



THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 5645 Name Abner Oates Corps Meth.

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment

- | | |
|--|------------------------------|
| 1. What is your name? | 1. <u>Abner Oates</u> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>Norris Point</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. What is your age? | 4. <u>19</u> Years |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>Clerk</u> |
| 6. Are you Married? | 6. <u>No</u> |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? | 7. <u>No</u> |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? | 8. <u>Yes</u> |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? | 9. <u>Yes</u> |
| 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? | 10.) Name |
| |) Corps <u>Yes</u> |
| 11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? | 11. <u>Yes</u> |

I, Abner Oates 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 made.

.....Abner Oates.....SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

.....P. R. Power.....Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

1. Abner Oates 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, according to the conditions of my service.

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

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 on this 10 day of June 1915.

Signature of Attesting Officer P. R. Power

†CERTIFICATE OF APPROVING OFFICER.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the.....

If enlisted by special authority, such will be attached to the original attestation.

Date.....1915.....

Place.....} Approving Officer.

† The signature of the Approving Officer is to be affixed in the presence of the Recruit.
‡ Here insert the "Corps" for which the Recruit has been enlisted.

* If so, Recruit is to be asked the particulars of his former service, and to produce, if possible, his Certificate of Discharge and Certificate of Character, which should be returned to him conspicuously endorsed in red ink, as follows, viz:—(Name).....re-enlisted in the (Regiment).....on the (Date).....

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

Applicable to all ranks. To correspond with entries on the Medical History Sheet.

Name Abner Oates
 Apparent age 19 years months. Height 5 feet 9 1/2 inches
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 35 inches
 Range of expansion 4 inches
 Distinctive marks

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Robert Oates
Norris Point | Relationship Father
Bonne Bay Particulars as to Marriage
(a) Christian and Surname of Woman to whom married, and whether spinster or widow. (b) Place and date of marriage.
 (c) Present address. (d) Initials of Officer verifying entry.

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)

Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	Promotion, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from _____									
Joined at _____ on _____									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to _____ [date of discharge] _____ years _____ days
 " " Pensions " [" "] " " "

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on this 10 day of June 1915

Signature of Attesting Officer Edwards Lieut.

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Date 191

Place

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					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>10-6-18</u>									
Joined at <u>Norris</u> on <u>June 10-18</u>									
		<u>Admiral Barracks</u>	<u>Hospital</u>	<u>22-6-18</u>					
		<u>Discharges</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>22-7-18</u>					
<u>Discharges Medically unfit</u>									<u>26-7-18</u>
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to 26-7-1918 (date of discharge) 47 years 47 days
 " " Pensions " [" "] " " "

C.R.

5645

Extract from list of men of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment discharged on various dates.

5645 Pte. A.Oates,

Discharged 26 - 7 - 18, K.R. & R

C.R. 5645

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal
N214, Regt. St. John's, dated July 25, 1918.

#5645 Pte. A. Oates.

Discharged from Barracks Hospital 22-7-18

C.R. 5645

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal Wfld.
Regt St. John's, dated July 27, 1918.

#5645 Pte. A. Oates.

Struck off the strength 26-7-18 authority K.R. & R. para
392 sub-section (iii) (c)

CR. 5645

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal
Nfld. Regt. St. John's, dated June 22, 1918.

#5645 Pte. A. Oates

Admitted to Barracks Hospital June 21, 1918.

C.R. 5645
Counter No.

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The Management may decline to forward the Message, though it has been received for transmission ; but in case of so doing shall refund to the Sender the amount paid for its transmission.

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I request that the following Telegram may be forwarded according to the foregoing Conditions, by which I agree to abide.

(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender _____ Address _____
St. John's

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent by	Check

Dated July 11, 1918

To Mrs. Robert Oates, Norris Point.

Beg to inform you that your son
Pte. Abner Oates is very much improved.

Lieut. Col. W.F. Rendell, C.S.O.

