

- Proceedings of Court of Inquiry or on men reported Missing on Active Service.....
- Attestation Papers.....
- Declaration of change of name.....
- Authority for special enlistments.....
- Documents of re-enlisted men.....
- Regimental Conduct Sheet.....
- Compulsory Stoppages.....
- Casualty Forms.....
- 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.....
- Proceedings of Regt. Court Martial.....
- Copies of Convictions by Civil Power.....
- Company Conduct Sheet.....
- Clothing Transfer Certificate.....
- Inventory of Kit.....
- Last Pay Certificate.....

**DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS**

Name Bowdridge Cyril Anthony  
 Regt. No 442404 Rank Pte  
 Corps 65<sup>th</sup> Bn  
 Killed in action 1-11-16

R. O. No.....

H. Q. No.....

5

M

32497

~~Cards, pt II~~  
~~+ Casualty~~

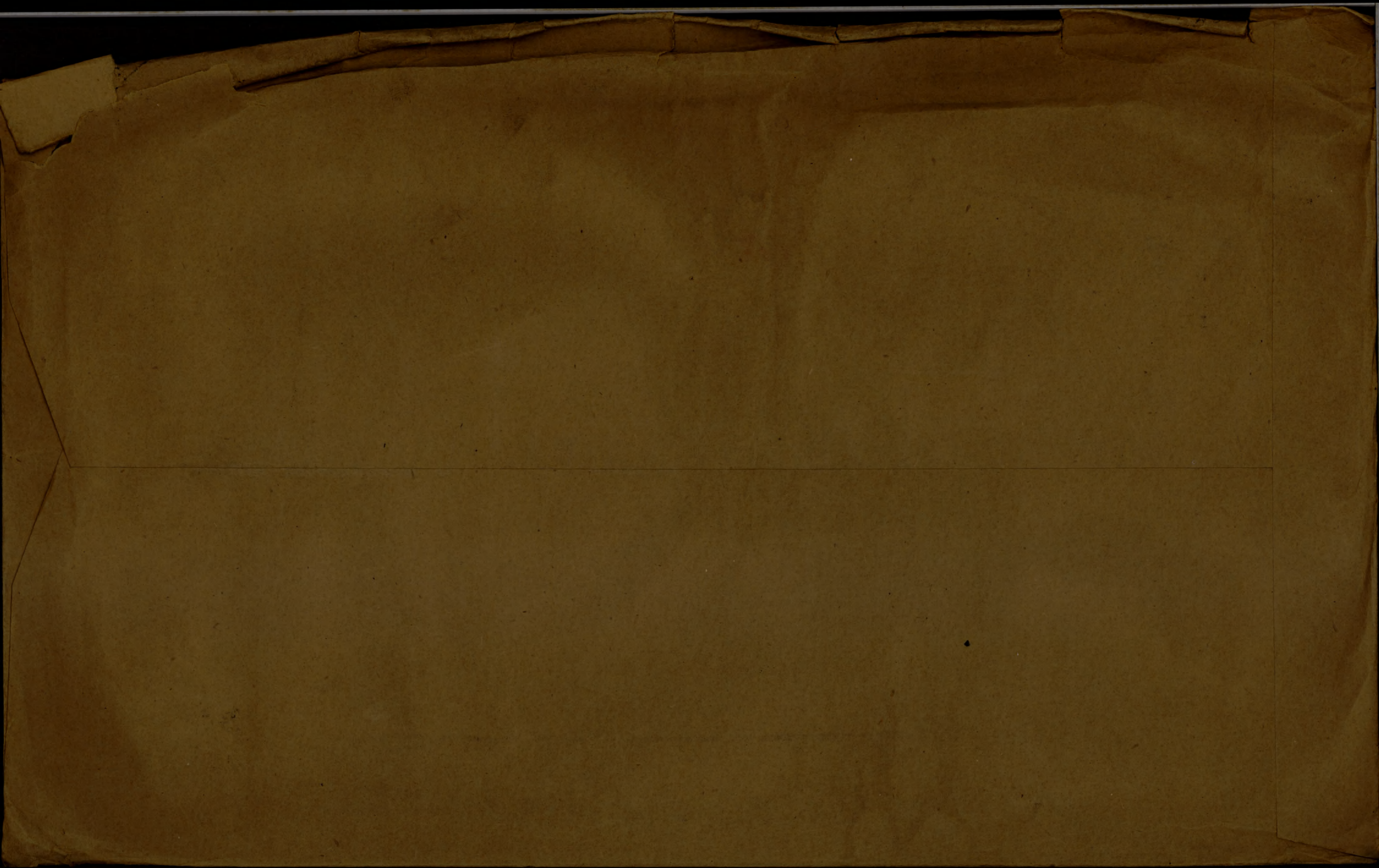
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# ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. 472404

Folio.

## CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

### QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS.)

1. What is your name?..... Cyril Anthony Bowdridge.
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... Batoche, Saskatchewan, Canada.
3. What is the name of your next-of kin?..... Julia Bowdridge, (Mother)
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... 310 Crescent East, Saskatoon, Sask
5. What is the date of your birth?..... 10th July 1896.
6. What is your Trade or Calling?..... Student.
7. Are you married?..... no
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated?..... ~~no~~ 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

Cyril Anthony Bowdridge (Signature of Man.)  
 J. M. McConnell (Signature of Witness.)

### DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Cyril Anthony Bowdridge, 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.

Cyril Anthony Bowdridge (Signature of Recruit)

Date 31st August 1915 J. M. McConnell (Signature of Witness)

### OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Cyril Anthony Bowdridge, 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.

Cyril Anthony Bowdridge (Signature of Recruit)

Date 31st August 1915 J. M. McConnell (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 Saskatoon, Sask this 31st day of August 1915.

H. J. [Signature] (Signature of Justice)

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

Norman Lang et al. (Approving Officer)

Description of Cyril Anthony Bowdridge on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 19 years 2 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. 6 ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 36 ins.  
 Range of expansion 2 ins.

Scar on right wrist.

Complexion Ruddy

Eyes Grey

Hair Brown

Religious denominations. { Church of England.....  
 Presbyterian.....  
 Wesleyan.....  
 Baptist or Congregationalist.....  
 Other Protestants.....  
 (Denomination to be stated.)  
 Roman Catholic Yes  
 Jewish.....

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 31st August 1915 Sgt W A Stone Major.

Place Saskatoon C.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.

Cyril Anthony Bowdridge 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.

Norman Lang Lt-Col (Signature of Officer)

Date 31st August 1915.

SURNAME.

*Bowdridge*

(649-13-9689) ✓

CARD NO.

**D**

CHRISTIAN NAMES

*Cyril Anthony*

FOLL.

REGL. NO.

*472404*

RANK

*Lt Col.*

UNIT

*65th.*

*Batt.*

FORMER CORPS

*Nil.*

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAMES IN FULL

*Bowdridge, Mrs. Julia.*

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER

*Mother.*

ADDRESS

*310 Crescent East. Saskatoon  
Sask.*

COUNTRY OF BIRTH

*Canada Batoche, Sask.*

DATE

*July 10th. 1896.*

PLACE OF ATTESTATION

*Saskatoon, Sask.*

DATE

*Aug 31st. 1915.*

*Sailed from Halifax 18/6/16 per S.S. "Empress of Brit."*

*454  
6*

MARRIED

SINGLE

*Yes.*

WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING

*Student*

RELIGION

*Roman Catholic*

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE

*19.*

YEARS

*2.*

MONTHS

HEIGHT

*5.*

FEET

*6.*

INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT

*36.*

INCHES

EXPANSION

*2.*

INCHES

COMPLEXION

*Ruddy.*

EYES

*Grey.*

HAIR

*Brown.*

DISTINGUISHING MARKS

*Scar on right wrist.*

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

PLACE

*Saskatoon, Sask.*

DATE

*Aug. 31<sup>st</sup> 1915.*

*Present address: not stated.*

Name BOWDRIDGE. Rank Private Reg. No 472404.  
 Cyril Anthony,  
 Unit 72nd. Battalion.  
 Next of Kin Canada

PL 25-B-2621

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
1916	Reported from Base	Wounded &				No. 20.
4-10-	returned to duty.	Shrap. Bruise, Back.	A56.04261.			7-11.
1-11.	Reported From Base.					
		<u>KILLED IN ACTION.</u>		A64.04836.		16-11.





