

Original 68
No. 135299.

ATTESTATION PAPER.

Folio.

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS).

1. What is your name?..... Porter Arthur
 2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... London Eng.
 3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?..... Porter Charles (father)
 4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... Bradford Ont.
 5. What is the date of your birth?..... Aug 25th 1896
 6. What is your Trade or Calling?..... Labourer
 7. Are you married?..... no
 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated?..... Yes
 9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia?..... no
 10. Have you ever served in any Military Force?.. no
If so, state particulars of former Service.
 11. Do you understand the nature and terms of your engagement?..... Yes
 12. Are you willing to be attested to serve in the CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE?} Yes
- Arthur Porter (Signature of Man).
..... L. Jowett Spt (Signature of Witness).

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Arthur Porter, do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements by me now made, and I hereby engage and agree to serve in the Canadian Over-Seas Expeditionary Force, and to be attached to any arm of the service therein, for the term of one year, or during the war now existing between Great Britain and Germany should that war last longer than one year, and for six months after the termination of that war provided His Majesty should so long require my services, or until legally discharged.

..... Arthur Porter (Signature of Recruit)
Date..... July 21 191 5 L. Jowett Spt (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Arthur Porter, do make Oath, that I will be faithful and bear true Allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will as in duty bound honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity, against all enemies, and will observe and obey all orders of His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, and of all the Generals and Officers set over me. So help me God.

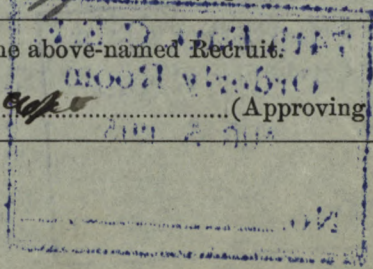
..... Arthur Porter (Signature of Recruit)
Date..... July 21 191 5 L. Jowett Spt (Signature of Witness)

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE.

The Recruit above-named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.
The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.
I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me, at..... Toronto this..... 21 day of..... July..... 191 5

..... [Signature] (Signature of Justice)

I certify that the above is a true copy of the Attestation of the above-named Recruit:
..... J. G. Baldock (Approving Officer)



Description of Porter Arthur on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 18 years 11 months.
 (To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)

Distinctive marks, and marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease.

(Should the Medical Officer be of opinion that the recruit has served before, he will, unless the man acknowledges to any previous service, attach a slip to that effect, for the information of the Approving Officer.)

Height 5 ft. 3 ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 35 ins.
 Range of expansion 2 ins.

Complexion Fair

Eyes Blue

Hair Light

Religious denominations. { Church of England Yes
 Presbyterian -
 Wesleyan -
 Baptist or Congregationalist -
 Other Protestants (Denomination to be stated.) -
 Roman Catholic -
 Jewish -

None

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

I have examined the above-named Recruit and find that he does not present any of the causes of rejection specified in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.

He can see at the required distance with either eye; his heart and lungs are healthy; he has the free use of his joints and limbs, and he declares that he is not subject to fits of any description.

I consider him* fit for the Canadian Over-Seas Expeditionary Force.

Date July 19th 1915

Place 452 Dundas st.

Geo. Graham

Medical Officer.

*Insert here "fit" or "unfit."

NOTE.—Should the Medical Officer consider the Recruit unfit, he will fill in the foregoing Certificate only in the case of those who have been attested, and will briefly state below the cause of unfitness:—

CERTIFICATE OF OFFICER COMMANDING UNIT.

A. Porter having been finally approved and inspected by me this day, and his Name, Age, Date of Attestation, and every prescribed particular having been recorded, I certify that I am satisfied with the correctness of this Attestation.

74th Batt. C.E.F.
 Orderly Room
 AUG 5 1915

R.C. Wudye (Signature of Officer)

Date No 1915

9-12-18

Proceedings of Court of Inquiry or on men reported Missing on Active Service.....

Attestation Papers.....

Declaration of change of name.....

Authority for special enlistments.....

Documents of re-enlisted men.....

Regimental Conduct Sheet.....

Compulsory Stoppages.....

Casualty Forms.....

Proceedings on discharge.....

