTRY  
PRINCESS SQUARE,  
PLYMOUTH.

8th. August 1919.

Dear Sir,

F90570

With reference to the attached  
I regret that the information on the  
Memorandum is not sufficient to assist  
me. Will you kindly inform me to whom  
the letter should be sent and the nec-  
essary address. I understand there is  
no doubt that the 2nd Kings Own Regt. is  
one of the Australian Regiments.

Yours faithfully,



T. W. Emerson

The Chief Paymaster,  
Australian Imperial Forces.

2<sup>nd</sup> Kings Own Regt  
Aust. Imperial Force

W. EMERSON,  
Solicitor,  
COMMISSIONER FOR OATHS,  
TELEPHONE NO. 627,  
TELEGRAMS,  
"EMERSON, PLYMOUTH, 627."

4, SUSSEX TERRACE,

PRINCESS SQUARE,  
PLYMOUTH.

6th August 1919.

Dear Sir,

I enclose particulars of an account owing to

my client Mr. A. C. Turner by Lieut. W. G. Vincent 2nd Kings  
Own Regiment and Lieut. Gibson.

These officers hired a motor car from my Client  
for three days at an agreed figure of £8-8-0. I under-  
stand that entire satisfaction was given to them and they  
each gave him their cheques for £4-4-0 dated the 18th  
March 1919 in payment of this account. That of Lieut.  
Gibson was duly met by his bankers but that of Lieut.  
Vincent was returned by his Bankers marked "R. D. 25/3/19"

It was then handed by my client to me with in-  
structions to take proceedings for its recovery and on my  
instructions to my bankers it was again presented to Messrs  
Cox & Co. and returned marked "Requires Drawers Confirmation  
2/4/19"

I then communicated with my Agents in London and  
they called upon Messrs. Cox & Co. who stated that they had  
received instructions from Lieut. Vincent but as they were  
rather ambiguously worded they could not definitely inter-  
pretate them as meaning they were to stop payment. At the  
same time they did not feel disposed to make payment without



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special confirmation and that they could not possibly see their way to honouring this small cheque.

As you will appreciate it is practically impossible for me to issue proceedings against Lieut. Vincent as I am unaware of his address and the difficulty of serving any process on him personally.

I should therefore esteem it a great favour if you would kindly assist me in any way with regard to the payment of this small amount.

The dishonoured cheque is in my possession and I will send it to you for your inspection should you so desire

Yours faithfully,

*F. W. Somerton*

The Chief Paymaster,  
Australian Imperial Forces,  
130, Horseferry Road,  
S.W. 1.

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Lieut. Gibson,

March 16th 1919

Lieut. W. G. Vincent,

M 2nd Kings Own Regiment.

Dr. to

**A. C. TURNER,**



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1919				
March 16	Hire of Car to Haytor, Ashburton Torquay and			
to				
March 18	district (3 days.)	£8	8	0
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18	Received of Lieut. Gibson on account	£4	4	0
		<hr/>		
	Balance owing	£4	4	0
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