



First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 1470.

Name in full Edward Bennett Age 25.

Address Main River, St. Georges

Married Single Height 5ft 5 1/2 in Weight 162

Color Fair Hair Black Eyes Blue

Other distinguishing marks Scars on back of right-hand

Nearest relative Mother (Elizabeth)

Address Big Cove, Port aux Port.

Dependents

Occupation Fisherman Present Wage \$4.50 per month

Previous service

Decorations

General Remarks

Date of Enlistment April 24th 1915.

I, Edward Bennett, do sincerely promise and swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty, and that I will faithfully serve His Majesty in any place where I may be needed (or in the Colony of Newfoundland, as the case may be), against all His enemies and opposers whatsoever, according to the condition of my service.

Edward Bennett
mark

Declared before me this 27 day
of April 1915

Witness Augustus Brock

J. K. ...
Lieut.

Regimental Number 1470

Company F 11

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 Edward Bennett

Witness Harry Jones

Dated at Newton Park School

Mar 27 1916

J. Bennett.

C.R.

1470

P.R.O.

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

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B. 121.
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Regiment of

1st Newfoundland Regt.

Number of Sheet

Signature of O. C. Company

Senouis etc.

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No.	<i>Bennett, E.</i>	Age on	<i>25</i> years <i>7</i> months	<i>Fisherman</i>	
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	<i>St. John's</i>	Religion	
Joined	Date		<i>Apr. 24th 1915</i>	<i>Roman Catholic</i>	
Joined	Date	Period of	{ with Colours <i>3 1/4</i> years. with Reserve <i>3 1/2</i> years.	Place of Birth	
Joined	Date			<i>Port au Port</i>	

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
<i>Stobs</i>	<i>19/7/15</i>	<i>Plt.</i>		<i>Absent from quarters at tattoo 9.30pm.</i>	<i>Corpl Mann</i>	<i>2 days C.C.</i>	<i>24/7/15</i>	<i>Capt E S Ayre</i>	
<i>Stobs</i>	<i>16.8.15</i>	<i>"</i>		<i>Assault</i>	<i>P. McDonald S. Pike</i>	<i>3 days C.C.</i>	<i>17.8.15</i>	<i>Capt Ayre</i>	
<i>Newton on Edge</i>	<i>30.8.15</i>	<i>"</i>		<i>Absent Tattoo 9.30pm until 9.15am. Sept. 15th /15</i>	<i>Cpl. Noonan</i>		<i>15.9.15</i>	<i>Capt. Ayre</i>	<i>(In civil prison) Arrest 15 days by R.I.</i>
<i>"</i>	<i>26.9.15</i>	<i>"</i>		<i>Taking Pte Baker cap from wash house</i>	<i>SM Taylor G. Baker</i>	<i>14 days C.B.</i>	<i>27.9.15</i>	<i>Capt Ayre</i>	
<i>"</i>	<i>12.10.15</i>	<i>"</i>		<i>Misbehaviour on Parade</i>	<i>2nd Lt. Huttell</i>	<i>2 days C.B.</i>	<i>13.10.15</i>	<i>2nd Lt. Bartlett</i>	
<i>Gailes</i>	<i>11/12/15</i>	<i>"</i>		<i>Disorderly conduct in billet Drunken</i>	<i>Corpl H. Murrell I. G. Harke</i>	<i>72 hrs F.P.S.</i>	<i>12/12/15</i>	<i>Capt. A. Montgomery</i>	<i>Sen</i>
<i>Newton on Edge</i>	<i>29/2/16</i>	<i>"</i>		<i>Absent from Tattoo until 10.35</i>	<i>Cpl. Jackson</i>	<i>3 days C.B.</i>	<i>1/3/16</i>	<i>Senouis etc.</i>	<i>Sen</i>
				<i>To be carried over Killed in Action 3^{1/7}</i>					

Army Form B. 121.

1916
Norton Co. March 3rd

file 2

Drunk & Disorderly
Assaulting an N.C.S.

Brought forward

S. W. Noonan
L. L. Hester
L. O. Rourke

John Denton

Capt W. F. Lence

June 26

Sixteen

Norton Co. file

DUPLICATE.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

TELEPHONE:
~~XXXXXXXX~~
Victoria 5374.

Memorandum.

1470

No. 1893.

FROM

D. G. R. & E.,
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
47, 55, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W. 1.

13th December, 1923.

To -
The Chief Staff Officer,
Department of Militia,
St. John's, Newfoundland.

SUBJECT:— 1470 Pte. E. Bennett.
Killed in Action
3/3/1917.

Reference Nos. _____

REPLY.

Dated Jan. 3rd., 1924.

(Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE).

Please inform the Next-of-Kin that the original grave of the above-mentioned Soldier has been located and the body exhumed and re-interred in Saily-Saillisel British Cemetery, Plot 3, row "D" Grave 8.