FOR TYPEWRITER

C.R. 5645

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line No.

30

Sent by

Revd by

Class

10/

No.

Place from

St. John's

To

Melita



How is my son pte
 Abner Oats please
 reply immediately
 Mrs Robt. Oates
 My much improved

C.R. 5645
Counter No.

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender _____ Address Dept of Militia.

Line Number	Recd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated June 29th, 1918

To Mrs. Robert Oates, Norris Point

condition 5645 Pte. Ebner Oates very much improved
in Barrack's Hospital.

W.F. Rendell, Lieut. Col
Chief Staff Officer.

CR 5645
Counter No.

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender Mrs. Robert Oates Address Norrispoint

Line Number	Recd	By	Sent by	Check

Dated **June 28th. 1918.**

To **Minister of Militia.**

Kindly wire immediately how 5645 Pte.

Abner Oates is.

Mrs. Robert Oates.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line No. 107 Sent by M Rec'd by _____ Check 9/- No. _____

Place from North point St

To Minister of mil



Kindly wire immediately how 5645 the abner Dates is.

Mrs Robert Dates

Condition very much improved in Banacks Hospital.

C.R. 5645

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11, from Unit The Royal Wfld.,
Regiment, St. John's, dated June 11th 1918.

5645, Pte. Abner Oates.

Attested for General Service with The Royal Wfld., Regiment,
10/6/18.

Wates, Abner

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May Sept.

This space to be left blank for the Chelsea Number.

Army Form B. 268.

Proceedings on Discharge.

(When forwarded for confirmation the documents named on page 4 should be enclosed.)

No.	<u>5645</u>	Army Rank	<u>Private</u>
Name	<u>Dates Abner</u> (The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)		
Corps	<u>THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.</u>		
Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &c.	<u>St. John's. Nfld.</u> (If attached to the Regular Establishment of the Special Reserve or Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force, &c., or to General Staff of the Army, it should be so stated.)		
Date of discharge	<u>July 76th</u>		
Place of discharge	<u>St. John's Nfld.</u>		
1.	Description at the time of discharge.		
Age	<u>19</u> years	months	Descriptive marks.
Height	<u>5</u> feet	<u>9 1/2</u> inches	
Chest measure-ment	girth when fully expanded <u>35</u> ins.		
	range of expansion <u>4</u> ins.		
Complexion	<u>Ruddy</u>		
Eyes	<u>Blue</u>		
Hair	<u>Light Brown</u>		
Trade	<u>Fisherman</u>		
Intended place of residence (To be given as fully as practicable)	<u>Home Bay.</u>		
(The measurements and description should be carefully taken on the day the man leaves his unit, but in the case of men sent home from abroad for discharge, the age and intended place of residence should be left blank to be filled in by the Officer who confirms the discharge at home.)			
2.	The above-named man is discharged in consequence of <u>boathitton wear and shiden</u> <u>(not due to Military service)</u>		
(The cause of discharge must be worded as prescribed in the King's Regulations and be identical with that on the discharge certificate. If discharged by superior authority, the No. and date of the letter to be quoted.)			
3.	Military character:—		
4.	Character awarded in accordance with King's Regulations:—		
Certified that the above is an accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 2067* and that Army Form D. 489 was awarded in this case.			
			Initials of Commanding Officer.
Army Form B. 2088 has been issued to*			

5. He is in possession of the following number of G.C. badges (if the man is a N.C.O. and enlisted prior to 1st July, 1881, the number he would have been entitled to had he not been promoted should be stated).

Is it probable that he will be entitled to another good conduct badge before the confirmation of these proceedings?

Classification for service, or proficiency pay... .. Class _____

6. Campaigns, Medals and Decorations

Certificate of education

7. His accounts are correct, balanced, and I have impartially inquired into all matters brought before me in accordance with Regulations.

(Place) HEADQUARTERS
(Date) 10-6-18
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

R.H. East Capt
Commanding Depot Battn. R.Nfld Regiment.