Corps History Sheet.....

Date and No. of Deposit Receipt for Purchase Money and Amount.....

Parchment Certificate.....

Medical Report for Invalids.....

Medical History Sheet.....

Proceedings of Regt. Court Martial.....

Copies of Convictions by Civil Power.....

Company Conduct Sheet.....

Clothing Transfer Certificate.....

Inventory of Kit.....

Last Pay Certificate.....

97B122 - 1 Rmt
1111 - 2 Board
10nd 1111



DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS

Name PORTER ARTHUR

Regt. No. 135299 Rank Plt.

Corps 1st Bn (36th Bn)

Kind 9-4-16

R. O. No.....

H. Q. No.....

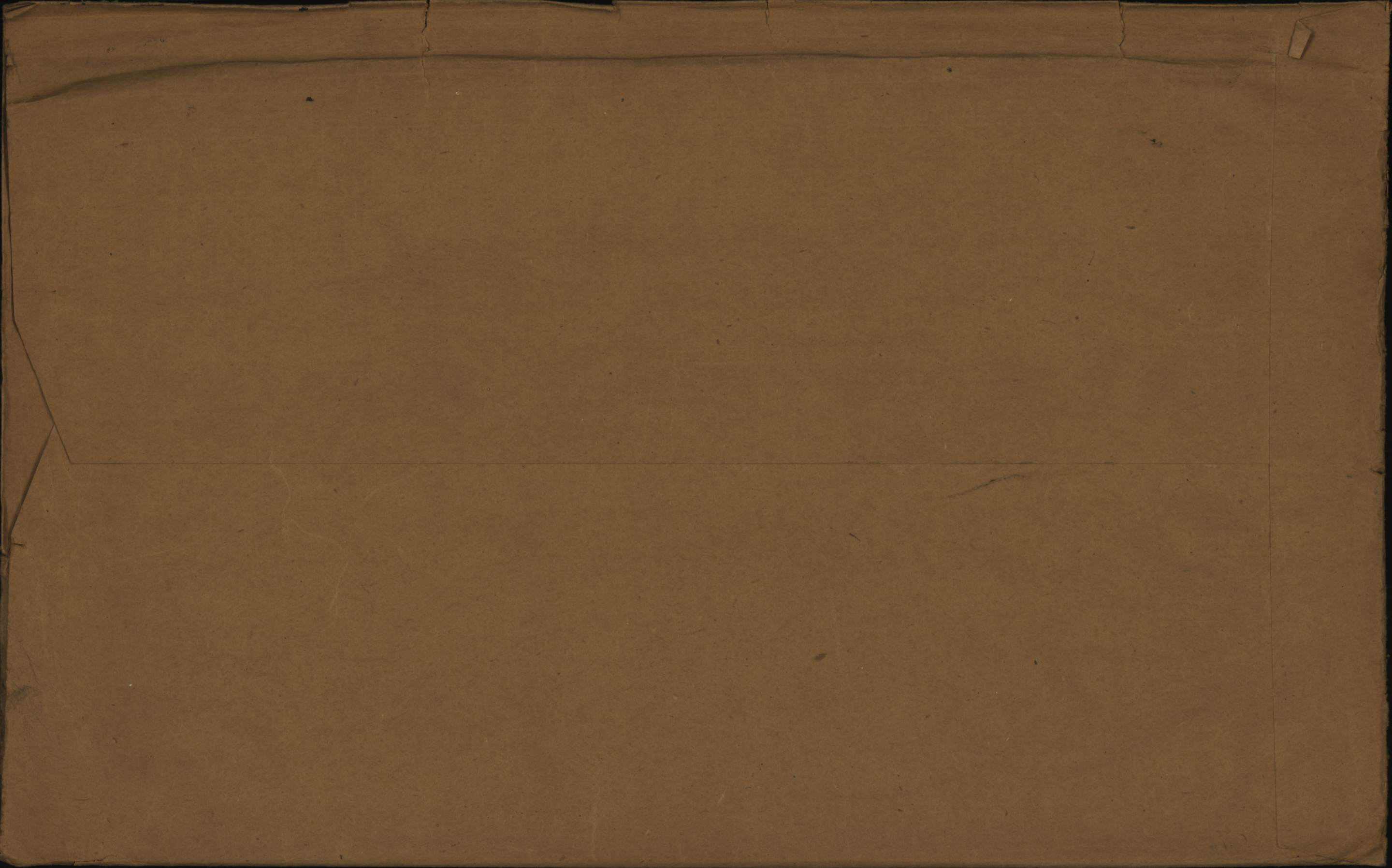


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16-5
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m-x
29-g-w
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✓ PORTER, Arthur 135299, 1st Bn. Pte. 649/P/1308

Not elig. for 14-15 star.

