Name: McTavish, Douglas Ashbourn

Rank: Pte

Service Number: 190093

Douglas Ashbourn McTavish was a preacher's son and a salesman from Muncey Ontario who attested in the 91st Btn at St Thomas Ontario on the 20th March 1916. On the 15th of July 1916 he was Taken on Strength the 12th Btn. For two weeks in August 1916 he was confined to barracks with mumps. In Dec 1916 he suffered from Pyrexia or fever of an unknown origin. He eventually died on the 5 Oct 1917 of pericarditis. He rests in Brookwood Military Cemetery England.

SERVICE RECORD

Date	Particulars Particulars
Card	190093, Pte, McTavish, Douglas Ashbourn, 2 nd Battalion Canadian Infantry, Theatre of War France, Date of Service 14 Oct 1916, NOK – Rev H. W. McTavish, Muncey PO, Middlesex Co ON
12 Sept 1896	Born Blenhiem Ontario
20 March	Salesman from Muncey Ontario attested 91 st Btn St Thomas ON, no
1916	previous military experience, 19 years of age, 5' 4 ¾ " 140 lbs, Dark
	complexion, grey eyes, brown hair, Methodist
23 Mar 1916	Attested in 91 st Btn at St Thomas Ontario
29 Jun 1916	Embarked SS Olympic from Halifax for England
5 July 1916	Disembarked at Liverpool England
6 Jul 1916	Arrived England Transferred to 13 th Btn at West Sandling Comp
15 July 1916 15 July 1916	Transferred to 12 th Btn at West Sandling Camp TOS 12 th Btn
9 Aug 1916	Moore Barracks Shorncliffe – mumps
25 Aug 1916	Discharged
25 Aug 1916	Returns to 12 th Btn
25 Sept 1916	Will made out to father
13 Oct 1916	SOS 12 th Btn to 2 nd Btn West Sandling
14 Oct 1916	TOS 2 nd Btn France
31 Oct1916	Joined 12 th Btn in the field
24 Nov 1916	No 1 Field Ambulance – scabies
29 Nov 1916	Casualty clearing station –scabies and paratyphoid.
20 Dec 1916	No 6 Convalescent Depot Etaples – PUO Pyrexia (fever of an
00 D 4040	unknown origin also known as trench fever)
23 Dec 1916	No. 5 Convalescent Depot Cayeux- Pyrexia
11 May 1917	Discharged
31 May 1917 22 Jun 1917	No 1. C Depot Boulogne – DAH No 3 Canadian General Hospital Boulogne – Pericarditis
27 Jun 1917	New End Military Hospital Hampstead England- Pericarditis
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28 Jun 1917	Seriously ill
27 July 1917	Much improved but condition still serious
4 Oct 1917	SOS Eastern Ontario Regimental Depot Seaford England having
	died.
5 Oct 1917	Died at Military Hospital Mile End cause not stated.
7 Oct 1917	Cause of death considered to be paracarditis, pleural Effusion,
	Convulsions and exhaustion
12 Jan 1922	Medal Card – Medals plaque and scroll to Father Rev H W
	McTavish, Memorial Cross to mother, not eligible for 1914-15 Star.

ATTESTATION PAPER

Folio.

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

1.	What is your surname?	McTavish.	
Ja	.What are your Christian names?	McTavish. Douglas Adhburn	
1 b	. What is your present address?	c/o Rev. H. W. McTavish. Muncey.	01
2.	In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?	Blenheim, Ont.	
3.	What is the name of your next-of kin?	Rev. H. W. McTavish,	
4.	What is the address of your next-of-kin?	Muncey. Ont. wy	4.
4a	. What is the relationship of your next-of-kin?.	Father.	•
5.	What is the date of your birth?	September 12, 1896,	
		Salesman.	
7.	Are you married?	No.	
8.	Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-		
	vaccinated and inoculated?	Yes.	
9.		No.	
1.	Do you understand the nature and terms of your engagement?	Yes.	
		Yes.	

I, Douglas A. McTavish , 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 I, Douglas A. McTavish discharged. (Signature of Recruit) March 20,1916 Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Douglas A. McTavish

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, I Douglas A. McTavish and of all the Generals and Officers set over me. So help me God

Date March 20, 1916, 191

(Signature of Recruit) 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 purished 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 St Thomas Ont this 23rd. day of March. 1916. (Signature of Justice) 91st Overseas Batttalion C.E.F.

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CERTIFICATE OF OFFICER COMMANDING UNIT.

