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 No. _____
 CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

ST. JOHN'S. QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.
 (ANSWERS.)

1. What is your name? Alfred Blaker.
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born? Leith, Kent, England
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin? Mrs. J. Blaker, (Mother)
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin? 2 - Westlyght Leith, Kent, Eng
5. What is the date of your birth? 24 March 1878
6. What is your Trade or Calling? Baker
7. Are you married? No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? Yes
9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia? No
10. Have you ever served in any Military Force? 8 Yrs. 6th Regt
If so, state particulars of former Service.
11. Do you understand the nature and terms of your engagement? Yes
12. Are you willing to be attested to serve in the CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE? Yes

Alfred Blaker (Signature of Man).
S. Sandaker (Signature of Witness).

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Alfred Blaker, do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements by me now made, and I hereby engage and agree to serve in the Canadian Over-Seas Expeditionary Force, and to be attached to any arm of the service therein, for the term of one year, or during the war now existing between Great Britain and Germany should that war last longer than one year, and for six months after the termination of that war provided His Majesty should so long require my services, or until legally discharged.

Alfred Blaker (Signature of Recruit)
 Date 24th Sept 1914. S. Sandaker (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Alfred Blaker, do make Oath, that I will be faithful and bear true Allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will as in duty bound honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity, against all enemies, and will observe and obey all orders of His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, and of all the Generals and Officers set over me. So help me God.

Alfred Blaker (Signature of Recruit)
 Date 24th Sept 1914. S. Sandaker (Signature of Witness)

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE.

The Recruit above-named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.
 The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.
 I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me, at S. Sandaker this 24th day of September 1914,
P. J. ... (Signature of Justice)
 Captain Royal Canadian Dragoons

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BLAKER, ALFRED

Regimental number(s):

233

Reference:

RG 150, Accession 1992-93/166, Box 807 - 6

Date of Birth:

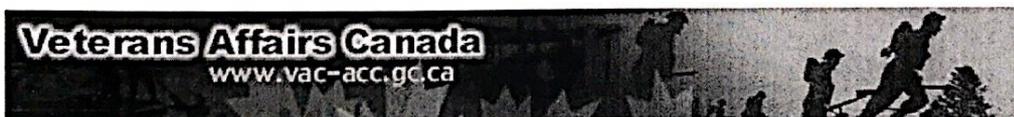
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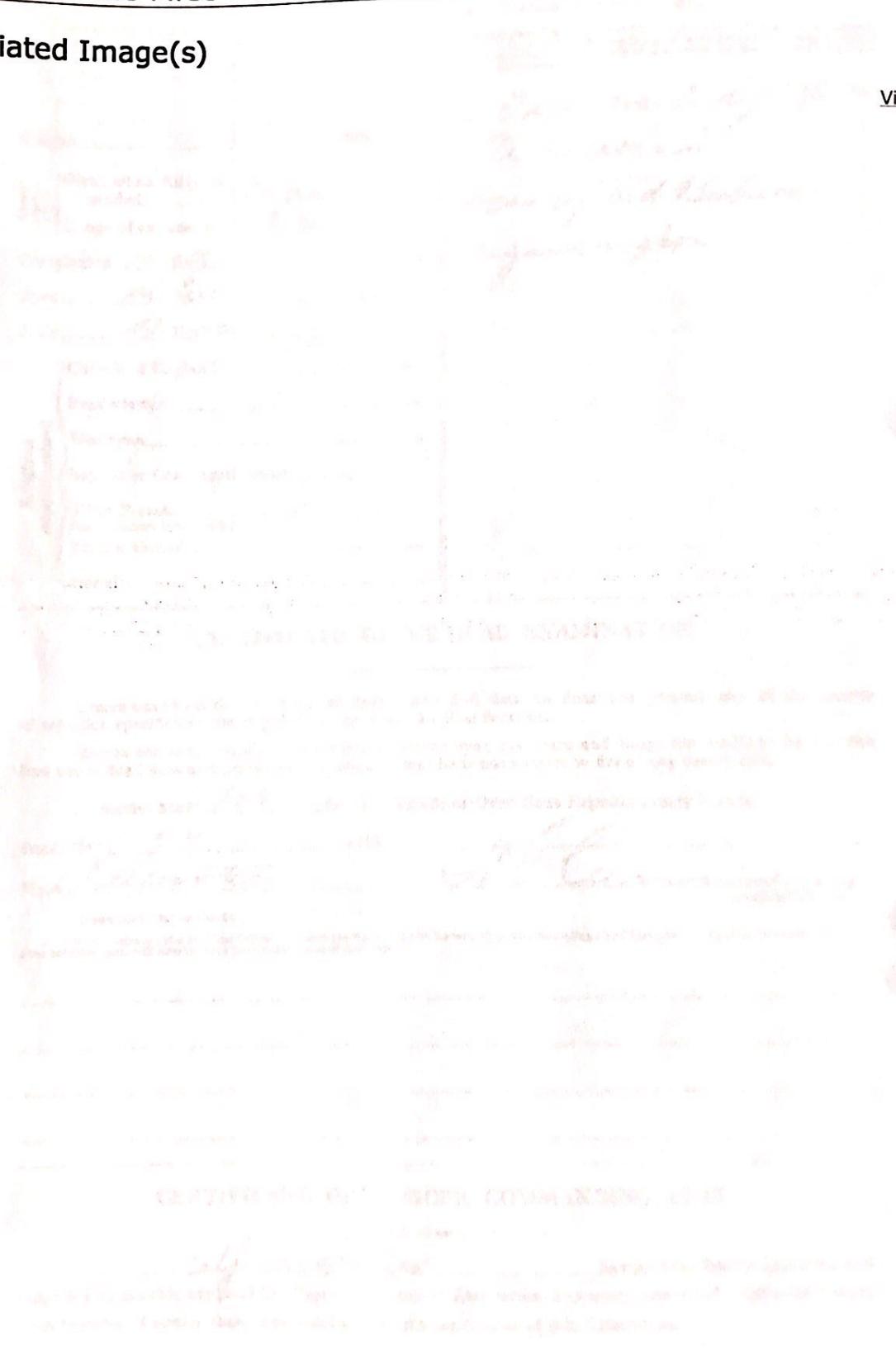
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Description of A. Blacker on Enlistment.

