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No. 1518
Year 1904

Simons, James

Prior service: Enl.

INCLOSURES, VIZ:

Enlistment papers

Descriptive and assignment cards

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R. & P. No.

NOTE.—The next preceding jacket and enlistment in the file is:

[Pencil notation only.]

No. 343

Year 04

REGISTER OF ENLISTMENTS

UNITED STATES ARMY.

1904		ENLISTED.		WHERE BORN.		AGE.		OCCUPATION.		DESCRIPTION.		
NAME.	WHERE.	BY WHOM.	PATRON.	TOWN OR COUNTY.	STATE.	AGE.	SEX.	HAIR.	COMPLEXION.	HEIGHT.	WEIGHT.	
May, f.	New York, N.Y.	Mc Kibby, sgt.	Mc Kibby	New York, n.y.		31	Soldier	Blue	44 Bro. Pass	5'2		

Coast Art. 193. 24747 3-27-07 40116 May 6-07 at 201 Second Avenue, New York, New York. *Robert B. Chambers*

Smalley, John	5. June	1. Houston, Tex. lot. Henrich	Connville, Ky.	20	farmer	blue	12	d. b. s. muddy	5
Stile, Bert M.	1		Coffeyville, Kans.	22	laborer	"	12		5
Spiering, Richard G.		1. Omaha, Neb. Cap. Willard	Dabs(Bunnen, Germany	22	laborer	blue	12	b. fair	5
Spencer, Charles C.	1	Springfield, Ill. Sargent	De Kato, Ill.	21	farmer	"	12	muddy	6
Spring, Martin E.	1	Boston, Mass. May Miller	Liffey, Ireland	22	Blacksmith	"	12		4
Stegall, Otto	1	New York, N.Y. Hickey	St. Gallen, Switzerland	20	porter	blue	12	d. dark	5
Stegall, Wootie	1	Columbus, O. Hearn	Aberdeen, Miss.	21	soldier	blue	12	"	5
Shanahan, Philip	1	Dover, N.H. St. Harrison	Boston, Mass.	28	machinist	"	12	muddy	10
Smith, Jeff W.	1	Columbus, Ga. Cap. George	Gerard, Ala.	22	weaver	blue	12	d. dark	5
Smith, Sydney G.	1	H. Hayes, Inv. May, Crowley	H. Hayes, Inv.	24	laborer	blue	12	muddy	5
Smith, George S.	1	" "	Omaha, Neb.	22	"	"	12		4
Sternberg, George L.	1	Muncie, " "	Storm Lake, Iowa	21	farmer	"	12	fair	10
Swinson, James	1	" "	Humboldt, Kans.	26	"	bs.	12	muddy	4
Strohner, Frank G.	1	H. Hayes.	Cleveland, Ohio	21	tinner	blue	12		4
Troyer, Otto	2	H. Joseph, W. Cap. Heddman	Soldier, Hon.	21	farmer	"	12		4
Smith, Lee Roy	2	Portland, Oly. Stewart	Todd, Co., Mich.	25	laborer	"	12	fair	4
Sanders, John	2	Dallas, Tex. Clementy	Hamburg, Germany	24	tailor	blue	12	black dark	4
Stephens, Charles F.	2	Borgia, Ill. Sargent	Verona, Ill.	25	moulder	blue	12	b. bs. reddish	4
Tabath, Gottlieb	2	H. Aspinwall	Bulindorf, Switzerland	21	carpenter	blue	12	fair	4
Smith, Shady O.	2	Birmingham, Eng.	Laurensburg, N.C.	21	miner	"	12	muddy	4
Stephens, Henry O.	2	H. Caswell, N.C. St. James	Keene, N.H.	21	baker	blue	12	fair	4
Stephens, John	2	Cincinnati, O. May, Ryan	Concord, N.H.	21	machinist	blue	12	dark	4

Note.—Indelible or permanent marks found upon the person of a Recruit will be here noted: *P.M. 1. neck front. P.M. 1. breast. S. down everywhere.*
S. n. wrist, front. S. n. knee. S. n. elbow. S. l. chin. S. l. cheek. S. back n. neck. S. middle back. S. below. S. r. n. back. S. back n. thumb. S. back n. little finger. S. back n. under finger. S. back n. thigh. S. back n. leg. S. l. l. over. S. middle leg.

