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ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. 2 Construction Batt'n, C. E. F.

No.

Folio.

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS.)

1. What is your surname? — Johnson
1a. What are your Christian names? — Alfonse
1b. What is your present address? — Rockingham Hfx Co. N.S.
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born? — Halifax Co. N.S.
3. What is the name of your next-of kin? — James Esswick
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin? — 188 Water St. Hfx N.S.
5. What is the relationship of your next-of-kin? — none
6. What is the date of your birth? — Jan 1st 1908
6. What is your Trade or Calling? — Waiter
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, x Alfonse Johnson, 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.

Alfonse Johnson (Signature of Recruit)

Date Sept 1st 1916. Walter Johnson Sergt (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Alfonse Johnson, 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.

Alfonse Johnson (Signature of Recruit)

Date Sept 1st 1916 Walter Johnson Sergt (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 Halifax N.S. this 1 day of Sep 1916.

(Signature of Justice)

A Justice of the peace in and for The City & County of Halifax, N.S.

M. F. W. 28.
600M.—2-16.
H. Q. 1073-29-941.

Description of Alfonse Johnson on Enlistment.

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

Height ..... 5 ft 1 3/4 ins.

Chest measurement: Girth when fully expanded ..... 34 1/2 ins.
Range of expansion ..... 3 1/2 ins.

Complexion Dark

Eyes DK Brown

Hair Black

Religious denominations:
- Church of England .....
- Presbyterian .....
- Methodist .....
- Baptist or Congregationalist yes
- 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).

Scar over right eye
Scar on right fore arm
Scar on left Wrist
Scar on left foot

Weight 118 lbs

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 Sept 1st 1916. J M Murdoch

Place Halifax N.S. Capt ass
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.

Alphonse Johnson 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.

C. H. Reis Capt for (Signature of Officer)
L'T. COL.
O Comd'g No. 2 Construction Battalion, C. E. F.

Date ..... 191 .

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Proceedings on discharge..... 1.

Corps History Sheet.....

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

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Medical Report for Invalids.....

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Company Conduct Sheet..... 1.

Clothing Transfer Certificate.....

Inventory of Kit.....

Last Pay Certificate..... 1.

paycard — 1

M. F. W. 62.
25m.—11-15.
H. Q. 1772—39—935.

DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS

R. O. No. .....

H. Q. No. .....

Name Johnson, Alfonse

Regt. No. 931286 Rank Pte.

Corps No 2. Construction Coy. C. E. F.

Medically Unfit.

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CANADIAN CONTINGENT EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

MILITIA & DEFENCE CANADA
NOV 29 1916

This form to be used for all Ranks (Vide Article 71, Financial Instructions C.E.F., 1914).

Regimental No. 931228 Rank Private Name Alphonso Johnson

Corps # 2 Comstruction Battn. CEF who was* Discharged

On Nov. 16-1916 1915, to ---------H.O.

*Insert "discharged" or "transferred."

Paid from 1-11-16 to 16-11-16

The following is a statement of the account of the above-named to date of transfer or discharge inclusive :—

Dr.	$	c.	Cr.	$	c.
Bal. Dr. from previous month			Regimental pay 16 days at $ 1.00	16	00
Total payments during period			Field allowance 16 " $ .10	1	60
from			Other allowances		
Assigned Pay			Other Credits (give particulars)		
			Cr bal previous month	10	00
Other Charges (give particulars) Regtl	6	50			
C.D.V.	15	00			
Bal. Cr. on discharge or transfer	6	10	Bal. Dr. on discharge or transfer		
Total	27	60	Total	27	60

The amount shewn as Balance Cr. due on discharge or transfer has †.....paid.

Monthly stoppage on account of assignment of pay is....., and has been charged in Pay-list for month of.....

† Insert "been" or "not been" as case may be

REMARKS:—

State (1) date of enlistment Sept. 1-1916

(2) if married and if a Separation Allowance Card has been submitted no.

(3) cause of discharge and authority Medically unfit 63-J-87 7-11-1916 Part 2 Daily Orders # 78 16-11-1916

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 Nov. 16-1916

Place Truro N.S.

Captain
F. M. No. 2 Construction Batt'n. C. E. F.
Paymaster.

M. F. W. 44.

200M—1-16.
H. Q. 1772-39-903.

CANADIAN CONTINGENT EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

This form to be used for all Ranks (Vide article 17 Financial Instructions 2 Feb 1916)

Regimental No. 9X1225 Rank Private Name Alphonse Johnson

Corps 2 Construction Bat'n, C.E. Wide vice Discharged

On Nov. 16-1916 Pay to

*Insert "discharged" or "transferred"

Paid from 1-11-16 to 15-11-16

The following is a statement of the account of the above-named to date of transfer or discharge inclusive

Dr.	$	c.	Cr.	$	c.
Bal. Dr. from previous month			Regimental pay 6 days at $ 1.00	16	00
Total payments during period			Field allowance $ 1.00	1	00
from			Other allowances		
Assigned Pay			Other Credits (give particulars)		
			On bal. previous month	10	00
Other Charges (give particulars Rent)					
G.R.V.	15	00			
Bal. Cr. on discharge or transfer			Bal. Dr. on discharge or transfer		
Total	27	50	Total	27	50

The amount shown as Balance Cr. due on discharge or transfer has ..... paid

Monthly stoppage on account of assignment of pay is ..... and has been charged in Pay list for month of .....

