

REGISTRATION OF ENLISTED

OREGON NAVAL MILITIA



STATE OF OREGON,

City or Town of Portland } ss.

I, Alvin R. Preston, born in Redman, in the State of Illinois, aged 27 years and 3 months, by occupation a Marine, DO HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE to have voluntarily enlisted this 23rd day of June, 1914, as U.S. in 2d Div

OREGON NAVAL MILITIA, for the period of two years unless sooner discharged by proper authority: And do also agree to accept from the United States or the State of Oregon such bounty, pay, rations and clothing as are or may be established by law. And I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the United States of America and the State of Oregon, and that I will serve them honestly and faithfully against all their enemies whomsoever; and that I will obey the orders of the President of the United States and of the Governor of the State of Oregon, and the orders of the officers appointed over me, according to the Regulations for the Government of the Navy of the United States, and the Military Code of Oregon, so help me God.

Alvin R. Preston [SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of June, A. D. 1914.

G. F. Blair
Lieut. Commander, O. N. M.
Commanding Recruiting Officer

I CERTIFY that I have carefully examined the above-named man agreeably to the adopted standard of physical examination, and that he is free from all bodily defects and mental infirmity which would, in any way, disqualify him from performing the duties of his rating.

L. J. Wolf Surgeon
Alvin R. Preston

I CERTIFY that I have minutely inspected the above-named man, previous to his 1st enlistment, and that he was entirely sober when enlisted; that to the best of my judgment and belief he fulfills all legal requirements; and that I have accepted and enlisted him into the service of the State under this contract of enlistment as duly qualified to perform the duties of his rating.

This man has Ruddy complexion, Blue eyes, Dark Brown hair, is 5 feet 5 1/2 inches high.

G. F. Blair [SEAL]
Lieut. Commander, O. N. M.
Commanding Recruiting Officer

*NOTE—The Christian name must not be abbreviated, but if it consists of more than one name, only the first one will be written and signed in full.

DECLARATION OF RECRUIT

I, Alan R. Preston, desiring to ENLIST in Co. 25

OREGON NAVAL MILITIA, for the term of two years, DO DECLARE that I am of the legal age to enlist, and believe myself to be physically qualified to perform the duties of an able-bodied enlisted man, and I do further declare that I am of good habits and character in all respects, and have never been discharged from the United States service (Army or Navy), or any other service, on account of disability, or through sentence of either civil or military court, nor discharged from any service, civil or military, except with good character, and for reasons given by me to the recruiting officer prior to

this enlistment, * was a citizen of the United States

Given at Corvallis, Oregon this 23rd day of June, 1944

WITNESS: Alvin R. Preston

*Here add in case of an applicant for first enlistment: And that I am or have made legal declaration of my intention to become a citizen of the United States.

Residence 387 12th Street, Phone Main 5790

Name and address of person to be notified in case of emergency, giving degree of relationship; if friend, so state: Mr. Preston (Father) 387 12th St.

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Form No. 1, O. N. M.

Alan R. Preston

enlisted at **Portland, Oregon** on

the 23rd day of June, 1944,

by **Lt. Comdr. G. F. Blair**

Oregon Naval Militia
Commanding

Previous military service, give all particulars with dates accurately noted:

ENLISTED	ORGANIZATION	DISCHARGED

I hereby certify on honor that proper discharge papers have been exhibited corroborating the above service.

O. N. M.
Recruiting Officer

CONSENT IN CASE OF MINOR

I, _____, DO CERTIFY that I am the _____ of _____; that the said _____ is _____ years of age; and I do hereby freely give my CONSENT to his enlisting as _____ in _____ OREGON NAVAL MILITIA for the period of TWO YEARS.