Apparent Age <u>36</u> years <u>5</u> months. <small>(To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)</small>		Distinctive marks, and marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease. <small>(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.)</small> <i>2 Tatto marks left forearm "A. Blacker" scar of old Buboes in Inguinal region.</i>
Height	<u>5</u> ft. <u>9</u> ins.	
Chest measurement	Girth when fully expanded <u>36 1/2</u> ins.	
	Range of expansion <u>2</u> ins.	
Complexion	<u>Sallow</u>	
Eyes	<u>Blue</u>	
Hair	<u>Brown</u>	
Religious denominations.	Church of England <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
	Presbyterian	
	Weeleyan	
	Baptist or Congregationalist	
	Other Protestants <small>(Denomination to be stated.)</small>	
	Roman Catholic	
Jewish		

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 Aug 29 1914.
 Place Valcartier

 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.

_____ Alfred Blaker having been finally approved and inspected by me this day, and his Name, Age, Date of Attestation, and every prescribed particular having been recorded, I certify that I am satisfied with the correctness of this Attestation.

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Name:
BLAKER, CLARENCE

Rank:
SPR

Regimental number(s):
195972

Reference:
RG 150, Accession 1992-93/166, Box 807 - 7

Date of Birth:
09/12/1897

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ATTESTATION PAPER.

No. 195972.

Folio:

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS.)

MILITIA & DEFENCE
JUN - 6 1916
H.Q.
CANADA

- 1. What is your surname?..... **Blaker,**
- 1a. What are your Christian names?..... **Clarence.**
- 1b. What is your present address?..... **Chomeng Curve Lake, Ontario, Canada.**
- 2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... **Curve Lake, Ontario.**
- 3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?..... **Thomas Quinguion,**
- 4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... **Curve Lake, Ontario.**
- 4a. What is the relationship of your next-of-kin?..... **Friend.**
- 5. What is the date of your birth?..... **Dec 9th 1897.**
- 6. What is your Trade or Calling?..... **Farmer.**
- 7. Are you married?..... **Single.**
- 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated and inoculated?..... **Yes,**
- 9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia?..... **No.**
- 10. Have you ever served in any Military Force?..... **None,**
If so, state particulars of former Service.
- 11. Do you understand the nature and terms of your engagement?..... **Yes,**
- 12. Are you willing to be attested to serve in the }
CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE? } **Yes,**

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, **Clarence Blaker,** do solemnly declare that the above are answers made by me to the above questions and that they are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements by me now made, and I hereby engage and agree to serve in the Canadian Over-Seas Expeditionary Force, and to be attached to any arm of the service therein, for the term of one year, or during the war now existing between Great Britain and Germany should that war last longer than one year, and for six months after the termination of that war provided His Majesty should so long require my services, or until legally discharged.

Clarence Blaker his mark
(Signature of Recruit)

J.M. Heard (Signature of Witness)

Date **May 16th,** 191**6.**

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, **Clarence Blaker,** do make Oath, that I will be faithful and bear true Allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will as in Duty bound honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity, against all enemies, and will observe and obey all orders of His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, and of all the Generals and Officers set over me. So help me God.

Clarence Blaker his mark
(Signature of Recruit)

J.M. Heard (Signature of Witness)

Date **May 16th,** 191**6.**

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE.

The Recruit above-named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.

The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath

before me, at **Petersborough** this **16th** day of **May** 191**6.**

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Description of Clarence Blaker. on Enlistment.

Apparent Age... 18 years... 5 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... 8 ins.

Chest measure ment. { Girth when fully expanded... 35 1/2 ins.
 { Range of expansion... 3 1/2 ins.

Scar above right knee.
 Scar centre of left thigh.

Complexion... Dark.

Eyes... Brown.

Hair... Black.

Religious denominations. { Church of England...
 { Presbyterian...
 { Methodist... Yes,
 { Baptist or Congregationalist...
 { Roman Catholic...
 { Jewish...
 { 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... May 16th, 1916.

J. H. Edwards

Place... Peterborough, Ontario.

Major 57th, Regt. 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.

Clarence Blaker. having been finally approved and inspected by me this day, and his Name, Age, Date of Attestation, and every prescribed particular having been recorded, I certify that I am satisfied with the correctness of this Attestation.

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BLAKER, FRANK

Regimental number(s):

187530

71781

Reference:

RG 150, Accession 1992-93/166, Box 807 - 8

Date of Birth:

23/11/1878

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QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

1. What is your name?.....
2. In what Town, Township, or Parish, and in what Country were you born?.....
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?.....
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?.....
5. What is the date of your birth?.....
6. What is your trade or calling?.....
7. Are you married?.....
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated?.....
9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia?.....
10. Have you ever served in any Military Force?..
If so, state particulars of former Service.
11. Do you understand the nature and terms of your engagement?.....
12. Are you willing to be attested to serve in the CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE?.....

Frank Blaker (ANSWERS) **BLAKER**

Ireland

Alice Blaker

347 Marlborough St. St. James

27th Nov. 1879.

gardener

yes

yes

1st Regiment

Imperial Army

yes

Aug 1915

Frank Blaker (Signature of Man.)

R. D. Good (Signature of Witness.)

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, *Frank Blaker*, do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements by me now made, and I hereby engage and agree to serve in the Canadian Over-Seas Expeditionary Force, and to be attached to any unit of the service therein, for the term of one year, or during the war now existing between Great Britain and Germany should that war last longer than one year, and for six months after the termination of that war provided His Majesty should so long require my services, or until legally discharged.

Date *June 8th* 191*5*

Frank Blaker (Signature of Recruit.)

R. D. Good (Signature of Witness.)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, *Frank Blaker*, do make Oath, that I will be faithful and bear true Allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will as in duty bound honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity, against all enemies, and will observe and obey all orders of His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, and of all the Generals and Officers set over me. So help me God.

