



Norwich University

Record of Service

World War, 1917-1919

Compiled for the archives of the Librarian of Norwich University as a permanent record of Norwich Men in the World War

(Write plainly, use typewriter if possible)

Name in full. Julius Hubbell Pierce Class 1920
First Middle Last

Rank Quartermaster 1st class (Use highest rank attained during the war)

Present address 141 Lake Ave, Bristol Conn
Number Street Town or City State

Permanent address if different from present

Place of birth Bristol Conn Date of birth Feb 27, 1900

PRIOR SERVICE

Use this space to state fully any service in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Phillipine Scouts, including National Guard and Reserve Service prior to April 6, 1917 This to include service as a cadet at Norwich. Give dates or enlistment and commissions, organizations served with and promotions. Where dates are approximate, so state.

None

(If more space is needed use extra sheet, headed prior Service- cont. Do likewise on subsequent paragraphs where necessary)

INITIAL STATUS IN WORLD WAR

Men who were in the Service at the entry of the United States into the World War give rank and assignment as of April 6, 1917

Rank Apprentice Seaman Assignment None

Men who entered the service after April 6, 1917, use the following space.

Entered the service on Nov 1917 at Burlington VT

as a Apprentice Seaman in Navy
Rank Organization

What Town or City and State claim your service? Bristol Conn

No. Name Do not write on this line. For office record only

SERVICE IN THE UNITED STATES PRIOR TO DEPARTURE FOR OVERSEAS

Use this space to state in chronological order all changes of organization, station, promotions, and special capacity in which you may have served.

Receiving ship at N. Y. as seaman second class, transferred to Armed Guard Barracks at Brooklyn back to R. S. at N. Y. drafted for service aboard R. M. P. Canopic

FOREIGN SERVICE

Sailed from the United States Jan 1918 from (Port) N. Y. on (Boat) R. M. S. Canopic in (Organization) Navy draft and arrived at (Port) Gibraltar on Feb 1918

State fully your foreign service, in chronological order, giving all changes of organization, station, promotions, and special details or assignments or capacity in which you may have served while overseas.

U.S.S. Sacramento, U.S.S. Marcella on convoy duty in Mediterranean and station ship in Azores promoted to first class seaman signalman. July 1918 transferred to U.S.S. C. 206 on patrol duty in English Channel and afterwards in Irish Sea and in Jan 1919 assigned to Minesweeping Detach at Inverness Scotland. Promoted to P. M. 3rd class and P. M. 2nd class. July 1919 transferred to U.S. Mines

RETURN FROM FOREIGN SERVICE

Left for the United States Aug 1919 from (Port) Liverpool on (Boat) Plattsburg and arrived at (Port) N. Y. on Sept 1919 and was sent to Camp

for discharge. (If still in service see below). If sent to a hospital give brief account here as detailed account appear under "Casualties" or "Sickness."

DISCHARGED

Date of discharge Sept 1919 at N. Y. as a Quartermaster 2c Rank Branch of service Navy Organization

SERVICE SINCE THE WAR

If still in the service as a member of the Regular Military Establishment, National Guard, or Reserve, use this space to bring your service record up to date

BATTLES

Give battles and engagements, including defensive sectors, in which you participated giving inclusive dates so far as possible.

CASUALTIES

Give nature, date, and engagement in which all wounds were received, hospitals to which you were sent, and date and name of hospital from which you were discharged after recovery (If not wounded make statement to that effect.

SICKNESS

If in hospital at any time for any cause other than wounds, give nature of illness, names of hospitals, and date of entering and discharge after recovery

PERMANENT OR PARTIAL DISABILITY

If you are suffering from disability as a result of your service, state nature and cause of same.

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DECORATIONS AND CITATIONS

If you have received AT ANY TIME any decorations from the United States or a foreign government, give name of decoration, date received, and date and source of order awarding same. Give also a copy of the citation accompanying the award.

If cited in orders at any time, give same information as called for under "decorations."

DEATHS

In case the soldier died or was killed in the service, or has died since, the nearest relative should fill out this record and sign his or her name at the end of this questionnaire.

Date of death Rank Organization

Cause of death Place of death

Action in which wounds were received if they caused death

Place of burial

PHOTOGRAPH

Have you sent a wartime photograph of yourself to the University?

Are you forwarding one? If not, when will it be sent?

FAMILY HISTORY

Father's full name D. Edward Pierce

Mother's maiden name Josephine Gilman

Wife's maiden name

Children's names and ages

If you were in civilian life after your college course and prior to the war use this space to record, in chronological order your civilian activities. Be sure to show the position you left in civil life to enter the service. Note any positions you have held in public life or important projects that you have been connected with.

If in civilian life since leaving the service, use this space to record, in chronological order your civilian activities since the war

Mass Inst. of Technology class of 1923
since then in business with father

Place Bristol Conn Date Dec 20, 1924
Signature J. H. Pierce

If in military service show present rank and organization. If a relative show relationship.