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Gordon Clemmer	Waterloo	Exempt or Combatant	Judge Reade	dismissed	refused by Judge Reade.			
Shannon Brubacher	Waterloo	Exempt or Combatant	Judge Reade	dismissed	refused by Judge Reade.			
Eugene Brubacher	Waterloo	Exempt or Combatant	Judge Reade	dismissed	refused by Judge Reade			
Leander Bauman	Waterloo	Exempt or Combatant	Judge Reade	dismissed	refused by Judge Reade			
Lloyd Cressman	Waterloo	Exempt or Combatant	Judge Reade	dismissed	did not ask request.			
Stanley Brubacher	Waterloo	Exempt or Combatant	Judge Reade	dismissed	refused by Judge Reade			
Lewis Weber	Waterloo	Exempt or Combatant	Judge Reade	dismissed				



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Amos Gascho 733023 ac. Zurich ont.	431.	allowed	M.E. Messer	exempted while engaged in present occupation farming	none	—	—	—
Moses Beachler Exeter 732987 ac. Zurich ont.	431	allowed.	M.E. Messer	in present occupation allowed while engaged	none	—	—	—
Samuel Gascho 733062 Zurich	431	allowed.	M.E. Messer	Exempted while engaged in present occupation farming	—	—	—	—
David Beach 391321 mc Zurich	431.	allowed.		allowed from combatant service on account of his religious belief	—	—	—	—
Amos Beach 733095 ac Zurich ont.	431	allowed.		occupation Barber. allowed while engaged in present occupation	—	—	—	—
Michael Kessel 431. Zurich ont.		allowed.		before judge Lewis none given	—	—	—	—
Peter Gugruch 431 Zurich ont.		allowed		before judge Lewis none given	—	—	—	—

(C. Schrey  
Zurich)



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Worship  
Assembly

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Martin Levi M.	St. Jacobs, Ont		Exempt by Tribunal	# 385	Waterloo.			
Martin Simon B	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Brubacher Jno E.	Waterloo	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Shantz E.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Shantz Moses	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Martin Jacob B	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Martin Jno	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Bearinger Oyah	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Shantz Clinton	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Weber Daniel	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Benkler Alvin	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Frey Jeremiah	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Richty Norman	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Martin Jonas B	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Martin David B	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Broman Seranus	St. Jacobs,	"	"	"	"	"	"	"

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Washburn  
Bauman  
Elmira

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Menno Sauder	Elmira, Ont.		Exempt by Tribunal # 383		Elmira, Ont.			
Daniel M. Bauman	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Isaiah S. Bauman	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Ervin Burkhardt	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Ephraim W. Snider	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Clayton S. Weber	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Allan Weber	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Noah M. Bearinger	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Clayton E. Brubacher	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Peter M. Burkhardt	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
David S. Martin	West Montrose		"	"	"	"	"	"
Jonas M. Bearinger	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Sidney Lichty	Elmira		"	"	"	"	"	"
Israel B. Brubacher	"		"	"	"	"	"	"
Arton Weber	"		"	"	"	"	"	"
Nelson Weber	"		"	"	"	"	"	"
Ervin S. Gingrich	"		"	"	"	"	"	"
Ozias B. Gingrich	"		"	"	"	"	"	"
Norman Brubacher	"		"	"	"	"	"	"
Norman Gingrich	"		"	"	"	"	"	"
Urbias B. Bauman	"		"	"	"	"	"	"
Noah M. Gingrich	West Montrose		"	"	"	"	"	"
X Enoch C. Bauman	Elmira		"	"	"	"	"	"
Nathaniel E. Martin	St. Jacobs		"	"	"	"	"	"
Isaiah S. Bauman	Elmira		"	"	"	"	"	"
Amos M. Weber	"		"	"	"	"	"	"
Jos B. Martin	"		"	"	"	"	"	"
Lincoln Martin	St. Jacobs.		"	"	"	"	"	"

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Aaron M. Weber	Elmira, Ont.		Exempt by Tribunal # 383,			Elmira, Ont.		
George M. Brubacher	"	"						
Nelson Martin	"	"	"		"	"	"	
Hendel M. Martin	"	"						
Daniel M. Martin	"	"						
Clayton M. Martin	"	"	"		"	"	"	
Martin Bauman	"	"						
Leander Clemmer	"	"						
X Alvin Lichty	"	"						
Irvin W. Martin	St. Jacobs							
Emanuel Singrich	Elmira		"		"	"	"	
X Oliver Bauman	"							
Clarence Reist	"							
Eli W. Singrich	"							
Moses Bauman	"							
Menno R. Reist	"		"		"	"	"	
X Absalom Martin	"							
* Noah Frey	"		"		"	"	"	
Norman Reist	Moorefield							

\* This is the only case of which I am aware that was appealed and exemption was granted this party until July, 1918.