Date *June 8th* 191*5*

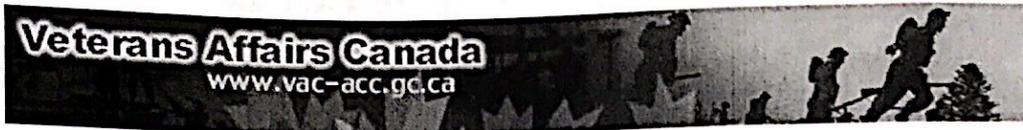
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R. D. Good (Signature of Witness.)

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE.

The Recruit above-named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act. The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence. I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me, at *Minneapolis* this *8th* day of *June* 191*5*

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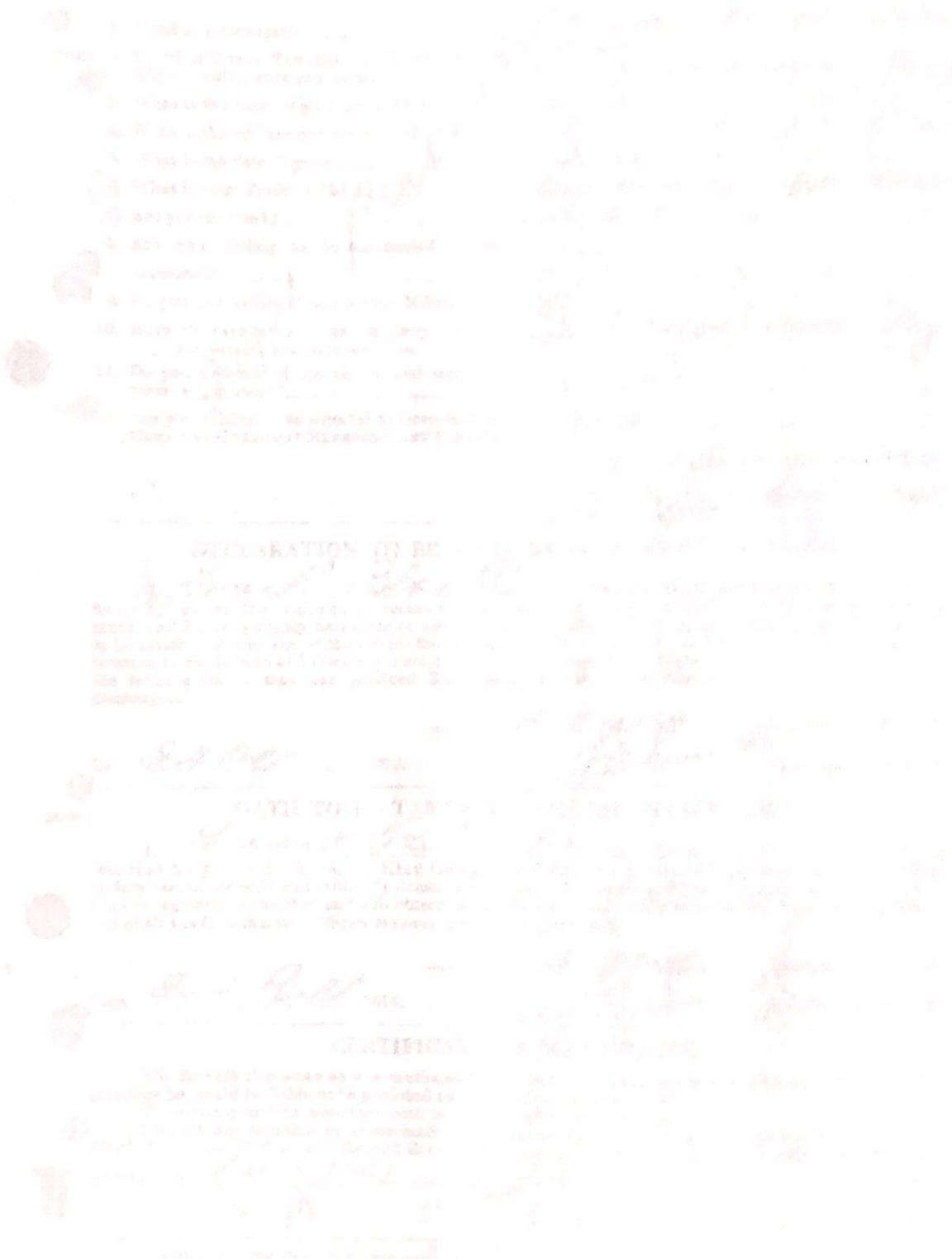


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No. 71781

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

Folio.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS)

1. What is your name? *Frank Blaker*
 2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born? *Kingfield, Sussex, Eng.*
 3. What is the name of your next-of-kin? *Alice Blaker*
 4. What is the address of your next-of-kin? *332 Collyer St. St. James*
 5. What is the date of your birth? *Nov 23rd 1878*
 6. What is your Trade or Calling? *Landscape Gardener*
 7. Are you married? *Yes*
 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? *Yes*
 9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia? *Yes*
 10. Have you ever served in any Military Force? If so, state particulars of former Service. *Dist Royal Sussex Regt 12 yrs*
 11. Do you understand the nature and terms of your engagement? *Yes*
 12. Are you willing to be attested to serve in the CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE? *Yes*
- F. Blaker* (Signature of Man)
J. D. Smith (Signature of Witness)

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, *Frank Blaker*, do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements by me now made, and I hereby engage and agree to serve in the Canadian Over-Seas Expeditionary Force, and to be attached to any arm of the service therein, for the term of one year, or during the war now existing between Great Britain and Germany should that war last longer than one year, and for six months after the termination of that war provided His Majesty should so long require my services, or until legally discharged.

Date *24 Oct* 1914. *F. Blaker* (Signature of Recruit)
J. D. Smith (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, *Frank Blaker*, do make Oath, that I will be faithful and bear true Allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will as in duty bound honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity, against all enemies, and will observe and obey all orders of His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, and of all the Generals and Officers set over me. So help me God.

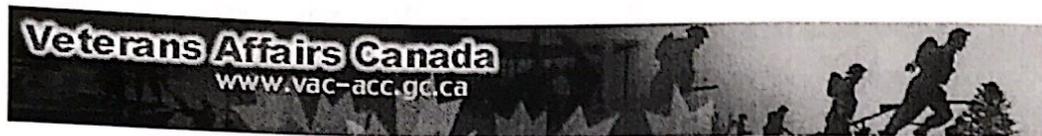
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J. D. Smith (Signature of Witness)

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE.

