

A#.....

Colored.
White.

JONES John P.

(Name, surname first)

(Number)

Oct. 26, 1912

525

126th Co. C. A. C.

Residence.....

Enlisted in R.A.....N.G.....E.R.C.....Inducted

Place.....

Date.....

Place of birth.....

Age or date of birth.....

Organizations.....

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US Enl. Br. (Ret.) 10/23/42 fmh

Overseas service: From.....To.....

Date of discharge.....

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA



STATE OF

CITY, TOWN, OR MILITARY POST

Missouri Jefferson Bks

SS:

John G. Jones

born in

Macdonia

the State of

Iowa

aged

nineteen

years and

nine

months, and by occupation a

Powder-maker

DO HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE

to have voluntarily enlisted this

Twenty-seventh

day of

October

1909

as a soldier in the ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, for the period of three years unless sooner discharged by proper authority: And do also agree to accept from the United States such bounty, pay, rations, and clothing as are or may be established by law. And I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the United States of America; that I will serve them honestly and faithfully against all their enemies whomsoever; and that I will obey the orders of the President of the United States, and the orders of the officers appointed over me, according to the Rules and Articles of War.

(See instruction 3.)

John G. Jones

[SEAL.]

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me this

27

day of

October

A. D. 1909

N. R. McNeill

Recruiting Officer.

I CERTIFY that I have carefully examined the above-named man agreeably to the General Regulations of the Army, and that, in my opinion, he is free from all bodily defects and mental infirmity which would, in any way, disqualify him from performing the duties of a soldier.

N. R. McNeill

Examining Officer.

I CERTIFY that I have minutely inspected the above-named man,

John G. Jones

previous to his enlistment, and that he was entirely sober when enlisted; that, to the best of my judgment and belief, he fulfills all legal requirements; and that I have accepted and enlisted him into the service of the United States under this contract of enlistment as duly qualified to perform the duties of an able-bodied soldier, and, in doing so, have strictly observed the regulations which govern the recruiting service. This soldier has

Blue # 8 eyes,

Black hair,

Fair

complexion, is

5

feet

6 1/4

inches high.

N. R. McNeill

[SEAL.]

RECRUITING OFFICER, U. S. A.

Recruiting Officer.

NOTE.—Indelible or permanent marks found upon the person: To wear scar 3/4 inch light eye. Aug 20 1909. Scar 1/4 x 1/8 on back of left portion of neck to anal cord. Scar 1/4 x 1/8 on back of left cheek

John P. Jones
Desch as agent

Oct 26, 1912
71 W. 1st St. Wash. D.C.

Per its
Chas. E.
Sexton & J.
K. A. Wolf

Recd

John P. Jones
(Name of soldier.)

enlisted at _____ on
the 27th day of October, 1909
by Lieut. H. L. McDiarmid
for 1st Lt. Co. 1st Artillery
(Arm of service or organization. See instruction 2.)

enlistment; last served in _____
Discharged _____, 1909

INSTRUCTIONS.

1. One enlistment paper only will be made in the case of a soldier enlisted or reenlisted for the Army. It will be forwarded directly to The Adjutant General of the Army, with the recruiting officer's trimonthly report. The enlistment paper of a noncommissioned staff officer serving at an ungarrisoned post will, however, be forwarded immediately through department headquarters.

2. The recruiting officer will enter in the appropriate space the arm of service or organization for which the soldier was enlisted, e. g., in cases of enlistments for staff corps, "Post Noncommissioned Staff," "Hospital Corps," "Signal Corps," "Ordnance Corps," or in cases of enlistments for general service, "Mounted Service, white," "Mounted Service, colored," "Foot Service, white," "Foot Service, colored," adding the more definite designation "Engineers," "Cavalry," "Field Artillery," "Coast Artillery," or "Infantry," as the case may be.

3. The correct name of the recruit will be ascertained. The Christian name will not be abbreviated, but if it consists of more than one name, only the first will be written and signed in full. Great care will be exercised that the name is correctly written and signed wherever it appears on the enlistment paper.

4. In cases of reenlistment, i. e., enlistment within three months from date of last discharge from the Army, the prefix "re" will be added to the word "enlisted" where it occurs and the enlistment paper completed in other respects as in the case of a first enlistment. If an applicant for reenlistment is a married man the declaration of applicant will be amended by lining out the words "I have neither wife nor child" and adding on the blank lines following the declaration a note showing the conjugal condition of the applicant, and number of children, if any.

Assigned to _____
of _____, U. S. A.

DECLARATION OF APPLICANT.

I, John P. Jones
(See instruction 3.)

desiring to enlist in the Army of the United States for the term of three years, do declare that I have neither wife nor child; that I am of the legal age to enlist, and believe myself to be physically qualified to perform the duties of an able-bodied soldier; and I do further declare that I am of good habits and character in all respects and have never been discharged from the United States service (Army or Navy) or any other service on account of disability or through sentence of either a civil or military court, nor discharged from any service, civil or military, except with good character, and for the reasons given by me to the recruiting officer prior to this enlistment.*

and that I am a citizen of the United States

Given at JERICHO, MISSISSIPPI, MS.
this 27th day of October, 1909
John P. Jones

Witness:
Paul F. Murrain, Surg. M.C.
U.S.A.