MEDALS AND DECORATIONS. (Father) Charles M. Porter
Box 91,
Bradford, Ont. *MM*

PLAQUES AND SCROLL (Father) same as above.

(Serial no. 758136.)

MEMORIAL CROSS. (~~XXXXXX~~ Nil)

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NAME *Porter, Arthur*REGT'L. No. *135399*RANK AND CORPS *Pte. 1st Bn. (Form 74th Bn) (1st R. D.)*

CABLE

NATURE OF CASUALTY

NO.

DATE

*m5909**1-5-16**Killed in action April 9th, 1916.**AFB2090A**Rouen**21-4-16**Killed in action Apr 9th 1916.*

LIST No.

HOSPITAL

DATE OF
ADMISSION

REMARKS

9344.

D.C. 1st. Batt n. rep.

9-4-16

Killed in action

Name **Porter A Rank Pte Reg. No. 135299**

Unit **1st Batt File No R L 25-D-445**

Next of Kin **Canada**

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. L
9-4-16	O C 1st Batt	Reported	K in A. A344	M5909		
	A209021	4-16			Feb. 10-5-16.	
	B.R. D.C.S.		296 2-7-16			

Handwritten signature in red ink

NAME

Porter, Arthur

649-B-1308

RANK & No.

Pte.

135299 **D**

CORPS

74th Battalion 1st R.D.

ENLISTMENT. PLACE

Toronto

DATE

July 21st 1915. S.

FORMER CORPS

Nil.

COUNTRY OF BIRTH

England, London.

NEXT OF KIN

Porter, Charles (R.N.S.)

ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

Bradford, Ont.

DISCHARGE, PLACE

DATE

sailed from Montreal 1-10-15 per

S.S. Scandinavian

L. L. 85093-M. & D. 5952.

220/3

M. F. W. 22-50m.-9-15.
H. Q. 1772-39-839.

REMARKS:

18. 18. 18.

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No. 135299

RANK

Pte.