As this Cemetery is under construction and the permanent headstones will shortly be placed in position, it is not intended to supply a photograph of the temporary wooden cross. A photograph of the erected permanent headstone will be forwarded in due course.

Hambert for
D.G.R. & E.
Newfoundland Contingent.

Reference obverse. The Next-of-kin is being informed re same, please.

Lieut. Col.,
Chief Staff Officer.

Jan. 8th., 1924.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bennett,
Big Cove,
Bay St. George.

Dear Madam,

I have to inform you that this Department has received a recent communication from Lieut.Col. Hangle, Director of Graves, Registration and Enquiries for Efld., London, regarding your late son which reads as follows:

"The original grave of the late 1470 Private E. Bennett, Royal Newfoundland Regiment, has been located and the body exhumed and re-interred in Sully-Saillisel British Cemetery, Plot 3, "Row "D", Grave 8."

A photograph of the erected permanent headstone will be forwarded in due course.

I have the honour to be,

Yours very truly,

Lieut.
Officer i/c Records.

DUPLICATE.

FIELD SERVICE.

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 } Newfoundland Regiment Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company } B Company
or
CORPS }



Regtl. No. 1470 Rank Private

Name Bennett, E.

Died { Date March 3rd., 1917.
Place France.
Cause of Death* Killed in Action.

Nature and Date of Report B 213, 2/3/17.

By whom made O.C., Unit.

* 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 _____

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) do
(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

W. Burchell Capt. for Lt. Col.,
Officer i/c Records Reg. Inf. Sec. 1,
3rd. Echelon, G.H.Q., B.E.F.

Station and Date 3rd. Echelon, 2/3/17.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland

Regimental No. 1470

Rank Plt

Name Bennett Ed

Enlisted (a) 24.4.15

Terms of Service (a) War

Service reckons from (a) _____

Date of promotion }
to present rank }

Date of appointment }
to lance rank }

Numerical position }
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. 86, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Exubby Southampton		28.3.16	
	Unit	Rejoined base	France	30.3.16	B213
		Wounded	"	15.4.16	do
	29th B.D.	Rejoined base Dep. Queen	"	1.7.16	Non Roll
	Unit	Rejoined Battalion	France	8.7.16	B213
	Squad P.A.	Adm. Convoict's Trans	Ch. Seine	21.7.16	B213
	21 C.C.S.	Myalgia	France	3.10.16	B213
	11 St. Hosp		Queen	12.1.17	Ed. 8515
	29th B.D.	Rejoined base Depot	"	15.1.17	Ed. 8515
	C.C. Unit	Rejoined Battalion	to the Field	31.1.17	Non Roll
	do	Killed in action	France	24.2.17	B213
			France	3.3.17	B213

S. 3.17

Ed. Bennett
for the regulars of the 1st Section
3rd Battalion

(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, Shooting Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

1st. Draft.
Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps *1st. Newfoundland.*

Regimental No. *C.R. 1470* Rank *Plt.* Name *Bennett, Edward.*

Enlisted (a) *24.4.15* Terms of Service (a) *War.* Service reckons from (a) _____

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) _____



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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				
		Emb'k'd Southampton		<i>28/3/16</i>	
		Disemb'k'd ROUEN		<i>30/3/16</i>	
	<i>unit James Battalion</i>	<i>France</i>	<i>France</i>	<i>15/4/16</i>	<i>B 213</i>
	<i>unit Wounded.</i>			<i>1.7.16</i>	<i>B 213</i>
	<i>29 S.B.D. James Base report</i>	<i>France</i>		<i>8.7.16</i>	<i>Non Recd</i>
	<i>unit Rejoined Battn.,</i>	<i>France</i>		<i>21.7.16</i>	<i>B 213</i>
	<i>5 Aust. I.A. Admitted</i>	<i>Conciliés transf C.P.S. Birnie</i>		<i>31/10/16</i>	<i>C.D. 5913</i>
	<i>21 CCS. Admitted Myalgia</i>	<i>France</i>		<i>13/1/17</i>	<i>C.D. 8515</i>
	<i>11 St. Hosp. Admitted</i>	<i>France</i>		<i>15/1/17</i>	<i>Ha 5958</i>
	<i>29 S.B.D. Joined Base Dep</i>	<i>France</i>		<i>31/1/17</i>	<i>Non Recd.</i>
	<i>OC. Unit Rejoined Battalion</i>	<i>In the field</i>		<i>24.2.17</i>	<i>B 213</i>
<i>5/3/17.</i>	<i>OC. Unit Killed in Action</i>	<i>France</i>		<i>3/3/17</i>	<i>B 213</i>

COPY SENT TO
 O.C. H.Q.
 ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.
 Receipt No. *3540/15*
 N.F.P. 58, No. _____
 DATED *22.2.1917*

Jm

H. Parcell CAPTAIN.
 OFFICER i/c No. 1 Regular Infantry Section

(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. (b) e.g., Signaller, Shoeing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

Fold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.

