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931720

ATTESTATION PAPER.

No.

No. 2 CONSTRUCTION, B'n. C.E.F.

Folio.

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS.)

1. What is your surname?	Jones
1a. What are your Christian names?	Ben
1b. What is your present address?	Lexington, Kentucky
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?	Lexington, Kentucky, U. S. A
3. What is the name of your next-of kin?	Sam Jones
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?	Louisville, Kentucky, U. S. A.
4a. What is the relationship of your next-of-kin?	Brother
5. What is the date of your birth?	May 16th, 1891
6. What is your Trade or Calling?	Brick-layer
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, Ben Jones, 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.

Ben Jones (Signature of Recruit)

Date January 8th 191 7. George A. Humphrey (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Ben Jones, 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.

Ben Jones (Signature of Recruit)

Date January 8th 191 7. George A. Humphrey (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 Windsor, Ont this 8th day of January 191 7

James G. Chapman (Signature of Justice)

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H. Q. 1772-39-341

Description of Ben Jones on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 26 years 8 months.
(To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)

Height 5 ft. 6 ins.

Chest measurement.
- Girth when fully expanded 33 ins.
- Range of expansion 2 ins.

Complexion Colored

Eyes Black

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).

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 8th 1917

Place Windsor, Ontario.

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.

Ben Jones 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.

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

Date Jan 15 1917.

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

Attestation Papers.....2 3.....

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.....1.....

Corps History Sheet.....

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

Parchment Certificate.....

Medical Report for Invalids.....

Medical History Sheet.....2 Sent to B.P.C. 7-3-18

Proceedings of Regt. Court Martial.....

Copies of Convictions by Civil Power.....

Company Conduct Sheet.....1.....

Clothing Transfer Certificate.....

Inventory of Kit.....

Last Pay Certificate.....1.....

paycard — 1

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

DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS

Name Jones, Ben

Regt. No. 931720 Rank Pte

Corps #2 Const. Bn. C. E. F.

Mental Deficiency

10969

R. O. No. .....

H. Q. No. .....

J. S.

931720

To be made out in duplicate. ORIGINAL H.Q. 54-21-23-53

PARTICULARS OF FAMILY OF AN OFFICER OR MAN ENLISTED IN C. E. F.

INSTRUCTIONS.

(a) This form is only required for men joining units for Overseas Service and must be completed immediately the man is warned for draft overseas.

(b) Care must be taken to see that a man is allotted his correct Regimental Number. No numbers must be duplicated and once it has been allotted to a man, even if he is subsequently discharged, the same number must never be allotted to another man.

(c) All questions, etc., must be answered.

(d) One copy of the form is to be forwarded by Officer Commanding unit for each Officer and man to Officer Commanding Division or District at least seven days before man leaves his station to proceed overseas, for transmission to Accountant and Paymaster General, Ottawa.

(e) Duplicate copy is to be forwarded direct to Officer in charge of Records, C.E.F. London, immediately after arrival in England.

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(1) Name of Overseas Unit which Soldier joins #2 Construction Battalion, C E F

(2) Regimental Number 931720

(3) Full Name of Soldier Ben Jones

(4) Place of Birth Louisville, Kentucky, U. S. A.

(5) Are you married, or not? No

(6) If married, state,
(a) Full name of your wife

(b) Present Postal Address

(7) Are you a widower? No

(8) Have you any children?

If so, give number of boys and girls

Also their names and ages

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(SEE OTHER SIDE.)

(9) Is your Father alive? No

If so, state name and address

(10) Is your Mother alive? No

If so, state name and address

(11) If your Mother is a widow

Are you her sole support, or not?

(12) If sole support of widowed mother, state what amount you have given her per month prior to your enlistment, also reason she has no other support than yourself.

(13) If you have no wife, father, mother or children, state the name and relationship with full postal address of your next of kin, to whom you would desire any communication to be sent concerning you.

(14) If you have a wife, or children, or a widowed mother who depends on you as her sole support, have you applied to the Paymaster of your unit for Separation Allowance? If not, this must be done.

(15) Are you insured? No

If so, in what Company?

Have you made arrangements for payment of your Insurance premium

If not, and it is a monthly premium, you can assign the amount in addition to any other assignment you wish to make.

[signature] Capt. L.T. COL.
O. Comd'g No. 2 Construction Battalion, C. E. F.
Officer Commanding.

Date Jan 15/17

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No. 931720 RANK Pte. NAME Jones Ben.

T. O. S. 8-1-17
D.O. 13. 13-1-17

UNIT No 2. Construction Battalion

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PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
1917	1917			
Jan 8	Jan 31	✓		
Feb.		✓		
Mar 1	Mar 20	✓	Trackgd (MX) 5-3-17	D.O.S.S. 5-3-17
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SURNAME. Jones 649-J-3543

CARD NO. X

CHRISTIAN NAMES Ben

FOLL. SOS Dis 5-3-17 I

REGL. No. 931720 RANK Pte

UNIT No 2. Construction Bn

FORMER CORPS Nil

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAMES IN FULL Jones, Sam

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER Brother

ADDRESS Louisville, Ky., U.S.A.

COUNTRY OF BIRTH U.S.A. Lexington, Ky., DATE May 16th, 1891

PLACE OF ATTESTATION Windsor, Ont DATE Jan. 8th, 1917

L. L. 10137. M. & D. 7253.

M. F. W. 22. 100M.—11-16. H. Q. 1772-39-339.

MARRIED SINGLE Yes WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING Brick-layer RELIGION Baptist

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE 26. YEARS 8. MONTHS

HEIGHT 5. FEET 6. INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT 33. INCHES EXPANSION 2. INCHES

COMPLEXION Colored EYES Black HAIR Black

DISTINGUISHING MARKS Not Stated

MEDICAL EXAMINATION. PLACE Windsor, Ont. DATE Jan. 8th 1917

Present Address, Lexington, Ky., U.S.A.

This space to be for numbers.

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H.Q. CANADA

Proceedings on Discharge.

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

No. 931720

Rank Private

Name Ben Jones

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

Corps (Squadron, Battery or Company)

Date of Discharge March 5th.1917.

Place of Discharge Windsor, Ont.

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1. DESCRIPTION AT THE TIME OF DISCHARGE.

Age 26 years 9 months.
Height 5 feet 6 inches.
Complexion Colored
Eyes Black
Hair Black
Trade Brick-layer
Intended place of residence
(To be given as fully as practicable.)

Descriptive Marks

2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of 59 J-122

Mental Deficiency

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.)

Brick-layer

M. F. B. 218.

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

No

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

6. Medals and Decorations None

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) Windsor. Ont. Lieut-Col.

(Date) March 5th. 1917. *Commanding* #2 Const. Batt'n. C.E.F.

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) Windsor. Ont. his Ben X Jones mark (*Signature of Soldier.*)

(Date) March 5th. ~~12th February~~ 1917 A C Ford Lieut (*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.

.....(*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) Windsor. Ont. D H Sutherland

(*Signature*) Lieut-Col.

(Date) March 5th. 1917. O.C. No. 2 Const. Battalion 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.)

Ben his mark Jones

witness S C Hood Lieut

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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.