

ATTESTATION PAPER

Original

No.

Folio. 438620

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS)

1. What is your name?.....
2. In what Town, Township, or Parish, and in what Country were you born?.....
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?.....
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?.....
5. What is the date of your birth?.....
6. What is your trade or calling?.....
7. Are you married?.....
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated?.....
9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia?.....
10. Have you ever served in any Military Force?.....
If so, state particulars of former Service.
11. Do you understand the nature and terms of your engagement?.....
12. Are you willing to be attested to serve in the CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE?.....

Armitage Leonard
 Lee d's York, England
 Mrs. C. Armitage, Mother
 215, Pine St., Port Arthur
 4 July, 1897
 Bricklayer
 no.
 "Army Service Corps"
 "1 month"
 Yes
 Yes

L. Armitage (Signature of Man.)

Stephen (Signature of Witness.)

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Armitage Leonard, 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.

L. Armitage (Signature of Recruit.)

Date April 24 1915 Stephen (Signature of Witness.)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Armitage Leonard, 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.

L. Armitage (Signature of Recruit.)

Date April 24 1915 Stephen (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 Port Arthur this 24 day of April 1915.

A. W. Hay, J. C. (Signature of Justice.)

I certify that the above is a true copy of the Attestation of the above-named Recruit.

A. W. Hay, J. C. (Approving Officer.)

DESCRIPTION OF

Armitage Leonard

ON ENLISTMENT.

Apparent Age 18 years — 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. 10 ins.

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

*birth marks on
 left hip.*

Complexion Fair

Eyes Hazel

Hair Dark Brown

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

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 April 24 1916

Place St. Armand

G. Brown
 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

Leonard Armitage 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.

Date Apr 24 1916

A. W. Hay
 (Signature of Officer.)

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ORIGINAL
MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET. ~~3860~~

Surname Armitage Christian Name L.

Examined { on 24 day of Apr 1915
 at Port Arthur

Birthplace { City or Town Leeds
 County Yorkshire

Apparent age 18

Trade or occupation Bricklayer

Height 5 Feet 10 Inches

Weight 132 Lbs.

Chest measurement { Minimum 33 inches
 Maximum expansion 35 inches

Physical development Good

Small-Pox Marks -

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right Left
 Number 5

When Vaccinated last 1915

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease -

Approved by W. H. Cullough
 Rank Capt M.O.

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

Date	Result	VACCINATIONS.
1915	Good	W. H. Cullough M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Date	Result	ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.
7/5 15	Good	W. H. Cullough M.O.
19	"	M.O.
5	"	M.O.
6	"	M.O.

Enlisted on 24 day of Apr 1915 at Port Arthur

	CORPS.	REG'TL NUMBER.	HABITS.	DATE.
Joined on enlistment	<u>52nd O.B.</u>	<u>438620</u>		<u>24 Apr 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.

Rank **Pte** Name **ARMITAGE, Leonard**

Reg'l No. **438620**

Unit **52nd Bn.** If in perm. Corps, }
What Unit? }

Married or Single **Single**

Place and Date of Enlistment **Pt. Arthur, 24th April, 1915.** Place of Birth **Leeds, York, Eng.**

Name and Address, Next-of-Kin **Mrs C. Armitage,**
215 Pine St, Pt. Arthur, Ontario, Canada. Relationship **Mother**

Assigned Pay Monthly \$ Payable to

Relationship

Separation Allowance \$ Payable to

Relationship

Discharge, Date and Place Reason **25-A-296** Character **16**

N/E R B N° **9**
File R L
Category **KA**

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>Arrived in England</i>		3 DEC 1915	
		<i>Embarked for France</i>		<i>20-2-16 NR</i>	
<i>21-4-16</i> <i>25-4-16</i>	<i>Ob 52nd</i>	<i>Killed in Action</i>	<i>Field</i>	<i>13-4-16</i> <i>[Signature]</i>	<i>Pt II O 7²</i> <i>+ Cd A 39.</i> KA. ON

Rank **Pte** Name **ARMITAGE, Leonard** Reg'l No. **438620** P-56
 Unit **52nd Bn.** If in perm. Corps, }
 What Unit? } Married or Single **Single**
 Place and Date of Enlistment **Pt. Arthur, 24th April, 1915.** Place of Birth **Leeds, York, Eng.**
 Name and Address, Next-of-Kin **Mrs C. Armitage,**