8. Certificate to be signed by the soldier on discharge.

I hereby acknowledge that I have received all my pay and allowances (including clothing allowance), and all just demands up to the present date, subject to the reservations of the claims noted on the 3rd page.

(Place) HEADQUARTERS
(Date) 10-7-18
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

A. Oates (Signature of Soldier)
W. H. Russell (Signature of Witness)
Asst Adjutant
Depot The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

(When a soldier is absent through illness or any other cause, and it is not desirable to forward them to him for signature, a manuscript copy should be sent for the man to sign, and when returned should be attached here.)

9. Additional certificate in the case of a soldier who takes his discharge at his own request.

I hereby declare that I do of my own free will request to be discharged from His Majesty's Service.

(Signature of Soldier)

10. Statement of service.

Service towards engagement to _____ (the date to which the record of service is completed) _____ years _____ days.

Further service " " _____ (the date of confirmation of discharge) " " "

10-6-18 to 26-7-18

Total 16 "

11. Confirmation of discharge.

The discharge of the above-named man is hereby confirmed for _____ (date)

(Place) _____

Signature _____

(Date) _____

Commanding officers (or the Paymaster if at Netley) will issue to every discharged soldier whose claim to pension, either on account of service or disability, is to be brought under the consideration of the Chelsea Board, a memorandum for his guidance on Army Form D. 401, and will at the same time transmit to the Secretary, Royal Hospital Chelsea, a descriptive return of the man on Army Form D. 400.

To be Noted

Part II. Orders
Card Index *2599*



The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

REPORT OF HEADQUARTERS TRAVELLING BOARD HELD ON SOLDIER ON REGIMENTAL STRENGTH

Depot: Headquarters, Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date *June* 19*18*.

F.

Regimental No. *5625*

Name *A. Dado*

Address

Disease or Disability *Constitutional weak. + Bladder*

Finding of last Standing Medical Board,

held on _____ 19____

Present Condition *not due to military service*

Recommendation *Discharge*

Category

Members
of
Board

R. H. [Signature]

O. C. Depot

L. [Signature]
T. [Signature]

D. D. M. S.

M. O. Depot

To be used only for Special Reserve Recruits, and for Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Oates

Christian Name Abner

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish Bonne Bay County Newfoundland

	SPECIAL RESERVE		REGULAR ARMY	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined	on	10 day of June 1918	on	day of 191
	at	St. John's	at	
Declared Age		19 years		years
Trade or Occupation		Yosterman		
Height		5 feet 9 1/2 inches		feet inches
Weight		131 lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth, when fully expanded	35 inches		inches
		Range of Expansion	11 inches	inches
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Arm			
	Number			
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R.E.—V=	6/9	R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=	6/9	L.E.—V=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection	(b)		(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	<u>L. Munnell Abner</u>			
(Rank)	<u>Major</u>			
		Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at	St. John's	at	
	on	10 day of June 1918	on	day of 191
		Corps.		Corps
		Regtl. No.		Regtl. No.
Joined on Enlistment		Royal Nfld 56145		
		Regiment.		
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by	on	day of 191	on	day of 191
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Medical Examination Held at Headquarters

1. Name Abner Oates Age (a) Declared 19 JUN 10 1918
(b) Apparent

2. Do you know of anything wrong with you? No.

What severe illnesses have you had? None

Eyes Blue.
Comp. Medium
Mark's

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3. Height 5' 9 1/2 Weight 157
4. Eyesight (a) Left 6/9 (b) Right 6/9
5. Physical Defects (Examine after strenuous exercise) n

6. Examination of Lungs n
Measurement (a) Expiration 31 (b) Inspiration 35

7. Examination of Heart n

8. Examination of Urine ✓

9. Examination of Mouth—(Defective Speech)
Teeth }
Throat }
Nose }
Ears—(Otorrhea) }
(Deafness) } +

10. Have you been successfully vaccinated, and when? No.

11. Name and address of next of kin Father, Robert, Bonnell Bay, Harris, P.R.

REMARKS--

A. H.

Arthur. H. Bonnell
Archibald

Medical Examiners.