REGT'L NO 472404

NAME Bowdridge Cyril Anthony

H. Q. FILE NO. 649-

RANK AND CORPS Lt Cpl. ~~Pl~~ 72nd Bn. (form 65th Bn)

FOLLOWS NO.
FOLLOWS

CABLE		NATURE OF CASUALTY
No.	DATE	
Q 4261	7-11-16	Reported wounded on duty Oct. 14th 1916 shrapnel bruise back
Q 4836	16-11-16	Killed in action Nov 1st 1916 ✓ ✓
B2090 a	12-11-16	" " " " " " (rec'd 14-2-17)

LIST No

HOSPITAL

DATE OF  
ADMISSION

REMARKS

A 56

Rept from Base wounded  
Remains at duty

14-10-16

Strap. Bruise Back

A 64

Rept from Base P

1-11-16

Killed in action

No. 472404 RANK *Pte.*

NAME *Bowdridge C. A.*

T. O. S. *31-8-15* UNIT *65<sup>th</sup> Battalion C. E. F.*  
(D.O. no *H 38* of *31-8-15*)

M. D. *10.*

PAID FROM	PAID TO	SIG. OR REC'T	PROMOTIONS, TRANSFERS, DISCHARGES, ETC.	
			PARTICULARS	AUTHORITY
<i>1915</i>	<i>1915</i>			
<i>Aug 31</i>	<i>Aug 31</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Sept.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Oct.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Nov.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Dec.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
<i>1916</i>	<i>1916</i>			
	<i>Jan.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Feb.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Mar.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>Apr.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>May.</i>	<i>✓</i>		
	<i>June</i>	<i>✓</i>		

**UNIT SAILED**  
**JUN 1 8 1916**



649-B-9689

472404 Pte. (~~L/Cpl~~)

Cyril A. Bowdridge

CEF.

M

Medals & Dec.

(Mother) Mrs. Julia Bowdridge,  
728 Spadina Crescent  
East,  
Saskatoon, Sask.,

Scroll Desp. 27121 Reqn. No. 213938

Plaque Desp. MAR 7 1922 Reqn. No. P31864

Placque & scroll.

(Serial no. 742376.)

(Father), Capt. Wm. Joseph Bowdridge,  
Address as above.

Memorial Cross.

(Mother) Mrs. Julia Bowdridge,  
Address as above.

not eligible for 14-15 Star  
E. M. V. M.  
B. W. M.

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B.R.

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Number 472404

Rank

Cpl

19

Surname BOWDRIDGE

Christian Name Cyril Anthony

Units 72nd Bn Can Inf Theatre of War France

Date of Service 13/8/14

Remarks (M) Mrs. Julia Bowdridge, D

Latest Address 728 Spadina Crescent East,  
Saskatoon, Sask.

Roll No. B Page 19638

## GRATUITY (IMPERIAL)

CHRISTIAN NAME

SURNAME

REG. No.

SCHEDULE No.

LINE No.

UNIT RETIRED OR DISCHARGED FROM

PLACE OF RETIREMENT OR DISCHARGE

DATE RECEIVED FROM OTTAWA

IMPERIAL DEPOT No.

DATE RECEIVED FROM REG. DEPOT.

DATE FORWARDED TO OTTAWA

STOP. DEC 19 1922  
REGN. 227228



Surname *Bowdridge* Christian Name or Names *C.A.* Reg. No. *472404*  
 Rank *Plt* Unit *72<sup>nd</sup> Bty.* Co. Troop Batty.  
 Hospital Date of Admission

Transferred

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Hosp.

Diagnosis *Shrap. Wound, Back*

(1) Later Diagnosis (if changed)

(2)

(3)

Additional Diagnosis: if more than one state present

*Killed in Action 1.11.16*

DISPOSITION

Date

*Ch 7-11-16 @ 56.*

*Ch 16-11-16 @ 64.*

REMARKS

*Rptd from Base Wd, remaining on Duty 14-10-16.*

**A.M.D. 2 DEPT.**

**Bch. of D.G.M.S. O.M.F.C. London.**

*R<sup>th</sup>*

EPITOME OF HOSPITAL TREATMENT.

Hospital

Adm.