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA



STATE OF Indiana }
CITY OR TOWN OF Franklin } ss

I, James Dimond, born in Humboldt, in
the State of Puerto Rico, aged Twenty six years and Two
months, and by occupation a Garrison, **DO HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE**
to have voluntarily enlisted this First day of June, 1900
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**, and 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.

* James Siggins [SEAL.]

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me this 1st day of June, A. D. 1904.

100, A. D. 100
Jonas H. Emery,
Major 3rd Inf^{antry},
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.

Herbert D Fair,
Civilian Surgeon,
Examining Officer.

I CERTIFY that I have minutely inspected the above-named man, James Stevens, previous to his ~~enlistment~~ 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 Brown ^{1/2} eyes, D.Brown hair, Ruddy complexion, is 5 feet 7 1/4 inches high.

Jonas A. Emery, [SEAL.]
Major 27th Inf. ^{Infantry}
Recruiting Officer.

(A. G. O., No. 11, November 7, 1903.)

* NOTE.—The Christian name must not be abbreviated, but if it consists of more than one name, only the first will be written and signed in full. 3-85

DECLARATION OF RECRUIT.

I, James Simons, 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 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 Muncie, Indiana this June, 190 1518

WITNESS:

Charles A. Harold

Private General Service, U. S. A.

James Simons

* If so 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 soldier: Humboldt, Kansas.

Name and address of person to be notified in case of emergency, giving degree of relationship; if friend, so state:

Father William Simons, Humboldt, Kansas.

Assigned to THE MILITIA Regiment
of U. S. Army.

One enlistment paper only will be made in the case of a soldier enlisted or re-enlisted for the line of the Army. It will be forwarded to the Adjutant General with the recruiting officer's trimonthly report. The recruiting officer will indorse on the enlistment paper of every general-service recruit (in red ink, at top of second fold) the arm of service for which the soldier was enlisted; i. e., either foot service, white, mounted service, white; foot service, colored; or mounted service, colored.

Enlistment papers of soldiers of a staff department will be executed and disposed of in accordance with the regulations governing enlistments for the particular staff department concerned. (Cir. 8 War Dept., A. G. O. 1895, pars. 3, 4, 7, and 8.)

In cases of re-enlistment, i. e., within 3 months from date of last discharge from the Army, the declaration of recruit will not be filed in, but it will be stated on the margin whether the soldier is single or married and the number of children, if any. The name and address of person to be notified in case of emergency will also be given. The prefix "re" will be added to the word "enlisted" where it occurs.

DIRECTIONS.

I, James Simons, enlisted at Muncie, Indiana on the 10th day of July, 190 1518
by Private General Service, U. S. A.
in 1st Regiment of Infantry, P. C.
enlistment; last served in 1st
Regiment of Infantry, P. C.

Discharged

10th, 190

CONSENT IN CASE OF MINOR.

(See A. R. 924.)

I, James Simons, of Muncie, Indiana, age 18 years, DO CERTIFY that I am the father of James Simons, of Muncie, Indiana, age 15 years, is my son; that the said minor is my child; that I do hereby consent to his enlisting as a SOLDIER in the ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES for the period of THREE YEARS.

Given at Muncie, Indiana

this June, 190 1518

WITNESS:

U. S. W. T. 1518
DESCRIPTIVE AND ASSIGNMENT CARD OF RECRUIT30
J. M. Harmon
forwarded to the 25th Regt. of 1st
pursuant to last Dep't Lakes Jun 18 dated

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DESCRIPTION.

