

FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

ATTESTATION OF

No. 1670 Name Daniel Joseph Leary Corps

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment

1. What is your name? 1. Daniel Joseph Leary
2. What is your full Address? 2. 149 St. John's St. St. John's
3. Are you a British Subject? 3. Yes
4. What is your Age? 4. 18 Years 11 Months.
5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. Carpenter
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, Daniel Joseph Leary 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.

SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

E. J. Leary Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Daniel Joseph Leary 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 12 day of July 1911

Signature of the Attesting Officer [Signature]
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 _____ 1911 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.

C. 1620

Saml. J. Learning was attested for General Service
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on June 28th 1915.
Regimental No. 1620 was allotted to Plt S.J. Learning.

AUTHORITY:

Record Officer

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th, 1919.

C.R. 7620

Statement from [illegible] will be [illegible] at [illegible] 17/10/70 for [illegible]

1620 Pte. S. J. Learning.

C.R. 1620

Extract from Nominal Roll of Draft #5. which embarked
for B.E.F. 19-4-16

#1620 Lte. J. J. ...

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Learners

Christian Name Samuel

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:---Parish..... County W'ld

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <u>25</u> day of <u>June</u> 191 <u>5</u> at <u>St Johns W'ld</u>		on _____ day of _____ 191____ at _____	
Declared Age	<u>18</u> years _____ days		_____ years _____ days	
Trade or Occupation	_____		_____	
Height	<u>5</u> feet	<u>6</u> inches	_____ feet	_____ inches
Weight	<u>129</u> lbs.		_____ lbs.	
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded... <u>35</u> inches		_____ inches	
	Range of expansion... <u>3</u> inches		_____ inches	
Physical Development	_____		_____	
Vaccination Marks	Arm	_____	_____	_____
	Number	<u>1</u>	_____	_____
When Vaccinated	_____		_____	
Vision	R. E.—V==	<u>4/6</u>	R. E.—V==	_____
	L. E.—V...	<u>4/6</u>	L. E.—V...	_____
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a) _____		(a) _____	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection	(b) <u>Tonsils enlarged</u>		(b) _____	
Approved by (Signature)	<u>Samuel Paterson</u>		_____	
(Rank)	<u>Capt</u>		_____	
	Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at <u>St Johns</u> on <u>26</u> day of <u>June</u> 191 <u>5</u>		at _____ on _____ day of _____ 191____	
	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
Joined on Enlistment	<u>1st W'ld Reg</u>	<u>1620</u>	_____	_____
Transferred to	_____		_____	
Became non-effective by	_____		_____	
(Signature)	_____		_____	
(Rank)	_____		_____	

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

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
12.10.15	
19.11.15	Vacc. R.P. Graham Lt. Rame.
23.10.15	
4.7.16	Died of Wounds 19 th C.S. France <i>[Signature]</i>

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
Sb Johns 12 th Lt					

Regimental Number 1620

Company E

THE
1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

I hereby enlist for service at home or abroad in the King's
Forces under the following conditions:

For the duration of the present war, or until my
discharge.

Subject to the Army Act, the King's Regulations,
and to such ordinances as may apply or may
be made to apply to the British Regular Army.

Subject to the Newfoundland Volunteer Act,
5 George V., Chapter IV.

Signed Samuel J. Learning

Witness H. K. Goodyear 21st

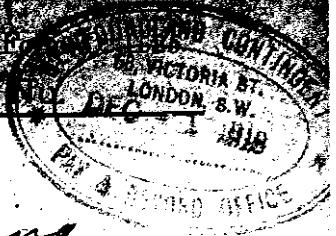
Dated at Newton-on-Ayre

April 10th 1916

LIST.

to 11th July 1916

Voucher No.



NON EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps *1st Newfoundland*
 No. *1670* Rank *Private* Name *S. J. Peanning*
 Died (a) *intestate* at *home* on the *11th* of *July* 191*6*.
 Deserted at on the of 191*6*.

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

 { Commanding Squadron, Troop,
 Battery or Company.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

[Form I.]