The Recruit above-named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.
The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.
I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me, at *Wimsey* this *24* day of *Oct* 1914.
R. Green (Signature of Justice)

I certify that the above is a true and correct attestation of the above named Recruit.

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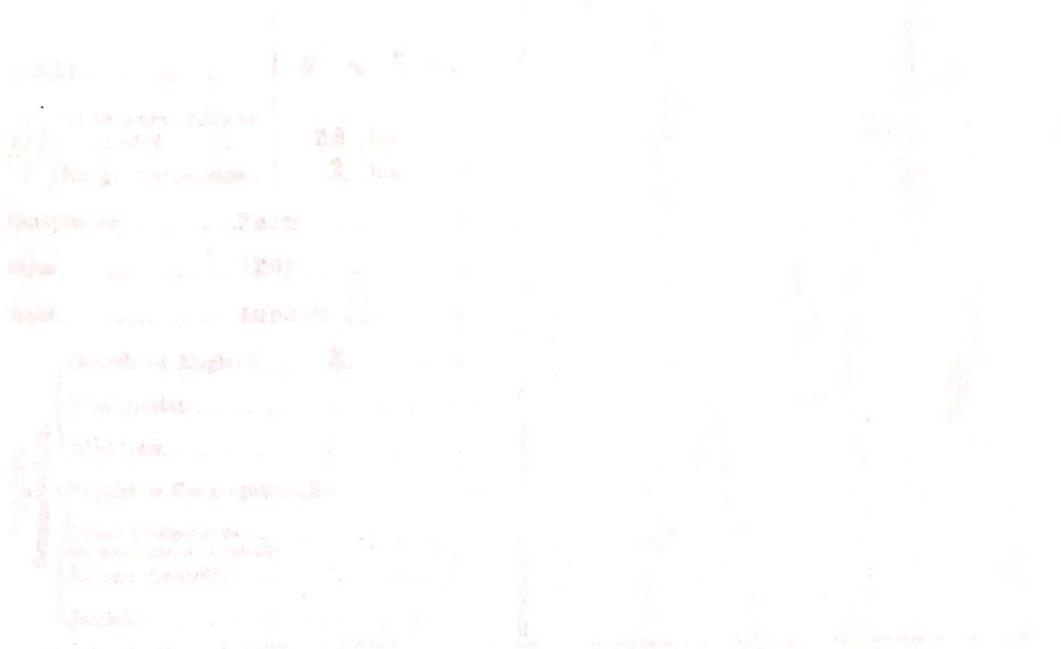
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CERTIFICATE OF MEXICAN RESIDENCY

I have examined the above-named [Name] and find that he is a [Nationality] of the [Country] and is entitled to the [Rights] of a [Nationality] of the [Country].

CERTIFICATE OF MEXICAN RESIDENCY

I have examined the above-named [Name] and find that he is a [Nationality] of the [Country] and is entitled to the [Rights] of a [Nationality] of the [Country].

Description of Frank Blaker on Enlistment.

Apparent Age... 36 years... 9 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. 7 ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded..... 38 ins.
 Range of expansion..... 2 ins.

Complexion..... Fair

Eyes..... Grey

Hair..... Auburn

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

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..... 7th September 1915..... 191

Place..... Winnipeg, Manitoba.....

J. Clavette Lieut.
 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.

..... Frank Blaker..... having been finally approved and inspected by me this day, and his Name, Age, Date of Attestation, and every prescribed particular having been recorded, I certify that I am satisfied with the correctness of this Attestation.

DESCRIPTION OF Frank Blake ON ENLISTMENT.

Apparent Age 36 years 7 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. 7 ins.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 37 1/2 ins.
 Range of expansion 3 ins.

Complexion fair

Eyes light brown

Hair brown

- Religious Denominations { Church of England X
 Presbyterian
 Methodist
 Baptist or Congregationalist
 Other Protestants
(Denomination to be stated.)
 Roman Catholic
 Jewish

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 8 June 1915

Place Winnipeg 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

Frank Blake having been finally approved and inspected by me this day, and his Name, Age, Date of Attestation, and every prescribed particular having been recorded, I certify that I am satisfied with the correctness of this Attestation.

Blaker
Description of Frank Blaker on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 35 years 0 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 services, attach a slip to that effect, for the information of the Approving Officer.)

Height 5 ft 7 1/2 ins.

Vac left arm

Chest measure in front
Girth when fully expanded 38 ins.
Range of expansion 3 ins.

Complexion Ruddy

Eyes Grey

Hair Auburn

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

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 Oct 25 1914.

Edw Alping

Place Wps

Capr ane

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.

Frank Blaker having been finally approved and inspected by me this day, and his Name, Age, Date of Attestation, and every prescribed particular having been recorded, I certify that I am satisfied with the correctness of this Attestation.



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Name:

BLAKER, JOSHUA

Regimental number(s):

195029

Reference:

RG 150, Accession 1992-93/166, Box 807 - 9

Date of Birth:

16/06/1896

18/06/1895

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QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS)

1. What is your surname? **Blaker, Blaeker**

2. What are your Christian names? **Joshua Thomas,**

3. What is your present address? **312 Lewis St. Peterboro, Ont.**

4. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born? **Chemong, Ont.**

5. What is the name of your next-of-kin? **Elizabeth Blaker,**

6. What is the address of your next-of-kin? **312 Lewis St. Peterboro, Ont.**

7. What is the relationship of your next-of-kin? **Wife,**

8. What is the date of your birth? **June 18th. 1895.**

9. What is your Trade or Calling? **Farmer,**

10. Are you married? **Yes,**

11. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated and inoculated? **Yes**

12. Do you now belong to the Active Militia?

13. Have you ever served in any Military Force? **93rd. O/S. Bn. C.E.F.**
If so, state particulars of former Service.

14. Do you understand the nature and terms of your engagement? **Yes,**

15. Are you willing to be attested to serve in the } **Yes, ~~93rd. Bn. C.E.F.~~**
 CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE? }

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

Joshua Thomas Blaker do solemnly declare that the above are answers made by me to the above questions and that they are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements now made, and I hereby engage and agree to serve in the Canadian Over-Seas Expeditionary Force, and to be attached to any arm of the service therein, for the term of one year, or during the war now existing between Great Britain and Germany should that war last longer than one year, and for six months after the termination of that war provided His Majesty should so long require my services, or until legally discharged.

