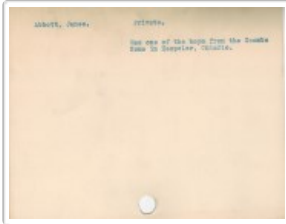


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Abbott, James

<https://makinghistory.kpl.org/en/permalink/descriptions6580>

Part Of: Soldier Information Cards - World War One

Description Level: Item

Accession Number: WW1_A_004

Material Details: Cards

Physical Description: 5.5 cm (W) X 8.9 cm (H)
6.2 cm (W) X 10.1 cm (H) with mat/border

Language: English

Date Range: 1919-1921

Citation: Kitchener Public Library - Soldier Information Card Collection - World War One

Scope and Content:

A white index card containing the name, rank and military history of a soldier of Waterloo County.

Storage Location: SIC WW1 Box 1

Name Access: **Abbott, James**

Subject Access: **Military life**
Soldiers

World War One, 1914-1918

Canadian Army Medical Corps

Place: Arrondissement du Havre, Haute-Normandie, France [Place of military service]

Hespeler, Ontario, Canada [Residence]

Strathroy, Ontario, Canada [Residence and burial place]

Ceatharlach, Carlow, Ireland [Birthplace]

Geographic Access: Arrondissement du Havre, Haute-Normandie, France

Hespeler, Ontario

Strathroy, Ontario

Ceatharlach, Carlow, Ireland

Notes: Private James Abbott, Service No. 528517

Born in Carlow Ireland, James later resided at the Coombe Home in Hespeler, Ontario. He was a 22 year old student in Strathroy when he enlisted with the Number 2 Field Artillery Depot on 19 Jan 1916 at London Ontario. His next of kin was shown as Mrs. Emily Shepherd, sister, 56 Scollard Street, Toronto, ON on his attestation paper.

He served in the Canadian Army Medical Corps at the CAMC Hospital at Havre, France. There, he became ill and was invalided to England with appendicitis. He returned to Canada and was discharged on 15 May 1919. James died on 26 May 1922 at the Byron Sanitarium. His death was attributed to a 'lingering illness' from the war. He is buried in the Strathroy Cemetery.

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Collection: Soldier Information Cards - World War One

Transcription:

Abbott, James

Private

Was one of the boys from the Coombe Home in Hespeler, Ontario.

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Anderson, N.

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Description Level: Item

Soldier First Name: N.

Soldier Last Name: **Anderson**
Rank: Lance Corporal
Regiment: **24th Field Ambulance, Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps**
Accession Number: WW2_A_043
Material Details: **Cards**
Physical Description: 11 cm (W) X 6.8 cm (H)
12.4 cm (W) X 8.3 cm (H) with mat/border
Language: English
Date Range: 1939 - 1946
Scope and Content:
A black index card containing the name, rank, and military history of a soldier of Waterloo County. Card also includes a photograph.
Name Access: **Anderson, N.**
Subject Access: **Military life**
Soldiers
World War 1939-1945
24th Field Ambulance, Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps
Place: n/a
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Anderson, T.R. "Shorty"



<https://makinghistory.kpl.org/en/permalink/descriptions1506>

Description Level: Item

Soldier First Name: T.R. "Shorty"

Soldier Last Name: Anderson

Rank: Corporal

Regiment: 24th Field Ambulance, Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps

Accession Number: WW2_A_046

Material Details: Cards

Physical Description: 11 cm (W) X 6.8 cm (H)
12.4 cm (W) X 8.3 cm (H) with mat/border

Language: English

Date Range: 1939 - 1946

Scope and Content:
A black index card containing the name, rank, and military history of a soldier of Waterloo County. Card also includes a photograph.

Name Access: Anderson, T.R. "Shorty"

Subject Access: Military life
Soldiers
World War 1939-1945
24th Field Ambulance, Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps

Place: Donegal [Hometown]
Galt [Residence]

Geographic Access: Donegal, Ireland
Galt, Ontario

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Source Organization: Kitchener Public Library

Collection: Soldier Information Cards - World War Two

Transcription:

Anderson, T.R.

See also Aksim, Victor E.

[clipping] 5 Oct 1940

T.R. Anderson

[image]

Corporal T.R. (Shorty) Anderson enlisted on July 25, 1940, with the 24th Field Ambulance, R.C.A.M.C. Before going on active service he was a baker at Polly Perkins. Cpl. Anderson was born at Donegal, Ont., and he received his schooling in Atwood. He is stationed at Listowel, Bennett Barracks, where he is the first cook in the Officers' Mess. Cpl. Anderson lived in Galt a couple of years and is well known in Preston. He goes by the nickname of "Shorty." His wife and four daughters are living at 19 Kerr street.


