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No. 854  
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**ATTESTATION PAPER.**

**CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.**

**QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.**

(ANSWERS).

1. What is your name?..... *Archibald H. Homer,*
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... *Sheehurst, Kent, Eng*
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?..... *A. Homer,*
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... *Pebrmarsh, Buses, Suffolk, Eng*
5. What is the date of your birth?..... *5 Mar 1879*
6. What is your Trade or Calling?..... *Rancher*
7. Are you married?..... *single*
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated?..... *yes*
9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia?..... *no*
10. Have you ever served in any Military Force?..... *2 yrs 73rd 9th P.H.*  
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*

*A. H. Homer*..... (Signature of Man).

*J. Coleman*..... (Signature of Witness).

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

I, *Archibald H. Homer*, 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.

*A. H. Homer*..... (Signature of Recruit)

Date..... *1 Sep*..... 1914.

*J. Coleman*..... (Signature of Witness)

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

I, *Archibald H. Homer*, 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.

*A. H. Homer*..... (Signature of Recruit)

Date..... *1 Sep*..... 1914.

*J. Coleman*..... (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 *Pathewis* this *3rd* day of *August* 1914.

*J. M. Stray*..... (Signature of Justice)

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

..... (Approving Officer)

Duplicate

875  
854

Description of Archibald H. Horner on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 35 years 4 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. 11 ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 41 ins.  
Range of expansion 2 ins.

Complexion Fresh

Eyes Blue

Hair Fair

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

Four scars on back of right hand

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 Feb 2 1914.  
Place Levin Camp

[Signature]  
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.

Archibald H. Horner 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.

[Signature] (Signature of Officer)

Date 1st Oct. 1914.

..... Lieut. Colonel.  
Comd'g. P. P. C. L. I.

1. NO.	2. RANK OR RATING	3. SURNAME	4. CHRISTIAN NAMES
	Lieutenant,	HORNER,	Archibald Herbert,
5. UNIT OR SHIP	6. DATE OF CASUALTY	7. H.Q. FILE NO.	8. RELIGION
Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry,	13-4-16.	649-H-838.	Church of England.
9. CIRCUMSTANCES OF CASUALTY		10. NAME, RELATIONSHIP AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN	
<p>"Killed in Action."</p> <p>While taking part in operations near Hooge he was hit in the head by a bullet that came through the parapet of the trench at 4.55 P.M., on the 13th of April, 1916, and died fifteen minutes later.</p>			
11. LOCATION OF UNIT AT TIME OF CASUALTY			
NOTE:—Items 12, 13 and 14 are not to be completed until grave is permanently located.			
12. CEMETERY	13. LOCATION OF CEMETERY	14. GRAVE LOCATION	15. REGISTERED NO. OF GRAVE
Menin Road South Military Cemetery,	Ypres, Belgium.	Grave..... Plot..... Row.....	
16. PHOTOGRAPH OF GRAVE TAKEN	17. EXPOSURE NO.	18. PHOTOGRAPH OF GRAVE AND CEMETERY SUPPLIED TO	
19. FURTHER PARTICULARS ON REVERSE SIDE OF SHEET.			

M. F. W. 2513  
 133m. 13-19  
 H. Q. 1772-39-1458  
 L. I. 74343-M. and D. 10603

MEB.

20. REPORTED LOCATIONS OF GRAVE. Menin Road South Military Cemetery, Sheet 28.I.9.d.2.4., Plot 1, Row J, Grave 25.

21. REMARKS.

- 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**

R. O. No. ....  
H. Q. No. ....

Name HORNER ARCHIBALD 854  
 Regt. No. \_\_\_\_\_ Rank Sergeant  
 Corps P.P. Co. 4th I.

*Killed in Action*  
*13. 6/6.*

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*11/20/17 3*  
*02/20/30 16-1*  
*10/20/37-1*  
*AFB 181-1*

MAY 1, 1917

4  
1-12  
1-12

LT

**I.D. number**  
**No. d'identification**

HORNER

**Surname**  
**Nom de famille**

ARCHIBALD H.

**Given names**  
**Prénoms**

K.I.A. 13/06/16

**PERSONNEL RECORDS CENTRE**  
**CENTRE DES DOCUMENTS DU**  
**PERSONNEL**

**Location**  
**Lieu**

4504

Horner. A. H.

Lieut. P.P.C.L.I.

No..2 Red Cross Hosp. Rouen.	15-11-15.
No. 9. Sta. Havre.	15-11-15.
To No. 11. Camp.	20-12-15.
Div. Rest Station. Mt. Noir.	8-2-16.
do.	28-2-16.

V.D.G.  
Influenza.

Dis. to duty:-. 12-2-16.  
do. 10-3-16.

**KILLED IN ACTION:-. 13-4-16.**

C.L. 20-11-15.	216.
27-12-15.	246.
6-3-16.	309.
10-3-16.	309.
22-3-16.	319-2.
29-3-16.	325-2.
18-4-16.	342.

A.M.D. 2 DEPT.

Beh. of D.G.M.S. O.M.F.C. London. P/R.

Surname

Christian Name or Names

Reg. No.

*Horner*

*A. H.*

*854*

Rank

Unit

Co.

Troop

Batty.

*Sgt*

*PPCLI*

Hospital

*#1, Sta Rauen*

Date of Admission

*5 . 3 . 15*

Transferred

*To England*

Hosp. *6 . 3 . 15*

*3rd West Gen Cardiff*

Hosp. *8 . 3 . 15*

Hosp.

Hosp.

