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Description of James Simons on Enlistment.

Apparent Age.....31 years.....8 months.
(To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)

Distinctive marks, and marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease.

(Should the Medical Officer be of opinion that the recruit has served before, he will, unless the man acknowledges to any previous service, attach a slip to that effect, for the information of the Approving Officer).

Height.....5 ft. 5½ ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded.....34 ins.
Range of expansion.....4 ins.

Complexion.....Light

Eyes.....Gray

Hair.....Dark Brown

Religious denominations { Church of England.....
Presbyterian.....
Methodist.....
Baptist or Congregationalist.....
Roman Catholic.....
Jewish.....Yes
Other denominations.....
(Denomination to be stated.)

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

I have examined the above-named Recruit and find that he does not present any of the causes of rejection specified in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.

He can see at the required distance with either eye; his heart and lungs are healthy; he has the free use of his joints and limbs, and he declares that he is not subject to fits of any description.

I consider him*.....Fit for the Canadian Over-Seas Expeditionary Force.

Date.....~~xxxx~~ April 1st 191 6

Place.....Windsor, Ontario

W. J. Beasley
Wm. Smith
Medical Officer.

*Insert here "fit" or "unfit."

NOTE.—Should the Medical Officer consider the Recruit unfit, he will fill in the foregoing Certificate only in the case of those who have been attested, and will briefly state below the cause of unfitness:—

CERTIFICATE OF OFFICER COMMANDING UNIT.

.....James Simons.....having been finally approved and inspected by me this day, and his Name, Age, Date of Attestation, and every prescribed particular having been recorded.

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