1.

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3.

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7.

TLH. Rank *R225B2621* Name BOWDRIDGE, Cyril Anthony, Reg'l No. 472404  
 Unit Dft. 65th. to 72nd. Batt If in perm. Corps, }  
 What Unit? } Married or Single Single.  
 Place and Date of Enlistment Saskatoon, Sask. 31st August, Place of Birth Batoché, Sask.  
1915.  
 Name and Address, Next-of-Kin Julia Bowdrige,  
310, Crescent East, Saskatoon, Sask. Relationship Mother.  
 Assigned Pay Monthly \$ Payable to  Relationship  
 Separation Allowance \$ Payable to Relationship N/E R. 37

*M.X.*  
*14-1-21 RR.*

Discharge, Date and Place Reason Character

H. W. & V., Ltd. - 7165-16.

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.				
		<i>Arrived in England.</i>		28 JUN 1916	<i>Empress of Britain</i>
28.7.16	45 <sup>th</sup> Batt	<i>arrived in Eng with rank of P. Cpl</i>	<i>Borden Camp</i>	29.6.16	<i>Pt II D.O. 27</i>
3-7-16	65 <sup>th</sup> Batt	<i>S.O.S. to 72nd Batt</i>	<i>Bramshott</i>	3-7-16	<i>Pt II D.O. 4</i> <b>A.F.B. 103 CIECKE</b>
5.7.16.	72 <sup>nd</sup> Bn	<i>T.O.S. from 65 Bn.</i>	✓	3-7-16.	<i>Pt. II. D.O. 178.</i> <b>22 AUG. 1916</b>
11 8-16	72 <sup>nd</sup> .	<i>Embarked For France</i>	<i>Bramshott</i>	12-8-16	<i>Part 2 D. O. 215</i>
7.11.16	"	<i>Reported <sup>w</sup> remaining at Duty</i>	<i>Field</i>	14.10.16	<i>CLA 56 Sharp Bruise Back</i>
12.11.16	"	<i>Killed in Action</i>	<i>Field</i>	1.11.16	<i>Pt II D.O. 261</i>
16.11.16	"	<i>Killed in Action</i>	<i>Field</i>	1.11.16	<i>CLA 64</i>
1.12.16	"	<i>Reverts to Rank on transfer to 72<sup>nd</sup></i>	<i>Field</i>	3.7.16	<i>Pt II D.O. 277</i>



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# DUPLICATE. MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.

Surname Bowdridge Christian Name Cyril Anthony

Examined { on 31<sup>st</sup> day of August 1915  
at Saskatoon Sask.

Approved by W. A. Groves  
Rank Major M.O.

Birthplace { City or Town Batoche  
County Sask. Canada.

Apparent age 19 yrs. 2 mos.

Trade or occupation Student.

Height 5 Feet 6 Inches.

Weight 145 Lbs.

Chest measurement { Minimum 34 inches.  
Maximum expansion 36 inches

Physical development good

Small-Pox Marks \_\_\_\_\_

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right Left  
Number 0 3

When Vaccinated last 1913

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection \_\_\_\_\_

Date	Fit or Unfit	EXAMINED FOR RE-ENGAGEMENT,
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Date	Result	VACCINATIONS.
<u>2/15</u>	<u>2 F</u>	<u>W. A. Groves Major Am</u> M.O.
<u>4/5/16</u>	<u>2 M</u>	<u>W. A. Groves - " -</u> M.O.
		M.O.

Date	Result	ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.
<u>Sep 9</u>	<u>Pos</u>	<u>W. A. Groves Major Am</u> M.O.
<u>Sep 18</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>W. A. Groves Major Am</u> M.O.
<u>July 22/16</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>W. A. Groves Major Am</u> M.O.

Enlisted on 31<sup>st</sup> day of August 1915 at Saskatoon

	CORPS.	REG'T NUMBER.	HABITS.	DATE.
Joined on enlistment	<u>65<sup>th</sup> Overseas Batta.</u>	<u>A72404.</u>		<u>31<sup>st</sup> Augt 1915.</u>
Transferred to.. ..	<u>73<sup>th</sup> Battalion</u>	<u>472404</u>		

### 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.



472404

Pte C. A. Bowdridge

72nd Batt.

