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ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. 28591

Folio.

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS).

1. What is your name? ..... Christopher Charles Abraham
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born? ..... Cambridge – Cambridgeshire. Eng.
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin? ..... Charles Arthur Abraham. Father
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin? ..... ~~Mary Hyde Abraham~~ Glossop ~~Mother~~ Derbyshire
5. What is the date of your birth? ..... Jan 1st 1893
6. What is your Trade or Calling? ..... Ranching
7. Are you married? ..... No.
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? ..... Yes.
9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia? ..... Yes
10. Have you ever served in any Military Force? ..... Officers Training Course – at Schools
    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

C C Abraham ..... (Signature of Man).

J A McGregor ..... (Signature of Witness).

16 Attestation

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Christopher Charles Abraham, 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.

C C Abraham ..... (Signature of Recruit)

Date 23 Sep 1914. J A McGregor ..... (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Christopher Charles Abraham, 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.

C C Abraham ..... (Signature of Recruit)

Date 23 Sep 1914. J A McGregor ..... (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 this 23 day of Sept 1914.

..... (Signature of Justice)

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

Lome Ross Major ..... (Approving Officer)

100 M.—8-14.
H.Q. 1772-1-13.

V.R.X

46 Batt
1st Brigd

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Description of Charles Abraham on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 21 years 3 months.
(To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)

Height 5 ft. 8 3/4 ins.

Chest measurement: Girth when fully expanded 38 1/2 ins.
Range of expansion 3 1/2 ins.

Complexion Medium

Eyes Blue

Hair Dk 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).

mole lower abdomen left
scar inner side breast

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 9 1914. W. P. Dillon

Place Walcartier Major 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.

C. Abraham 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 Ross Major (Signature of Officer)

Date 23/9/ 1914.

20247 THE MORTIMER SYSTEMS, OTTAWA, CANADA

NAME ABRAHAM, Christopher Chas.

Regimental No. 28591

Unit 16th Battalion

Date of enlistment 23 Sept. 1914

Place of Birth England.

Married (yes or no) No.

Amount of pay assigned monthly $

To whom payable

Name and address of next-of-kin

Charles Arthur Abraham, (Father)

Glossop,

Derbyshire, England.

Date and place discharged Dec 8th/14 at Lark Hill

Reason for discharge Commission in New Army

~~No discharge [illegible]~~ ABF. 268 (Records)

Character on discharge

Army Inst. July. 1915. Cd. 1336B. Gaz. 16/12/14.

1914 Date 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.
Sep 22	Oct 31	40	1.00	40..	40	.10	4..	4..	44			40..			40..	
Nov 1	Nov 30	30	1.00	30..	30	.10	3..	4..	37			35..			35..	
Dec 1	Dec 8	8	1.00	8.	8	.10	80	2	10 80			5.			5.	Struck off Dec 8 [illegible]
								5 80								P II orders 8/12/14.
	Adj. of Exchange.							2 13	7 93							
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MONTH	PARTICULARS	CR. 1	CR. 2	PARTICULARS	DR	D	Balance	DEFER-RED. PAY	SEP. ALLCE. ENG.
1918 June N.E.	Transferred to Pay II "O"						7.93		

A B 7 form stated paid but probably was not included

No file for this man

FE 30/9/19

Record of Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, Reports, &c.

28591

Abraham

Christopher

Charles

1-10-15

Ent. Sep 1914

ORIGINAL. 28571

MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.

Surname ~~Abraham~~ Abraham Christian Name C. C.

Examined on 1 day of Oct 1914 at "SS Ausonia"

Birthplace City or Town Cambridge County England

Apparent age 21

Trade or occupation Rancher

Height 5 Feet 9½ Inches.

Weight 152 Lbs.

Chest measurement Minimum 33 inches. Maximum expansion 35 inches.

Physical development good

Small-Pox Marks

Vaccination Marks Arm Right. Left. Number 4

When Vaccinated last 10 yrs ago.

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection

Approved by G E Gulbin

Rank Capt. 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.	
28 Aug	Good		M.O.
8 Sept	—		M.O.
			M.O.

The Medical History Sheets of all men proceeding overseas, must be returned by the Officer commanding the Field Ambulance to the Canadian Contingents, London.

Enlisted on 27 day of Aug 1914 at Victoria BC

	Corps.	Regt'l Number.	Habits.	Date.
Joined on enlistment	50 Highlanders		Good	
Transferred to	Trans 6 Batt	28571		
	2 17th 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.

Entries in Red Ink made from Attestation Sheets.

M. F. B. 313.

50M—8-14.
H. Q. 1772—39—439.

AUG 18 1915

for D. D. M. S.

