

NO. 2 CONST. BATT.
ATTESTATION PAPER.

No.

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CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS.)

1. What is your surname?..... *Nicholson*
- 1a. What are your Christian names?..... *Harry*
- 1b. What is your present address?..... *new Waverford CB*
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... *Middle River Vic Co*
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?..... *Mr Mary Nicholson*
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... *new Waverford*
- 4a. What is the relationship of your next-of-kin?..... *mother*
5. What is the date of your birth?..... *1898*
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 H.N.*
9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia?..... *Yes*
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*

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, *Harry Nicholson*, 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.

Date *Aug 4* 191*6* *Harry Nicholson* (Signature of Recruit)
McChesney H (Signature of Witness)
R.C.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, *Harry Nicholson*, 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.

Date *Aug 4* 191*6* *Harry Nicholson* (Signature of Recruit)
McChesney H (Signature of Witness)
R.C.

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 *Spring* this *4* day of *Aug* 191*6*
McChesney H (Signature of Justice)
R.C.

Description of Nicholson Harry on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 18 years 8 months.
(To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)

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).

Height 5 ft. 3 1/2 ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 35 ins.
Range of expansion 2 ins.

Complexion fair

Eyes blue

Hair fair

Religious denominations. { Church of England

Presbyterian 7

Methodist

Baptist or Congregationalist

Roman Catholic

Jewish

Other denominations

(Denomination to be stated.)

Large scar at Carpal
metacarpal joint
of first two fingers
of right hand

Blue coal scar on
left upper eye lid.

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 Aug 4 1916

Place Oxford NSW

W. J. Egan
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.

Harry Nicholson 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.

D. H. Sutherland (Signature of Officer)

AUG 10 1916

Date Aug 10 1916



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

Attestation Papers..... *23*

Declaration of change of name.....

Authority for special enlistments.....

Documents of re-enlisted men.....

Regimental Conduct Sheet.....

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..... *2*

Proceedings of Regt. Court Martial.....

Copies of Convictions by Civil Power.....

Company Conduct Sheet.....

Clothing Transfer Certificate.....

Inventory of Kit.....

Last Pay Certificate.....

*1 Record
1 ind card*



DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS

Name *Nicholson, Harry.*

Regt. No. *731075* Rank *Pte.*

Corps *No. 2 Construction Bn.*
Discharged.

R. O. No.....

H. Q. No.....



05376



SURNAME.

Nicholson

CHRISTIAN NAMES

Harry

REGL. No. *931075.*

RANK

Pte.

UNIT

No. 2 Construction (Coloured)

Bn.

FORMER CORPS *Nil.*

CARD NO.

✓

S.O.S. des. 3/9/16. G.

FOLL.

NEXT OF KIN.

NAMES IN FULL

Nicholson, Mrs Mary.

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER

Mother.

ADDRESS

New Waterford. C. B. N. S.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

COUNTRY OF BIRTH

Canada Middle River Vic ^{N.S.} Co.

DATE

PLACE OF ATTESTATION

Sydney, N. S.

DATE

*1898.
Aug th 4. 1916.*

MARRIED

SINGLE

yes

WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING

Farmer

RELIGION

Presbyterian

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE

18

YEARS

8

MONTHS

HEIGHT

5

FEET

3 1/2

INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT

35

INCHES

EXPANSION

2

INCHES

COMPLEXION

Fair

EYES

Blue

HAIR

Fair

DISTINGUISHING MARKS

Large scar at carpe metacarpal joint of first two fingers of right hand, Blue coal scar on left upper eye lid.

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

PLACE

Sydney. N.S.

DATE

Aug 4th 1916.

Present Address. New Waterford. Co. B. N.S.

No. 931075. RANK Pte.

NAME Nicholson, Harry.