Military Will

In event of my death I give  
to Miss Georgina O'Brien of  
309 25<sup>th</sup> St. East Saskatoon  
Sask. my pocket prayer book  
and picture and 1/2

The remaining part of  
my property to my mother  
Mrs. J. Bowdridge 308 Crescent  
East Saskatoon Sask.

Cyril Anthony Bowdridge

Private 72nd

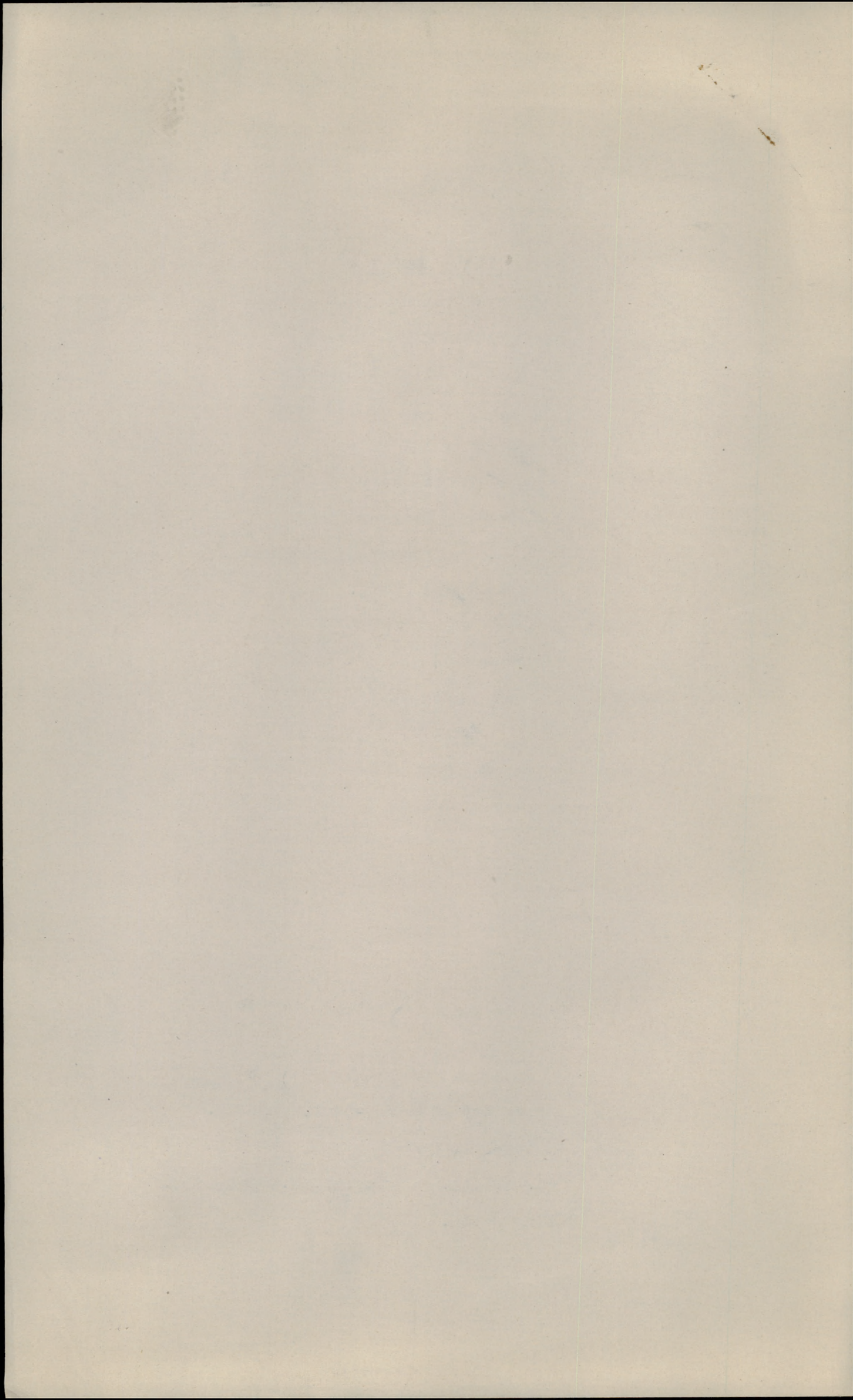
July 22nd. 1916

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Holograph.