Given at _____ this _____ day of _____, 19_____

WITNESS: _____

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Examination of Recruit

State of Oregon
Alva R. Custon

O. N. M. **Second Division**

Enlisted at **Portland, Oregon**

Date *June 23rd*, 1914
by

Lt. Comdr. G. F. Blair

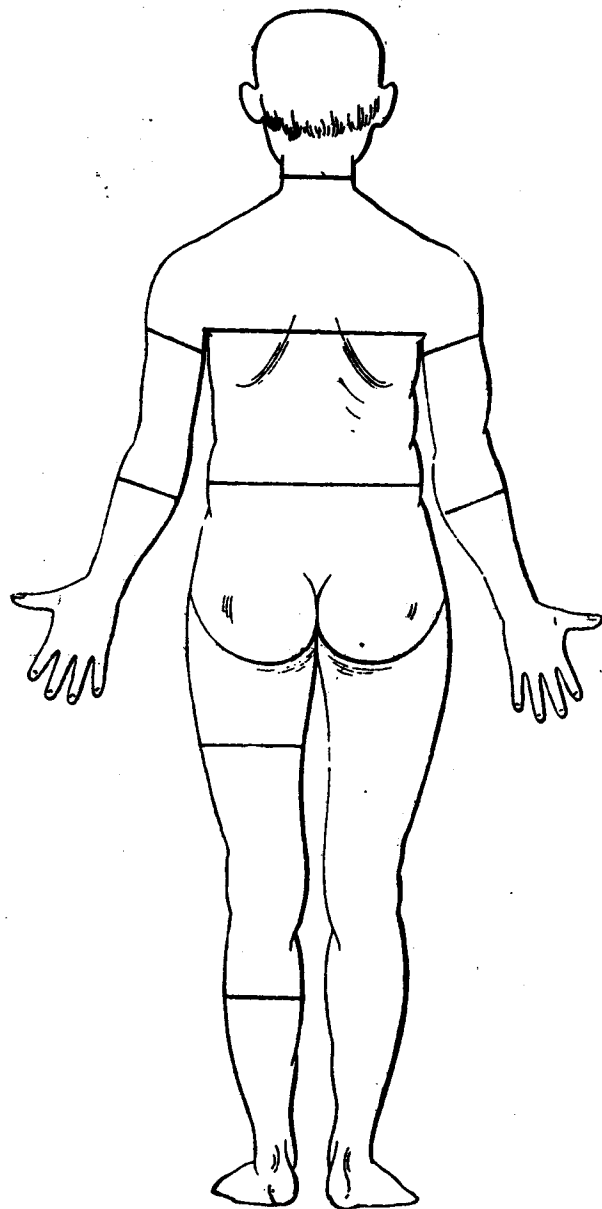
Oregon Naval Militia
Commanding Recruiting Officer.

This recruit has been examined and found to be

Fit

L. J. Wolf
Surgeon.

NOTES: (1) Marks for identification are to be made in ink upon the diagram, noting character of marks. (2) Details of defects noted physical record to be stated under "Remarks"; also, when minor defects are waived, state whether they are of a progressive nature and under what conditions of service they are likely to be serious. (3) This refers to modification of the extent of physical examination contemplated in General Orders No. 55, War Department, series 1903. (4) Examining Surgeons should read carefully General Orders No. 4, series 1904, Headquarters Oregon National Guard, before examining applicant. (5) State upon the diagram measurements of the body.