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Forms
B 121.
39.

Regiment of Royal Newfoundland Signature of O. C. Company C. Dicks

Number of Sheet One

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay
No.	<u>5645</u>	Age on	<u>19</u> years <u>00</u> months	<u>Farmer</u>	
Joined	<u>Abner Oates</u>	Place and Date of Enlistment	<u>10/6/78</u>	Religion	
Joined			<u>St John</u>	<u>Meth</u>	
Joined		Period of	with Colours <u>47</u> years	Place of Birth	
Joined			with Reserve <u>365</u> years	<u>St John Bay</u>	

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Name of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
				<u>Medically Unfit</u>	<u>St John's</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>78</u>		

To be carried over.

Reg. No. 5645 Rank. Pte Name Oakes, Abner. J. boy

Attested 10-6-18 Address Morris Point, Bonne B.

Allotment Allottee

Date of Allotment Returned from Overseas

Embarked for Overseas Cause

11 6/18 Vacc.

22 6/18 Admitted to Barracks Hos.

22-7-18 Discharged from " " 3 days off duty

July. Near Quarters travelling by the discharge
constitutional wear & bleed.

26-7-18 Struck of the strength

2
June 12 / 1918
Bonne Bay



Depot
5645

Dear Sir

Will you kindly accept these few words from me on account of my son Abner Cates of Bonne Bay who enlisted about three ^{weeks} ago but could ^{not} go to St. John's not before June ~~6~~ being he was so sick just could manage to put on his cloths for to go. He was so eager to go no one persuaded him to stay he manage to walk & enlisted on known to father & mother. Their only son & support but still if he was well & strong we would be quite satisfied it would be just as well for him to go as another's one son. I must say Dr Fisher of Curbing treated him for a year for one artist broken and one cracked in his nose caused a bleeding & still bleeds up to the time he was home. Dr Morely told us he had a pulse out of place in his stomach, and besides he have two scaled feet plain to be seen. He has been sick since since childhood I have been tending him like a infant ^{all} of this

spring. for God sake cant any thing be done to get him back can he
be physical fit for Army. Bin in Capt he got for if the last treatment
was for kidneys troubles. Try to ~~send~~ see if the Dr would
sign through i am doubtful if he is fit. ~~that~~ the surgeon
for God sake can I get an exc. exemption for my sick boy
i am afraid he will die in drill.

I obliged

Mrs Robert Gates
Farris Point
Bonnie Bay.

a/c. sept

Will you have this
matter attended to by

the Surgeon
Newfoundland
Sept 20
COMMANDING

In barracks hospital
under observation.

July 27th, 1918

From Officer Commanding,
Depot

To Paymaster and Officer i/c Records,
Militia Department

Strength Decreases

Undernoted please find list of men who have been discharged from Regimental Strength on recommendation of Headquarters Travelling Board. Their Company Pay Accounts have been squared up to and including date of discharge. Complete documents on file at Depot in connection with them are sent herewith, together with receipts for same, which please sign and return.

<u>No.</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Date of Dischg.</u>	<u>Allotment</u>
4631	Pte. Thos. Flynn	26-7-18	60/-
5645	" Abner Oates	26-7-18	None
4763	" Ernest Taylor	26-7-18	None
5608	" Herbert Gillingham	26-7-18	50/-

June 24th, 1918

To Mrs. Robert Oates,
Norris Point,
Bonne Bay

Dear Madam,

Your letter of June 12th to the Military Service Board concerning your plea of exemption for your son Abner has been passed to me.

He is now under observation by the doctors and if in their opinion he is unfit for service and unable to continue the training, steps will no doubt be taken to discharge him.

Yours truly,

Captain
Acting O.C. Depot.

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