*Insert "been" or "not been" as case may be

REMARKS:-

State (1) date of enlistment Sept. 1-1916

(2) if married and if a Separation Allowance Card has been submitted NO.

(3) cause of discharge and authority Medically unfit 65-6-27 7-11-1916 Apt 9 Daily orders 7-15 16-11-1916

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 Nov. 16-1916

Place Troy N.Y.

Paymaster

M.T.W.44

MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET

Surname Johnson *Christian Name* Alfonce

Examined { on 1st day of Sept 1916 / at Halifax N.S.

Birthplace { City or Town Africa / County Halifax N.S.

Apparent age 18 years

Trade or occupation Labourer

Height 4 feet 1 3/4 Inches

Weight 118 lbs.

Chest measurement { Minimum 31 inches / Maximum expansion 34 1/2 inches

Physical development Good

Small-pox Marks nil

Vaccination Marks { Arm ~~Right~~ ~~Left~~ / Number nil

When Vaccinated last childhood

(*a*) Marks indicating congential peculiarities or previous disease

(*b*) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection

Approved by J. M. Murdoch

Rank Captain 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.
Oct 24th/16	—	H V Kent Major AMC M.O.
" 31st/16	—	H V Kent Major AMC M.O.
Nov 7/16	—	H V Kent Major AMC M.O.

Enlisted on 1st *day of* Sept. 1916 *at* Halifax N.S.

	Corps	Regt'l Number	Habits	Date
Joined on enlistment				
Transferred to				

EXAMINED OR DISCHARGED BY A MEDICAL BOARD

Station	Date	Disease	Result
Truro N.S.	Nov 3 1916	Left Inguinal hernia	unfit V S D Casselman Captain H V Kent Major AMC

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

M. F. B. 313.
500M.—3-16.
H. Q. 1772-39-439.

Surname Johnson Christian Name Clifford

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				

No. 1228 RANK Pte. NAME Johnson. Alfonso

T. O. S. 1-9-16 UNIT No 2. Construction Battalion

D.O. 24. 6-9-16

M. D. 6

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
1916 Sept.	1916 Sept. 30	✓		
Oct.		✓		
Nov 1.	Nov. 16	✓	Discharged 16-11-16	D.O. 107. 20-12-16
			a/c closed by payment. C.	

649-J-2509

SURNAME. Johnson

CARD NO.

CHRISTIAN NAMES Alfonse

S.O.S. Dis 16.11.16. 4

FOLL.

REGL. No. 931228 RANK Pte.

C. M. G.

UNIT No 2 Construction Bn

FORMER CORPS Nil

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAMES IN FULL Esswick James

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER Nil

ADDRESS 188 Water St. Halifax. N.S

COUNTRY OF BIRTH Canada, Halifax Co., N.S. DATE Jan 1st 1898.

PLACE OF ATTESTATION Halifax, N.S DATE Sept. 1st 1916.

L. L. 6945. M. & D. 6994.

M. F. W. 22. 100M.—8-16. H. Q. 1772-39-339.

MARRIED , SINGLE Yes WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING Waiter RELIGION Baptist

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE 18 YEARS MONTHS

HEIGHT 5 FEET 13/7 INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT 34 1/2 INCHES EXPANSION 3 1/2 INCHES

COMPLEXION Dark EYES DK. Brown HAIR Black.

DISTINGUISHING MARKS Scar over R eye. Scar on R. forearm Scar on left wrist Scar on left foot.

MEDICAL EXAMINATION. PLACE Halifax N. S DATE Sept. 1st 1916.

Present Address— Rockingham, Halifax Co., N.S.

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.)

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No. 931223

Rank Private.

Name Alfonse Johnson

NOTE—The name must agree exactly with that on enlistment unless changed subsequently by authority.

Corps (Squadron, Battery or Company) No.2 Construction Battalion C.E.F.

Date of Discharge November 16th, 1916.

Place of Discharge Truro...N.S.

1. DESCRIPTION AT THE TIME OF DISCHARGE.

Age 18 years 11 months.

Height 5 feet 4 inches.

Complexion Dark

Eyes Dark Brown

Hair Black

Trade Waiter

Intended place of residence (To be given as fully as practicable.) Montreal P.Q

Descriptive Marks

Scar on right eye
Scar on right fore arm
Scar in left wrist
Scar on left foot.

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

Medically Unfit.

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 himself 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.)

M. F. B. 218.

100m.—6-16.
H. Q. 1772-39-113.

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card c 3.
30.11.16.

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.

NIL.

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) Truro..N.S.

C H Reis Capt for Lt-Col

(Date) Nov. 16th. 1916.

Commanding no. 2. Const Bn C.E.F. (A.O.S.)

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) Truro..N.S. + Alfonse Johnson (*Signature of Soldier.*)

(Date) Nov. 16th. 1916. a/s M Edwards (*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.

~~+ Alfonse Johnson~~ (*Signature of Soldier.*)

10. **Statement of Service.**

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

Total.....years.....days.

11. **Confirmation of Discharge.**

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

(Place) Truro..N.S.

(*Signature*) C. H. Reis Capt for Lt-Col (A.O.S.)

(Date) Nov. 16th. 1916.

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.)

his
X
mark

Alfonse Johnson

(OVER)

List of Discharge Documents.

Reg. Conduct Sheet,	Militia form	B. 263.
Squadron / Battery / Company Conduct Sheet,	"	B. 263a.
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."

Attestation Paper,	Militia Form	B. 235.
Proceedings on Discharge	"	B. 218.

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.