NAME

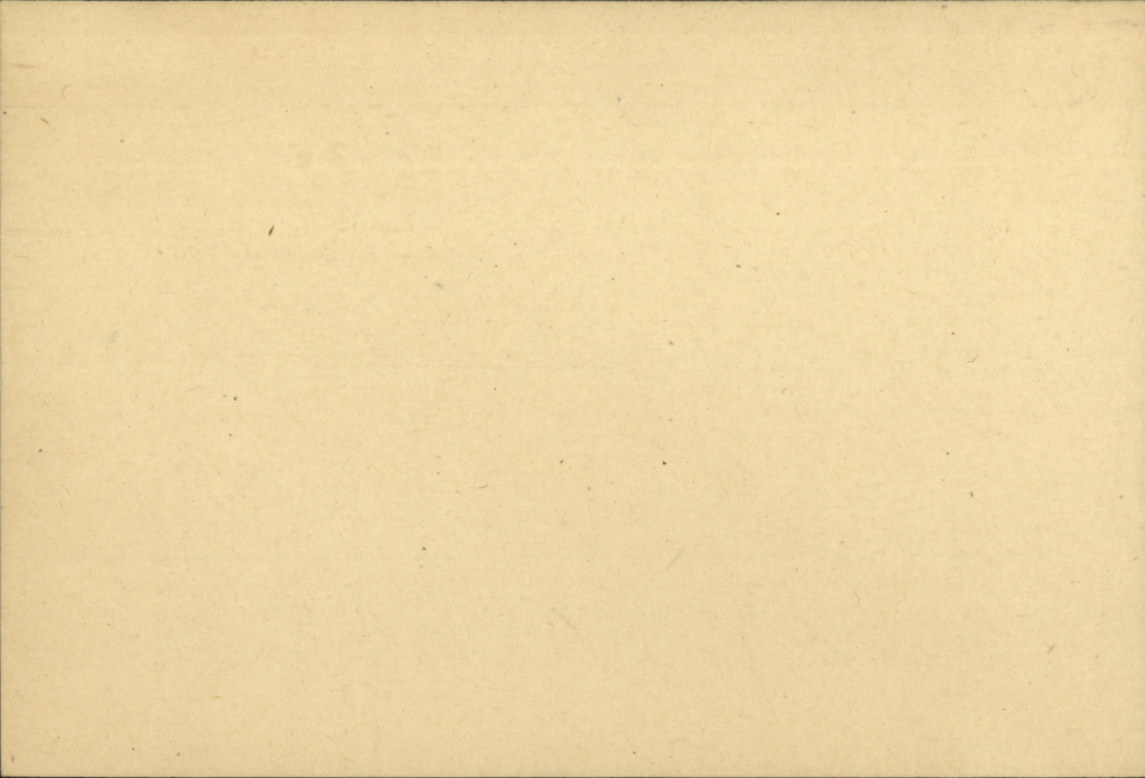
Porter, Arthur

T. O. S.

UNIT 74th. Battalion (C & J)
(36th. Peel Regt. Quota)

M. D. 2 .

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
1915 July 14	1915 July 31 Aug. Sept.	r r r.	Trans. to Rein. Draft. 30.9.15	DO. 45



201/B

Number. 135,299 Rank. Pte

Surname. PORTER

Christian Name. Arthur

Unit. 1st. Bn. Can. Inf. Theatre of War. France

Date of Service. 17/3/16 D

Remarks.....

Latest address. Charles M. Porter Esq.
Box 91

Bradford Ont.

Roll No. B

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Remarks

Date

~~B~~
~~X~~

Rank

Regtl. No.

Fyle Depot

M. or S.

Age

Religion

Ref. H.Q.

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 REGIMENT
 6958834

Date

Character on discharge

Date and place of enlistment

Date of Medical Boards

Remarks

Pt. 2 Order No.

Surname

Christian Name or Names

Reg. No.

Porter

A

135299

Rank

Unit

Co.

Troop

Batty.

Pte.

1st Batta.

Hospital

Date of Admission

Transferred

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Diagnosis

(1)

Later Diagnosis (if changed)

(2)

(3)

Additional Diagnoses: If more than one state present

DISPOSITION

Date

b. l. 2. 5. 16⁷ a 344

REMARKS
O. b. 1st Batta regts. "Killed
in action." 9. 4. 16.

A.M.D. 2 DEPT.
Batt: of D.G.M.S. O.M.F.C. London.

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EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

Hospital

Adm.

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

6.

7.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 36th. Battalion.Regimental No. 135299 Rank Pte. Name Porter, A.Enlisted (a) 21. 7. 15 Terms of Service (a) R.F.W. Service reckons from (a) 21. 7. 15Date of promotion } _____ Date of appointment } _____ Numerical position on } _____
to present rank } to lance rank } roll of N.C.Os. }

Extended _____ Re-engaged _____ Qualification (b) _____

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		TRANSFERRED TO <u>1st</u> BATTN. C.E.F. 19			
		ARRIVED IN FRANCE	HAVRE	17.3.16	<u>P. P. O. 749</u>
20-3-16	C.B.D. Proceeding to join.		Unit.	16-3-16101/HD/3/284.	
26-3-16	1st Bn. Joined.		Unit.	19-3-162813 DCS268.	
16-4-16	do. Killed in action.		Guid.	9-4-16 B. 213. P. P. O. 17. d/21/16.	
					<u>Wm. Collyer Dod.</u> Lieut. for Lieut-Colonel, A. A. G.

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.
(b) e.g., Signaller, Shoeing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

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Date	From whom received				

ORIGINAL

MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.

