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ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. ~~180627~~

Folio. ~~#709400~~ 709406

ORIGINAL

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS).

1. What is your name? Robert McArthur
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born? Richibucto N B
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin? Olive McArthur (Mother)
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin? Fredericton N B
5. What is the date of your birth? Jany 1st 1888
6. What is your Trade or Calling? Lawn Sawer
7. Are you married? No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? Or inoculated Yes R M A
9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia? No
10. Have you ever served in any Military Force? No
    If so, state particulars of former Service.
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

Robert McArthur (Signature of Man).

R G Dubois (Signature of Witness).

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Robert McArthur, 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.

R McArthur (Signature of Recruit)

Date Oct 5th 1915 R G Dubois (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Robert McArthur, 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.

R McArthur (Signature of Recruit)

Date Oct 5th 1915 R G Dubois (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 Sussex, N.B. this 5th day of October 1915.

Frank K. Fairweather J P (Signature of Justice)

J. P. IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF KINGS, N B

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

G C Maxwell (Approving Officer)

Major

M. F. W. 23.
200 M.—5-15.
H. Q. 1772-39-841.

Sussex 18-5-16
Med. unfit.

Cardio 2-6-16
F. E.

Description of Robert McArthur on Enlistment

Apparent Age 27 years 8 months.

(To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)

Height 5 ft. 8½ ins.

Chest measurement:
- Girth when fully expanded 37½ ins.
- Range of expansion 3½ ins.

Complexion Medium

Eyes Hazel

Hair Brown

Religious denominations:
- Church of England
- Presbyterian
- Wesleyan
- Baptist ~~or Congregationalist~~ Yes.
- 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).

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 October 5th 1915.

Place Sussex, N B

J. H. Burnett
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.

Robert McArthur 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.

H. Flewwelling (Signature of Officer)

O. C. 64th BATT. C. O. E. F.

Date Oct 5th 1915.

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

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

Declaration of change of name.....

Authority for special enlistments.....

Documents of re-enlisted men.....

Regimental Conduct Sheet.....1.....

Compulsory Stoppages.....

Casualty Forms.....2.....

Proceedings on discharge.....

Corps History Sheet.....

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

~~Parchment~~ Discharge Certificate.....1.....

Medical Report for Invalids.....

Medical History Sheet.....2 B. Pl. 11-3-18.....

Proceedings of Regt. Court Martial.....

Copies of Convictions by Civil Power.....

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

Clothing Transfer Certificate.....

Inventory of Kit.....

Last Pay Certificate.....

M. F. W. 39-1
M. F. W. 67-3
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M. F. W. 62.
25m.—12-15.
H. Q. 1772-39-935.

DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS

R. O. No.....

H. Q. No.....

Name Mc Arthur, Robert.

Regt. No. 709406 Rank Pte.

Corps 104th O' Batt. C.E.F.

Medically Unfit.

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649-M-5732

NAME McArthur. Robert. SOSWio 18-5-16 T

RANK & No. Pte. 709406

CORPS 104th. Batt.,

ENLISTMENT, PLACE Sussex, N.B., DATE Oct., 5th 1915.

FORMER CORPS Nil.

COUNTRY OF BIRTH Canada. Richibucto. N.B., Jan 1st 1888

NEXT OF KIN McArthur, Mrs. Olive. (Mother).

ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN Fredericton, N.B.,

DISCHARGE, PLACE DATE

M. F. W. 22. 100 m.—9-15.

L. L. 85779—M. & D.—6011.

H Q. 1772 39 839.

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MARRIED SINGLE yes. WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING Lawn-sawer RELIGION Baptist.

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE 24 YEARS 8 MONTHS

HEIGHT 5 FEET 8½ INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT 35 INCHES EXPANSION 3½ INCHES

COMPLEXION Medium EYES Hazel HAIR brown

DISTINGUISHING MARKS Nil.

MEDICAL EXAMINATION. PLACE Sussex. N.B., DATE Oct. 5th 1915

REMARKS:

No. 470780 RANK Pte. NAME McArthur L. M.

180627 Oct paylist

709406 Apr. paylist

T.O.S. 4-10-15, UNIT 64th Battalion

D.O. 45 of 7-10-15

M.D. 6

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC. PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
1915	1915			
Oct. 4	Oct. 28	✓	Trans. to 104th Bn 28-10-15	D.O. 63 of 28-10-15
Oct 29	Oct 31.	✓	now shown on 104th Bn.	Oct paylist.
nov		✓		
Dec		✓		
1916				
Jan		✓	a. W. L. 2 days C.B. forfeits 3 days pay.	Jan. 1916.
Feb		✓		
mar		✓		
Apr		✓	a. W. L. 7 days C. B. forfeits 5 days pay	W.O. 81 of 5-4-16
May 1	May 18	✓	Dischgd. Med unfit 18-5-16	W.O. 119 of 19-5-16
			afc closed by payment S	

UNIT SAILED

JUN 28 1916

Original not available.