Name Alba R. Preston
 Organisation 2nd Division

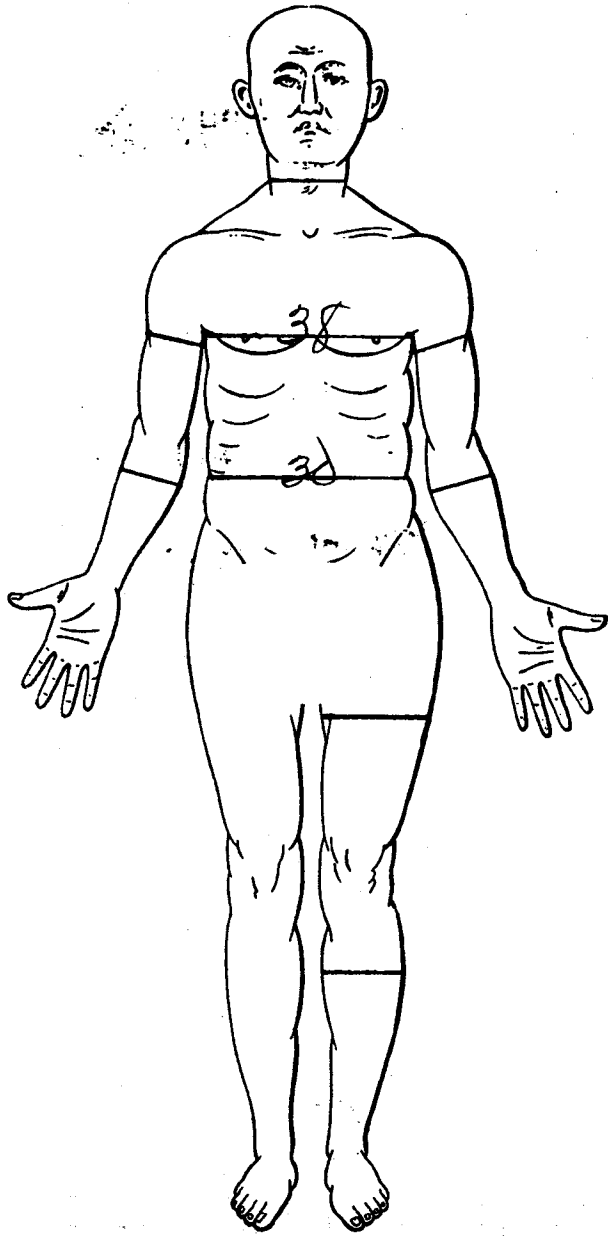


Figure and general appearance Normal
 Weight 168; height 5 ft 7 1/2 inches
 Where born Edmond Ok
 Age 27 years 3 months; complexion Ruddy
 Hair Dark Brown eyes Blue
 Vision R 20-20 m hearing Normal
 Teeth O.K.
 Degree of robustness Normal
 Expiration 35 inspiration 40
 Waist measure 30
 Head and neck Normal
 Chest and contained organs Normal
 Abdomen and contained organs Normal
 Genito-urinary apparatus Normal
 Skin Clear
 Successfully vaccinated Yes date of 1911
 Are there any sequelae of injury or disease? No

Is applicant mentally qualified? Yes
 Marks for identification: (1) Irregular scar, right chest midway between sternal and right hip. Scar 4" long right side of abdomen, from appendicectomy.

Remarks: (2) _____

I certify that I have carefully examined the above-named man and that he has no mental or physical defects which, according to the official standard for the examination of recruits, as modified by orders from the War Department (3) and in conformity with the laws and military regulations of the Oregon National Guard, would disqualify him for military service in the active militia.

(4) F. J. Wolf
Per R.S.S. Examining Surgeon.

Portland, Oregon Oregon
 (Station)
June 23rd 1914
 (Date)

DESCRIPTIVE AND ASSIGNMENT CARD OF

Preston, Alva R.
(Surname.) (Christian name.)

Residence Portland, Oregon
(Town or city.) (State.)

Name and address (street and house number, if any) of person to be notified in case of emergency, giving degree of relationship; if friend, so state:

W. G. Preston (father)
387 - 12 St. Portland, Oregon
Second Division

Accepted for enlistment in Oregon Naval Militia

on the 23^d day of June, 1917
at Portland, Oregon

G. F. Blair
Lieut. Commander, O. N. M.
Commanding Recruiting Officer.

Born in Redman - Illinois
(Town or city.) (State or country.)

Weight 168; height 5 feet 8 1/2 inches.

Age 27 years 3 months; Complexion Ruddy

Hair dark brown; eyes Blue

Occupation Machinist; married—single

Indelible or permanent marks: Irregular scar
right chest midway between
clavicle and right hip.
Scar 4" long right side
of abdomen from
apertaining.

ENLISTED 6/23/17, 1917, at Portland, Ore.

by Lt. Comdr. G. F. Blair for 2 years.

Last discharged....., 19....., from.....

..... with character.....

Enlistment period: 1st year... commenced 6/23/17

Vaccinated....., 1917; result OK

Typhoid prophylaxis completed....., 191.....
(Date)

Copy of evidence of..... convictions by Delinquency Court herewith.

Remarks: Day address.....

Day Phone

Night Address *387-12 St. Portland Ore.*

Night Phone *Main 5793*

I CERTIFY that the statements set forth on this card are correct, as shown by the records, this.....day

of *JUN 20 1914*

By order of the Commander-in-Chief.

W. P. Finzel
The Adjutant General.

Portland, Oregon.

Remarks:

Adjutant General's Office

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State of Oregon

The soldier is assigned to.....

by order of.....

Adjutant.

INSTRUCTIONS

1. This card will be prepared in the case of every applicant for enlistment or re-enlistment and with the enlistment paper and physical examination of recruit forwarded direct by recruiting officer to The Adjutant General's office. After completion The Adjutant General will return the card, through the channel to the commanding officer of the organization to which the soldier has been assigned.