WHERE BORN.		AGE.	OCCUPATION.
Town or County.	State or Kingdom.		

Humboldt Kansas 26² Farmer

EYES.	HAIR.	COMPLEXION.	HEIGHT.
Bro 2	Bro Ruddy	5	7 1/4

Indelible or permanent marks as shown on enlistment paper:
 1 Neck front of middle
 back
 Left hand #5, 6 & 7
 1 ear missing.

ENLISTED.

DATE.	PLACE.	BY WHOM.	PERIOD.
June 11, 1904	Muncie	Emery	3 yrs

Name and address of person to be notified in case of emergency, giving degree
 of relationship; if friend, so state:
 Father
 Almon Emery
 Humboldt Kansas

Residence of soldier:

Same

Money value of clothing drawn since enlist- ment.	LAUNDRY WORK.		DUE UNITED STATES.	
	To be charged on the Clothing Account, <u>1316</u>	Credit Sales Subsistence De- partment	Dolls.	Cts.
1960		210		

Last paid by Pay due from Enlistment, 190

Last discharged from Regt. of

Date of discharge,

Cont. service at that date years mos. days

[A. G. O. No. 7, July 6, 1903.] 0-8 [OVER.]

REMARKS.

[In case of death, transfer, discharge, desertion, and apprehension, the date and place will be here noted: also any other information which may be necessary or useful for record. In case of sickness or injury, it will be carefully stated, and whether or not it occurred in line of duty. If qualified as expert rifleman or first or second-class gunner so state. See G. O., 24, page 5, and G. O., 94, A. G. O., 1903.]

Date of last vaccination

Name of medical examiner

Character [While at rendezvous
or station.]

June 14 1904

Adj'tant of Fair Man

Good

I CERTIFY that this card is correct, that it exhibits the true statement of the recruit, that he has been minutely inspected, and has been sent from station this date.

Station: COLUMBUS BARRACKS, O.

Date: JUN 25 1904

D. R. Tyler
Maj 97th INFY
Commanding.

This recruit has been received this 28 day

June, 1904, and assigned to

Station: Fort Douglas, Utah

Date: *D. R. Tyler* JUN 25 1904

Col 97th
Commanding.

NOTE.—One of these cards will be prepared in the case of every recruit enlisted for the line of the army. When recruits are sent from a rendezvous or station, 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. Upon the arrival of a recruit at his destination the post commander will furnish the company commander with a copy of the card and forward the original direct to the Adjutant General of the Army. When a recruit is assigned to a company not stationed at regimental headquarters, the regimental commander will also be furnished with a copy of the card for his information.

This card will also be used in sending recruits from stations to rendezvous.

See Circulars, Nos. 19 and 31, A. G. O., 1899, and No. 64 of 1902.

Army of the United States.

CERTIFICATE OF DISABILITY FOR DISCHARGE.

James Ammons, a Private of Company G,
29th Infantry, was enlisted by James Gilmore at Minneapolis, Minnesota on the First day of June, 1901, to serve years; he was born in Neenah, Wisconsin, and when enlisted was 26 7/12 years of age, 5 feet 7 1/2 inches high, Brunette complexion, Brown eyes, dark hair, and by occupation a Farmer. Recommended for discharge on account of mental incapacity.

Became unfit for duty from present disease, or injury (date) From hospitalization
Disease contracted or injury received (date and place) Prior to enlistment
When disability arose soldier was (state duty or service) Not in service
Cause of disease, or injury, or circumstances under which it appeared was as follows: Observed
upon arrival at company

Disability was or was not incurred in line of duty, (erase words not used.) (Above facts not known to Company Commander should be covered by certificates of officers or affidavits of enlisted men appended hereto. If no information can be obtained in regard to them, so state here.)

Station: Fort Douglas, Utah
Date: September, 1901

W. A. Railor

Captain 29th Infantry
Commanding

I certify that I have carefully examined the above-named soldier and find him incapable of performing the duties of a soldier because of (here state nature and anatomical location of disease or injury and how it incapacitates for duty) mental incapacity; this man while not an actual cubicle has not enough intelligence to make a soldier and would be an unsafe man to trust with a rifle.