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

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H. Q. 1772-39-920.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Unit, Regiment or Corps 64th Bn.

Regimental No. 709406 Rank Pte C. E. F. Name McArthur. Robert.

Enlisted (a) 5.10.15 Terms of Service (a) Dafw. Service reckons from (a) 5.10.15.

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				
28.10.15	64th Bn.	Transferred to 104th Bn.	Sussex. N.B.	28.10.15.	Pt2. D.O. 63.
19-5-16	104th Bn.	S.O.S. Discharged "Medically Unfit".	" "	18.5.16.	Pt2. D.O. 119.

O. C. Sangmann

Capt 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				

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MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.

Surname McArthur Christian Name Robert

Examined on 5 day of 10 1915
at Sussex N.B.

Birthplace City or Town Richibucto
County N.B.

Apparent age 27

Trade or occupation Sawyer

Height 5 Feet 8 1/2 Inches.

Weight Lbs.

Chest measurement Minimum 34 inches.
Maximum expansion 3 1/2 inches

Physical development good

Small-Pox Marks none

Vaccination Marks Arm Right. Left. 1
Number 1

When Vaccinated last 1905

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease none

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection

Approved by S. F. A. Macwright

Rank Major 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.
13/10/15		J.H. M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Enlisted on 5 day of 10 1915 at Sussex

	Corps.	Regt'l Number.	Habits.	Date.
Joined on enlistment	64th Batt	470780		
Transferred to	104th Batt	~~180627~~ 709406		

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.

100M.—1-15.
H. Q. 1772-39-439.

Surname McAdam Christian Name Robert

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				

To be made out in duplicate. 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 104th Overseas Batt. C.E.F.

(2) Regimental Number 709406

(3) Full Name of Soldier Robert McArthur

(4) Place of Birth Richibucto N.B.

(5) Are you married, or not? Single

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

(b) Present Postal Address —

(7) Are you a widower? —

(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? Yes.

If so, state name and address Olive McArthur

Victoria Mills N.B.

(11) If your Mother is a widow —

Are you her sole support, or not? Yes

(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.

Given her home and support.

(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.

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(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.

Have applied for Separation Allowance.

(15) Are you insured? Yes.

If so, in what Company? Canadian order of Foresters

Have you made arrangements for payment of your Insurance premium Yes.

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

Mortimer Cupler
LIEUT.-COLONEL
COMMDG. 1ST C.E. BATTN. C.E.F.
Officer Commanding.

Date 19/4/16

CANADIAN OVERSEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCES

Discharge Certificate

This is to Certify that No. 709406 (Rank) Private

(Name in Full) Robert McArthur enlisted in

64th., O.S. Battalion, C.E.F and Transferred to 104th., O.S. Bn. C.E.F.

Canadian Overseas Expeditionary Force, on the fifth day of October

1915, ~~and accompanied said unit to~~

~~was returned to Canada~~, and discharged from the service at Sussex, N.B.

on the 9th. day of May 1916, in consequence of

" Medically Unfit" Authority 59-M-309 d/1/5/16.

DESCRIPTION ON DISCHARGE

Age 27

Height 5 ft 8½ inches

Complexion Medium

Eyes Hazel

Hair Brown

Trade Lawn Mower

Marks or Scars

Signature of Man

Officer in charge ~~Discharge Depot.~~ Recruiting

Place and Date Sussex, N.B. 10th. May 1916.

SHOULD THIS DISCHARGE CERTIFICATE BE LOST, NO DUPLICATE OF IT CAN BE OBTAINED.

N. B.—Any person finding this Certificate is requested to forward it in an unstamped envelope to The Secretary, Militia Council, Ottawa, Canada.

M. F. W. 39
200m.-5-15.
H.Q. 1772-39-882.

CANADIAN OVERSEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCES

Discharge Certificate

No. 709406

Rank Private

Name Robert McArthur

Unit 104th., Overseas Battalion, C.E.F.

Address on Discharge Richibucto, N.B.

His conduct and character while in the Service have been :

INDIFFERENT

Place Sussex, N.B.

Date 10th. May 1916.

Commanding 104th., O.S.Bn., C.E.F.

H A Bogs Major
Lieut.Col.

Campaigns Nil.

Medals and Decorations

Nil.