

# FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 2446 Name Elias Tarrant Corps .....

### Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

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| 1. What is your name? .....  | 1. <u>Elias Tarrant</u> .....             |
| 2. What is your full Address? .....  | 2. <u>Barrat <del>Bay</del> Bay</u> ..... |
|  | <u>Bethwood</u> .....                     |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? .....  | 3. <u>Yes</u> .....                       |
| 4. What is your age? .....   | 4. <u>22</u> Years <u>9</u> Months .....  |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? .....  | 5. <u>Fisherman</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 .....                               |
| 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, Elias Tarrant ....., 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. T.  
ap. 5

Elias Tarrant ....., SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

H. D. Bridge ....., Signature of Witness.

### OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Elias Tarrant ....., 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 8 day of Apr. 1916

Signature of Attesting Officer H. D. Bridge 2nd Lieut

### †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 1st .....

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

Date ..... 1916 } 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) .....



**ORIGINAL**  
**FIELD SERVICE.**

Army Form B. 2090A.

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 documents.

REGIMENT OR CORPS NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT. Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company A Company

Regimental No. 2446 Rank Private

Surname TARRANT Christian Names E.

Died { Date April 14/1917. Place France.

Cause of Death\* Killed in Action.

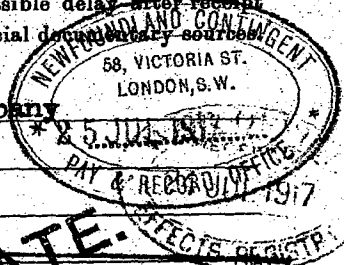
Nature and Date of Report Burial Report (undated)

By whom made Rev. V. Bromage, 13th. R.B.

\* 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 \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

By whom reported \_\_\_\_\_



DUPLICATE SENT TO  
O.C. H.Q.  
ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.  
NOV 3 1917  
DATED 3 AUG 1917

State whether he leaves a Will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) Not to hand (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.

Station and Date | 20/7/17. | Signature of Officer in charge of Section | [Signature] | Lieut. for  
Adjutant-General's Office at the Base | Officer in Charge of Records Reg. Inf. S.S. | Lieut. Colonel,  
3rd. Echelon, G.H.Q., E.E.F.





*Killed in action  
14/14/17*

BRANCH
<i>Rob</i>
ACTED UPON
BY
DATE

*2446 Pte Elias Jarrett  
2/1st Newfoundland Regt*

*Irvine Mains  
Irvine  
Ayrshire  
22/10/17*

*To Manager Pay + Record Office.*

*Dear Sir,*

*Would you furnish me with particulars of the whereabouts of the above mentioned soldier. We have had no information regarding him since Sep 30<sup>th</sup> 1916. Any information as to his whereabouts will be thankfully received by his friends.*

*Thanking you in anticipation  
I am*

*yours truly  
Hugh Jeppleton.*

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
PAY & RECORD OFFICE
No. <i>V 6110</i>
23 OCT 1917
<i>24/10/17 JH</i>
File No.

Counter No. \_\_\_\_\_

# NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



## Cable Connection with all the World

### All Messages Sent are Subject to the Following Conditions:

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.

In case the Message shall never reach its destination by reason of any neglect or default of the N. P. T. or its Servants whilst the Message remains under the control of the N. P. T., they will refund the amount paid by the Sender for such Message.

The N. P. T. shall not be liable to make compensation beyond the amount refunded as above for any loss, injury, or damage arising or resulting from the non-transmission or non-delivery of the Message, or delay or error in the transmission or delivery thereof, howsoever such transmission, non-delivery, delay, or error shall have occurred.

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

(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender *John W. Tarrant* Address \_\_\_\_\_

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated July 21, 1917.

To Rev. H. E. Coppin,  
Botwood.

Regret to inform you Record Office, London, today reports No. 2446, Private Elias Tarrant, son of Mrs. John W. Tarrant, Burnt Arm, Botwood, who was previously reported missing, is now reported killed in action April fourteenth. Please inform relatives.

R.A. SQUIRES

Acting Colonial Secretary

FOR TYPEWRITER

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NOTE FOR OPERATOR / This message is not to be sent until receiving office notifies that message to Rev. H.E. Coppin, Botwood, has been delivered and acted upon.  
**FOR TYPEWRITER**

C.R. 2446

Extract of Cablegram received from Pay & Record Office,  
London. Dated May 11, 1917.

# 2446 pte. Tarrant.

"Missing" April 14th.



Dept. of Militia,  
St. John's.

Laurenston, Sep 21 1921

JOHN'S EAST  
SEP 21 1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of

Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services

the late No. 2446 Rank Pte

Name Elias Tarrant

Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Mrs. John Wm Tarrant (Sgd.)

(Wife) Relationship.

Address Laurenston, Botwood St.

Fold Here.

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**ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE**

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

*Royal Nfld. Regt.*

*Dept. of Militia,*

*ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.*

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Fold Here



28 1921.

The accompanying **Victory Medal** and/or **British War Medal**

is/are forwarded herewith to

Mrs. John William Tarrant (Mother)

in respect of his service as No. 2446 Rank Pte.

Name Elias Tarrant Royal Nfld. Regt.  
~~Mtd. Forestry Corps.~~

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received October 3<sup>rd</sup> 1921.

Signature Mrs John William Tarrant.

Date Oct. 14<sup>th</sup> 1921.

Address Lawsonstown. N. F. I. D.

[P.T.O.]

