

SHORT SERVICE.

(For the Duration of the War.)

ATTESTATION OF

No. 51695 Name Empedocles, Peter Corps East Lancashire Regt

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your Name? ... Peter Empedocles
2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? ... Ackema in or near the Town of Ackema in the County of Salonica
3. What is your full Address? ... 34 Academy Street, Salonika
4. Are you a British Subject? ... Yes
5. What is your Age? ... 18 Years
6. What is your Trade or Calling? ... Bank Clerk
7. Are you Married? ... No
8. Have you ever served in any branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military? ... No
9. Have you truly stated the whole, if any, of your previous service? ... Yes
10. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? ... Yes
11. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? ... Yes
12. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? ... Yes Name British Consul
13. Are you willing to serve upon the following conditions provided His Majesty should so long require your services?
For the duration of the War, at the end of which you will be discharged with all conveniences of speed. If employed with Hospitals, depots of Mounted Units, and as Clerks, etc., you may be retained after the termination of hostilities until your services can be spared, but such retention shall in no case exceed six months.

I, Peter Empedocles 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 made.

Peter J. Empedocles SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
C. J. Dudley Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Peter J. Empedocles swear by Almighty God, 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 the Generals and Officers set over me. So help me God.

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

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 Salonika on this 12th day of October 1918.

Signature of the Justice

† Certificate of Approving Officer.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the East Lancashire Regt if enlisted by special authority, Army Form B. 203 (or other authority for the enlistment) will be attached to the original attestation.

Date 14th October 1918.
A. A. Chibbar Assistant Adjutant General Approving Officer.

† The signature of the Approving Officer is to be affixed in the presence of the Recruit.

† If the Recruit has been previously enlisted, he must be asked the particulars of his former service, and to produce, if possible, his Certificate of Discharge and Certificate of Character. If he has been enlisted in the "Corps" for which the Recruit has been enlisted, he must also produce his Certificate of Discharge and Certificate of Character. If he has been enlisted in the "Corps" for which the Recruit has been enlisted, he must also produce his Certificate of Discharge and Certificate of Character.

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

Applicable to all ranks.
(To correspond with Entries on the Medical History Sheet.)

Name Limpedocles, Peter
 Apparent age 18 years 6 months. Height 5 feet 11 inches.
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 35 1/2 inches.
 Range of expansion 1 1/2 inches.
 Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next-of-kin Gregory Limpedocles, 34 Academy Street, Athens Relationship Father

Particulars as to Marriage.

(a) Christian and Surname of Woman to whom married, and whether spinster or widow. (b) Place and date of marriage.
 (c) Present address. (d) Signature of Officer verifying entry from Certificate.

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
		<u>Nil</u>	Verified from certificate

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth	(d)
	<u>Nil</u>	Verified from certificate

MILITARY HISTORY SHEET.

1. Passed classes of Instruction †							
† This includes any authorised class of instruction, e.g., in swimming, chiropody, &c.							
2. Campaigns ... (including Actions)							
3. Wounded ...							
4. Special instances of gallant conduct and mentions in public despatches							
5. Medals, decorations and annuities	<table border="1"> <tr> <th>Name of Medal</th> <th>Classe</th> </tr> <tr> <td>BRITISH WAR MEDAL.</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>VICTORY MEDAL.</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	Name of Medal	Classe	BRITISH WAR MEDAL.		VICTORY MEDAL.	
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6. Injuries in or by the service							

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1958/2 50,000 2/19

Local Disposal Army Form Z. 107.

If found in the United Kingdom, please drop this Certificate in a Post Office letter box.

NOTICE. This document is Government property. It is no security whatever for debt, and any Person being in possession of it, either as a pledge or security for debt, or without lawful authority or excuse, is liable under Section 156 (9) of the Army Act to a fine of twenty pounds (£20) or imprisonment for six months, or to both fine and imprisonment.

PROTECTION CERTIFICATE (SOLDIERS REPATRIATED OVERSEAS)

Date stamp of repatriation camp.