Joshua Thomas Blaker (Signature of Recruit)

Date: **February 26** 1917. *J. Miller Srgt* (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

Joshua Thomas Blaker do make Oath, that I will be faithful and bear true Allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will as in duty bound honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity, against all enemies, and will observe and obey all orders of His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, and of all the Generals and Officers set over me. So help me God.

Joshua Thomas Blaker (Signature of Recruit)

Date: **February 26** 1917. *J. Miller Srgt* (Signature of Witness)

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE.

The Recruit above-named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.
 The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at this day of Feb 1917.

Description of Joshua Thomas Blaker on Enlistment.

Apparent Age... 21 years... 8 months.
(To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)

Height... 5 ft... 11 ins.

Chest measure - 38 ins.
 Girth when fully expanded...
 Range of expansion... 2 ins.

Complexion... Dark,

Eyes... Brown,

Hair... Black,

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

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.)

Scar left shin

Hearing Normal

Sight,
 right eye D 30
 Left eye D 40

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... February 26 1917

Place... Peterboro, Ont?

*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:—

Herbert Cameron M.D. M.C.
J. H. Caldwell M.D.
 Medical Officer.

CERTIFICATE OF OFFICER COMMANDING UNIT.

.....Joshua Thomas Blaker.....having been finally approved and inspected by me this day, and his Name, Age, Date of Attestation, and every prescribed particular having been recorded, I certify that I am satisfied with the correctness of this Attestation.

93100, BN

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CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.
(ANSWERS)

1. What is your name? Joshua Blaker
2. In what Town, Township, or Parish, and in what Country were you born? Alderville, Ont.
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin? Clarence Blaker, Brother,
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin? Chemong, Ont.
5. What is the date of your birth? June, 18th, 1898,
6. What is your trade or calling? Laborer.
7. Are you married? No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? unvaccinated Yes
9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia? No
10. Have you ever served in any Military Force? No
If so, state particulars of former Service.
11. Do you understand the nature and terms of your engagement? Yes
12. Are you willing to be attested to serve in the CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE? Yes

Joshua Blaker (Signature of Man.)

Burrows (Signature of Witness.)

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Joshua Blaker, do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements by me now made, and I hereby engage and agree to serve in the Canadian Over-Seas Expeditionary Force, and to be attached to any arm of the service therein, for the term of one year, or during the war now existing between Great Britain and Germany should that war last longer than one year, and for six months after the termination of that war provided His Majesty should so long require my services, or until legally discharged.

Date: Sept 12 1915 Joshua Blaker (Signature of Recruit.)
 Burrows (Signature of Witness.)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Joshua Blaker, do make Oath, that I will be faithful and bear true Allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will as in duty bound honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity, against all enemies, and will observe and obey all orders of His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, and of all the Generals and Officers set over me. So help me God.

Date: Sept 12 1915 Joshua Blaker (Signature of Recruit.)
 Burrows (Signature of Witness.)

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE.

The Recruit above-named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.

The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence. I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me, at PETERBOROUGH, Ont. this OCT 20 1915 day of 191 .

DESCRIPTION OF Blaker, J. Joshua ON ENLISTMENT.

Apparent Age 19 years 3 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 9 ins.

Chest measurement
 Girth when fully expanded 37 ins 2
 Range of expansion 7 1/2

None

Complexion DK.

Eyes Brown.

Hair Blk.

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

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 Sept. 4th 1915

Stewart Cameron

Place PETERBORO, ONT.

Major Auel
 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

Joshua Blaker having been finally approved and inspected by me this day, and his Name, Age, Date of Attestation, and every prescribed particular having been recorded, I certify that I am satisfied with the correctness of this Attestation.

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BLAKER, LEO

Regimental number(s):

219775

Reference:

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Date of Birth:

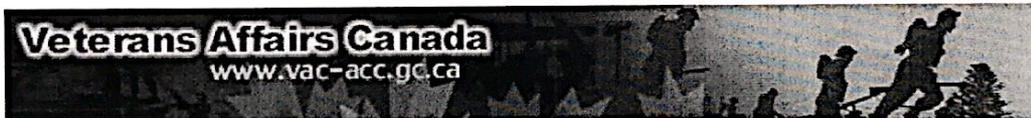
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CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.
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QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.
(ANSWERS)

1. What is your name?..... Leo Blaker

2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... Leatherhead Surrey England

3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?..... Mrs. Leo Blaker Wife

4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... Cornwall - Ont

5. What is the date of your birth?..... March 1883

6. What is your Trade or Calling?..... Machinist

7. Are you married?..... yes

8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? *and inoculated* yes

9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia?..... no

10. Have you ever served in any Military Forces?..... *3 yrs Cadets 3 yrs Territorial*

11. Do you understand the nature and terms of your engagement?..... yes

12. Are you willing to be attested to serve in the) CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE?)
Leo Blaker..... (Signature of Man).
Mumreagh..... (Signature of Witness).



DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Leo Blaker, do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements by me now made and hereby engage and agree to serve in the Canadian Over-Seas Expeditionary Force, and to be attached to any arm of the service therein, for the term of one year, or during the war now existing between Great Britain and Germany should that war last longer than one year, and for six months after the termination of that war provided His Majesty should so long require my services, or until legally discharged.

Leo Blaker..... (Signature of Recruit)
Date..... April 6 1915 Mumreagh..... (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Leo Blaker, do make Oath, that I will be faithful and bear true Allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will as in duty bound honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity, against all enemies, and will observe and obey all orders of His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, and of all the Generals and Officers set over me. So help me God.

Leo Blaker..... (Signature of Recruit)
Date..... April 6 1915 Mumreagh..... (Signature of Witness)

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE.

