

# Jean Templeman

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# Background

- Age: 29 years, 11 months
- Measurements: 5', 105 lbs
- Race: Caucasian
- Birthplace: Ottawa, Ontario, Canada
- Date of Birth: 06-16-1885
- Time of Enlistment: Montreal, Quebec, Canada
- Rank: Nursing Sister
- Unit: CAMC
- Next of Kin: J Templeman (Father)
- Religion: Presbyterian
- Medical Examine Results: Fit



*Original*

**ATTESTATION PAPER** No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Folio. \_\_\_\_\_

**CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE**

**QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.**  
(ANSWERS)

1. What is your name? Jean Templeman
2. In what Town, Township, or Parish, and in what Country were you born? Ottawa, Colborne Dist., Canada
3. What is the name of your next-of-kin? J. Templeman
4. What is the address of your next-of-kin? 215 Westby, Colborne, Ottawa, Canada
5. What is the date of your birth? June 16, 1885
6. What is your trade or calling? Graduate Nurse
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?  
If so, state particulars of same below. No
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

Jean Templeman (Signature of Man.)  
H. H. Folkes (Signature of Witness.)

**DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.**

I, Jean Templeman, 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.

Jean Templeman (Signature of Recruit.)  
H. H. Folkes (Signature of Witness.)  
Date June 3 1915

**OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.**

I, Jean Templeman, 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 lawfully 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.

Jean Templeman (Signature of Recruit.)  
H. H. Folkes (Signature of Witness.)  
Date June 3 1915

**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 Montreal this 3 day of June 1915.

H. H. Folkes (Signature of Justice.)

I certify that the above is a true copy of the Attestation of the above-named Recruit.

H. H. Folkes (Approving Officer.)

M. F. W. 15.

# Medical History

- Date Examined: 05-21-1915
- Place of Examination: Montreal, Quebec, Canada
- Physical Development: Good
- Vaccines: Received 2, left arm
- Diseases: Scar on left side of scalp
- Death: Presumed dead by drowning, Hospital Ship, Llandoverly Castle

**ORIGINAL MEDICAL HISTORY SHEET.**

Surname Templeman Christian Name John

Examined { on 21<sup>st</sup> day of May 1915  
 at Montreal

Birthplace { City or Town Montreal  
 County Chateau St. Louis

Approved by L. J. P. P.  
 Rank Major M.O.

Apparent age 29  
 Trade or occupation Nurse

Height 5 Feet — Inches  
 Weight 105 Lbs.

Chest measurement { Minimum 28 $\frac{1}{2}$  inches  
 Maximum expansion 30 $\frac{1}{2}$  inches

Physical development Good  
 Small-Pox Marks no

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right Left  
 Number 0 2

When Vaccinated last 1912

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease Scar on left side of scalp

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection none

Date	Result	VACCINATION
<u>4/1/15</u>		<u>L. J. P. P.</u> M.O.
		M.O.
		M.O.

Date	Result	ANTI-TYPHOID INOCULATIONS, ETC.
<u>2/1/15</u>		<u>See Milt. Chd. on no. 1</u>
<u>3/1/15</u>		<u>1000 Milt. do.</u> M.O.
<u>10/1/15</u>		<u>L. J. P. P.</u> M.O.

Enlisted on 3 day of June 1914 at Montreal

CAUSE	REG'T. NUMBER	RANK	DATE
<u>A.M.C.</u>			

Transferred to.....