Diagnosis

*Frostbite. Feet*

(1) Later Diagnosis (if changed)

*Sick*

(2)

(3)

Additional Diagnoses: If more than one state present

DISPOSITION

*Dis to final 20 . 3 . 15*

REMARKS

*R2 15 . 3 . 15 . 19*  
*12 . 3 . 15 . 15*  
*16 . 3 . 15 . 21*  
*29 . 7 . 15 . 146*

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

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



Number ..... Rank **LIEUT** B

Surname ..... **HORNER** X

Christian Names ..... **ARCHIBALD H.**

Unit, **PPCLI** ..... Theatre of War, **FRANCE**

Date of Service **22.9.14** **20.12.14** **13.4.16** D

Remarks .....

Latest Address ..... **Geoffrey St. J. Horner (B).**

Roll No. .... **Verdon Bt.**

Roll No. B

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Name Horner, A.H. Rank Lieut.

9-A-138.  
Reg. No.

Unit P.P.C.L.I.

Next of Kin E. Horner  
Pedmarsh, Bures, Suffolk.

Date	Movement	Place	Casualty	List No.	Notified N/K O.	W.O. List
15.11	2nd. Red X Hosp.	Rouen	V.D.G.			
	trs. to 9 Stat. Hos.	Havre ✓		216		
15 11	9 Stat. Hos.	✓ Havre	N.Y.D.SLT.	216		
20 12	do. Disch. to #11 Camp	✓ S.O.C.		246		
8 2	Des. Rest- Stat. Mt. noir		Influenza	305		
12 2	do. To duty			309		
28. 2	Officers Rest Sta. Mont Noir		Influenza.	319		
16. 3	Discharged to duty			325		
13. 4	Reptd from Base		<u>Killed in Action</u>	342		

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M 5336. 1974

SURNAME.

*Horner*

CARD NO.

*D*

CHRISTIAN NAMES

*Archibald Herbert*

FOLL.

REGL. NO.

~~*854*~~

RANK

*Pte Temp Lieut*

UNIT

*P.P.C. L. 9.*

FORMER CORPS

*73<sup>rd</sup> Coy P.A. (2 yrs)*

NEXT OF KIN.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS.

NAMES IN FULL

*Horner, E.*

RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER

*Not Stated*

ADDRESS

*Pebrmarsh, Bures, Suffolk, Eng.*

COUNTRY OF BIRTH

*England, Cheshunt, Herts*

DATE

*Mar. 5<sup>th</sup> 1879.*

PLACE OF ATTESTATION

*Port Lewis, P. L.*

DATE

*Aug. 31<sup>st</sup> 1914*

*0/54-10-14<sup>26</sup>/<sub>9</sub>*

From Quebec per

S.S. "Royal George" 4/10/14.

MARRIED

SINGLE

yes

WIDOWER

TRADE OR CALLING

Rancher

RELIGION

Church of England

DESCRIPTION.

APPARENT AGE

35

YEARS

4

MONTHS

HEIGHT

5

FEET

11

INCHES

CHEST MEASUREMENT

41

INCHES

EXPANSION

2

INCHES

COMPLEXION

Fresh

EYES

Blue

HAIR

Fair

DISTINGUISHING MARKS

Four scars on back of left hand.

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

PLACE

Lewis Camp. P.Q.

DATE

Sept 2<sup>nd</sup> 1914.

Present Address -

Not stated

5-6-15 (date of app. 31-5-15)

auth. for Prom. Pt 4 C. "25" Echelon. 12-6-15.

LIST No.

HOSPITAL

DATE OF  
ADMISSION

REMARKS

- |     |   |         |                     |
|-----|---|---------|---------------------|
| 19. | No. 11. St. George's Hosp. Rome.<br>Trans to England. | 6/3/15  | Heroin bite feet. ✓ |
| 21. | 3rd. W. Gen. Cardiff                                  | 8-3-15- | Sick ✓              |

NAME *Horner, Archibald Herbert*

REGT'L. No.

RANK AND CORPS *Lieut.**P. P. Co. L.I.*NO. *2135*

CABLE

No.

DATE

NATURE OF CASUALTY

FOLL.

*M. 5336. 17-4-16. Killed in action April 13 '16.**A. F. B. 2090A. Rouen 21-4-16 " " " " " "*

LIST No.	HOSPITAL	DATE OF ADMISSION	REMARKS
216	no. 2 Redcross, Rouen (200.19/11)	15-11-15	Trans to no. 9 Stat. Hosp, Havre - U.S.
216	no. 9 Stat., Havre	15-11-15	N. Y. d., slight.
246	Disch. to No. 11 Camp	20-12-15.	r. d. g.
305.	Div. Rest Stat. Mont Noir (U.S.)	8-2-16.	Influenza.
309 (1)	Officers Rest Stat. Mont Noir (U.S.)	12-2-16.	" ✓
319 (2)	Officers Rest Stat. Mont-Noir (U.S.)	28-2-16.	Influenza.
325 (2)	" " " " " (U.S.)	10-3-16.	" Disch. to duty.
342 (1)	Rep. from Base (Bel)		Killed in action. 13-4-16. ✓



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O.K. for Star. Lieut. P.P.C.L.I.

MEDALS &  
DECORATIONS

Geoffrey St. J. Horner (Brother)  
~~Vernon, B. C.~~  
natura.

PLAQUE &  
SCROLL

Edward Horner (Father)  
"Pebmarsh", Bures, Suffolk, Eng.

Serial No 782725

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MEMORIAL

Mrs. Blanche Mary Horner (Mother)

CROSS

"Pebmarsh", Bures, Suffolk, Eng.

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