* Here add, in case of an applicant for first enlistment: And that I am, or have made legal declaration of my intention to become, a citizen of the United States.

Residence of applicant: _____
Macedonia, Iowa

Name and address (street and house number, if any) of person to be notified in case of emergency, giving degree of relationship, if friend, so state:

Mother: Amelia Jones
St. Bernice, Ill.
No street or house number

CONSENT IN CASE OF MINOR.

(See A. R. 859.)

I, Amelia Jones
do certify that I am the Mother
of John P. Jones; that the
said John P. Jones is
19 1/2 years of age; and I do hereby freely give
my consent to his enlisting as a soldier in the Army of
the United States for the period of three years.
Given at Clinton, Indiana
this 5th day of October, 1909
Amelia Jones

Witness: Frank Campbell

This applicant was accepted for enlistment on the
25th day of October, 1909 by
Lieut. John M. Craig
at Perre Laute, Ind.
H. L. McDiarmid
1st LIEUT. MED. DEPT. U. S. A.
Recruiting Officer.

RECEIVED
NOV 3 1909
OFFICE

F.S.W. Coast Artillery

DESCRIPTIVE AND ASSIGNMENT CARD OF

126

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John P. Jones

Residence: Macedonia, Iowa

Name and address (street and house number, if any) of person to be notified in case of emergency, giving degree of relationship; if friend, so state:

Mother, Amelia Jones, St Bernice, Illinois

Accepted for enlistment in F.S.W.C.A.C. (Arm of service or organization.)

on the 25th day of October, 1909, at TERRE HAUTE, IND. and forwarded this date to Jefferson Barracks, Mo.

John M. Craig, 1st Lieut. 20th Infantry, Recruiting Officer.

(Station.) Oct 26th, 1909

Received at Jefferson Barracks, Mo. OCT 27 1909 (Depot.) (Date.)

Born in Macedonia, Iowa (Town or city.) (State or country.)

Age 19-9 years; occupation Powder-maker

Eyes Blue #8; hair L. Brown

Complexion Fair; height 5 feet 6 1/4 inches.

Married or single: Single

Indelible or permanent marks as shown on enlistment paper: Linear scar

3/4 over right eye. Irr. scar 1/4 x 1/8 on back of left portion of neck. Linear scar 2" on left cheek.

Identification Record MADE (See G. O. 68, War Department, 1906.)

Enlisted Oct 27th, 1909, at Jeff. Bks. Mo.

by Lt. N.L. McDiarmid for 3 years.

Last discharged, 190, from

with character

Enlistment period: Now serving in First, enlistment period.

Qualified as, 190

Vaccinated Oct 26th, 1909; result Unsuccessful

Revaccinated DEC 15 1909

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS.

Money value of clothing drawn since enlistment: \$ 41.39

Due United States: Laundry work \$ 1 cup 94

Due Post Exchange, Jefferson Barracks, Mo. None

Last paid by CAPTAIN MORTON to Nov 30, 1909

Remarks: 3 lbs under weight (121)
Waived per Tel. A. G. O. Oct. 25th, 1909
"Recruit Kit" issued per paragraph 1285, A. R.

CHARACTER: VERY GOOD No unauthorized absence

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
RECEIVED
JAN 5 1910

I CERTIFY that the statements set forth on this card are correct, as shown by the records, that the soldier has been minutely examined, and that he has been forwarded this date to C. A. C. Ft. Worden, Wash. per Inst. A. G. O. Wash. D. C. Dec. 11, 1909.

Chas. J. ...
Capt. 12th Cav. Adjutant.

Jefferson Bks., Mo. (Station.)
Dec. 16, 1909

The soldier has been received this date and assigned to 126th Company, C. A. C.

A. W. ...
Colonel, C. A. C. Commanding.

Ft. Worden, Wash. (Station.)
Dec. 21, 1909, 1909

INSTRUCTIONS.

1. One of these cards will be prepared in the case of every accepted applicant for enlistment or reenlistment in the Army. Its preparation will be begun when the applicant is accepted and will be continued by the proper officers at the various depots or posts to which the man is sent. After completion, the post commander will furnish a copy of the card to the commanding officer of the organization to which the soldier is assigned and will forward the original directly to The Adjutant General of the Army without delay. In case of an applicant who is not enlisted, the incomplete card will be retained at the depot.
2. When men are sent from depots to posts for assignment, the cards will be given to the officer assigned to the command of the detachment, or, if no officer be so assigned, the cards will be sent by mail.
3. Men who fail to report at a post for assignment within ten days after the receipt thereof of their descriptive and assignment cards, and whose absence has not been accounted for, will be assigned to an organization serving at the post and reported on the records of said organization as "Never joined, deserted en route from -----" as of the date they were forwarded therefrom.
4. Under no circumstances will slips of paper be pasted or attached to the descriptive and assignment card except as provided by paragraph 1552, A. R.