Surname Porter Christian Name Arthur

Examined { on 19th day of July 1915
 at Toronto
 Birthplace { City or Town London
 County England
 Apparent age 18
 Trade or occupation Labourer
 Height 5 Feet 3 Inches.
 Weight 115 Lbs.
 Chest measurement { Minimum 33 inches.
 Maximum expansion 35 inches
 Physical development Good
 Small-Pox Marks nil

Approved by [Signature]
 Rank Capt M.O.

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right Left
 Number 2
 When Vaccinated last 1908
 (a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease nil

Date	Fit or Unfit	EXAMINED FOR RE-ENGAGEMENT,
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection
flat feet

Date	Result	VACCINATIONS.
<u>12/8/15</u>	<u>+</u>	<u>[Signature]</u> M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Date	Result	ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.
<u>4/8/15</u>	<u>+</u>	<u>[Signature]</u> M.O.
<u>9/8/15</u>	<u>+</u>	<u>[Signature]</u> M.O.
<u>13/8/15</u>	<u>+</u>	<u>[Signature]</u> M.O.

Enlisted on 14 day of July 1915 at 145th Dundas

	CORPS.	REG'T NUMBER.	HABITS.	DATE.
Joined on enlistment	<u>74 Batt</u>	<u>135299</u>		<u>14. 7. 15</u>
Transferred to.. ..				

EXAMINED OR DISCHARGED BY A MEDICAL BOARD.

STATION.	DATE.	DISEASE.	RESULT.

N. B.—This sheet to be disposed of in accordance with instructions in the Regulations for Army Medical Service, on the man becoming non-effective ; the date and cause being stated on next page.

Referred to Board (later passed)

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M. F. W. 12.
20m.—9-15.
H. Q. 1772-39-819.

MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY
OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

To Whom *Chas Porter*
Address *Bradford*
Ont.

By Whom Assigned *Porter A.*
Regtl. No. *135299*
Rank *Pte.*
Corps *74th Btw.*

Rate *\$15⁰⁰* *1 Feb. 1916.*

R. in A. 9/4/16. 2M 5 1/16 June 1st 3M 24 5/16 1916 PAYMENTS

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.	REMARKS
Aug.	1914			<i>Casualties</i>
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1915			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1916			
Feb.		<i>P 13450</i>	<i>15</i>	
March		<i>T 16142</i>	<i>15</i>	
			<i>30 00</i>	

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MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

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M. F. W. 12a.
 60m.—12-15.
 1772—39—819.

Chas. Porter

Sheet No. 2.

Name of Soldier

Porter A.

PAYMENTS.

#135299

74th. Bus. 1st. Ring. Draft

L. L. Job 84002.—Req. 6213.

H.Y.M.

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
			30 \$15.00	
April	1916	<i>M 2509</i>	<i>15</i>	
May		<i>5264</i>	<i>15</i>	
June		<i>\$2696</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>Cancelled</i>
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1917			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1918			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				

Cancelled

MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

Sheet No. 2 (Contd.)

PAYMENTS.

Name of Soldier _____

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
Aug.	1918			
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1919			
Feb.				
March				
April				
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July				
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Dec.				
Jan.	1920			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				

Rank *Private* Name **PORTER Arthur**Reg'l No. **135299**

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Unit *1st Bn* ~~74th to 36th Bn~~If in perm. Corps,
What Unit?Married or Single **Single.**Place and Date of Enlistment **Toronto Ont, 21st July 1915** Place of Birth **London, England.**Name and Address, Next-of-Kin **Charles Porter, Bradford, Ont.**Relationship **Father.**Assigned Pay Monthly \$ *15.00 - 1-2-16* Payable to *Chas. Porter, Bradford, Ontario**Stop rendered 8/5/16 effect 1/6/15.*Relationship *(effect 1/2/16)*

Separation Allowance \$

Payable to

Relationship

Discharge, Date and Place *Killed in Action 9/14/16*Reason *Cashier A344*Character *2.5.16*

