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Pfc. James A. Taylor

HACKENSACK — When James A. Taylor, 25, was classified 1-A by his draft board in February 1964, he lost his job as a heating technician for a firm in Englewood, where he was living with his wife, Lydia.

The couple moved to Hackensack. Taylor did odd jobs and began taking a business course by mail until he was drafted in June.

Mrs. Taylor moved in with friends and waited for her husband, who was due to return in time to celebrate their third wedding anniversary in May 1966.

Pfc. Taylor was on patrol in April when he was killed by a sniper's bullet.