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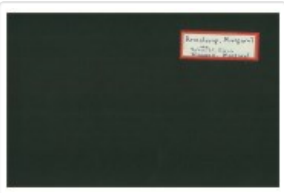
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Armstrong, Margaret

<https://makinghistory.kpl.org/en/permalink/descriptions1521>

Description Level: Item
Soldier First Name: Margaret
Soldier Last Name: **Armstrong**
Rank: Lieutenant (Nursing Sister)
Regiment: Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps
Accession Number: WW2_A_061
Material Details: Cards
Physical Description: 11 cm (W) X 6.8 cm (H)
12.4 cm (W) X 8.3 cm (H) with mat/border
Language: English
Date Range: 1939 - 1946

Scope and Content:

A black index card containing the name, rank, and military history of a soldier of Waterloo County. Card also includes a photograph.

- Name Access: **Armstrong, Margaret**
- Subject Access: **Military life**
Soldiers
World War 1939-1945
Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps
- Place: **Kitchener**
- Geographic Access: **Kitchener, Ontario**
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Ashcroft, William

<https://makinghistory.kpl.org/en/permalink/descriptions1532>

- Description Level: **Item**
- Soldier First Name: **William**
- Soldier Last Name: **Ashcroft**
- Rank: **Private**
- Regiment: **7th Field Ambulance, Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps**
- Accession Number: **WW2_A_072**
- Material Details: **Cards**

Physical Description: 11 cm (W) X 6.8 cm (H)
12.4 cm (W) X 8.3 cm (H) with mat/border

Language: English

Date Range: 1939 - 1946

Scope and Content:
A black index card containing the name, rank, and military history of a soldier of Waterloo County. Card also includes a photograph.

Name Access: Ashcroft, William

Subject Access: Military life
Soldiers
World War 1939-1945
7th Field Ambulance, Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps

Place: Kitchener [Residence]

Geographic Access: Kitchener, Ontario

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Source Organization: Kitchener Public Library

Collection: Soldier Information Cards - World War Two

Transcription:
Ashcroft, William

[clipping] 12 October 1944

PTE. WILLIAM ASHCROFT

Pte. Ashcroft suffered a triple fracture of the jaw when he was hit by a sniper in Italy on Sept. 18. He is recovering in a hospital somewhere in Italy. Born in Guelph, Pte. Ashcroft attended school in the city, and is well known here.

His brother, Pte. Jack, also in the Canadian Army, was born in Kitchener. Their father, Pte. Arthur Ashcroft, is stationed at Kingston with the Ordnance Corps.

Pte. William Ashcroft enlisted with the 7th Field Ambulance early in 1941, and went overseas the latter part of that year, transferring to the 48th Highlanders, with whom he was fighting when he was wounded.

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Baines, Albert Edward

<https://makinghistory.kpl.org/en/permalink/descriptions6692>

Part Of: Soldier Information Cards - World War One

Description Level: Item

Accession Number: WW1_B_021

Material Details: Cards

Physical Description: 20.6 cm (W) X 15.5 cm (H)
30.7 cm (W) X 25.5 cm (H) with mat/border

Language: English

Date Range: 1919-1921

Citation: Kitchener Public Library - Soldier Information Card Collection - World War One

Scope and Content:

A white index card containing the name, rank and military history of a soldier of Waterloo County. The card also bears a red slash.

Storage Location: SIC WW1 Box 1

Name Access: Baines, Albert Edward

Williams, Lillian

Niebel, Teddy

Subject Access: Military life

Soldiers

World War One, 1914-1918

Canadian Army Medical Corps

111th Battalion

5th Reserve Battalion

Place: Galt, Ontario, Canada [Place of residence]

City of Peterborough, England, United Kingdom [Place of residence]

Geographic Access: Galt, Ontario

Peterborough, England

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Source Organization: Kitchener Public Library

Collection: Soldier Information Cards - World War One

Transcription:

Baines, Albert Edward

Private.

Enlisted March 29, 1917 with 111th Battalion. Transferred to Canadian Army Medical Corps and 5th Reserve Battalion.

Presbyterian.