Date		PAY			Field Allowance			Other Credits	Total Credits	Voucher		Cash Payments	Assigned pay	Other Charges	Total Debits	Balance	Remarks, Casualties, etc	
From	To	No. of Days	Rate	Amount	No. of Days	Rate	Amount			No.	Date							
1915																		
Oct 1	Nov 30	61	1	61 00	61	10	610	10 00	77 10			29 20			29 20	47 90	130.182 trans from 74th Bn. Clothing	
Dec 1	31	31	1	31 00	31	10	310		34 10			34 10			43 83	38 17		
Jan 1	31	31	1	31	31	10	310		34 10			21 93			31 63	40 64		
Feb 1	29	29	1	29	29	10	290		31 90	492 354		9 85	15	1 32	36 06	36 48	Bomb stores and rep out. This entry of 15.00 from 12/16/15 trans to 1/22/16. 15.00 a.P. deb. twice cred. in June 16	
Mar 1	Mar 15	15		15	15		150		16 50			9 74	15		15	34 98		
	16	31	1	16	16	10	7 60		14 60			4 48	15		22 48	33 10		
		183-			18300			- 211 30				131 73 45		147 178 20		33 10		

Statement of
AUG 31 1916
Account rendered

Checked *adms*

AMOUNT TRANSFERRED TO NEW LEDGER

Settled

Cash found in
effects *No report*

DUPLICATE.

ARMY FORM B. 178.

To be used (a) for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army, and (b) for men of the Territorial Force when they are admitted to Hospital. Army Form B. 178A to be used for Special Reserve recruits and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

AFD

MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname P O R T E R Christian Name ARTHUR.

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish London County England

Examined ... { on 19th day of July 1915,
at Toronto.

Declared Age ... 18 years days.

Trade or Occupation ... Labourer

Height ... 5 feet 3 inches.

Weight ... 115 lbs.

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded 35 inches.
Range of Expansion 2 inches.

Physical Development ... Good.

Vaccination Marks { Arm ... Right Left
Number 2

When Vaccinated ... 1908

Vision ... { R.E.—V=
L.E.—V=

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease ... { (a)

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection ... { (b) Flat Feet.

Approved by (Signature) Jno. Graham.
(Rank) Capt.
Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... { at 1452 Dundas.,
on 14th day of July. 1915.

Corps.	Regtl. No.
<u>74th. Battn.</u>	<u>135299</u>

Became non-effective by

This Medical History Sheet has been compared with the Corresponding Attestation Paper, and entries made in on day of 191 .
taken from the Attestation Paper (Signature)
(Rank)

Rank Name PORTER Arthur

Reg'l No. 135299

Unit 74th to ³⁶ 23rd Bn If in perm. Corps, What Unit?

Married or Single Single. ⁶

Place and Date of Enlistment Toronto Ont, 21st July 1915 Place of Birth London. England.

Name and Address, Next-of-Kin Charles Porter, Bradford. Ont.

Relationship Father.

in x.
29.9.16
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Assigned Pay Monthly \$ Payable to

Separation Allowance \$ Payable to

Relationship

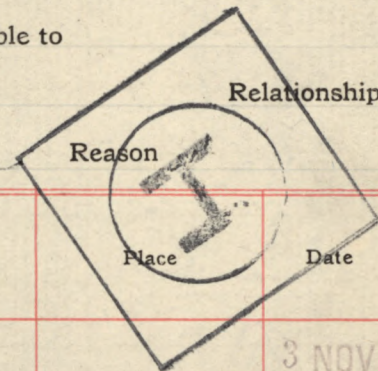
Relationship

N/E. R.B No. *1*
File R.L.
Category *K.A.*

Discharge, Date and Place

Reason

Character



W/A REMARKS
Taken from Official Documents
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Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	REMARKS Taken from Official Documents
Date	From whom received				
	<i>C</i>	<i>Arrived in England.</i>		<i>3 NOV 1915</i>	<i>103 checked 17.3.16</i>
<i>15.3.16</i>	<i>OC. 36</i>	<i>Trans to 7th Bn.</i>	<i>W Sandling</i>	<i>15.3.16</i>	<i>PT II 75 + PT II - 14 31.3.16</i>
<i>21.4.16</i>	<i>OC 1st</i>	<i>Killed in Action</i>	<i>France</i>	<i>9.4.16</i>	<i>PT II - 17 + CLA/344-2/5/16 ON</i>

