



# First Newfoundland Regiment

## ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 1456

Name in full Patrick Flynn Age 31

Address Gaulds Bay Bulls Road

~~Married~~  ~~Single~~  Height 5ft 9 in Weight 145

Color dark Hair black Eyes grey

Other distinguishing marks scar on left leg

Nearest relative Mother Marshall Stinson

Address Petty Harbour Road

Dependents None

Occupation Expressman Present Wage 1 sh 6 p

Previous service

Decorations

General Remarks

Date of Enlistment April 22/15

I, Patrick Flynn, do sincerely promise and swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty, and that I will faithfully serve His Majesty in any place where I may be needed (or in the Colony of Newfoundland, as the case may be), against all His enemies and opposers whatsoever, according to the condition of my service.

Patrick Flynn

Declared before me this 27 day of April 1915  
Montgomery Capt



Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth	(d)
		Verified from certificate.

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Re-serve 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 <b>Ap. 23/15</b>									
Joined at <b>St. John's</b> on <b>Ap. 23/15</b>									
<del>Reported Med. Dept 17/15</del>									
Embarked <b>St John's S. Colerian</b> for <b>UK</b> <b>20<sup>th</sup> 6/15</b>									Subject <b>Canadian</b> <b>Arrived 18<sup>th</sup> 7/16</b>
Valy. <b>10<sup>th</sup> 15<sup>th</sup> 3/16</b>									
To <b>Newfoundland</b> for discharge <b>4-4-16</b>									
Discharged <b>Medically Dept</b>									
<b>St John's</b>									<b>114-10-16</b>
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to <b>114-10-16</b> (date of discharge) <b>1</b> years <b>175</b> days									
" " " Pension " " " " " " " " " " " "									

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS  
VETERANS' BUREAU

TO Director,  
War Service Records.

OTTAWA, June 14, 1950

For attention of Mr. A. E. Heatley

SUBJECT #1456 - ELYNN, Patrick

File No. 614-P.

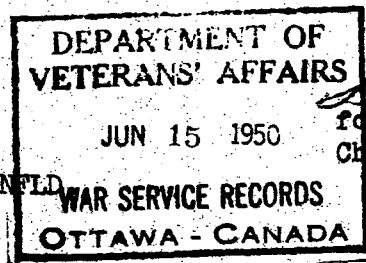
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Charge to

The above-noted in making an application for pension has stated that on his way to England in 1915 aboard the "CALGARIAN" they called at the Azores and picked up some German prisoners of War, and before proceeding to England stopped off at Gibraltar for a couple of days.

If this statement can be corroborated through your Directorate, the man could become an applicant for pension in accordance with the Pension Act.

Might this office be supplied with this information if available, please.

TSE/MC  
BUFF : ST. JOHN'S, Nfld



*J. S. Sutton*  
for  
Chief Pensions Advocate.

# 1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

P. O. BOX No. 1242

TELEPHONE No. 351

CABLES AND TELEGRAMS TO  
"PAYDEPT."  
ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND

ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO BE  
ADDRESSED TO THE  
PAYMASTER

## PAY DEPARTMENT

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

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Account of Pte. P. Flynn, Regtl No. 1456

From March 31st. to April 28th, 1916

Pay	28 days @ 1.10	30.80	
Subsistence Allowance	50	<u>14.00</u>	<u>44.80</u>
Payments			
	April 22nd, 1916	15.00	
		<u>5.00</u>	20.00
Balance due at April 28th, 1916			<u>24.80</u>
			<u>44.80</u>

Received from the Paymaster the sum of twenty four dollars and eighty cents, in full settlement of balance due me by the ~~1st~~ Newfoundland Regiment

St. John's, Nfld.  
May 1st, 1916

Witness.

*Pte Patrick Flynn*

*Pat Flynn*

No 1429



# 1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ALLOTMENTS

I, Patrick Flynn, Regl. No. 1456

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of 20 Dollars and 00 Cents, per diem, from my Pay, to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person <sup>and</sup> or Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person <sup>and</sup> or Persons concerned, viz.:

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
1	Friend	Mrs Mary Joseph	Ruby Rd	50
2		Ruby		
1				
0				
Commemorating June 12 <sup>th</sup>				
Total Allotment, \$				50

NOTE.—This form must be completed by the Officer Commanding Company, signed by the Volunteer, countersigned by the Officer Commanding Company and handed to the Paymaster as authority to make the required payments on application.