Born April 19, 1892 and educated at Peterborough, England. Married Lillian Williams on June 3, 1914 and has one child.

Discharged November 11, 1918 and lives at 18 Richardson St., Galt, Ontario.

He went overseas September 22, 1916. He was on draft to go to France but had to go to the hospital from February 1, 1918 to October 22, 1918 when he was invalided back to Canada.

Since his return he lives at 18 Richardson St., Galt.

Teddy Niebel, 12 Richardson St., Galt.

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Ball, Ernest W.

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Description Level: Item



Soldier First Name: Ernest W.
Soldier Last Name: Ball
Rank: Private
Regiment: 24th Field Ambulance, Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps
Accession Number: WW2_B_044
Material Details: Cards
Physical Description: 11 cm (W) X 6.8 cm (H)
12.4 cm (W) X 8.3 cm (H) with mat/border
Language: English
Date Range: 1939 - 1946
Scope and Content:

A black index card containing the name, rank, and military history of a soldier of Waterloo County. Card also includes a photograph.

Name Access: Ball, Ernest W.
Subject Access: Military life
Soldiers
World War 1939-1945
24th Field Ambulance, Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps
Place: Kitchener [Residence]
Geographic Access: Kitchener, Ontario
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Transcription:

Ball, E.W.

[photograph]

[KDRIS]

[N] E.W. Ball

[HA] 162 Cedar St. South Kitchener

[CO] Farming

[PB] London England

[FME] None

[PR] Private

[DE] 23rd July 1940

[UE] 24th Fld. Amb.

[MS] Married


[S] Ernest William Bell

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Ballingaill, Peter

<https://makinghistory.kpl.org/en/permalink/descriptions1629>

Description Level: Item
Soldier First Name: Peter
Soldier Last Name: Ballingaill
Rank: Private
Regiment: 24th Field Ambulance, Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps
Accession Number: WW2_B_054
Material Details: Cards
Physical Description: 11 cm (W) X 6.8 cm (H)
12.4 cm (W) X 8.3 cm (H) with mat/border
Language: English
Date Range: 1939 - 1946
Scope and Content:

A black index card containing the name, rank, and military history of a soldier of Waterloo County. Card also includes a photograph.

Name Access: Ballingaill, Peter
Subject Access: Military life
Soldiers
World War 1939-1945
24th Field Ambulance, Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps
Place: Kitchener [Residence]
Geographic Access: Kitchener, Ontario
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Collection: Soldier Information Cards - World War Two

Transcription:

Ballingaill, Peter

(Photograph)

(KDRIS)

(N) Peter Ballingaill

(HA) 60 Scott St.

(CO) Labour

(PB) Ireland

(FME) None

(PR) Pte.

(DE) July 18/40

(UE) 24th Fld Amb.

(MS) Married

(S) Peter Ballingaill

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Barker, Earl

<https://makinghistory.kpl.org/en/permalink/descriptions1979>

Description Level: Item

Soldier First Name: Earl

Soldier Last Name: **Barker**

Rank: Acting Sergeant

Regiment: 11th Field Ambulance, Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps

Accession Number: WW2_B_007_D1

WW2_B_007_D2

Material Details: **Cards**

Physical Description: 11 cm (W) X 6.8 cm (H)
12.4 cm (W) X 8.3 cm (H) with mat/border

Language: English

Date Range: 1939 - 1946

Scope and Content:
A black index card containing the name, rank, and military history of a soldier of Waterloo County. Card also includes a photograph.

Name Access: **Barker, Earl**

Subject Access: **Military life**
Soldiers
World War 1939-1945
11th Field Ambulance, Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps

Place: Kitchener

Geographic Access: **Kitchener, Ontario**

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Barker, Gus

<https://makinghistory.kpl.org/en/permalink/descriptions1642>

Description Level: Item

Soldier First Name: Gus

Soldier Last Name: **Barker**
Rank: Sergeant
Regiment: 11th Field Ambulance, Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps
Accession Number: WW2_B_067
Material Details: **Cards**
Physical Description: 11 cm (W) X 6.8 cm (H)
12.4 cm (W) X 8.3 cm (H) with mat/border
Language: English
Date Range: 1939 - 1946
Scope and Content:
A black index card containing the name, rank, and military history of a soldier of Waterloo County. Card also includes a photograph.
Name Access: **Barker, Gus**
Subject Access: **Military life**
Soldiers
World War 1939-1945
11th Field Ambulance, Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps
Place: Kitchener [Residence]
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