The Recruit above-named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.
The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.
I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me, at..... 9:30 a.m. this 6th day of July 1915
W. H. [Signature]..... (Signature of Justice)

Description of Leo Blaker on Enlistment

Apparent Age... <u>32</u> years... <u>1</u> 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... <u>6</u> ft. ... ins.	
Chest measure ment. { Girth when fully expanded... <u>40</u> ins. Range of expansion... <u>4</u> ins.	
Complexion... <u>dark</u>	
Eyes... <u>blue</u>	
Hair... <u>dark brown</u>	
Religious denominations. { Church of England... <u>C of E</u> Presbyterian... Wesleyan... Baptist or Congregationalist... Other Protestants (Denomination to be stated.)... Roman Catholic... Jewish...	

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... April 6 1915

Place... Essexville Ont.

F. W. Munn
Capt. R. C. Shaw
 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.

Leo Blaker having been finally approved and inspected by me this day, and his Name, Age, Date of Attestation, and every prescribed particular having been recorded, I certify that I am satisfied with the correctness of this Attestation.



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BLAKER, MARK LEMON

Regimental number(s):

2771276

Reference:

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BLAKER, SAMUEL

Regimental number(s):

1027607

Reference:

RG 150, Accession 1992-93/166, Box 807 - 12

Date of Birth:

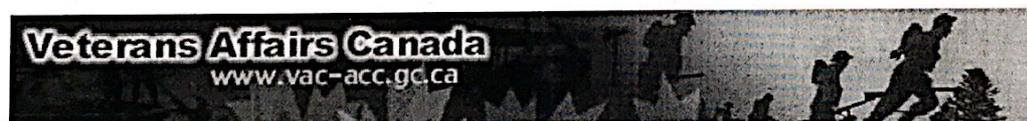
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CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.
 (ANSWERS.)

1. What is your surname? *Blakes*
- 1a. What are your Christian names? *Samuel*
- 1b. What is your present address? *Campbell Ont.*
2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born? *Albion Sp. Ont.*
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin? *Ella Blakes*
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin? *Campbell Ont.*
- 4a. What is the relationship of your next-of-kin? *wife*
5. What is the date of your birth? *May 20/1882*
6. What is your Trade or Calling? *mechanic*
7. Are you married? *Yes*
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated and inoculated? *Yes*
9. Do you now belong to the Army Militia? *Yes*
10. Have you ever served in any Military Force? *No*
If so, state particulars of former service.
11. Do you understand the nature and terms of your engagement? *Yes*
12. Are you willing to be attested to serve in the }
 CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE? } *Yes*

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, *Samuel Blakes*, do solemnly declare that the above are answers made by me to the above questions and that they are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements by me now made, and I hereby engage and agree to serve in the Canadian Over-Seas Expeditionary Force, and to be attached to any arm of the service therein, for the term of one year, or during the war now existing between Great Britain and Germany should that war last longer than one year, and for six months after the termination of that war provided His Majesty should so long require my services, or until legally discharged.

Date *January 9* 1917. *Samuel Blakes* (Signature of Recruit)
Charles Stewart (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, *Samuel Blakes*, do make Oath, that I will be faithful and bear true Allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will as in duty bound honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity, against all enemies, and will observe and obey all orders of His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, and of all the Generals and Officers set over me. So help me God.

Date *January 9* 1917. *Samuel Blakes* (Signature of Recruit)
Charles Stewart (Signature of Witness)

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE.

The Recruit above-named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.
 The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.
 I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me, at *Belleville, Ont.* this *19th* day of *January* 1917.

Description of Samuel Blaker on Enlistment.

Apparent Age... <u>34</u> years <u>8</u> months. <small>(To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)</small>	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). <u>Scar on left foot.</u> <u>Small varicella</u>
Height... <u>5 ft 8</u> ins.	
Chest measure - Girth when fully expanded... <u>39</u> ins. Range of expansion... <u>4</u> ins.	
Complexion... <u>Dark</u>	
Eyes... <u>Brown</u>	
Hair... <u>Black</u>	
Religious denominations. Church of England..... Presbyterian..... Methodist... <u>+</u> Baptist or Congregationalist..... Roman Catholic..... Jewish..... Other denominations..... <small>(Denomination to be stated.)</small>	

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 distances 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... Jan 9 1916

Place... Campbell

R. Raeg
 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.

Samuel Blaker having been finally approved and inspected by me this day, and his Name, Age, Date of Attestation, and every prescribed particular having been recorded, I certify that I am satisfied with the correctness of this Attestation.



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BLAKER, VICTOR

Regimental number(s):

157541

Reference:

RG 150, Accession 1992-93/166, Box 807 - 13

Date of Birth:

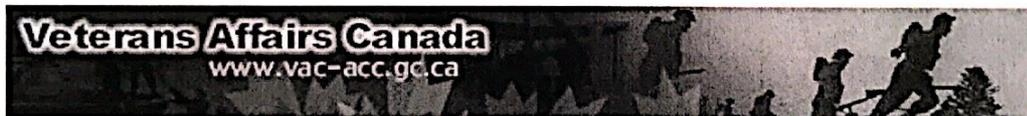
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ATTESTATION PAPER.
81st Battalion, C. E. F.
CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS)
Victor

1. What is your name? **FATHER - George Blaker**

2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born? **Alderville, Ont. Can.**

3. What is the name of your next-of-kin? **Father George Blaker**

4. What is the address of your next-of-kin? **Alderville, Ont. Canada**

5. What is the date of your birth? **Nov. 15th 1897. 18 yrs. 9 mos.**

6. What is your Trade or Calling? **Labourer**

7. Are you married? **Single**

8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? **or inoculated** **Yes**

9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia? **No**

10. Have you ever served in any Military Force? **No**

If so, state particulars of former Service.

11. Do you understand the nature and terms of your engagement? **Yes**

12. Are you willing to be attested to serve in the CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE? **Yes**

Victor Blaker (Signature of Man).
J. Power (Signature of Witness).

