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ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. 18494

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CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS).

1. What is your name? Jack Foster
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born? Winterborne Zelstone Dorset Co. Eng
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin? Henry Herbert Foster (Father)
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin? Winterborne Zelstone Dorset Eng
5. What is the date of your birth? 6th April 1885
6. What is your Trade or Calling? Decorator
7. Are you married? not
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? If so, state particulars of former Service. not
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

Jack Foster (Signature of Man).

John J. Murray (Signature of Witness).

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Jack Foster, 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.

Jack Foster (Signature of Recruit)

Date Sept 16th 1914. John J. Murray (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Jack Foster, 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.

Jack Foster (Signature of Recruit)

Date Sept 16th 1914. John J. Murray (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 Valcartier P.Q. this 23 day of Sept 1914.

[illegible] Capt (Signature of Justice)

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

[illegible] (Approving Officer)

100 M.—8-14.
H.Q. 1772-1-13.

9th Batt

Description of J. Foster on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 29 years 6 months.
(To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)

Height 5 ft. 8 ins.

Chest measurement: Girth when fully expanded 36 ins.
Range of expansion 2 ins.

Complexion Dark

Eyes Blue

Hair Brown

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

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).

3 Vacc. L. arm

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 Sep. 4 1914.

Place Valcartier

Capt. A.M.C.
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.

Jack Foster 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.

Capt. (Signature of Officer)

Date 23 Sept 1914.

28-6-18. E. O'n.

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

Attestation Papers..... 4

Declaration of change of name.....

Authority for special enlistments.....

Documents of re-enlisted men.....

Regimental Conduct Sheet..... 1

Compulsory Stoppages.....

Casualty Forms..... 1

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.....

A. F. B. 122 - - - - 1

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

DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS

R. O. No.....

H. Q. No.....

Name FOSTER, JACK.

Regt. No. 18497 Rank Pte.

Corps 1st. Bn. C. E. F.

Killed in Action 9-10-15

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~~Cards 1 Index Removed 11/1/18~~
~~1 Change of Address~~
~~1 Part II~~
~~1 Casualty.~~

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NAME FOSTER, Jack

Regimental No. 18497

Unit 1th Battalion

Date of enlistment Sept. 16th, 1914

Place of birth England

Married (yes or no) No

Amount of pay assigned monthly $ Nil

To whom payable

Name and address of next-of-kin

Henry Herbert Foster (Father)

Hinterborne, Zelstone,

Dorset, England

Date and place discharged Killed in action 9/10/15

Reason for discharge Cas. list 217. 9/10/15

Character on discharge

PAY OFFICE N.E. BRANCH JAN 29 1916 CANADIAN EXPEDITIONARY

Date 1914 From	To	PAY No. of Days	Rate	Amount	Field Allowance No. of Days	Rate	Amount	Other Credits	Total Credits	Voucher No.	Date	Cash Payments	Assigned pay	Other Charges	Total Debits	Remarks, Casualties, etc.
22 Sept.	31 Oct.	40	1.00	40.00	40	.10	4.00		44.00			30.00			30.00	
1 Nov.	30 Nov.	30	1	30	30	.10	3	14.00	47			47			47	
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June 1	June 30	30	1	30	30	10	3	44 20	77 20			6			6	
July 1	July 31	31	1	31	31	10	3 10	71 20	105 30			6			6	A.R. 356 375
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Sept 1	Sept 30	30	1	30	30	10	3	134 45	167 45	447 491		5 36			5 36	
Oct 1	Oct 31	31	1	31	31	10	3 10	162 09	196 19	526		2 62			2 62	
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Bal Trans to N.E. Branch

N.E. Apr/16. Cash in Eff.

Balance carried fd.

Statement of MAY 9 1916 Account rendered

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Cash found in effects .67¢

Date		PAY			Field Allowance			Other Credits	Total Credits	Voucher		Cash Payments	Assigned pay	Other Charges	Total Debits	Remarks, Casualties, etc.
From	To	No. of Days	Rate	Amount	No. of Days	Rate	Amount			No.	Date					
								Bt fd.								
N.E. Branch.		May 1916						170 0 4				170 0 4			170 0 4	Chq. 1309 sent to Mary J. Foster. Dorset. 20.5.16

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no card

MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.