No. 472404. Pte. C. A. Bowdridge.

72nd Battn.





CERTIFIED CORRECT.

28 AUG. 1916

CAN. MIL. ORDS, LONDON.

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

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

250M.—1-16,  
H. Q. 1772-39-920.

# Casualty Form—Active Service.

65th OVERSEAS BATTALION

Unit, Regiment or Corps

Regimental No. 472, 404 Rank to / Capt Name Bowdridge, Cyril Anthony  
C. E. F.

Enlisted (a) 31/8/15 Terms of Service (a) None Service reckons from (a) Attestation 31/8/15

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				
		<del>Embarked</del>	Canada	20/6/16	
		<del>Disembarked</del>	England	28/6/16	
		<del>Acting Rank of Lt/Col</del>		<del>20/6/16</del>	
3/7/16	65th Bn	Transferred to 72nd Batt.	RO. 4 3/7/16	3/7/16	Authority A.D. & M. G. 4th Canada H. J. Dennis Major
Jan 3/16		<del>Reverted to Rank on Transfer.</del>	<del>RO. 178</del>	<del>Jan 5/16</del>	
		<b>Proceeded For Service OVERSEAS Aug 12 1916</b>	<del>W. D. King</del>		Capt. & Adjutant, 72nd BATTALION CANADIAN INFANTRY.
5/7/16	72 Bn	T.O. 1 from 65th Bn	Bethott.	3/7/16	Pt II 00178 W. C. Harman Lt
21.10.16 7.11.16	Unit do	<b>DISEMBARKED</b> Shot in action on beach Killed in action	<b>HAVRE</b> at duty trials	13.8.16 14.10.16 1.11.16	For Col's Records B213 K.O.C.S. 29 dt 31-10-16 Letter (Can Sec 137/2090) + Pt 20. 261 dt 12.11.16.

(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.



MILITIA AND DEFENCE  
 ASSIGNED PAY  
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

*E*  
*MD*

To Whom *Mrs Julia Bowdridge* By Whom Assigned *Bowdridge P.A.*  
 Address *310 Spadina Crescent* Regtl. No. *472404*  
*Saskatoon Sask* Rank *Rec Ppl.*  
 Corps *aco 65 Bn*  
 Rate *15<sup>00</sup>* JUL 1 1916

PAYMENTS

*Casualties*  
 REMARKS

Month	Year	Cheque No.	Amt.	REMARKS
Aug.	1914			<i>Stop payments</i> <i>Dec 1/16</i> <i>"killed in action"</i> <i>3 m. 21 "16 - July 19 '16</i> <i>Killed in action 1/1/16. C. 2. (11) 17/1/16. 13. 27. 1916</i>
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1915			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1916			
Feb.				
March				

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MILITIA AND DEFENCE  
**ASSIGNED PAY**  
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS  
 PAYMENTS.

M. F. W. 12a. 390  
 50m.-4-16.  
 1772-39-819.

Sheet No. 2.  
 L. L. Job 310.-Req. 6774.  
 Mrs Julia Bowdridge

Name of Soldier Bowdridge C.A.  
 472404  
 \$ 15<sup>00</sup>

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
April	1916			
May				
June				
July		V11288	15	
Aug. ✓		E10173	15	
Sept.		E15473	15	
Oct.		E19802	15	
Nov. ✓		<del>M24564</del>	<del>15</del>	
Dec. ✓		W30650	15	
Jan.	1917			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1918			
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				

Casualties

Out closed. Leas  
 Spec Reg 20/12/16. F.L.  
 Dec 15<sup>00</sup> to all for Nov  
 Dec 16 1916

any notes

F. F. X. Bond. Date... total By 75-00  
 F. F. X. " Date... 75-8-17 By P. M.

MILITIA AND DEFENCE  
**ASSIGNED PAY**  
 OVERSEAS CONTINGENTS

Sheet No. 2 (Contd.)

Name of Soldier \_\_\_\_\_

PAYMENTS.

Month.	Year.	Cheque No.	Amt.	Remarks.
Aug.	1918			
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.	1919			
Feb.				
March				
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Jan.	1920			
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Nov.				