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Markham  
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1. Levi Hauser Markham 2. Saml Hauser (10) Markham	D E Jones Mrs Kirk	} class 8						

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Moses Dlimman St. Agatha R. 1. Ont	New Hamburg Allowed on Combatant Service Only on account of Religious Beliefs	Kitchener } Dismissed	Leave to Appeal Refused	
Noah Schmidt Baden Ont	Allowed from Combatant Service on Religious Beliefs as former is exempted from being called up for duty as a Soldier	Kitchener } Dismissed	"	
Amos Schwartzentruber Petersburg R. 2 Ont	Allowed from Combatant Service Only on account of Religious Beliefs	Kitchener } Dismissed	"	
Emanuel Jenber Pellinshausen R. 2 Ont	Allowed from Combatant Service Only on account of Religious Beliefs	Kitchener } Dismissed	"	
Noah S. Boshart Baden R. 3. Ont	Allowed from Combatant Service Only on account of Religious Beliefs	Kitchener } Dismissed	No further Appeal made	
Daniel Stimmman Baden Ont	Allowed from Combatant Service Only on account of Religious Beliefs	Kitchener } Dismissed	Appeal to Central Appeal Judge has been Refused	
Nicholas Stimmman New Hamburg R. 2. Ont	Allowed on Combatant On Only on account of Religious Beliefs	Kitchener } Dismissed	No further appeal made	

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Noah Jantz Petersburg R. 2, Ont	New Hamburg	Allowed from Combatant Service Only on Religious Beliefs	Kitchener	Dismissed	Requested to Central Judge		Not answered yet	
David Jantz Petersburg R. 2, Ont	New Hamburg	Allowed from Combatant Service Only on account of Religious Beliefs	Kitchener	Dismissed	Appealed to Central Appeal Judge		No answer as yet	
Jacob <sup>3</sup> Stimmann New Hamburg R. 2, Ont	New Hamburg	Allowed from Combatant Service Only on account of Religious Beliefs	Kitchener	Dismissed	Appealed to Central Appeal Judge		Refused	
Ezra Stimmann New Hamburg R. 2, Ont	New Hamburg	Allowed from Combatant Service Only on account of Religious Beliefs	Kitchener	Dismissed	Appealed to Central Appeal Judge		Refused	
Simon Stimmann New Hamburg R. 2, Ont	New Hamburg	Allowed from Combatant Service Only on account of Religious Beliefs	Kitchener	Dismissed	No further appeal made			
Manno L. Roth New Hamburg Ont	New Hamburg	Allowed from Combatant Service Only on account of Religious Beliefs	Kitchener	Dismissed	Appealed to Central Appeal Judge		Refused	
Simon Gasech New Hamburg R. 2, Ont	New Hamburg	Allowed from Combatant Service on account of Religious Beliefs	Kitchener	Dismissed	No further appeal made			

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Noah Boshart Petersburg Ont	New Hamburg	Allowed on combatant Service only on account of Religious Beliefs	Kitchener	Dismissed	Appeal to Central Appeal Judge has been Refused			
Benj. Herrer St. Agatha R. 1. Ont	New Hamburg	Allowed from combatant Service on account Religious Beliefs	Kitchener	Dismissed	Appeal to Central Appeal Judge has been Refused			
Abraham Herrer St. Agatha R. 1. Ont	New Hamburg	Allowed from combatant Service on account Religious Beliefs	Kitchener	Dismissed	Appeal to Central Appeal Judge has been Refused			
Manno Stimmman Baden R. 2. Ont	New Hamburg	Allowed from combatant Service only on account of Religious Beliefs	Kitchener	Dismissed	Appeal to Central Appeal Judge has not been answered yet			
Joseph B. Schwartzentruber Petersburg Ont	New Hamburg	Allowed from combatant Service on account of Religious Beliefs	Kitchener	Dismissed	Appeal to Central Appeal Judge has not been answered			
John O. Licht Wellesly Ont	New Hamburg	Allowed from combatant Service only on account of Religious Beliefs	As farmer is exempted from being called up for Duty as a Soldier no further appeal made					
Emmanuel Jasch Baden Ont	New Hamburg	Allowed from combatant Service only on account of Religious Beliefs	Kitchener	Dismissed	no further appeal made			