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, **Victor Blaker**, do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements by me now made, and I hereby engage and agree to serve in the Canadian Over-Seas Expeditionary Force, and to be attached to any arm of the service therein, for the term of one year, or during the war now existing between Great Britain and Germany should that war last longer than one year, and for six months after the termination of that war provided His Majesty should so long require my services, or until legally discharged.

Victor Blaker (Signature of Recruit)
 Date **August 23** 191**5** *J. Power* (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, **Victor Blaker**, do make Oath, that I will be faithful and bear true Allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will as in duty bound honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity, against all enemies, and will observe and obey all orders of His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, and of all the Generals and Officers set over me. So help me God.

Victor Blaker (Signature of Recruit)
 Date **August 23** 191**5** *J. Power* (Signature of Witness)

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE.

The Recruit above-named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.
 The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.
 I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me, at **Toronto** this **23** day of **August** 191**5**

[Signature] (Signature of Justice)

Description of Victor Blaker on Enlistment.

Apparent Age <u>18</u> years <u>9</u> months. <small>(To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)</small>		Distinctive marks, and marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease. <small>(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.)</small>
Height <u>5 ft 9 1/2</u> ins.	Birth Half Red Indian.	
Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded <u>36</u> ins. Range of expansion <u>3</u> ins.	1/2 inch mole Breast Bone.	
Complexion <u>Dark</u>		
Eyes <u>Brown</u>		
Hair <u>Black</u>		
Religious denominations { Church of England Presbyterian Wesleyan Baptist or Congregationalist Other Protestants <u>Methodist</u> <small>(Denomination to be stated.)</small> Roman Catholic Jewish		

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 August 25 1915

Place Toronto, Ont.

W. Rogers
 Capt. 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.

Victor Blaker having been finally approved and inspected by me this day, and his Name, Age, Date of Attestation, and every prescribed particular having been recorded, I certify that I am satisfied with the correctness of this Attestation.



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BLAKER, WILLIAM

Regimental number(s):

657055

814415

Reference:

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Date of Birth:

06/01/1896

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162nd O. S. Batt'n, C. E. F.
CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.
(ANSWERS.)

- What is your surname?..... *Blaker*
- 1a. What are your Christian names?..... *William*
- 1b. What is your present address?..... *Alderville Ont.*
- 2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... *Alderville Ont.*
- 3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?..... *George Blaker*
- 4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... *Alderville Ont.*
- 5. What is the relationship of your next-of-kin?..... *Father*
- 6. What is the date of your birth?..... *Jan 6th 1896*
- 7. What is your Trade or Calling?..... *Labourer*
- 8. Are you married?..... *no*
- 9. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated and inoculated?..... *yes*
- 10. Do you now belong to the Active Militia?..... *no*
- 11. Have you ever served in any Military Force?..... *no*
If so, state particulars of former Service.
- 12. Do you understand the nature and terms of your engagement?..... *yes*
- 13. Are you willing to be attested to serve in the }
CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE? } *yes*

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, *William Blaker*, do solemnly declare that the above are answers made by me to the above questions and that they are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements by me now made, and I hereby engage and agree to serve in the Canadian Over-Seas Expeditionary Force, and to be attached to any arm of the service therein, for the term of one year, or during the war now existing between Great Britain and Germany should that war last longer than one year, and for six months after the termination of that war provided His Majesty should so long require my services, or until legally discharged.

Date *Jan 6th 1916* *Willie Blaker* (Signature of Recruit)
Jas Arthur (Signature of Witness)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, *William Blaker*, do make Oath, that I will be faithful and bear true Allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will as in duty bound honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity, against all enemies, and will observe and obey all orders of His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, and of all the Generals and Officers set over me. So help me God.

Date *Jan 6th 1916* *Willie Blaker* (Signature of Recruit)
Jas Arthur (Signature of Witness)

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE.

The Recruit above-named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.
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I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath

Description of W. Blaker on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 20 years months.
(To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)

Height 5 ft 8 ins.

Chest measure. { Girth when fully expanded 39.5 ins.
 { Range of expansion 13.5 ins.

Complexion dark

Eyes brown

Hair black

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

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.)

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 6 Jan 1916

Place Barry Sound

A. S. Park
 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.

W. Blaker having been finally approved and



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Unit: Seaforth Highlanders of Canada
Force: Army
Service Number: K52036
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Name of Passenger	Residence	Arrived	Age on Arrival	Passenger Record	Ship Manifest	Ship Image
1. ...nime Blaker	Odessa	1904	19	View	View	View
2. Agnes Blaker	London	1906	20	View	View	View
3. Alfred Blaker		1923	32	View	View	View
4. Alfred Blaker		1921	39	View	View	View
5. Annie Blaker	437 Carson Ave, Rochester, New York	1921	34	View	View	View
6. Annie Blaker	Ireland	1915	55	View	View	View
7. Annie Blaker	London	1904	29	View	View	View
8. Arthur F. Blaker		1892	18	View	View	View
9. Attie Blaker		1911	32	View	View	View
10. Berman James Blaker	Watling	1905	30	View	View	View
11. Brian Oscar Blaker	Turners Hill, England	1920	27	View	View	View
12. Charles Blaker		1920	21	View	View	View
13. Charles Blaker		1920	21	View	View	View
14. Charles Blaker		1921	21	View	View	View
15. Charles Blaker		1922	23	View	View	View
16. Charles Blaker		1922	23	View	View	View
17. Charles Blaker		1923	23	View	View	View
18. Charles Blaker		1923	23	View	View	View
19. Charles Blaker		1923	24	View	View	View
20. Charles Blaker		1923	24	View	View	View
21. Charles Blaker		1923	24	View	View	View
22. Charles Blaker		1923	24	View	View	View
23. Charles Blaker		1923	24	View	View	View
24. Charles Blaker		1923	34	View	View	View
25. Charles E. Blaker	Manchester, England	1908	23	View	View	View

