191st O. Bn., C. E. F.

ORIGINAL

ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. 895521

Folio.

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS.)

1. What is your surname? — Crane Bear
1a. What are your Christian names? — Tom
1b. What is your present address? — Gleichen Agency Alta
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born? — Blackfoot Reserve
3. What is the name of your next-of kin? — Mrs Salou Medicine Pipe
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin? — Gleichen Agency
4a. What is the relationship of your next-of-kin? — mother Canada
5. What is the date of your birth? — Dec. 1895
6. What is your Trade or Calling? — farmer
7. Are you married? — no
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated and inoculated? — yes
9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia? — no
10. Have you ever served in any Military Force? If so, state particulars of former Service. — no
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

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Tom Crane Bear, do solemnly declare that the above are answers made by me to the above questions and that they 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.

Tom Crane Bear (Signature of Recruit)

Date Jan 26th 1917. E B Taylor Hardwick (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Tom Crane Bear, 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.

Tom Crane Bear (Signature of Recruit)

Date January 26th 1917. E B Taylor Hardwick (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 Calgary, this 26th day of January 1917

Thomas S. Rankin (Signature of Justice)

M. F. W. 23
750M—3-16
H. Q. 1772-89-341

Description of Tom Crane Bear on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 22 years — months.
(To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)

Height 6 ft. 1 ins.

Chest measurement: Girth when fully expanded 37 ins.
Range of expansion 2 ins.

Complexion dark

Eyes Brown

Hair black

Religious denominations:
- Church of England X
- Presbyterian
- Methodist
- Baptist or Congregationalist
- Roman Catholic
- Jewish
- Other denominations (Denomination to be stated.)

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).

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 January 26th 1917.

Place Calgary alta

Capt. J. H. McKie
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:—

APPROVED by MOBILIZATION BOARD
JAN 26 1917
CALGARY, ALTA.
Chas. A. Staples
Major C. A. M. C. President.

CERTIFICATE OF OFFICER COMMANDING UNIT.

Tom Crane Bear 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.

W. D. Dryden (Signature of Officer)
Lieut. Col.
O. C. 191st O. Bn., C. E. F.

Date 26th January 1917.

a B. 30/7/18

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..... 2 .....

Proceedings of Regt. Court Martial.....

Copies of Convictions by Civil Power.....

Company Conduct Sheet..... / .....

Clothing Transfer Certificate.....

Inventory of Kit.....

Last Pay Certificate..... / .....

M. F. W. 62.
50m.—9-16.
H. Q. 1772—39—935.

DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS

R. O. No.....

H. Q. No.....

43186

Name Crane Bear Tom

Regt. No. 89552 Rank Pte

Corps 191st Bn.

By request of Chief of Blackfoot Indians

Mr Scott 22-10-20

Index Card	
Casualty Card	/
Non-Effective Card	
Part II Order Card	
Change of Address Card	
Honour & Award Card	

No. 521 RANK Pte NAME Crance Bear T

T. O. S. 26. 1. 17. UNIT 191st Battalion C. E. F.

D. O. 27 of 1. 2. 17.

M. D. 13.

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
1917 Jan. 26	1917 Feb. 10	✓	Dischgd. 10. 2. 17	D. O. 37 of 13. 2. 17.
			a/c Closed by Payment C.	

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500M.—9-16
H. Q. 1772-39-920.

Fill in only.—Unit, Number, Rank and Name.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Unit, Regiment or Corps. 191st Battn

Regimental No. 895521 Rank Pte Name Crane Bear, Tom

Enlisted (a) 26-1-17 Terms of Service (a) C. E. F. dofwar Service reckons from (a) 26-1-17

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				
	191st Bn	SoS by Request of Chief of Blackfoot Indians. (Special Case)	Calgary	10-2-17	auth Feb. Pay Lists G.O.C. m D 13 d/10-2-17 [signature] Lieut for DofR

(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				

CANADIAN CONTINGENT EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

This form to be used for all Ranks (Vide Articles 122, 130 and 141, Financial Instructions, 25715c, C.E.F.,1916).

Regimental No. 895521 Rank Private. Name Crance Bear T.

Corps 191ST OVERSEAS BATTALION, C.E.F. who was* Discharged.