L Cor 18497

Surname Foster *Christian Name* Jack

Examined { on 7th day of Sept 1914 / at Vulcartier Camp Que

Birthplace { City or Town Winterborne Jelstone / County Dorset Eng.

Apparent age 29

Trade or occupation Teamster

Height 5 Feet 8 Inches.

Weight 145 Lbs.

Chest measurement { Minimum 34 inches. / Maximum expansion 36 inches.

Physical development Good

Small-Pox Marks none

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right. Left. 4 / Number 4

When Vaccinated last Oct 8th 1914

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease none

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

Approved by E Alleff

Rank Captain Alleff M.O.

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

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

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

Enlisted on 19th *day of* August 1914 *at* Edmonton Alta

	Corps.	Regt'l Number.	Habits.	Date.
Joined on enlistment	101st Regiment	18497	Good	19th Aug 1914
Transferred to..	1st Batt			

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.

50M—8-14.
H. Q. 1772—39—439.

Surname..... Christian Name.....

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				

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(1001)—Wt. W8203—1273.—800,000.—11-14.—K. & K. Forms B. 103/1.

Army Form B. 103.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 1st Bn Base Coy

Regimental No. 18497 Rank Pte Name Foster J.

Enlisted (a) _____ Terms of Service (a) _____ Service reckons from (a) _____

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				
3/4/15	9th Bn	Transfered to INFANTRY BASE DEPOT	Shorncliffe	3/4/15	
30-4-15	Dbt 1st Bn	Reinforcement	Unit	26-4-15	B213.
10-10-15	" "	Killed in Action	not given	9-10-15	B213.

C. V. Hinch

LIEUT.
OFFICER i/c RECORDS
CANADIAN SECTION C.H.Q.
3RD ECHELON

(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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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				

D.M.S. 1800.

Surname	Christian Name or Names	Reg. No.
Foster.	J.	18497.

Rank	Unit	Co.	Troop	Batty.
Pte.	1st Batt.			

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

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

DISPOSITION

Date

REMARKS

C.L. 2-11-15. 198.

" 25.11.15 #217

Previously reported killed in action, now reported safe with unit.
9-10-15.

Previously reported safe with unit, now reported killed in action.
9-10-15.

EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

	Hospital	Adm.
1.		
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SURNAME. Foster

CARD NO. ✓

CHRISTIAN NAMES Jack.

FOLL.

REGL. No. 18497 RANK Pte.

UNIT 9th. Bn.

FORMER CORPS Nil.

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAMES IN FULL Foster Henry Herbert.

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER Father.

ADDRESS Winterborne, Belstone, Dorset, Eng.

COUNTRY OF BIRTH England, Winterborne DATE Apr. 6th. 1885.

PLACE OF ATTESTATION Valcartier P.Q. DATE Sept. 23rd. 1914.

From Quebec per. S. S. Zealand 4-10-14.

MARRIED SINGLE yes. WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING Teamster RELIGION Church of England

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE 29 YEARS 6 MONTHS

HEIGHT 5 FEET 8 INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT 36 INCHES EXPANSION 2 INCHES

COMPLEXION Dark EYES Blue HAIR Brown.

DISTINGUISHING MARKS 3 vacc. left arm.

MEDICAL EXAMINATION. PLACE Valcartier P.Q. DATE Sept. 4th. 1914.

Present Address. Not stated.

No. 18497 RANK Pte. NAME Foster J.

T. O. S. UNIT 101st Regt. (Edmonton Fusiliers)

M. D. # 13

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
1914	1914			
Aug. 19	Aug. 26	✓		
" 27	Sept 21	✓		
Sept 22	Oct 31	✓	on 9th Bn pay list	Oct pay list.