Name in full (surname first) **EMPEDOCLES**
(Block letters)

PETER

Regt. No. **51695**

Rank

A/Cpl

Record Office

Breston

Unit **01st Coy**

Regt. or

96th

Pay Office

Breston

Corps

† Address

34 Academy St

Athens

Signature of Soldier

P. Empedocles

The above-named soldier not remaining with the Colours is granted 28 days furlough from the conclusion of the standardized voyage period, as shown below.

Date of conclusion of standardized Voyage

Period

26 1 20

Born in the year

1900

Married or Single

Single

Specialist Military

Qualifications

Occupation in

Civil life

Bank Clerk

Direct Enlistment

Signature of Repatriation Camp Commandant.

* When a corps is composed of more than one part, the part to which the Unit belongs must be stated, i.e., R.E., 28th Field Coy., A.S.C., H.T., 288 Coy.

† As this address is that to which any communications, medals, etc., will be sent, any change thereof should be reported at once to the Record Office and Pay Office as noted above.

PROTECTION CERTIFICATE FOR REFUGEEES

Impediment

I do not intend to claim

passage to the United Kingdom from
the British Government.

P. Empedocles

5/1/95

9 E. Lane

DUPLICATE.

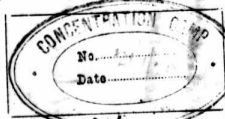
Army Form. Z. 10.

DISPERSAL CERTIFICATE (Soldier)

This portion to be given to the Soldier.

Surname (Block Letters)	EMPEDOCLES	Christian names (Block Letters)	PETER
Regt. No.	5695	Rank	2nd Lt
Record Office	Preston	No.	1
Pay Office	Preston	No.	2
Address for Pay	34 Academy St.		
	ATHENS		
Railway Stn. to which proceeding after dispersal	Crete		
*He is in possession of the following articles of equipment:			
Sword, scabbard, and scabbard			
Sword, scabbard, and scabbard			
Complete equipment according to unit			
Rifle, bayonet, and bayonet			
Steel helmet			
Great coat			
Box respirator			
Army Book 64			
I certify that I carry no ammunition, and I have statement of equipment in my possession. I also understand that if I lose any of the above articles I am liable to be charged.			
Signature of Soldier—			
Signed (Rank)			
Commanding			
Date			

Dispersal Unit stamp and date of dispersal



For Code Nos. only.

Dispersal Area No. Athens

The items below marked C to be added by the Unit

Theatre of War or Commanding Unit

Regt. Present 9th Inf Div C

or Corps Original 10th Inf Div C

Unit with which now serving 10th Inf Div C

Industrial Group No. 37 C

Reason for early release Direct Indictment

Born in the year (Year to be inserted in column for Code Nos.) 1900

Place of rejoining in case of emergency Athens

Trade or Calling Bank Clerk C

Medical Category A1

As far as can be ascertained he is for

Final Demobilization

Disembodiment

Transfer to Reserve

Service in Regular Army Single

Married or Single

Specialist Military Qualifications—

* The Officer Commanding will delete the items not in possession of the soldier and initial the deletion.
 † Where a Corps is composed of more than one part, the parts which the Unit belongs to must be stated, e.g. R.E. 23rd Field Co. R.E.
 ‡ The Officer Commanding will quote number only according to following list, and where there is more than one reason the first reason must be given: (1) Demobiliser (2) Pivotal man (3) Release slip (4) Priority group (5) Length of service (6) Prisoner of War (7) Other reasons.
 ‡ Headings not applicable.

I do not intend to claim passage to the United Kingdom
from the British Government. *Pumpstall*

51695

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Certified that the minimum scale of clothing
as laid down in Demobilization Orders
& Instructions No 126 is in possession.

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Lieut
for Major

Commanding Con *[redacted]* Co

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STATEMENT AS TO DISABILITY.

(This form is not applicable to Officers and Soldiers in Hospital or on leave therefrom who will be brought before a Medical Board.)

On Demobilization every Officer and Soldier, whether remaining with the Colours or not, will be given an opportunity of filling in this Form. Should he not wish to put forward any claim in respect of a Disability due to Military Service he must sign the Statement hereunder to this effect, in the presence of an Officer of the Unit with which he is serving, who will witness the Signature. Whether a Claim is made or not, this Form will be forwarded by the Unit Commander, in the case of every Officer, direct to the Secretary, War Office; and in the case of every Soldier, to the Record Office of his Unit.