2. Men who fail to report to their company, troop, battery, corps, or division within thirty days after the receipt thereof of their descriptive and assignment cards, and whose absence has not been accounted for will be reported on the records of said organization as "Never joined; deserted."

3. Erasures of entries on a descriptive and assignment card are prohibited. All changes made in original entries thereon will be duly authenticated by the signature of the officer making the changes. Under no circumstances will slips of paper be pasted or attached to a descriptive and assignment card.

DESCRIPTIVE LIST

OF

Preston Alva R.
(Surname) (Christian name)

O. Seaman Second Division
(Rank) Oregon Naval Militia

Residence: Portland, Oregon
(Town or city) (State)

Name and address (street and house number, if any) of person to be notified in case of emergency, giving degree of relationship; if friend, so state:

W. G. Preston (Father)
387 - 12th St.
Portland, Oregon

Accepted for enlistment in Second Division
(Arm of service or organization)

on the 23^d day of June, 1914
at Portland, Oregon

Born in Redman, Ill.
(Town or city) (State or country)

Weight 168; height 5 feet 8 1/2 inches

Age 27 years 3 months; complexion Ruddy

Hair dark brown eyes Blue

Occupation machinist; Married—single
Indelible or permanent marks as shown on descriptive and assignment card:

Irregular scar right chest
midway between clavicle and
right hip. Scar 4 in long
right side of abdomen
from appendicitis.

Identification record
(See G. O. 68, War Department, 1906)

Form No. 129, A. G. O.

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**MILITARY RECORD
PRIOR SERVICE**

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PRESENT SERVICE

Enlisted June 23, 1917, at Portland Co
by **Lt. Comdr. G. F. Blair** for 2 years.

Noncommissioned officer:

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Marksmanship or gunnery:

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*Horsemanship:**

Furloughs:

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Battles, etc.:

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*See Instruction 2.

OREGON NAVAL MILITIA
U. S. S. BOSTON
Recd. NOV 6 1914
Ans.

26 1/2 Madison
3000 (in also)
Portland Ore
Nov. 3 1914

Oregon Naval Militia
c/o U. S. S. Boston
Dear Sir

In answer to
your letter to day.
if you can pay my nurses
and doctor I will gladly
give you some or one evening
a week as I like to drill
and have served several years
in the regular army
As for your court I will
not be there now how not
the time to lose unless
you can make a case
in federal court, that
would only be cost on the
state Respectfully yours
A. J. Peterson

Father in law -

Fitzpatrick

Initials Unknown

3 miles from Beaverton

P. O. address Beaverton.

Preston sometimes stays with
his mother 1035 Cleveland Ave.

C. W. Preston - Carl Drug Store night
Columbia Harbor Land Co,

Dr. Marsh in June attended him.

Recd Nov 28 1914
1914

Portland Ore.

Nov. 27-1914

Mr. Ben L. Norton
Medical Bldg.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor
to request that my court
marshal for absent
from drill be appealed
to higher court

Respectfully

A. P. Pecton

226 1/2 Madison St.

OREGON NAVAL MILITIA

U. S. S. BOSTON

Recd NOV 29 1914

Adm. G. F. Blain Woods County

OREGON NAVAL MILITIA

U. S. S. BOSTON

Portland, Oregon ..June.23..1914

From the Executive Officer
To the Pay Officer and Officer Commanding ..Second...Division.

You are hereby notified that ..Alva.R..Preston.....
has this day been ...enlisted in theSecond.....Division,
asO..Seaman..... .

.....J..A..Beckwith.....
Lieutenant, O.N.M.

RECEIVED

JUN 23 1914

Above notice received this day of191..
and man taken up on pay ..Second... Division Roll.

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.....Paymaster, O.N.M.

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.....O.N.M.,.....Division

*Letter of appeal
from 11/20/14*

OREGON NAVAL MILITIA
U.S.S. BOSTON

Portland, Oregon

..... **NOV 20 1914**

From: The President, Delinquency Court No. 1, O.N.M.

To: A.R.Preston, O.S. 2nd Div. O.N.M.

1. The sentence of a fine of five dollars, imposed in your case, tried before Delinquency Court No. 1, O.N.M. **NOV 24 1914** has been approved, by the reviewing authority.