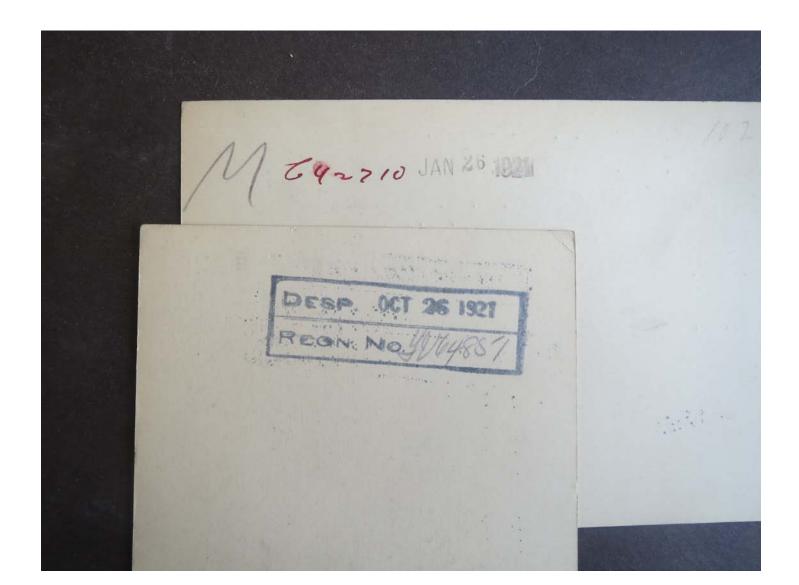
Douglas A. McTavich. having been finally approved and inspected by me this day, and his Name, Age, Date of Attestation, and every prescribed particular having been recorded, I certify that I am satisfied with the correctness of this Attestation.

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Date 23rd. March.

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2.	In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?	Blenheim, Ont.
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	vaccinated and inoculated ?	Yes,
9.	Do you now belong to the Active Militia?	No.
0.	Have you ever served in any Military Force? It 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.

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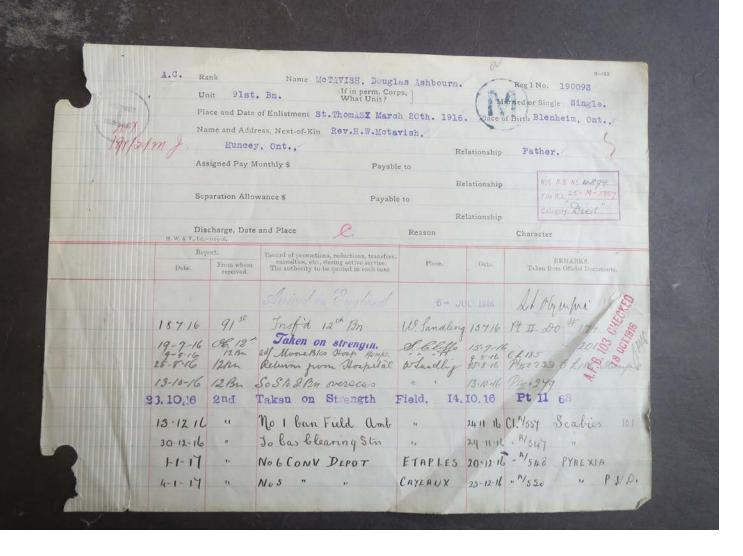
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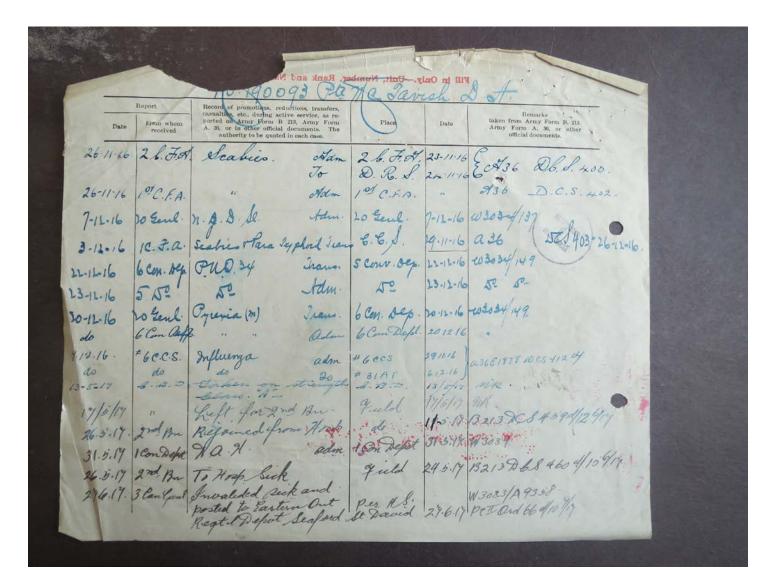
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