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month				Balance Cr. last month <i>14 April 16.</i>			<i>15 11</i>
	Cash issues				Pay <i>81</i> days at <i>1/10</i> from <i>15/4</i> to <i>11/7/16</i>			<i>18 6 2</i>
	(Date of each issue to be stated)				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay			
	£ s. d.				days at from _____ to			
	<i>22.4.1916</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>2</i>	Messing allowance days at			
	<i>0.5.1916</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>6</i>	from _____ to			
	<i>31.5.1916</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>6</i>	Kit allowance			
	"	<i>1</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>2</i>	Amount produced by the sale of Effects from			
	<i>Malant</i>				Form 2			
	<i>81 days @ 70d</i>				Amount of Savings Bank balance, including			
	<i>Confederate pay</i>				interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
	<i>14 days @ 1/10</i>				Deferred Pay or Gratuity			
	Consolidated stoppage	<i>14</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>4</i>				
	Balance due by the Paymaster	<i>2</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>7</i>	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		<i>£ 19</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>1</i>		<i>£ 19</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>1</i>

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ _____ is correctly chargeable against the Public^(b).

Dated at _____

day of _____

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.

ORIGINAL

FIELD SERVICE.

NEWSPAPER
LONDON
AUG 5 1916
PAY & PENSION OFFICE

REPORT of Death of a Soldier to be forwarded to the War Office with the least possible delay after receipt of notification of death on Army Form B. 213 or Army Form A. 36 or from other official documentary sources.

REGIMENT or CORPS } 1st. Newfoundland Regt. Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company } Reinforcement

Regtl. No. 1620 Rank Private

Name Learning, S.

Died { Date July 4th., 1916.
Place France.
Cause of Death* Died of Wounds received in Action.

Nature and Date of Report A 36, 6/7/16.

By whom made O.C., 19th., C.C.S.

* Specially state if killed in action, or died from wounds received in action, or from illness due to field operations or to fatigue, privation, or exposure while on military duty, or from injury while on military duty.

Burial { Place Doullens Cemetery.
Date July 4th., 1916.
By whom reported Rev. A.K. Finnimore, att. 19th. C.C.S.

State whether he leaves a will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) No.
(b) in Small Book (if at Base) Not to hand.
(c) as a separate document do

All private documents and effects received from the front or hospital, as well as the Pay Book, should be examined, and if any will is found it should be at once forwarded to the War Office.

Any information received as to verbal expressions by a deceased soldier of his wishes as to the disposal of his estate should be reported to the War Office as soon as possible.

A duplicate of this Report is to be sent to the Fixed Centre Paymaster at Home, or to the D.F.A.G., Indian Expeditionary Force, or Field Disbursing Officer, as the case may require, together with the deceased's Pay Book (after withdrawal of any will from the latter). If the deceased's Small Book is at the Base, it should be forwarded to the War Office with this Report.

Signature of Officer in charge of Section Adjutant-General's Office at the Base } *A. Clark* Capt. for Lt. Col., Officer i/c Infantry Section, 3rd. Echelon, B. E. F.

Station and Date 51/7/16.

C.R.

1620

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&R.O.

July 17th. 1916.

1620, Pte S.J. Learning.

D. of W. 4/7/16. R/B. 19th. C.C.S., 6/7/16.

C.R. 1620

July 17th, 1916.

Dear Sir,

I regret to inform you that the Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, reports that No. 1620, Private Samuel John Learning, died of wounds at 19th Casualty Clearing Station, on July 4th.

With sincere sympathy.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary.

Mr. Absalom J. Learning,
69 Southside.

July 20, 1916.

Dear Sir,

It was with the greatest regret that the Government received from the Record Office, London, a cablegram intimating that your son, Private Samuel John Earning, had died of wounds at the 19th Casualty Clearing Station on the 4th instant.

