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**Samuel George Tucker**

**Royal Naval Reserve (Newfoundland)**

**Service No. 2478X**

**World War I**

**Born:** 10 Dec 1894

**Birthplace:** Darrel's Hole, Port de Grave,  
Newfoundland

**Parents:** William C. and Kezia Tucker

Samuel enlisted in the Royal Naval Reserve of Newfoundland on the 25<sup>th</sup> of May 1918. His enlistment papers show, he was 24 at the time, single, stood 5' 6" tall and signed up for the "duration of the war."

William's official service record shows that he served one (1) year from 25 May 1918 – 26 May 1919. He did not leave Newfoundland but was assigned to the HMS Briton, the training vessel at St. John's.

Following his demobilization and release from the Navy, Samuel is found in the 1921 general Newfoundland census living at home with his parents in Port de Grave. Samuel is now 28 years old and still single.

By the next general census in 1935, Samuel is married to Mary E. and living still in Port de Grave.

By 1945, the two are still in Port de Grave and do not have any children according to the census entry.

Samuel died on the 27<sup>th</sup> of February 1961 of acute cardiac failure while a patient at the old General Hospital in St. John's, Newfoundland. He was 67 at the time.

Mary followed in October 1963. They are buried in St. Luke's New Anglican Cemetery at Port de Grave.