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Amish  
Baden

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Joel Salzman St. Catharines Ont	New Hamburg	Allowed from combatant Service on Religious Believe	Kitchener	Dismissed	Appealed to Central Appeal Judge Refused	has Been	Through Wisner	No answer as yet
Abraham Schmidt Baden Ont	New Hamburg	Allowed from Combatant Service Only on Religious Believe	Kitchener	Dismissed	"	Refused		
Lloyd Rieker Petersburg R. 2, Ont	New Kitchener	Allowed from Combatant Service on account Religious Believe	Kitchener	Dismissed	Leave to appeal Refused		Through Wisner	
Aron Gaseho Kitchener R. 4, Ont	New Hamburg	Allowed from Combatant Service on account of Religious Believe	Kitchener	Dismissed	no other appeal made			
Simon Roth Baden R. 2, Ont	New Hamburg	Allowed from Combatant Service Only on account of Religious Believe	Kitchener	Dismissed	Leave to appeal Refused			
John L. Roth New Hamburg Ont	New Hamburg	Allowed from Combatant Service on account Religious Believe	Kitchener	Dismissed	Leave to appeal Refused			
Samuel S. Roth New Hamburg Ont	New Hamburg	Allowed from combatant Service on account of Religious Believe	Kitchener	Dismissed	Leave to appeal Refused			C Goshko.

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John Roes Brunner, P.O.	Milvertown	Exempt from combatant service on religious belief	Listowel	Exempt from combatant service on religious belief	allowed		appealed	no decision yet Reported Under Suspension
Samuel Roes Brunner, P.O.	Milvertown	Exempt from combatant service on religious belief	Listowel	Exempt from combatant service on religious belief	allowed		appealed	no decision yet
David Roes Jr Brunner	Milvertown	Exempt from combatant service on religious belief	Listowel	Exempt from combatant service on religious belief				
Asaon Haffziger Brunner, P.O.	Milvertown	Exempt from combatant service on religious belief	Listowel	Exempt from combatant service on religious belief	allowed		appealed	no decision yet
John Schmitt Poole, P.O.	Milvertown	Exempt from combatant service on religious belief	Listowel	Exempt from combatant service on religious belief				
David Haffziger Milvertown R N 1	Milvertown	Exempt for farming						
Peter Rohat Milvertown	Milvertown	Exempt from combatant service on religious belief			no answer		appealed	no decision



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Aaron Jantzi Kingwood Ont R.R. 1	Milverton, no. 263. Exemption from combatant service on account of his Religious Belief			
David Zehr Millbank Ont R.R.	Milverton, no. 263. Exemption from Combatant Service on account of his Religious Belief			
Jacob. S. Zehr Millbank Ont R.R.	Milverton, no. 263. Exemption from Combatant Service on account of his Religious Belief			
Samuel. L. Gascho Kingwood Ont	Milverton, no. 263. Exemption from Combatant Service on account of his Religious Belief	Appealed but to late so appeal was not allowed. I did not understand it so I appealed to late		
Jacob. Z. Liehti Crosshill Ont	Linwood, no. 386. Exemption from Combatant Service on account of his Religious Belief			
Samuel Roth Bamberg R.R. Ont	Linwood, no. 386. Exemption from Combatant Service on account of his Religious Belief			
Joseph. Z. Roth Bamberg R.R. Ont	Linwood, no. 386. Exemption allowed until he ceases to be employed from Farming			



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Christian W Kuepfer Newton, R.R. #1. Ont.	Chas. Trim Milverton Ont. Also Malcomb MaBeth	Exempted from combat ant service on account of his religious belief	Judge Barron of Stratford, Appeal heard at Listowell.	Appeal Refused or disallowed	Leave to appeal to Central Appeal Judge granted		Yes. Acknowledged receiving our statement of reasons. No decision yet.	
Araron Kuepfer Newton, R.R. #1	Do	Do	Do	Do	Do		Do.	
Christian Steckly Milverton R.R. #2	Do	Do	Do	Do	Do		Do	
Jonathan Steckly, Milverton, R.R. #2	Do	Do	Do	Do	Do		Do.	
Nicholas Kuepfer Newton, R.R. #1.	Do	Do	Judge Barron At Stratford	Exemption allowed from combatant service Appeal refused.	They sent us notice of Hearing of Appeal at Ottawa. for Apr 17-1918.		We sent Statement Received no decision yet. I think they acknowledged receiving statements.	
Christian S Kuepfer Newton, R.R. #1.	Do	Do	Do	Do	Leave to appeal granted		Yes. Acknowledged receiving our statement of reasons No decision yet.	
Solomon S. Kuepfer Newton, R.R. #1.	Do	Do	Do	Do	Do		Do.	