(Sig.)

Officer Commanding

Company

*[Signature]*  
June 24  
1915

(Sig.)

(Rank)

*[Signature: Pat Flynn]*  
*[Rank: Pte]*



C.R. 1456

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

#1456 Pte. Patrick, Flynn, discharged April 30th 1916,  
Medically unfit.

C.R. 1456

The following Man Returning by Scandinavian Mar. 31, 1916

1456 Flynn.

C.R. 1456

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's, Ter Overseas, per  
S.S. "Calgarion" June, 19. 1915. "F".

1456 Pte. Flynn P.

Enlisted 23/4/15





# 1st Newfoundland Regiment

## HEADQUARTERS

St. John's, Newfoundland,  
October 14th. 1916.

To  
2/Lt. Jas. M. Howley,  
Pay Office.

No. 1456-Pte. P. Flynn is discharged from the Newfoundland Regiment from this date, October 14th/16. I am paying this man his full pay to date of discharge. Please arrange discharge papers etc.

Chas. N. Ayle Capt.

Newfoundland Regt

Pte. Flynn was sent back from Ayr, Scotland, <sup>Med. 11th Lt.</sup> & was taken on the strength at Headquarters for Pioneer work. His work lately has not been very satisfactory & because of that he is being discharged.

CNA

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

### MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Flynn.

OF  
Christian Name

Patrick.

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish

Newfoundland

County

	<u>SPECIAL RESERVE.</u>		<u>REGULAR ARMY.</u>	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined	21	April	1915	191
	at	St. John's.	at	
Declared age	31	years		days
Trade or occupation	Expressman.		years	days
Height...	5	feet	9	inches
Weight	145 lbs.		feet	inches
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded		37	inches
	Range of expansion		4	inches
Physical development	Right	Left	Right	Left
Vaccination marks	Arm...			
	Number			
When vaccinated	Never.			
Vision	R.E.—V.=	6/6	R.E.—V.=	
	L.E.—V.=		L.E.—V.=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection	(b)	Enlarged tonsils.	(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	Fred. W. Burden,		Medical Officer.	
(Rank)	Lieut.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at	St. John's.	at	
	on	21 day of April	1915.	on day of 191
Joined on enlistment	Corps		Corps	
	Regtl. No.		Regtl. No.	
	Nfld Regt.	1456		
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by	on	day of	191	on day of 191
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

**Table III.—Boards, Courts of Inquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, &c. Examinations for Field or Foreign Service, Extension, Re-engagement, or Prolongation of Service, Issue of Surgical Appliances, Particulars of Dental Treatment, &c.**

Date	Brief details, and signature
May 25.	First Inoculation 500 Million.
June 7th. 1915.	Second " 1000 "
" 25th "	Vaccinated at sea. not effective (Sd.) J.C.
March 15th. 1916.	Cardiac Valv. Disease. Unfit for foreign service. (Sd.) M.J. Murray, Capt., R.A.M.C.

**Table IV.—SERVICE TABLE.**

Station or Troopship	Date of arrival or embarkation	Date of departure or disembarkation	Station or Troopship	Date of arrival or embarkation	Date of departure or disembarkation
St. John's Rfld.					

Ottawa, 16th June, 50

Chief Pensions Advocate

1456 - FLYNN, Patrick

*Attention  
Mr Fulton*

95-9-1 (DD)

Reference is made to your memorandum dated June 14, file number 614-P, concerning the above-mentioned veteran.

Records indicate that this man enlisted in the First Newfoundland Regiment at St. John's, Nfld., on 23 April, 1915. He embarked at St. John's with a draft for the United Kingdom on the S.S. "Calgarian", on 20 June, 1915. As this ship was not under Canadian control at that time, this Office has no record as to the ports of call enroute or the date of arrival in the U.K. The documents of a large number proceeding on this draft were searched without results.

It would be appreciated if in future cases you would give some details as to the Branch of the Service in which the veteran served instead of the mere regimental number and name, as considerable time was spent in this case endeavouring to identify him as a member of the C.E.F., whereas, if Newfoundland Regiment had been quoted, it would have saved this unnecessary search.

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*H.M. Jackson*  
H.M. Jackson,  
Director,  
War Service Records.