215 Pine St, Pt. Arthur, Ontario, Canada. Relationship **Mother**
 Assigned Pay Monthly \$15.00 *Steps 15/16 @* Payable to *above address*
Killed in action April 13th 1916 Relationship

Separation Allowance Payable to

Discharge, Date and Place **13.4.16.** Reason **Kind** Relationship **Kind** Character



Date		PAY		Field Allowance		Other Credits	Total Credits	Voucher		Cash Payments	Assigned pay	Other Charges	Total Debits	Balance	Remarks, Casualties, etc.
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1916															
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Feb. 1	Feb 29	29	1.00	29.00	29	10	2.90			7.30	15.00		22.30	13.74	
Mar 1	31	31		31.00	31		3.10			2.62 2.62 2.62	15.00		24.86	24.98	
				12.20 ⁰⁰			12.20			49.22	60.00		109.22		<i>Settled see new Ledger sheet Sept/16</i>

Cash found in effects 204

Statement of
 AUG 8 1916
 Account rendered

ASSIGNED PAY

OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

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

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Sheet No. 2.

Clara Armitage

PAYMENTS.

Name of Soldier *Armitage Leonard*
438620 *52 Batt*

L. L. Job 89002.—Req. 6213.

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
			<i>15⁰⁰</i>	
<i>AP</i> April	1916	<i>8 728</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>This account closed. See</i>
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Armitage

MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

Sheet No. 2 (Contd.)

Name of Soldier _____

PAYMENTS.

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
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MILITIA AND DEFENCE
ASSIGNED PAY
OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

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2nd Contingent

To Whom *Clara Armitage*
Address *215 Pine St.
Port Arthur
Ont.*
Rate *\$ 15⁰⁰* **NOV 1 1915**

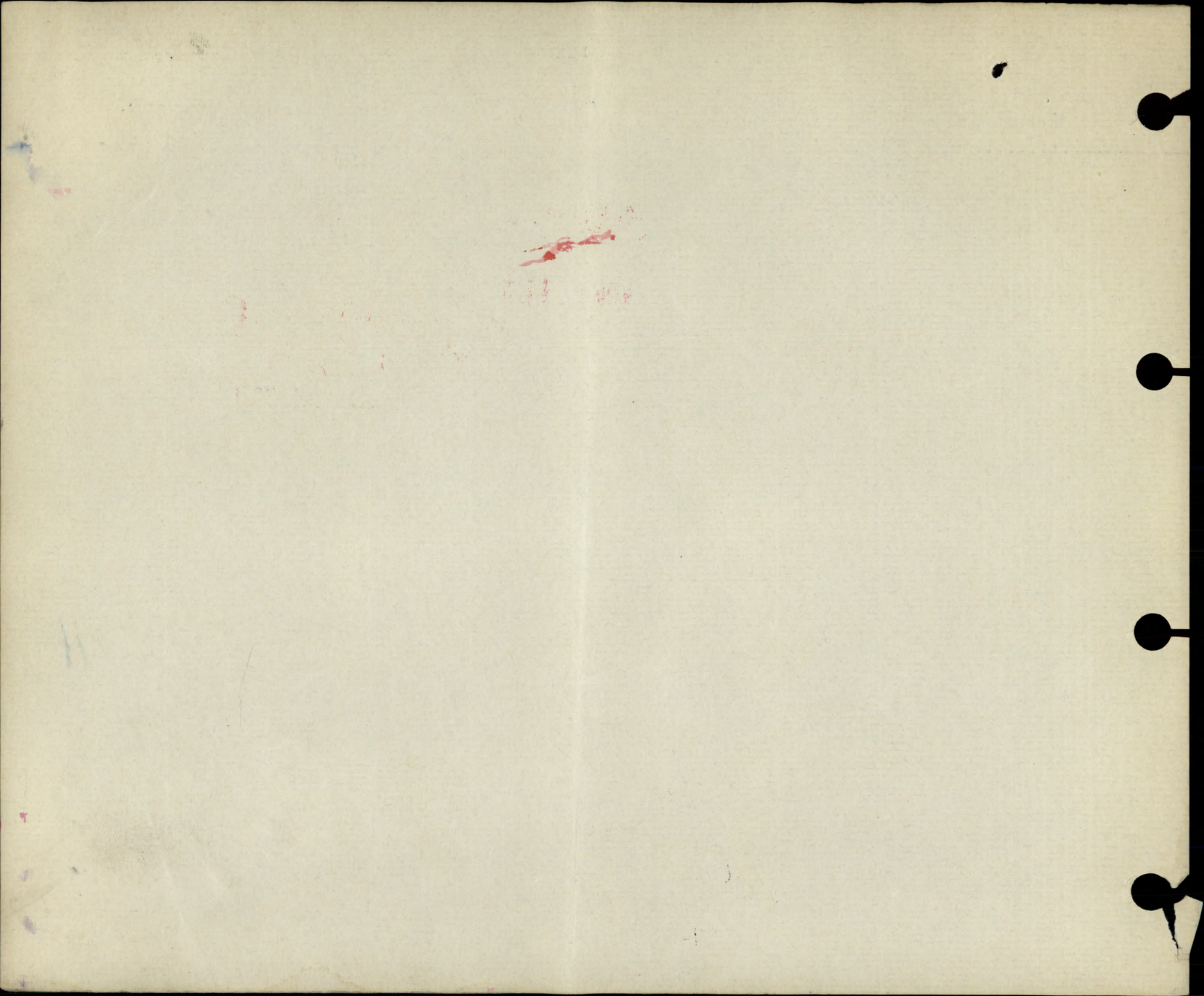
By Whom Assigned *Armitage Leonard,*
Regtl. No. *438620*
Rank *Plt.*
Corps *52nd Over. Batt.*