Unit... 98th Lancers
 Regiment or Corps...
 Regtl. No. 51695 Rank 2nd Lt.
 Surname ENPEDOCLES
 (Block letters.)
 Christian Names in full PETER
 Permanent address 34 Academy St.
ATHENS
 Age last birthday 19
 First joined for duty (Date) 12. 10. 18 at (Place) Salamika
 Medical Category or Grade in which joined A1

If the Officer or Soldier has previously been discharged from the Army, Royal Navy or the Royal Air Force, he will state:—

- (a) Former Regiments or Corps with Regimental Numbers—
- (b) Dates of discharge—
- (c) Causes of discharge—
- (d) Particulars of Pension or Gratuity received (if any)—

TO BE CANCELLED
 IF A CLAIM IS MADE.

I do not claim to be suffering from a disability due to my military service.

Place of Examination Salamika
 Date 15 Jan. 1920
 Signature of Officer or Soldier P. Enpedocles
 Signature of Officer witnessing P. Enpedocles

Before the claimant answers questions 1—8 the following should be read by, or to, him:—
 "Your statement will be checked by Official Records. In answering question 2, any special matters which in your opinion caused or aggravated any unfitness from which you are suffering, must be clearly stated."

The claimant will answer the questions in his own words and after completing the form will sign it. The Officer will witness the signature. If the claimant cannot write, he will affix his mark, such as

THIS FORM IS NOT TO BE COMPLETED IF A CLAIM IS NOT MADE.

- (a) In what countries have you served during this war and for what periods?
 (b) In what capacity?
- If you are suffering from any disease, wound or injury, state what it is, the date upon which it started, and what in your opinion was the cause of it.
 (If more space is required a sheet of foolscap should be used and attached firmly to this form).
- Give the names of any Hospitals in which you have been treated for the above disabilities during this war.
- Did you suffer from the disease or injury mentioned in above answer to Question 2, or anything like it before joining the Army? If so, give details and dates.
- Give the names and addresses (if you know them) of any Hospitals you were in or

To be used (a) for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army, and (b) for men of the Territorial Force when they are admitted to Hospital.
Army Form B. 178A to be used for Special Reserve recruits and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname Impedocles Christian Name Seler

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish Athena County Greece

Examined ... on 12 day of Oct 1918,
at Macedonian Horse Corp.

Declared Age ... 18 years 6 months 0 days.

Trade or Occupation ... Bank Clerk

Height ... 5 feet 11 inches.

Weight ... 135 lbs.

Chest Measurement 35 1/2 inches.

Range of Expansion 1 1/2 inches.

Physical Development ... Good

Vaccination Marks (Arm ... Right Left)

Number

When Vaccinated ... 1916

Vision ... R.E.—V= /
L.E.—V= /

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease ... /

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection ... /

Approved by (Signature) A. J. Rae

(Rank) Capt. Rae Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... at Salamika

on 12 day of October 1918

Joined on Enlistment ... Corps. East Lancashire Regiment Regt. No. 51695

Transferred to ...

Became non-effective by

on ... day of ... 1918

(Signature)

(Rank)

STATEMENT of the SERVICES of No. 51695 Name *Empey, Peter*

Corps	Battn. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of Pension years days	Signature of Officer certifying correctness of Entries
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <i>12th October 1918</i>						<i>S. Johnson</i> Capt
Joined at <i>Salonica</i> on <i>12th October 1918</i>						
<i>1st Cavalry</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>Posted</i>	<i>Pte</i>	<i>12.10.18</i>		
<i>1st Cavalry</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>Attached</i>		<i>2-10-19</i>		
<p>Transferred to Class "2" Arm. Reserve on Demobilization. Date <i>2-3-20</i> Signature <i>[Signature]</i> Officer in Records Place <i>Boston</i> Home Address <i>St. Mary's St. Boston, Mass.</i></p> <p><i>From 1920</i> <i>to 21 1936</i> <i>1936 to 1940</i></p>						
Total Service forfeited as above						
Total Service towards Engagement to <i>21-3-20</i> (date of discharge)					years days	
Pension						



Recd to P.P. 10/2/20