

2525



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 2525 Name E. Ford Taylor Corps

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

- 1. What is your name? 1. Eugene Ford Taylor
- 2. What is your full Address? { 2. 5 Mace St. St. John's
- 3. Are you a British Subject? 3. Yes
- 4. What is your age? 4. 20 Years 0 Months
- 5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. Engineer
- 6. Are you Married? 6. No
- 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? 7. No
- 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? 8. Yes
- 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? 9. Yes
- 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?..... 10. { Name
Corps
- 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. Yes

I, E. Ford Taylor 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.

E. Ford Taylor SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

A. Outbridge Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I 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 at St. John's on this 18 day of Apr, 1916

Signature of Attesting Officer A. Outbridge

†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 191 } Approving Officer.
Place

† 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)



This Form is to be used in connection with Pamph. M. E. (1)
N. F. 1915

In the spaces below should be entered the findings in the routine of examination set forth in the Appendix. Care should be exercised that each finding be entered after the number below which corresponds to the number of that test.

Examination of *Eugene Fred. Taylor*

aged *19.* conducted at *C. B. B.*

Date: *March 25/16* Recruiting Officer:

NO OF TEST FINDING

- 1 *No.*
- 2 *No.*
- 3 *No.*
- 4 *No.*
- 5 *No.*
- 6 *No.*
- 7 *Yes.*
- 8 *Yes*
- 9 *"*
- 10 *"*
- 11 *"*
- 12 *xx*
- 13 *"*
- 14 *"*
- 15 *"*
- 16 *"*
- 17 *"*
- 18 *"*
- 19 *b/p Both*
- 20 *"*
- 21 *"*
- 22 *"*
- 23 *"*
- 24 *Keeps little toe. to be amputated. or.*
- 25 *"*
- 26 *"*
- 27 *"*
- 28 *"*
- 29 *"*
- 30 *"*
- 31 *"*
- 32 *"*
- 33 *"*
- 34 *5'8"*
- 35 *154 lbs*
- 36 *36/38*
- 37 *13²⁰ week*
- 38 *parents*
- 39 *None*

Wet 27 on discs

to Hospital

25-25

M Eugene Taylor & Marie SA

L. Peterson

C.R. 2525

Extract from Nominal Roll of Mfld. Regt. Draft No. 17
from 2nd Bn. Depot, to 1st Bn. B.E.F. Embarked South-
ampton, 1-8-17.

2525 L/Cpl. E.F. Taylor.

2525

5 Mar 18

March 5/18

Major Rendell

Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of Photographs of my three sons with thanks,

Yours obedient servant

E. J. Taylor

Major Rendell
Dept of Militia

C.R. 2525

Extract of Communication received from Pay & Record Office,
London, dated October 15, 1917.

#2525 Lance Corporal F.E. Taylor.

Posted as "Missing" 14/4/17. and presumed Dead for
official purposes 17/11/17.

C.R. 2525

Extract of cablegram received from Pay & Record
Office, London dated May 11, 1917.

#2525 Lance Corporal Taylor.

"Missing" April 14th.

May 11th, 7.
_____ 191

Sir,

Dear

I regret to have to inform you that a report has this day been received from the Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, to the effect that
No. 2526, L. Corp. E. Fred Taylor,
_____ missing April 14th.

has been posted as _____

Should any further information be received concerning him, such information will be at once communicated to you.

Yours faithfully,

Mr. E. F. Taylor,
5 Maxse St.

Colonial Secretary.

C.R. 2026

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's for Overseas,
per S.S. "Siolian" July 19, 1916.

2525 Pte. Taylor H.F.

C.R. 2525

E. Fred Taylor

was attested for General

Service with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT ON March 27th 1916

Regimental No. 2525 was allotted to Pte E.F. Taylor.

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger;

Dept. of Militia.

March 25th 1919

E. G. Taylor.

C.R.