~~DEC 1 1915~~ PAYMENTS

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Jan.	1916	<i>L9876</i>	<i>15</i>	
Feb.		<i>M14730</i>	<i>15</i>	
March		<i>S14211</i>	<i>15</i>	

Casualties

*killed in action Apr 13/16
Co L. 26th Inf. W.*



CERTIFIED CORRECT.
Army Form B. 103.
Canadian Record Office,
Westminster House,
7, Millbank, S.W.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 53rd Canadian Div.

Regimental No. 438 630 Rank Plt Name Armitage Leonard

Enlisted (a) April 24/15 Terms of Service (a) Mobilization Service reckons from (a) 24 April 1915

Date of promotion to } present rank } Date of appointment } to lance rank } Numerical position on } 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				
			<u>landed in France</u>	<u>31/3/16</u>	
			<u>EMBARKED FOR FRANCE.</u>	<u>20 2 16</u>	<u>13144 by 1844 9m 42</u>
			<u>Kinactn #7</u>	<u>21/4/16</u>	

(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.

Surname

Christian Name or Names

Reg. No.

Armitage

L.

438620

Rank

Unit

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52 Bu

Hospital

Date of Admission

Transferred

Hosp.

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Diagnosis

(1)
Later Diagnosis (if changed)

(2)

(3)

Additional Diagnoses: If more than one state present

DISPOSITION

Killed in action 13.4.16

Date

cf. 25.4.16 # 2/39

REMARKS

of 52 Bu reports

A.M.D. 2 DEPT.

Bch. of D.G.M.S. O.M.F.C. London.

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EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

Hospital

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Number

438620

Rank

Red checkmark

Surname

ARMITAGE

Christian Name

Leonard

Units

52nd Am Cav^{ry} Theatre of War France

Date of Service

13.4.16

Remarks

(M) Mrs. Clare Armitage, D

Latest Address

215 Pine St.,
Port Arthur, Ont.

Roll No.