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<p><i>Amish RR #1</i> <i>Millbank</i> John S. Kuepfer Newton, RR #1, but address now is Millbank RR #1, &amp; Peter Kuepfer Nicholas Herrfort Millbank RR #1,</p>	<p>Chas. Tim, Maledon McBeth, Milverton Ont.</p>	<p>Exempted from combat- ant service on account of his religious belief.</p>	<p>Judge Barron at Stratford</p>	<p>Exemption allowed from combatant service. Appeal refused</p>	<p>Leave to appeal to central Appeal Judge Granted.</p>	<p>Yes. Acknowledged receiving our statements of reasons. No decision yet.</p>		
Nicholas Herrfort Millbank RR #1,	Do	Do	Do	Do	Do	Do	Do	Do
Solomon Herrfort Millbank, RR #1,	Do	Do	Do	Do	Do	Do	Do	Do
Solomon J. Schmidt Millbank, RR #1,	Do	Do	Do	Do	Do	Do	Do	Do
Solomon W. Lehr, Millbank, RR #1, but now it is Milverton, RR #1, Noah Albrecht Linwood, I think RR #1,	Do	Do	Do	Do	Do	Do	Do	Do
	<p>at Linwood, Ont. I think Dr. McBachran is out, Mr. Robinson Shummer</p>	<p>Exemption Allowed No. 8.</p>						



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Johnathan Juntzi Wellesley Ontario.	New Hamburg	allowed from combatant service on account of religious belief.	Kitchener.	Personal appeal dismissed.				
Noah Sebald Millbank.	Milverton Ont.	Exempt from combatant service on account of his religious belief.	Tistorvel Ont.	Refused.				
Samuel S. Slichty Kingwood. Milton	Milverton.	Exempt from combatant service on account of his religious belief.					District appeal Trib. Kitchener.	allowed from combatant service only.
Milton Seis Bumbay Ont.	Timwood Ont.	Exemption allowed.	Stratford	Exemption allowed from combatant service.			Jacal Trib. Timwood.	allowed w.o. combatant service.
Amos J. Seis. Wellesley	New Hamburg	allowed from combatant service on account of religious belief.	Tondon	Exempt from combatant service only.				
Daniel O. Ab Hedskill.	Stratford	allowed on religious grounds.		appeal dismissed.				
Samuel John Fole Ont.	Milverton. Ont.	allowed from combatant service.	Stratford.	Leave to appeal to central granted.			John Bender Timwood.	

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Daniel Schrag Kennel Millbank Ont.	Milverton Ont.	Exempt from Combatant Service on account of his belief.						
Christian C. Roth. Wellesley Ont.	New Hamburg Ont.	allowed from Combatant Service, only on account of religious belief.	Tondon Ont.	allowed from Combatant Service only. Personal appeal dismissed.			appealed to Ottawa	but no answer.
David P. Steckely Brunner Ont.	Milverton Ont.	Exempt from combatant service on account of religious belief.	Stratford Ont.	allowed from combatant service only. Leave to appeal to central granted.			appealed to Ottawa, but can't tell	decision before 26 <sup>th</sup> April
Christian S. Streicher. Wellesley Ont.	New Hamburg	allowed from combatant service, on account of religious belief.						
George S. Bast. Wellesley Ont.	New Hamburg	Exempt from combatant service on account of religious belief.						
Aaron S. Bast Wellesley Ont.	Kitchener	allowed from combatant service on account of his religious belief.						
Jacob S. Roth. Badew Ont.	Kitchener Ont. New Hamburg	allowed from combatant service & religious belief.	Kitchener Ont.	allowed from combatant service & religious belief. appeal dismissed.			appealed to Ottawa through Wismer,	but no answer, C S Zehr Wellesley

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Noah Steinmann Millbank Ont.	Milverton Ont.	Exempt on account of religious belief from Combatant Service.						
Daniel G. Steinmann Wellesley Ont.	New Hamburg Ont.	allowed from combatant service on account of religious belief						
Joseph R. Teis Wellesley Ont.	New Hamburg Ont.	allowed from Combatant Service.	Kitchener Ont.	allowed from Combatant Service. Personal appeal dismissed.				
Christian R. Streicher Wellesley Ont.	New Hamburg Ont.	allowed from combatant service on account of religious belief.						
Peter J. Steckley Wellesley Ont.	New Hamburg Ont.	allowed from combatant service on account of religious belief.	Kitchener Ont.	allowed from combatant service on account of religious belief. appeal dismissed.				
Moses O. Erb Wellesley Ont.	New Hamburg Ont.	allowed from combatant service only on account of religious belief.	Kitchener Ont.	appeal dismissed.				
Samuel O. Erb Wellesley Ont.	New Hamburg Ont.	allowed from combatant service only. Personal appeal dismissed.	Kitchener Ont.	appeal dismissed.				

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