T. O. S. 4-8-16

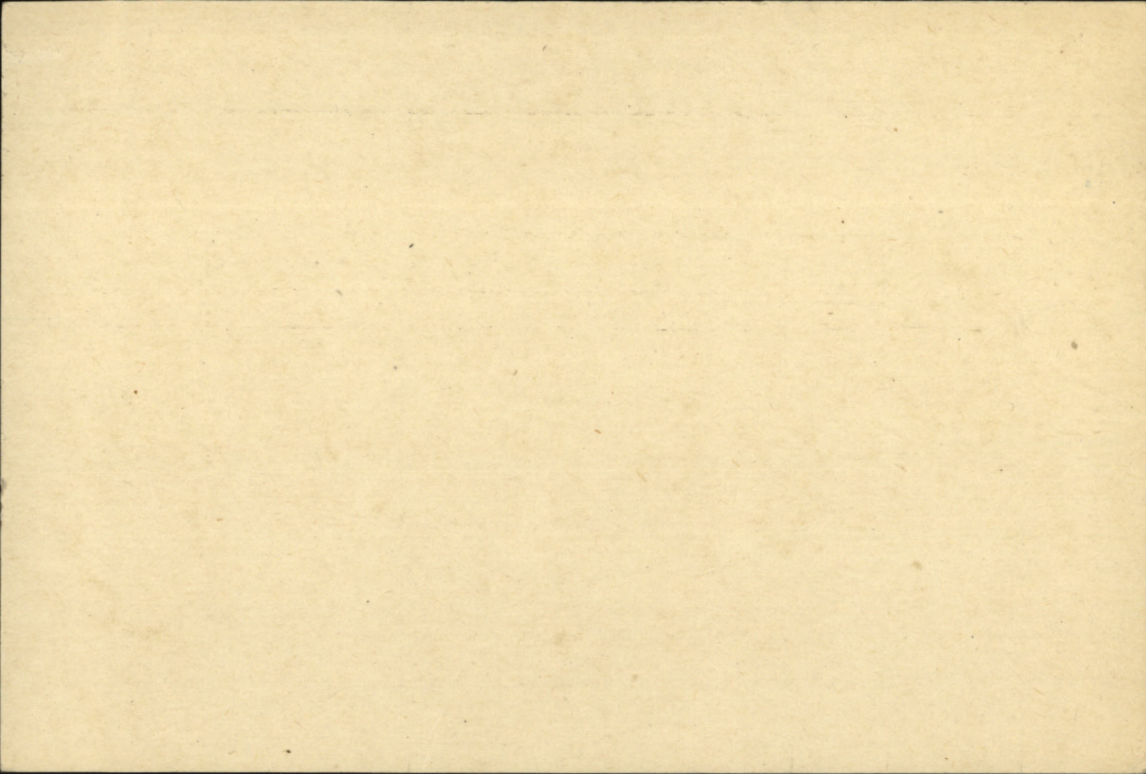
UNIT

No 2 Construction Battalion

D.O. 6-7-8-16

M. D. 6

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
1916 Aug. 4	1916 Aug 31	n		
Sept.		n		
Oct.		n	Des. disenter by C. of 25-10-16	D.O. 61. 26-10-16
			Top closed	



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

M. F. W. 54. (A. F. B. 103.

500M.—9-16

H. Q. 1772-39-920.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Unit, Regiment or Corps. # 2 Construction Bn.

Regimental No. 931075 Rank Pte. Name Nicholson, Harry
C. E. F.

Enlisted (a) 4-8-16 Terms of Service (a) 10 y W. Service reckons from (a) 4-8-16

Date of promotion to } Date of appointment } Numerical position on }
present rank } to lance rank } 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				
26-10-16	#2 Construction Bn.	<p>Illeg. Absent.</p> <p>S.O.S. as "Deserter"</p> <p>by C. of A.</p>	Halifax, N.S.	5-10-16	<p>P.L. II Order # 61-</p> <p><i>[Signature]</i></p> <p>Dr or W. of R</p>

(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.

[P.T.O.]

MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET

DEPT. MILITIA & DEFENCE
NOV -2 1916
H.Q. CANADA

Surname Nicholson Christian Name Harry

Examined { on 4 day of Aug 1916
at Spring St.
Birthplace { City or Town Middle River
County Nich Co

Approved by W. J. Egan
Rank Private M.O.

Apparent age 18
Trade or occupation Farmer
Height 5 feet 3 1/2 Inches
Weight 129 lbs.
Chest measurement { Minimum 33 inches
Maximum expansion 2 inches
Physical development OK
Small-pox Marks None
Vaccination Marks { Arm Right Left
Number None

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.

When Vaccinated last Never
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection

Enlisted on 4 day of Aug 1916 at Spring

	CORPS	REG'TL NUMBER	HABITS	DATE
Joined on enlistment				
Transferred to				

EXAMINED OR DISCHARGED BY A MEDICAL BOARD

STATION	DATE	DISEASE	RESULT

Surname...

[illegible]

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. 441302 Rank A/Sgt Name Nickolson H.L.
Corps 12 District Depot who was* Discharged
On 8-1-19 191... to 12-1-18
*Insert "discharged" or "transferred."

The following is a statement of the account of the above named from 191... to 191..., the inclusive date of transfer or discharge.

Dr.	\$	c.	Cr.	\$	c.
Bal. Dr. from prev. month.....			Balance Cr. from prev. month.....		
Advances } No. <u>L.P.C.</u> <u>36.13</u>			Reg'tl. Pay..... days at \$.....c.....		
Cheques } No.			Field Allow. <u>39</u> days at \$ <u>1</u> c. <u>35</u>		
Assigned Pay and Sep'n Allee. No.....			Separation Allowance* (Monthly).....		
Other charges.....			Other Allowances*.....		
Payment on transfer or discharge No..... <u>10782</u>			Other Credits*..... <u>10 Cr</u>		
Bal. Cr. (to be paid by the new unit) <u>38</u>			Bal. Dr. (to be deducted by new unit).....		
Total.....			Total.....		

143.75 particulars.

45.00 1st P.D.P. Paid

A monthly stoppage of \$..... (†) has..... (‡) been paid paid on account of A
{ Pay for the month of.....191... }
{ and Sep'n Allee. for month of Nil.....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.

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

REMARKS:—

State (1) date of enlistment.....
(2) if married and if a Separation Allowance Card has been submitted.....
(3) cause of discharge..... authority No
(4) authority for transfer..... D.O. 7

NOTE.—Separation Allowance and Assigned Pay Card and Index Card (M.F.W. 71) are to accompany the Certificate on transfer.

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

Date 8-1-19
Place Regina, Sask.

N.B.—For purposes of transfer this form is to be made out in quadruplicate. Original copy to duplicate to District Paymaster, triplicate to accompany the pay list at the end of the month, and as a record.

For purposes of discharge it is to be made out in triplicate. Original copy to accompany pay list at the end of the month, and triplicate for retention as a record.

If a man on discharge is entitled to three months Post Discharge Pay, Last Pay certificate will cate. The original Last Pay Certificate will be forwarded with other documents to Paymaster Po cate, with his discharge documents.

