

Study Source B.

How could you follow up Source F to find out more about the work of the R.A.M.C on the Western Front?

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From Ward Muir's *Observations of an Orderly*, published in 1917. Muir was a Lance Corporal in the RAMC and worked in a hospital in London that received patients from the Western Front at the end of the chain of evacuation.

We orderlies meet each convoy at the front door of the hospital. The walking-cases are the first to arrive – men who are either not ill enough, or not badly enough wounded, to need to be put on stretchers in ambulances. They come from the station in motor-cars supplied by the London Ambulance Column. The few minutes which the walking-case spends in the receiving hall are occupied in drinking a cup of cocoa, and in 'having his particulars taken'. Poor soul! – he is weary of giving his 'particulars'. He has had to give them half-a-dozen times at least, perhaps more, since he left the front. At the field dressing-station they wanted his particulars, at the clearing-station, on the train, at the base hospital, on another train, on the steamer, on the next train, and now in this English hospital.

In your answer, you must give the question you would ask and the type of source you could use (4 marks).

1) Dissect the question:

-Underline the topic of the question

-Circle the concept of the question

2) Dissect the source:

-Highlight two things the source tells you about the work of the R.A.M.C

Details in the source I could maybe follow up are...

- 1) .....
- 2) .....
- 3) .....

Questions I could ask about these details are...

- 1) How effective .....
- 2) Why.....
- 3) How successful .....

Specific sources I could use are...

- 1) Medical records showing.....
- 2) A diary of ..... showing.....
- 3) Medical records showing.....
- 4) A diary of ..... showing.....

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Detail in Source B that I would follow up...

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Questions I would ask ...

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What type of source I could use...

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How might this help answer my question...

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**Question 2b**

**WWW**

**EBI**

I **copied** an appropriate detail/quotation from the source from my research investigation.

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I **created** a detailed question that would support my investigation of Source B.

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I **identified** a specific historical source that would assist my research investigation.

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I **explained** how the source I selected would help my investigation.

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