On February 10th, 1917, to .....

*Insert "discharged" or "transferred."

The following is a statement of the account of the above named from January 26th, 1917, to February 10rh, 1917, the inclusive date of transfer or discharge.

Dr.	$	c	Cr.	$	c
Bal. Dr. from prev. month			Bal. Cr. from prev. month		
Advances by Cheques No.			Regt'l Pay 16 days at $ 1. c 00	16.	00
Advances by Cheques No.			Field Allow. 16 days at $ --- c 10	1.	60
Assigned Pay No.			Other Allowances*		
Other Charges*					
Payment on transfer or discharge No. 6669	17.	60	Other Credits*		
Balance Cr. (to be paid by the new unit)			Bal. Dr. (to be deducted by new unit)		
Total	17.	60	Total	17.	60

*Give Particulars.

A monthly stoppage of $.....(†) has .....(‡) been paid on account of Assigned Pay for the month of .....191.... to (Assignee).....

(Address).....

(†) Insert amount to be assigned, whether it has been paid or not.
(‡) Insert "not" if amount has not been paid for period of account.

On Transfer of an Officer.

Outfit Allowance of $..... has been paid by Paymaster, Military District No.....

REMARKS:—

State (1) date of enlistment 26/1/17.

(2) if married and if a Separation Allowance Card has been submitted No, Single.

(3) cause of discharge and authority G.O.C. M.D.#13. 10/2/17.

If discharged from the Contingent, state if Stop Payment advice for Assigned Pay has been forwarded, and date .....

I have carefully examined this statement of account and find it to be a correct extract from the Pay-list of the unit.

Date February 12th,1917.

Place Calgary Alberta.

J. G. West Capt.
Paymaster

N.B.—For purposes of transfer this form is to be made out in quadruplicate. One copy to Paymaster of new unit; one to District Paymaster; one to accompany the pay-list at the end of the month, and; one for retention as a record.
For purposes of discharge it is to be made out in triplicate. One copy to accompany discharge papers; one copy to accompany pay-list at the end of the month, and; one for retention as a record.

M. F. W. 44.

200M.—6-16.
H. Q. 1772-39-903

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191st O. Bn. C. E. F.

MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET. 895521

Surname Crane Bear *Christian Name* Tom

Examined { on 26th day of Jan 1917 / at Calgary Alta

Birthplace { City or Town Blackfoot Reserve / County Alberta

Apparent age 22 yrs

Trade or occupation Farmer

Height 6 Feet 1 Inches.

Weight 165 Lbs.

Chest measurement { Minimum 35 inches. / Maximum expansion 37 inches.

Physical development good

Small-Pox Marks none

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right. Left. ✓ / Number one

When Vaccinated last Childhood

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease none

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection none

Approved by

Rank Capt McKie M.O.

CAPT. C.A.M.C.

Date.	Fit or Unfit.	Examined for Re-engagement.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

APPROVED by MOBILIZATION BOARD
CALGARY, ALTA. JAN 26 1917
Clive A Staples
Major C. A. M. C. President

Date.	Result.	Vaccinations.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Date.	Result.	Anti-Typhoid Inoculations, Etc.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Enlisted on 26th *day of* January 1917 *at* Calgary Alta.

	Corps.	Regt'l Number.	Habits.	Date.
Joined on enlistment		895521		26/1/17
Transferred to				

191st O. Bn. C. E. F.

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.

M. F. B. 313.

400M.—1-16.
H. Q. 1772-39-439.

Surname Brane Bear Christian Name Tom

STATION.	Date of Arrival at the Station.	Dates of Admission into Hospital.			Dates of Discharge from Hospital			DISEASE.	Number of days in Hospital	Remarks on nature of the disease: how induced; if mild or severe; if completely recovered from; whether any particular treatment was adopted. In venereal cases state nature of primary disease, and whether mercury has been given. If an accident, state whether it occurred on duty and whether a Court of inquiry was held. Date of issue and particulars of artificial teeth or surgical appliances supplied. Particulars of prophylactic inoculations.	Signature of Medical Officer.
		Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				

This space to be for numbers.

Proceedings on Discharge.

(When forwarded for confirmation these proceedings should be accompanied by the documents specified on fourth page.)