UNIT SAILED
OCT 3 1914

H. Q. FILE No. 649-

NAME Foster John

REGT'L. No. 18497

RANK AND CORPS Pte. 1st. Batt. (Form. 9th Batt.)

CABLE NO.	CABLE DATE	NATURE OF CASUALTY
M.1449	19-10-15	Killed in action, Oct. 9th.
M.1753	2/11/15	Prev. reported Killed in Action Oct 9th, now reported safe with unit.
M.2245	25/11/15	Prev. reported safe with unit, now Killed in action Oct. 9th, 1915.
(Rec'd 23-1-17)		
G.7.B.2090a.		Rouen 26-10-15 Killed in action. 9-10-15.

NO. 878xxxx

FOLL.

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L. L. Job 83225—M. & D. 5812.

M. F. W. 42—50m 7-15.
H. Q. 1772—39-893.

LIST No.	HOSPITAL	DATE OF ADMISSION	REMARKS
187	O.C. 1st Batt. reports		Killed in Action 9/10/15
1980 (1)		9/10/15	Prev. rep. Killed in action now rep. Safe with Unit.
217.		9-10-15	Prev. rep. Safe with unit now rep. Killed in Action

Name FOSTER.J. *Rank* Pte. *Reg. No.* 18497

Unit 1st Batt. 25-F-179

Next of Kin H.H. Foster, Winterbourne, Zelston, Dorset.

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
9-10	Rep. from Base KILLED IN ACTION			180	M1449	
9-10	Pre.Rep.K.in A. now rep.Safe with Unit			198	M1753	
9-10.	Now Reported KILLED IN ACTION			217	M2245	27-11

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List

Number 18497 Rank Cpl

Surname FOSTER

Christian Name Jack

Units 1st Bn. Lan. Inf. Theatre of War France

Date of Service 26-4-15

Remarks: ~~Original Destroyed in error~~

Latest Address Mrs M. J. Foster (Mother)
Winterbourne, Zelston
Blandford, Dorset
Eng.

Roll No. B Page 331

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FOSTER, Pte. J. #18497 - 1st Bn

E liq. for 14-15 Star Pte 1st. Bn.

Med & D (Mother) Mrs. M.J. Foster
Winterbourne, Zelstone
Blandford, Dorset, Eng.

M

P & S (Father) H. H. Foster Esq.
Winterbourne, Zelstone
Blandford, Dorset, Eng.

(Serial no. 757196.)

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Plague Desp. Reqn. No P 1127

Mem Cross (Mother) See above

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Desp 4-11-20

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Rank and Name	FOSTER, Jack		
Regimental No.	18497	Name and Address of Next-of-kin	
Unit	9th. Battn.	Henry Herbert Foster (Father)	
Date of enlistment	Sept 16th. 1914.	Winterborne, Zelstone,	
Place of birth	England.	Dorset, Eng.	
Married (Yes or No)	No.	Date and place of discharge	
If in Permanent Force		Reason for discharge	
		Character on discharge	

M.X. 27-10-20 F.6

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

Promotions or appointments

Report Date	Report From whom received	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service. The authority to be quoted in each case	Place	Date	K.A. R REMARKS Taken from Official Documents
4.4.15	O.C. 9th	To Inf. Base Details	Shorncliffe	3.4.15	Pt. II - 2.
26.4-15	Infty Base Dpt	Embarked to 1st Pt	France.	26-4-15	" 122. Infty Base Depot
18/10/15	C/L. 187.	Killed in action		9/10/15	(Repto by O/C. 1st) ON/NK
25/10/15	Daily C.S. 187.	Buried at Small Cemetery opp. St. Quentin Cabaret. Sheet 28 - T5 - D2.2.	-	10/10/15	Repto. by A.M. Gordon Chaplain.
2/11/15	C/L. 198	Now reported Safe with unit		9/10/15	ON/N.K. Part II orders 37
25/11/15	C/L 217	Now reported Killed in action.		9/10/15	ON/N.K. Part II orders 40

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				