**EXAMINED OR DISCHARGED BY A MEDICAL BOARD.**

STATUS	DATE	DISEASE	REMARKS

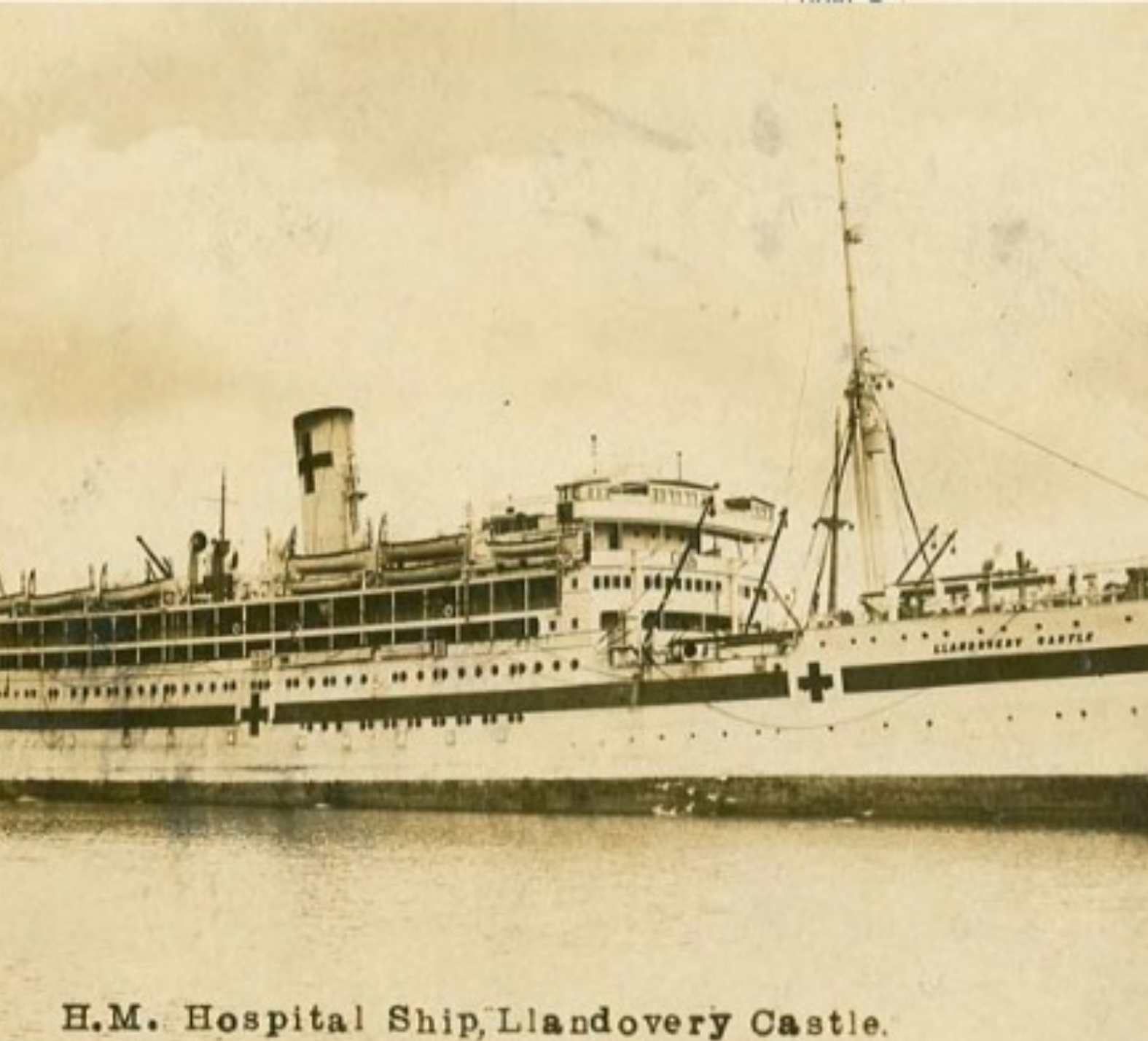
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# Locations

Location	Significance	Date
Ottawa Carleton, Ontario	Birth	June 16th, 1885
Montreal, Quebec Canada	Enlistment	June 3rd, 1915
Canadian Army Medical Corps	<b>SERVICE</b> in Canadian Expeditionary Force Nursing Sister - Canadian Army Medical Corps	June 3rd, 1915 – June 22nd, 1918
Number 1 General Hospital	<b>SERVING</b> Canadian Expeditionary Force Nursing Sister - Canadian Army Medical Corps	February 22nd, 1916
Ontario Military Hospital Orpington	<b>SERVING</b> Canadian Expeditionary Force Nursing Sister - Canadian Army Medical Corps	Unknown

# Locations continued...

Location	Significance	Date
H.M. Hospital Ship Llandoverly Castle	Canadian Expeditionary Force Nursing Sister - Canadian Army Medical Corps	Unknown
Hospital Ship Llandoverly Castle	Death – drowning when ship was sunk by a German submarine	June 27th, 1918



H.M. Hospital Ship, Llandovery Castle.

## Service

- Trade: Graduate Nurse
- Main location of service: France
- Monthly pay rate: \$40.00
- Total earnings: looked to be \$1007. 00
- Hospitals served in:
  - 1 Canadian General Hospital (Etaples, Trouville France)
  - Ontario Military Hospital Orpington
  - HMAT Llandovery Hospital Ship



# Memorial

In Memory Of Nursing Sister

JEAN TEMPLEMAN

Canadian Army Medical Corps

who died on 27 June 1918 Age 33

Daughter of Mr. J. Templeman, of 43, Arlington Avenue, Ottawa.

Remembered with Honour HALIFAX MEMORIAL Panel 2.

The dedicatory inscription said:

IN THE HONOUR OF  
THE MEN AND WOMEN  
OF THE NAVY  
ARMY AND MERCHANT NAVY  
OF CANADA  
WHOSE NAMES  
ARE INSCRIBED HERE  
THEIR GRAVES ARE UNKNOWN  
BUT THEIR MEMORY  
SHALL ENDURE.

# Reflection

- Based on what we were able to understand and find about our Nursing Sister's life we found it difficult to fully connect to her experience throughout her time serving in Military. Although her ranking wasn't indicated, seeing as she served at three different locations it can be assumed she was skilled at her duties. It was interesting to us that there were not photos of her while there were photos of other Nursing Sisters. We wonder if this could be because of how she died out at sea from a ship attack by Germans and documents may have been ruined.
- We found it interesting how on the attestation paper at the bottom it needed to be approved and signed by a male witness. We can connect this to gender roles and power. We can assume because the Nursing Sister's are women, they were not seen as equals to the men in charge of them. Furthering on this point on multiple documents it can be seen that a Major had to approve the forms as well as on a certificate of medical examination the word him was crossed out and replaced with her.

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Jean Beugnot, 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 June 5 1915 Jean Beugnot (Signature of Recruit.)  
H. H. Forbes (Signature of Witness.)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Jean Beugnot, 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 5 1915 Jean Beugnot (Signature of Recruit.)  
H. H. Forbes (Signature of Witness.)

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~~ her fit for the Canadian Over-Seas Expeditionary Force.

Date May 21 1915  
Place Adoubaud P. 2. C. R. Bourne Lieut. Col.  
Medical Officer.