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26.Chas. Blaker		1894	43	View	View	View
27.Chas. Blaker		1894	43	View	View	View
28.Edwin Blaker		1895	3	View	View	View
29.Ethel Blaker	Baustead, England	1914	16	View	View	View
30.Evelyn Blaker	New York, New York	1921	49	View	View	View
31.Evelyn Ki...kot Blaker		1907	36	View	View	View
32.Fannie Blaker	London	1904	4	View	View	View
33.Fannie Blaker	Loneford	1903	25	View	View	View
34.Fanny Blaker	London, England	1911	3	View	View	View
35.Fjostalt Blaker	Lo...	1902	4	View	View	View
36.Franz Blaker	Kresnic, Austria	1907	23	View	View	View
37.Frederick Blaker		1920	32	View	View	View
38.Frits Blaker		1923	43	View	View	View
39.Gilbert Blaker		1911	39	View	View	View
40.Harry Blaker	Baustead, England	1914	20	View	View	View
41.Helen Betty Blaker	Southampton, England	1919	5	View	View	View
42.Helena Mary Blaker	Southampton, England	1921	37	View	View	View
43.Helene Mary Blaker	Southampton, England	1919	37	View	View	View
44.Henry Blaker		1922	26	View	View	View
45.Hyman Blaker	London	1904	23	View	View	View
46.Ione Blaker		1920	49	View	View	View
47.Isaak Blaker	Glaskow	1904	26	View	View	View
48.John Blaker		1895	6	View	View	View
49.John ...aka... Blaker	Ireland, Belfast	1911	46	View	View	View
50.Joseph Blaker	Epsom	1906	20	View	View	View

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Name of Passenger	Residence	Arrived	Age on Arrival	Passenger Record	Ship Manifest	Ship Image
51. Julie Blaker	London, England	1911	5	View	View	View
52. Kari Blaker	Lo...	1902	25	View	View	View
53. Kate Blaker		1908		View	View	View
54. Lazarus Blaker	London	1904	6	View	View	View
55. Lina Blaker		1895	31	View	View	View
56. Liza Blaker	London	1904	1	View	View	View
57. Maier Blaker	London, England	1910	25	View	View	View
58. Maria Blaker	Baustead, England	1914	58	View	View	View
59. Mary Blaker		1911	8	View	View	View
60. Michael Blaker		1895	34	View	View	View
61. Moische Blaker	Odessa	1904	25	View	View	View
62. Nellie Blaker	Baustead, England	1914	18	View	View	View
63. Olive Eliz. Blaker	Kenley, England	1909	28	View	View	View
64. Polly Blaker	London	1904	2	View	View	View
65. Richard Sidney Blaker	On Active Service	1919	26	View	View	View
66. Richard Sidney Blaker	Southampton, England	1921	28	View	View	View
67. Teddie Blaker		1903	2	View	View	View
68. Thom Blaker		1922	51	View	View	View
69. Thomas Blaker		1920	49	View	View	View
70. Thomas Blaker		1921	49	View	View	View
71. Thomas Blaker		1921	50	View	View	View
72. Thomas Blaker		1921	50	View	View	View
73. Thomas Blaker		1922	51	View	View	View
74. Thomas Blaker		1922	51	View	View	View
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Name of Passenger	Residence	Arrived	Age on Arrival	Passenger Record	Ship Manifest	Ship Image
76. Tilly Blaker	DETAINED	1911		View	View	View
77. Tilly Blaker	London, England	1911	29	View	View	View
78. Tom Blaker		1920	49	View	View	View
79. Tom Blaker		1920	49	View	View	View
80. Tom Blaker		1920	49	View	View	View
81. Tom Blaker		1921	50	View	View	View
82. Tom Blaker		1921	50	View	View	View
83. Tom Blaker		1922	51	View	View	View
84. Torn Blaker		1922	52	View	View	View
85. Wallie H. Blaker		1907	36	View	View	View
86. Walter Blaker	New York, New York	1921	49	View	View	View
87. Walter S. Blaker		1923	22	View	View	View
88. Willi Blaker		1895	1	View	View	View
89. William Blaker		1921	31	View	View	View
90. William Blaker	England	1900	50	View	View	View
91. WILLIAM BLAKER	WINSCHOTEN, HOLLAND	1920	6	View	View	View

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The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints (the Mormons), this site contains a large and freely searchable archive. Among the data are: the Social Security Death Index (SSDI), U.S. Federal Census for 1880 or the 1881 census for both the British Isles and Canada, a vital records index containing birth, marriage, and death records from around the world. You can download free software for managing your family tree on your computer. [Personal Ancestral File](#) or PAF is both powerful and easy to use even for a novice computer user. A very helpful site and free to all visitors.

<http://www.archives.gov/>

The National Archives and Records Administration Web site contains a tremendous amount of information on everything from genealogy to White House tape recordings, Presidential Libraries to the Declaration of Independence. Don't be surprised if you find yourself coming back to this site on a regular basis - it's fantastic and full of useful information for all levels of research. To link directly to the genealogy section of this site, [click here](#).

<http://www.googleyourfamilytree.com/>

The companion Web site for the popular [Google Your Family Tree](#) book, this site is loaded with tips and techniques for using the Google search engine in a more effective way when searching for your ancestors online. The Genealogy PowerSearch features help you build complex genealogical queries with relative ease. To access the Genealogy PowerSearch features directly, [click here](#).

<http://www.usgenweb.com/>

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<http://www.immigrantships.net/>

The Immigrant Ships Transcribers Guild is a group of volunteers focused on transcribing passenger arrival records and publishing their work online so that immigrant arrivals can be more easily found online. Access to this site is free and all researchers are welcome to share transcriptions they may have already completed. The site currently has free access to more than 7,000 individual passenger manifests and this number continues to grow.

<http://www.fgs.org/>

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<http://www.ngsgenealogy.org/>

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<http://www.1930census.com/>

This site is a general reference for the U.S. Federal Census and is useful for anyone conducting family history research. Since 1790, the U.S. has conducted a federal census every 10 years and these records contain valuable clues regarding the location and makeup of all American families. A great learning resource for census research. The [1940 census](#) will be released for public inspection in April 2012.

<http://www.pier21.ca/>

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<http://www.loc.gov/>

This site is the online home of the Library of Congress and has a tremendous variety of material on many subjects relating to American history, veterans, and other areas sure to be of interest to any genealogist. Of particular interest, you should be sure to see the [American Memory](#) section which provides access to many photographs, maps, historic documents, as well as audio and video. An especially useful site for educators.

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