

Everett Dick U.S. Marine Corp Uniform (Artifact 117)

Artifact

This World War I era United States Marine Corp uniform was worn by Everett Dick who dropped out of academy to volunteer with the Marine Corp during World War I. Dick later continued his education eventually earning a doctorate in History and served as a professor of History at Union College for many years. As a result of his experiences as a Seventh-day Adventist in the military during World War I, in 1933 Dick proposed that the Seventh-day Adventist denomination begin a medical training course which would prepare young men for military service as non-combatants. The program became known as the Medical Cadet Corp and Dick was instrumental in its implementation and administration for more than 25 years.

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Provenance

This coat was given to Union College Library by the Dick family as part of Everett Dick's personal manuscript collection in 1989.

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