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Per. 0

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Taylor

OF
Christian Name Eugene F

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish _____ County _____

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <u>25</u> day of <u>April</u> 191 <u>6</u>		on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>	
	at <u>St John's</u>		at _____	
Declared Age	<u>20</u> years — days		years _____ days	
Trade or Occupation	<u>Engineer</u>			
Height	<u>5'</u> feet <u>8</u> inches		feet _____ inches	
Weight	<u>154</u> lbs.		lbs. _____	
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded... <u>38</u> inches		inches _____	
	Range of expansion... <u>2</u> inches		inches _____	
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Arm _____		Right _____	
	Number _____		Left _____	
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R.E.—V= <u>6/6</u>		R.E.—V=_____	
	L.E.—V= <u>6/6</u>		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>Henry J. Peterson</u>			
(Rank)	<u>Major</u> Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at <u>St John's</u>		at _____	
	on <u>25</u> day of <u>April</u> 191 <u>6</u>		on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>	
Joined on Enlistment	Corps. _____		Corps. _____	
	Regtl. No. <u>12 Newfoundland Regt 7575</u>		Regtl. No. _____	
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by	on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>		on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>	
(Signature)				
(Rank)				



Office Copy.
Army Form O. 1625.

PAY LIST. to **191** Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps
No. *2525* Rank *Sergeant* Name *Taylor E.F.*
Died (*intestate*) at *France* on the *14* of *April* 191*7*.
Deserted at *MISSING 17-11-17* on the of 191*7*.
PRESUMED DEAD 17-11-17

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

{ *Commanding Squadron, Troop,
Battery or Company.*

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

Form 1.

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month				Balance Cr. last month <i>14/4/17</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>3 1/2</i>
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at from to			
	191	£	s.	d.	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to			
	"				Messing allowance days at from to			
	"				Kit allowance			
	Consolidated stoppage				Amount produced by the sale of Effects from Form 2			
					Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
					Deferred Pay or Gratuity			
	Balance due by the Paymaster	<i>5</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>3 1/2</i>	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£				<i>5</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>3 1/2</i>

CHECKED.
Al.
30-5-18.

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ 5 11 3 1/2 is correctly chargeable against the Public^(b).

Dated at this day of **30 MAY 1918** 191 *Paymaster.*

(a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with Army Form B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.
(b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

4703/490.

O. G.

2/1st. Newfoundland Regt.

F.M/W.M.F.

November 8th 8 .

Ayr..

2525, PTE. E. F. TAYLOR.

C Coy.

The above soldier was employed as
cook at St. John's from 9/8/18 to
11/6/18 = 3 days @ 50¢ = \$1.50. ✓

Kindly credit his account and quote
this memo as authority, please.

Paymaster A.D. i/c Records. ^{Capt.}

*Adjusted C/o Coy Shunt
Paid Oct 25 - Nov 24*

Taylor L.F.

2525

Ray Dept

ORIGINAL.

Army Form O. 1635

PAY LIST.

to

191

Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps

No. 2525

Rank = L/Opl.

Name Taylor, E.F.

Died (a) Intestate at France

on the 14 of April

1917.

Deserted at

MISSING 14/4-17.

on the of

191

PRESUMED DEAD 17-11-17

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

Commanding Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

Form 1.

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.	
	Balance Dr. last month				Balance Cr. last month ..14/4/17.....	5	11	3½	
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at from to				
		£	s.	d.	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to				
	191				Messing allowance days at				
	"				from to				
	"				Kit allowance				
	"				Amount produced by the sale of Effects from				
	Consolidated stoppage								
	Balance due by the Paymaster	5	11	5½	Balance due to the Paymaster				
		£	5	11	5½		5	11	5½

This account is in accordance with information received at the Pay & Record Office to 31/5/18 and is therefore subject to amendment if, and as may be found necessary.

CHECKED.

31-5-18.

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ 5 11 5½ is correct.

Dated at

this

day of



191

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE

- (a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to the War Office (Army) Form B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.
- (b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

ORIGINAL.

Army Form O. 1625.

PAY LIST.

to

191 . Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps

No. 2525

Rank = L/Opl.

Name Taylor, E.F.

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on the 14 of April

1917 .

Deserted at MISSING 14/4-17.

on the of

191 .

PRESUMED DEAD 17-11-17

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

(Commanding Squadron, Troop,
Battery or Company.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

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	Balance Dr. last month				Balance Cr. last month ..14/4/17.....	5	11	3½	
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at from to				
		£	s.	d.	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to				
	191				Messing allowance days at from to				
	"				Kit allowance				
	"				Amount produced by the sale of Effects from				
	Consolidated stoppage								
	Balance due by the Paymaster	5	11	3½	Balance due to the Paymaster				
		£	5	11	3½	£	5	11	3½

This account is in accordance with information received at the Pay & Record Office to 31/5/18 and is therefore subject to amendment if, and as may be found necessary.

