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ATTENTION PAPER.  
125th. CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.  
180th BRITISH OVER-SEAS BATTALION C. E. F.

Folio.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.  
(ANSWERS)

- 1. What is your surname?..... Longboat
- 1a. What are your Christian names?..... Thomas *L. Longboat*
- 1b. What is your present address?..... Caledonia, Ontario.
- 2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... Brant County, Ontario.
- 3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?..... Mrs. Loretta Longboat
- 4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... Caledonia, Ontario.
- 4a. What is the relationship of your next-of-kin?..... Wife
- 5. What is the date of your birth?..... July 4th 1886.
- 6. What is your Trade or Calling?..... Professional Runner
- 7. Are you married?..... Yes
- 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?..... 5 years 37th. Battalion, Haldimand  
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,.....Thomas Longboat....., 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.....17th. February.....1916. *Thomas L. Longboat* (Signature of Recruit)  
*Geo. E. Stephenson* (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I,.....Thomas Longboat....., 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.....17th. February 1916. *Thomas L. Longboat* (Signature of Recruit)  
*Geo. E. Stephenson* (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.

# Description of Thomas Longboat

Apparent Age... 29 ..... years ..... 7 ..... months.  
(To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)

Distinctive marks, and peculiarities or previous

(Should the Medical Officer be before, he will, unless the service, attach a slip to the Approving Officer).

Height ..... 5 ft 10<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded ..... 40 ins.  
Range of expansion ..... 5 ins.

Complexion ..... Dark

Eyes ..... Brown

Hair ..... Black

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

## CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION

I have examined the above-named Recruit and find that he does not of rejection specified in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.

He can see at the required distance with either eye; his heart and lungs free use of his joints and limbs, and he declares that he is not subject to fits of

I consider him\*.....Fit.....for the Canadian Over-Seas Expe  
 Date.....17th. February.....1916. *G-M*  
 Place.....Brantford, Ontario..... *C*

\*Insert here "fit" or "unfit."

NOTE.—Should the Medical Officer consider the Recruit unfit, he will fill in the foregoing Certificate  
 been attested, and will briefly state below the cause of unfitness:—

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**CERTIFICATE OF OFFICER COMMANDING**

.....Thomas Longboat.....having  
 inspected by me this day, and his Name, Age, Date of Attestation, and every  
 been recorded, I certify that I am satisfied with the correctness of this Attestation

*A. N. O'Brien*

.....for O.C. Comdg. 180th O.S. Battalion, C  
 Date.....17th. February.....1916.