Permit me to express to you on behalf of the Government, as well as for myself, the sincerest sympathy in this time of sorrow. We feel the loss of our loved ones but no doubt it will be some consolation to you to think that your brave boy early answered the call of King and Country, did his part nobly and fell, facing the foe, in defence of the principles of Righteousness, Truth and Liberty. We are proud of our gallant boys and also of the noble fathers and mothers who so willingly gave their sons when the Call of Duty came. Though your boy has laid down the earthly weapons of warfare, he now wears the Soldier's Crown of Victory and his name will be inscribed upon the glorious Roll of Honour and be held in fragrant memory by all his fellow-countrymen. When the victory is won and Peace again reigns upon this earth, it will be a comforting thought to you that, in this glorious achievement, your boy bore no small part.

I trust that you may have the Grace and consolation of the Great Father of us all at this time.

With sincere sympathy,

Believe me to be,

Your obedient servant,

Mr. Abraham J. Earning.

Colonial Secretary.

G.

C.R. 1620

11th November, 1916.

Dear Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that I am now in receipt from the Pay and Record Office, London, of particulars of gravesites. No. 1620, Private S. Learning, was buried on the 4th July, by Rev. A. K. Finnemore, in Doullens Military Cemetery.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary

Mr. Absalom J. Learning,
69 South Side.

C 1620
October 30th 1919.

Absalom J. Learning Esq.,
69 Southside,
City.

Dear Sir:

The enclosed form has been forwarded
by Rev. Major Hangle, who requests us to pass it
to you for completion.

You will note from page 2 of the form
what is required and as the stone cutters in London
are awaiting the information asked for, I am to re-
quest that you be good enough to fill in this and
soon as possible, and return it to this Office.

Yours faithfully,

CC/15
Capt.
for Chief Staff Officer.

Enclosure.

Dept. of Militia,
St. John's.

Aug 25 1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of
the late No. 1620 Rank Plt
Name S. J. Learning
Royal Newfoundland Regt
A. J. Learning (Sgd.)
Father Relationship.
Address 69. South Side East.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 1st Newfoundland

Regimental No. 1620 Rank Pte Name Learning

Enlisted (a) 28.6.15 Terms of Service (a) Duration Service reckons' from (a) 28.6.15

Date of promotion to present rank } Date of appointment to lance rank } Numerical position on roll of N.C.Os. }

Extended _____ Re-engaged _____ Qualification (b) _____

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., 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	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
					<u>Emb S. Hampton 13.4.16</u>
		<u>Joined Battalion</u>	<u>26.4.16</u>		<u>Dis Bowen 15.4.16</u>
<u>87 F.A.</u>		<u>Admitted Hospital 3/6/16</u>		<u>Dis to Duty</u>	<u>3.6.16</u>
		<u>Dep 14 days pay</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>26.6.16</u>	<u>E.D. 1078</u>
<u>19 C.C.S.</u>		<u>as G.S.W Beck & Abdoman.</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>4.7.16</u>	<u>O 1810. 8.7.16 14.13</u>
		<u>Feed of Wds 19 C.C.S.</u>		<u>4.7.16</u>	<u>No 11907</u>
					<u>E.D. 11907. 6.7.16</u>
					<u>A.E. Clark capt</u>
					<u>for O/C Infantry Records</u>
					<u>G.F. 2. 3rd Echelon</u>

(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) e.g., Signaller, Shoeing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties. I.P.T.O. 13.8.16

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

W. P. Griffith & Sons Ltd., Printers, Old Bailey, E.C. 4.
 (640) W 2017/2124 1000m 6/15s B3 56

Number of Sheet 1 of 3
 Signature of O. C. Company L. G. Bennett
2. 12. 1918

Regiment of 1st Newfoundland

Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade		Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or order of discharge with rank	By whom awarded	REMARKS
No.	Name	Age on	18 years	11 months	Trade					
1420	<u>J. Kearney</u>				<u>Cooper</u>					
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	Religion							
Joined	Date	<u>St. Michaels 18. 1915</u>	<u>C of E</u>							
Joined	Date	Period of	with Colours	7 years.	Place of Birth					
Joined	Date		with Reserve	1 3/4 years.	<u>St. John's</u>					
Place	Date of Offence	Rank	OFFENCE		<u>Deed of Warrants 4-7-18</u>					
		<u>Pvt.</u>								

To be carried over