

1955

Obediah Simpson, the first settler in
Brighton Township.
The following items of interest, are certified
and correct copies: elsewhere in the History
Book are other facts relating to the Simpson
Family.

Mr. Obediah Simpson, of Capt. Haws' Company,
Col. Strang's Reg. of West Chester County, Militia,
is unfit for military service, by reason of a
lame leg.

R. Adams - Surg.

Nov. 24th 1791.

The bearer Obediah Simpson, thirty years of age,
born in North Carolina, professing the Christian
religion, and by trade a ship-carpenter, having
been this day examined by me, and taken the oaths
prescribed by law, is, recommended, for a location
of two hundred acres of land within this district,
provided it does not appear from the Surveyor's
Books, that he has any prior grant of lands in
any part of this Province.

Given under my hand at
Aldolphus Town this third
day of January, one thousand
seven hundred and ninety five.
(1795)

Alex. Fisher J. P.

To the Deputy
Surveyor of the
Midland District.