CHECKED,
A.C.
31-5-18.

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ 5 11 3½ is correctly chargeable against the **NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.**

Dated at this day of 31 MAY 1918 191



A.C. *[Signature]*
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/O RECORDS
Paymaster.

(a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office Army Form B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.
(b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

1825
Mr Taylor attached Depot, Agt

Working pay as cook whilst attached to the
Headquarters of John's - 3 days at 50 ¹⁵⁰

Authority:

By letter Lt Col Abercrombie, 5/1/6



ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE



To the Officer in Charge of Records,

The Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.

NO STAMP REQUIRED

Dept. of Militia,

St. John's.

.....1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of
the late No. 2525 Rank 2/651

Name Eugene F. Taylor

Royal Newfoundland Regt.

E. F. Taylor (Sgd.)

..... Relationship.

Address.....

Fold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.

Fold Here

SEP 28 1921.

The accompanying **Victory Medal** and/or **British War Medal**
is/are forwarded herewith to

Mr. E.F. Taylor (Father)

in respect of his service as No. 2525 Rank Pte.

Name E. Fred. Taylor Royal Nfld. Regt.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received _____

Signature E. F. Taylor

Date October 12/21

Address 5 Mary St

[P.T.O.]

Army Form B. 103.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regimental Number GR. 2525

Rank Private Surname Taylor Christian Name E. Fred **2380**
 Regiment or Corps 2/1 Newfoundland Regt

Religion Methodist Age on Enlistment 20 years 0 months.
 Enlisted (a) St John's Terms of Service (a) Duration Service reckons from (a) 6-11-16

Date of promotion to present rank 6-11-16 Date of appointment to last rank 6-11-16
 Extended { } Re-engaged { } Qualification (b) None
 or Corps Trade and Rate 20 NOV 1917



Signature of Officer [Signature] Records.

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c. during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked <u>Shampten</u>		<u>12 17</u>	
		Disembarked ... <u>Rouen</u>		<u>22 17</u>	
		Joined Battalion <u>France</u>		<u>17 2 17</u>	<u>B 213</u>
<u>15 APR 1917</u>	<u>OC. Bd.</u>	<u>MISSING</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>14 APR 1917</u>	<u>B 213</u>

[Signature]

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.
 (b) Signaller, Shoeling-Smith, &c.

[P.T.O.]

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

W. F. Griffith & Sons Ltd., Printers, Old Bailey, E.C. Forms
B. 121.
39.
(504) W5017/2124 1000m 4/15es 53 56

Regiment of 1st Newfoundland

Signature of O. C. Company

Number of Sheet

First
W. H. E. D. S. J.
Major

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No.	<u>Naylor, C. J.</u>	Age on	<u>20</u> years — months	<u>Engineer</u>	
Joined	<u>Depot</u> Date <u>4/8/16</u>	Place and Date of Enlistment	<u>St. John's</u> <u>March 27/1916</u>	Religion	
Joined	Date	Period of	<u>with Colours</u> <u>1</u> years. <u>with Reserve</u> <u>3</u> years.	Place of Birth	
Joined	Date			<u>Meth</u>	<u>Appointed L/C. 6/11/16</u>
Joined	Date			<u>St. John's.</u>	

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
<u>Depot</u>	<u>8/27/16</u>	<u>Pvt.</u>		<u>Traitoring to camp</u> <u>with an order</u>	<u>Cpl. Romaine</u>	<u>3 days C.B.</u>	<u>28/16</u>	<u>Capt. Fox</u>	<u>R.P.H.</u>
"	<u>6/16</u>	"		<u>Not complying with orders</u> <u>chance to an N.C.O.</u>	<u>Corp. Cole.</u> <u>Corp. Leitch</u>	<u>3 days C.B.</u>	<u>7/16</u>	<u>Capt. Ledingham</u>	<u>R.P.H.</u>
				<u>Missing 14</u> <u>4/17</u>					
				<u>To be carried over</u>					