M.F.W. 192

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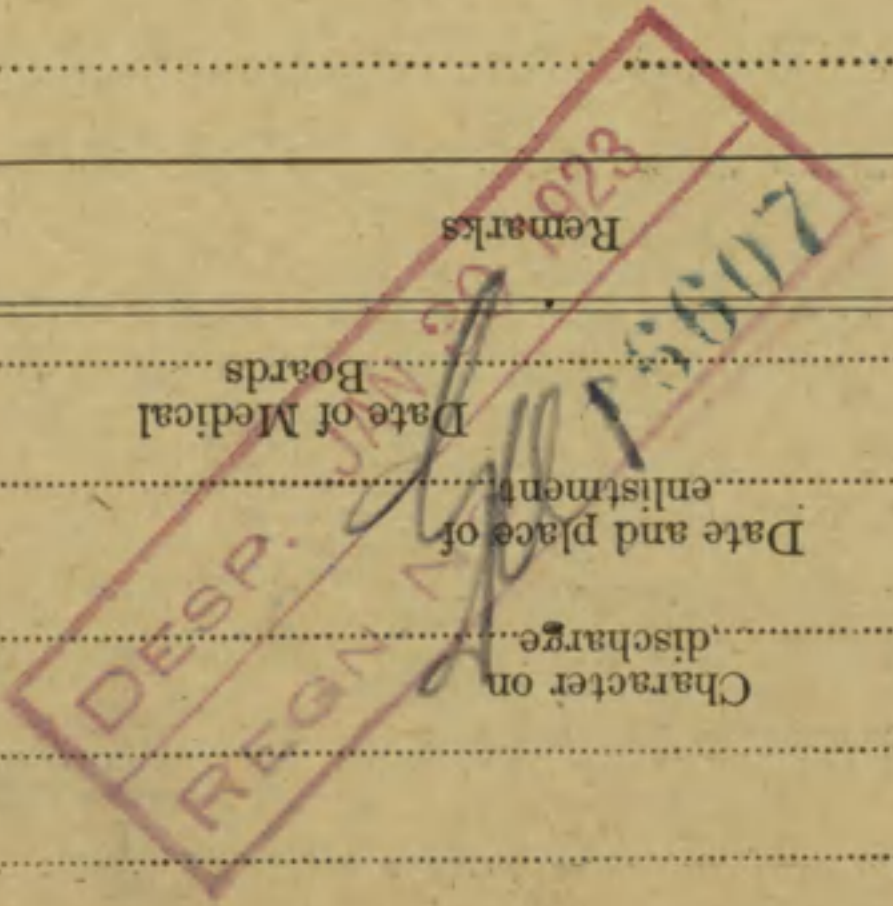
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Remarks

Date of Medical Boards

Date and place of enlistment

Character on discharge



Leonard

ARMITAGE, Pte. L. #438620, 52nd BN. H.Q. 649-A-862

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MEDALS &

DECORATIONS.....Mother, Mrs. Clare Armitage,
215 Pine St.,
Port Arthur, Ont.

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PLAQUE.....Mother, as above

Serial No. 791714

C. OF S......Mother, as above

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Manitoba Regt.

Leonard.

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SURNAME.

Armitage

CHRISTIAN NAMES

Leonard

REGL. No.

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FORMER CORPS

Army Service Corps

FOLL.

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAMES IN FULL

Armitage Mrs C.

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER

mother

ADDRESS

215 Pine St Port Arthur
Ont

COUNTRY OF BIRTH

England Leeds Yorks

DATE

PLACE OF ATTESTATION

Port Arthur

DATE

April 27 1915

Sailed from St John Per S.S.

MARRIED

SINGLE

yes

WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING

RELIGION

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE

YEARS

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MEDICAL EXAMINATION. PLACE

DATE

REGT'L NO 438620

H. Q. FILE NO. 649-

NAME Armitage, LeonardRANK AND CORPS Pte. 52nd Bn.

FOLLOWS

No.

FOLLOWS

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No.

DATE

NATURE OF CASUALTY

No.	DATE	NATURE OF CASUALTY
M5630	24-4-16	Killed in action, April 13th, 1916.
B2090a	15-4-16	" " " " " "
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LIST No

HOSPITAL

DATE OF
ADMISSION

REMARKS

A 39. D.C. 52nd Bn. rep.

Killed in action 13/4/16

Name Armitage L. Rank Private.

Reg. No. 438620.

Unit 52nd. Battalion.

25-A-296.

Next of Kin Canada.

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
13-4-16.	O/C. 52nd. Battalion reports. KILLED IN ACTION.			A39.	M 29/4/16 5630.	
	(Burial Rep on DCS.36.d/25-4-16.)					

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RANK *Pte.*

NAME *Armitage, Leonard*

T. O. S. 24-4-16 D.O. 34 of UNIT *5-2nd Battalion, C. E. F.*
Apr. Paym't.

M. D. 10.

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
<i>1915</i> <i>Apr. 24</i>	<i>1915</i> <i>Apr. 30</i>	✓		
<i>May.</i>		✓		
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