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				

Envelope No. 365

Rank and Name	ABRAHAM christopher Chas.	Name and Address of Next-of-kin	Charle Arthur Abraham (father) Glossop Derbyshire, Eng.
Regimental No.	28591		
Unit	16th Bat.		
Date of enlistment	Sept. 23, 1914		
Place of birth	England		
Married (Yes or No)	No	Date and place of discharge	8/12/14 Park Hill
If in Permanent Force		Reason for discharge	New Army
		Character on discharge	

Promotions or appointments

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				
1914 Dec 9.	O.C. 16th Bn	Struck off Strength To a Comm. in K. Army	Lark Hill	Dec 8. 1914	Part II Order.

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					

From Quebec per. S.S. Andania 7-10-14

MARRIED SINGLE yes. WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING Ranching. RELIGION Church of England

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE 21 YEARS 3 MONTHS

HEIGHT 5 FEET 8 3/4 INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT 38 1/2 INCHES EXPANSION 3 1/2 INCHES

COMPLEXION Medium EYES Blue HAIR Dk. Brown.

DISTINGUISHING MARKS Mole lower abdomen left. scar inner side breast.

MEDICAL EXAMINATION. PLACE Valcartier, P.Q. DATE Sept. 9th 1914.

Present Address - Not stated

CARD NO. 4

SURNAME. Abraham.

CHRISTIAN NAMES Christopher Charles.

FOLL. S.O.S. Dis. 8-12-14 Comm. Imp. Army 16225-3 8-6-18 21

REGL. No. 28591. RANK Pte.

UNIT 16th. Bn.

FORMER CORPS O.T.C.

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAMES IN FULL Abraham, Charles Arthur

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER Father.

ADDRESS Glossop, Derby, Eng.

COUNTRY OF BIRTH England. Cambridge Cambs. DATE Jan. 1st. 1893.

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

O/C 7-10-14

L. L. 94504. M. & D. 6512.

M. F. W. 22. 250M.—2-16. H. Q. 1772-39-339.

M.C.

Emd

Number 28591 Rank Pte

Surname ABRAHAM

Christian Name Christopher Charles

Unit 16th Bn Can Inf Theatre of War England

Date of Service S.O.S. Comm Imp Army 8.12.14

auth 16th Bn Pt II Od/9.12.14

Remarks Imp: Comm: WO Roll no 2. Page 62
auth: WO: N/W/9/1783 of 5-5-20

Latest Address

Roll No. a

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Table III.—Boards; Courts of Inquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, etc.; Examinations for Field or Foreign Service, Extension, Re-engagement, or Prolongation of Service; Issue of Surgical Appliances; Particulars of Dental Treatment, etc.

Date	Brief details, and signature
28th Aug.	Anti-Typhoid Inoc. Good.
8th. Sept.	" " "

Table IV.—Service Table.

Station or Troopship	Date of arrival or embarkation	Date of departure or disembarkation	Station or Troopship	Date of arrival or embarkation	Date of departure or disembarkation

E.C. 28571.

Army Form B. 178.

To be used for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army only. Army Form B. 178A to be used for Special Reserve recruits and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

DUPLICATE

MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname A B R A H A M *Christian Name* C.C.

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace .. Parish Cambridge County England

Examined .. .. .. on 1st. day of October. 1914.. at S.S. Andania.

Declared Age .. .. 21. years days.

Trade or Occupation .. Rancher.

Height .. .. .. 5. feet 9½ inches.

Weight .. .. .. 152. lbs.

Chest Measurement: Girth when fully Expanded 33 inches. Range of Expansion 35 inches.

Physical Development .. Good.

Vaccination Marks: Arm .. Right Left; Number 4.

When Vaccinated .. .. 10 years ago.

Vision .. .. .. R.E.—V= L.E.—V=

(*a*) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease .. ..

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

Approved by .. (*Signature*) G. E. Gillier.

(*Rank*) Capt. *Medical Officer.*

I certify the foregoing to be a true copy of an original entry of a Medical History Sheet of this man.

for the Officer in Charge of Records Canadian Contingents.

C.A.M.C.

Enlisted .. .. .. at Victoria on 27th. day of August. 1914.

	Corps.	Regtl. No.
Joined on Enlistment ..	50.Highlanders.	
Transferred to	From 16th Batt. To. 17th. Batt.	28571.

Became non-effective by ..

on day of 191 .

(*Signature*)

(*Rank*)

This Medical History Sheet has been compared with the Corresponding Attestation Paper, and entries made in red have been taken from the Attestation Paper.

W.R.WARD,
Colonel in Charge of Records,
Canadian Contingents.

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P.T.O.