Opinion as to cause of disability and if incurred in line of duty, based on history and progress of case. (If no information as to causes can be obtained, so state here.) Educated prior to
Entertainment

Length of time case has been under observation: 3 weeks

In view of occupation, to what extent is he disabled from earning subsistence: 44

Allen M. Smith

May 3 Surgeon, U. S. A., Post Surgeon.

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Certificate of Disability for Discharge

IN THE CASE OF

James Morris
a Private of Co. G
Regt of Infantry

WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE MILITARY SECRETARY'S OFFICE,

Duplicate certificate of disability sent Commissioner of Pensions *Sept. 24, 1904*

DIRECTIONS.

This certificate will be made out in *duplicate* by the soldier's troop, battery, or company commander, or other officer commanding the separate detachment to which he belongs, and sent by him to the surgeon who has charge of the hospital where the soldier is sick. The surgeon will then fill out in his own handwriting and sign the surgeon's certificate, and forward these papers to the post commander.

These certificates, after having received the action of the highest authority to which they are required to be sent, will be returned through the same channel to the post commander, who will, if the discharge is authorized by the indorsement of the proper authority, sign the soldier's discharge and the last indorsement on this paper, see that the soldier is furnished with the proper final statements in *duplicate*, and forward BOTH of these certificates *direct* to the Adjutant General, United States Army, at Washington, D.C. They will not, under any circumstances, be given into the hands of the soldier.

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1st INDORSEMENT.

Post of Fort Douglas, Utah,

September 7, 1904, 100.

Respectfully forwarded to the Assistant Adjutant General, Headquarters Department of the Colorado.

R. Lockwood
Colonel 29th Infantry,
Commanding Post.

2d INDORSEMENT.

A. G. O., DEPT. OF THE COLORADO,

Denver, Colorado, SEP 9, 1904.

To MEDICAL DIRECTOR.

3d INDORSEMENT.

M. D. O. H'DRS, DEPT. OF the COLORADO,
Denver, Colo., Sept. 9, 1904.

Respectfully returned to the Assistant Adjutant General of the Department.

James Morris
James Morris
Lt. Col. & Capt. S. C. W. Baldwin,
Chief Surgeon Chief Surgeon.

4th INDORSEMENT.

HEADQUARTERS, DEPT. OF THE COLORADO,

Denver, Colorado, SEP 9, 1904.

Respectfully returned to the Commanding Officer, Fort Douglas, Utah.

APPROVED AND DISCHARGE ORDERED,
By command of the Adjutant General, U. S. Army.

By command of Brigadier General Baldwin:

R. Lockwood
1st Lieut 27th Infantry, Aid
Acting Adjutant General.

5th INDORSEMENT.

Post of Fort Douglas, Utah,

Sept. 14, 1904, 100.

Respectfully returned to the Commanding Officer, Co. G, 29th Infantry, who will prepare the necessary papers and forward them to these Headquarters.

By command of Colonel Lockwood:

R. Lockwood
at East

1st Lt. & Batt. Adjt. 29th Inf.,
Post Adjutant.

6th INDORSEMENT.

Fort Douglas, Utah,

September 15, 1904.

Respectfully returned to the Post Adjutant with the discharge certificate and duplicate final statements, as requested.

W. C. Baldwin

Captain 29th Infantry,
Commanding Co. "G".

7th INDORSEMENT.

Fort Douglas, Utah
September 15, 1904.

Respectfully forwarded to the Adjutant General, U. S. Army. The soldier was discharged at this Post on the 15th day of September, 1904, and was furnished with a discharge certificate and duplicate final statements. He desires to be addressed at

Alvord, County of

State of *Idaho*

R. Lockwood
Colonel 29th Infantry
Commanding Post