Wilson William Cuddy



Service Number: 7112

Rank: Lieutenant

Branch: 1st Battalion

Years Served: 1915 - 1916

Summary: William "Mack" McWilson Cuddy was a druggist from Strathroy Ontario. He was the son of Loftus and Betty Cuddy. He joined the 1st Battalion at Valcartier in Sept 1914. He was promoted Company Sergeant Major and then granted a commission in July 1916. He died of wounds received while bringing up ammunition at Givinchey on the 24th Sept 1916. Mack is buried at Warloy Baillon Communal Cemetery Extension France. His name also appears on the honour roll at St Andrews Presbyterian Church Strathroy. An extensive article was published about him in the Strathroy Age on the 28th of September 1916.

Name: Wilson William Cuddy

Birth Date: March 19, 1893

Relatives: Father - Loftus W. Cuddy. Mother - Betsy Cuddy

Address: Strathroy, ON

Attestation Date: September 22, 1914

Death Date: September 24, 1916

Burial Site: Warloy-Baillon Communal Cemetery Extension, France





Date	Particulars
22 Sept 1914	Card – Lieut Cuddy, Wilson William , Latest address- Mr Loftus W Cuddy Strathroy ON. Large "D" stamped on card Druggist from Strathroy ON joined 1 st Btn CEF at Valcartier, no previous military experience, Presbyterian, born 19 Mar 1893,
	Medical – 5' 11 ½ " 145 lbs, dark complexion, Brown eyes, black hair,
	clear medical
9 Feb 1915	Transferred to Infantry Base Depot Tidworth England
26 Apr 1915	Confirmed as CSM
26 Apr 1915	Embarked for France to 1 st Btn CEF Arrived in France
26 Apr 1915 22 Nov 1915	7 days leave
23 Jan 1916	To be CSM (Company Sergeant Major) 1 st Btn
13 July 1916	To RI on being granted a commission of Temporary Lieut.
19 July 1916	Temporary Lieut. Posted to 1 st Btn
24 Sept 1916	Died of wounds
21 Jun 1920	Medal Card – Cuddy, Wilson MacWilliam Lieut 1 st Btn
	Medals and Decorations - to Loftus W Cuddy Father, Strathroy Ont
	Plaque and Scroll – as above
	Memorial Cross – to mother Mrs Betsy Cuddy, Strathroy On
	Eligible for 1914-15 Star

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