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118th Battalion, C.E.F.
ORDERLY ROOM
MAR 28 1916
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Berlin, Ont. March 28 6.

Mr. Joseph Sinclair,

County Constable,

Aldershot, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

I am in receipt of a letter from Private Simeon Woodman, a member of this battalion who is at his home in Aldershot. Woodman is absent without leave from this battalion since the 8th inst., and we had no knowledge of his whereabouts until the enclosed letter was received.

I would esteem it a favour if you could investigate the statements as contained in the letter and forward a report at your earliest convenience.

I may say that all pay is forfeited during absence without leave.

Yours truly,

Captain

Adjutant 118th O. S. Battalion.

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Shannonville July
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N. McLochead

Dear Sir. -

In answer to
your inquire for. Pte Simeon
Woodman. I have just found
out that he has gone East.
with. Peter. McGimsey. down to
Langnawgah. on the.
25th day of May. night
train. I would have wrote
before as he said That he
would let me know where
he was but have not
done so this may help you
to find him. I remain yours truly.
Maggie Woodman

A.2-940.

Berlin, Ont. May 17th 1916.

The Chief of Police,

Hamilton, Ontario.

Re No. 751302, Pte. Simeon Woodman.

Dear Sir:

I have the honour to draw your attention to the marginally noted man who has been absent without leave from this battalion from May 8th,1916. One of our men Was just returned from Hamilton and informs us that he was speaking to Woodman on Tuesday last and that he is living at some address on Base St.

I would esteem it a favour if you would be good enough to make enquiries regarding this man and if you can get him, detain him and I will send an escort to bring him back.

Description - half breed Indian; age 33, height 5 ft. 5 in. Tattoo marks - liberty, etc. on left arm, butterfly, clasped hands on right forearm.

Yours very truly,

Captain

Adjutant 118th O. S. Battalion.

HAF/GAM.

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In reply please quote

No.

Dundas, Ont. 18th July 1916.

From Capt. A.D. Robb 129th O.S.
Batt'n. C.E.F. Dundas

To O.C. 118th O.S. Batt'n:
Berlin. Ont.

Re: P. Woodman.

A member of the Military Police of this Battalion has located the marginally noted man's uniform at Aldershot. I understand he was a member of your Battalion, and has deserted. Kindly let me have your instructions regarding shipping the uniform to you or whether you will send for it.

Andrew D. Robb
Capt.

O.C. Recruiting & Police Detail
129th O.S. Batt'n. C.E.F.

D303-1376.

Camp Borden,Ont. July 25th. 6.

Capt.H.A.Fraser , Adjutant ,
118th.O.S.Battalion,C.E.F.

Capt.A.D.Robb,O.C.Recruiting & Police Detail,
129th. O.S.Battalion, Dundas,Ont.

Private S.Woodman;

I have to thank you for your letter of the 18th. inst., with reference to the uniform of Private S. Woodman who is a deserter from this battalion and to say that the uniform is of no value to us and you may dispose of it as you think fit.

_____Capt.
Adjutant, 118th.O.S.Battalion,C.E.F.

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