2. The five days allowed for appeal of your case expired NOV 30 1914.

3. Fines which have not been paid by DEC 8 1914 will be collected in accordance with the provisions of the Military Code of the State of Oregon (Section 48 M.C.).

4. Fines may be paid to the Adjutant General, 640 Morgan Building, Portland, Oregon.

Benj. Norton
Lieutenant, O.N.M.

December 1, 14

Commanding Officer.

A.R. Preston, O.S., O.N.M. 226¹/₂ Madison St., Portland, Ore.

Reference: Appeal from findings of delinquency court No. 100.N.M.
Your letter to the resident D.C.No.1, dated
Nov. 27, 1914.

1. The appeal in your case, from the finding of Delinquency Court No. 1, O.N.M., will be heard aboard the U.S.S. Boston at 8:00 o'clock P.M., Tuesday, December 8, 1914 and you are directed to be present at the place and time appointed.

G. F. Blain

Lieutenant Commander, O.N.M.

REGULATIONS OF THE
NAVY DEPARTMENT
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upon A.R. Preston, O.S.O.N.M., having been made
requiring him to personally appear before a Delinquency
Court, convened aboard the Oregon Naval Militia
the 10th day of November 1914, at 8 o'clock P.M. by
virtue of Special Orders No. 36 Oregon Naval Militia dated

October 8th, 1914, to answer for certain offenses, statements
of which were therewith furnished him, and said A.R. Preston
O.S.O.N.M. having failed to appear before said Court
pursuant to said summons,

This is to command you to have the body of said
A.R. Preston, O.S.O.N.M. before me on the 24th day of November
1914, at the hour of 8 o'clock P.M. there to answer said charges
so filed against him.

Witness my hand this 24th day of November 1914.

Lieutenant, O.N.M.
President Delinquency Court No. 1.
Oregon Naval Militia.
U.S.S. Boston

DELINQUENCY COURT SUMMONS

TO

Co.....Reg't. O. N. G.

**Provisions of Military Code
RELATING TO FINES OR PENALTIES**

SEC. 50, M. C. If the accused be not present at the convening of the court, or at the time or place appointed for his trial, the president of court may issue an order to compel his attendance, to be served in the same manner, by the same officers, as bench warrants in civil cases of record, or by the marshal of the court, if appointed; or the court may enter a plea of not guilty for the accused and proceed with the trial in his absence, provided satisfactory evidence is submitted to the court, to be noted in or attached to its proceedings, that the accused has been duly notified of the time when, and the place where, his trial would be proceeded with.

*710. PC 1015
James
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RETURN OF DELINQUENT

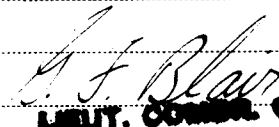
OREGON NAVAL MILITIA, O. N. G.

Portland, Oregon, Oregon.

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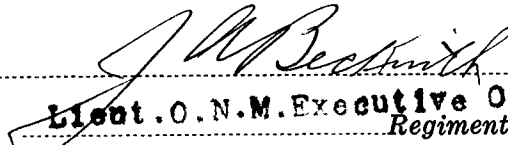
Return if Delinquent of Preston, A.R. O.S.

~~Company~~ Second Division, Oregon Naval Militia, Oregon National Guard,
to be tried by Delinquency Court for the following offenses:

DELINQUENCY—DATE, PLACE, AND NATURE OF	IN VIOLATION OF
Absent from drill without proper excuse.	Par. 1, Section-41, Military Code of Oregon.
Aug. 11, Aug. 18, Aug. 25, Sept. 1, Sept. 29, Oct. 5, Oct. 13.	
NOV 2 1914	
To the Pres. Del. Court No. 1	
1. Approved	
2. Forwarded	 LEUT. COMDR. O. N. M.

I hereby certify that the above return of ~~delinquent~~ is correct, and that no satisfactory excuse has been rendered by the delinquent therein named.

Portland, Oregon,
October 26, 1914


 Lieut. O. N. M. Executive Officer
 Regiment, O. N. G.

Mr. Beckwith

I can court a day
till nine thirty or nine
leave up three nights a week
and go to work at 4 o'clock
would I answered your letter
if you had omitted postage for
return, if I lose my place
of work will bring suit against
state,

Respectfully yours
A. R. Trotter