No. 895521

Rank Private

Name Crane Bear, Tom.
NOTE—The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment unless changed subsequently by authority.

Corps (Squadron, Battery or Company) 191st O.Bn.CEF.

Date of Discharge Feb. 10th, 1917.

Place of Discharge Calgary, Alta.

1. DESCRIPTION AT THE TIME OF DISCHARGE.

Age 22 years ---- months.	Descriptive Marks
Height 6 feet 1 inches.	
Complexion dark,	
Eyes brown	
Hair black	
Trade Farmer	
Intended place of residence (To be given as fully as practicable.) Blackfoot Reserve, Gleichen, Alta.	NIL

2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of

Authority, G.O.C., M.D.#13, dated 10-2-17.
By Request of Chief of Blackfoot Indians.

N.B.—The cause of discharge must be worded as prescribed in the King's Regulations and be identified with that on the character certificate. If discharged by superior authority, the number and date of the letter to be quoted.

To be in the handwriting of the Commanding Officer, who will sign it make identical entries on the character certificate and initial them.

3. Conduct and character while in the service have been, according to the records, etc.

Good.

N. B.—This will be assessed when practicable, by the Commanding Officer, in the presence of the soldier and the Officer Commanding his Squadron, Battery or Company:

4. Special qualifications for employment in civil life. (Vide para. 332, K. R. & O., Canada.)

Farmer

M. F. B. 218.
25m.—11-15.
H. Q. 1772-39-113.

(OVER)

5. He is in possession of the following number of G. C. Badges:

NIL

No reference to G. C. Badges is to be made on either the discharge or character certificate.

6. Medals and Decorations.....

NIL

To be copied by the Commanding Officer on to the parchment Discharge Certificate.

7. His account is correctly balanced, and signed by the Officer Commanding his Company. (*Squadron or Battery*), and I have impartially enquired into all matters brought before me in accordance with Regulations.

(Place) Calgary. ..... H. C. Bryan Capt.

(Date) 10-2-17 ..... *Commanding* 191st O. Bn. CEF.

8. **Certificate to be signed by the Soldier on Discharge**

I hereby acknowledge that I received all my Pay, Allowances and Clothing, and all just demands, up to the present date, subject to the reservations of the claims noted on the third page.

(Place) Calgary, Tom Lane Bean ..... (*Signature of Soldier.*)

(Date) 10-2-17 ..... H. Walton Black ..... (*Signature of Witness.*)

When a soldier is absent through illness or any other cause and it is not desirable to forward these proceedings to him for signature, a manuscript copy should be sent for the man to sign, and when returned, should be attached here.

9. **Additional Certificate in the case of a Soldier who takes his discharge on his own request.**

I hereby declare that I do of my own free will request to be discharged from His Majesty's Service.

..... Tom Lane Bean (*Signature of Soldier.*)

10. **Statement of Service.**

Service toward Engagement to.....(the date to which the Record of Service is completed).....years 15 days.

Total.....years 15 days.

11. **Confirmation of Discharge.**

The discharge of the above-named man is hereby confirmed.

(Place) Calgary.

(*Signature*) ..... H. C. Bryan Capt.

(Date) 10-2-17 ..... O. C. 191st O. Bn., C. E. F.

Reservations referred to at Para. 8.

(To be signed by the soldier. When there are none, it is to be so stated, and signed by the soldier.)

John Crane Bear

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List of Discharge Documents.

Reg. Conduct Sheet,	Militia form B. 263.	Attestation Paper,	Militia Form B. 235.
Squadron / Battery / Company } Conduct Sheet,	" B. 263a.	Proceedings on Discharge	" B. 218.
Copies of Convictions, by C. P.	in MS.		
Med. Hist. Sheet,	Militia Form B. 313		
Medical Report for Invalid*	" B. 227.		
Statement of Man's Account on Transfer and Last Pay Certificate,	" D. 877.		

*Only if discharged "Medically unfit."

In the case of recruits who are rejected on final approval, the discharge documents will consist of

(a) Proceedings on Discharge.

(b) Attestation.

(c) Medical History Sheet (in the event of such having been prepared.)

N. B.—In the case of a man discharged by purchase, the date and number of Deposit Receipt with amount of same is to be noted hereon.