Fold Here

SEP 14 1921 1921.

The accompanying **Victory Medal** and/or **British War Medal**
is/are forwarded herewith to

Mrs. Elizabeth Bennett. (Mother)

in respect of his service as No. 1470 Rank Pte.

Name Edward Bennett Royal Nfld. Regt.
Nfld. Forestry Corps.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received

Dear Sir
Dear my sons medals

Signature

Received 11/22/21
Mrs Elizabeth Bennett

Date

Sept 24

Address

Bank Head West Coast

COPY.

FOR BRITISH WAR OFFICE.

EVIDENCE as to OFFICERS or MEN on MISSING LIST.

I, (Regimental No., Name and Regiment) K. Mackenzie
 3526. 4th South Africa Scottish
 British Prisoner of War interned at Ohrdruf Lazarett, A-Z-8.,
 certify that I actually saw (Regimental No., Name, Regiment, or
 in the case of an Officer, Name, Rank and Regiment)
 1470. E. Bennett. Newfoundland Rgt.

killed)
 wounded) (cross out the word or words that do not apply)
 taken prisoner)

at Abom Throneshoeds
 on the 10, July, 18.



PARTICULARS.

(If the Officer or Soldier has died, you should give fully
 your reasons for knowing him to be dead— e.g., whether you saw
 him buried. In all cases you should state your reasons for
 being certain as to the identity of the Officer or Soldier referred
 to.)

I was lying in the same shell hole as he was from
 2 a.m. till 10 a.m. & he was quite cold & dead.

Signature of Officer or Soldier: Pte. K. Mackenzie. 3526.
 Unterschrift des Offizierern oder des Soldaten.

Date) Jan. 5/17.
 Datum)

Signature of Commandant of Camp)
 Unterschrift des Kommandanten)
 or Officer in charge of Hospital)
 oder des Chefartzttes)

Stamp. Kriegsgefangenen-
 Stempel. Lazarett.
 Ohrdruf.

Zentralkomitee vom Roten Kreuz
 (Abteilung für Gefangenenfürsorge)
 Berlin S.W., Abgeordnetenhaus.

*Note: 1470 Pte. S. Bennett was killed in action 3/1/17
 and the statement of K. Mackenzie appears
 to be incorrect.*



C.F. 1470

Bank Head, St George
Sept. 24/20

Dept of Militia

Referring to the enclosed letter
I beg to say that I received two
copies of the Verification Form at
different times both of which I filled in
and returned to your Departmental
request. It seems strange that
you have not received these papers.

Yours respectfully
(Mrs) Elizabeth King
formerly Burnett
of Big Cove.
Bay St George.

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

The Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.

NO STAMP REQUIRED

Dept. of Militia,

St. John's.

.....1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of
the late No. 1470 Rank Plt.

Name Edward Bennett

Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Mrs Fred King (Sgd.)

Mother Relationship.

Address

Bank Head

Many thanks Post Office





DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND

Mrs. Elizabeth Bennett
Big Cove
Bay St. George

August 7th, 1920

Dear Madam:-

I should be glad if you will kindly complete the Final Verification Form forwarded to you some time ago by this Department, and return it as early as possible. The Director of Graves Registration and Equivrics has repeatedly asked us the reason of the delay in returning these papers, as the work of preparing and engraving the permanent memorials of deceased sailors and soldiers is being hung up on this account. You will, therefore, prevent further delay by filling in and forwarding the Form to this Department.

I might state that the Form should be completely filled in whether the sailor or soldier concerned has been classed as missing, buried at sea, or whether his grave is registered.

Yours faithfully,

W. G. Readell Lieut. Col.,
Chief Staff Officer.

C.R.

1470

APRIL 30th 1920.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bennett,
Big Cove,
Port - au- Port.

Dear Madam:

I am returning Cemetery Register Form herewith and would ask you to kindly fill in the spaces which I have pencilled. If you desire an Inscription to be engraved on the Stone, I should be glad if you would enter same in space (a). This space is intended for a Personal Inscription or Text not exceeding sixty six letters less the number of spaces between the words. I should be glad if you would also sign this Form and return same to this Department as soon as possible.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Colonel,
Chief Staff Officer.

C.R. 1470

Edward Bennett was attested for General Service
April 24th 1915.
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on

Regimental No. 1470 was allotted to Pte Edward Bennett.

AUTHORITY:

Record Officer

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th, 1919.

C.R. 1470

Extract from Medical History of Draft NO. 5, from East Ind. Co.,
Depot, to 1st Lt. E.S.P. embarked SB-3-16.

28-3-16

1470 Pte. E. Bennett

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



Cable Connection with all the World

All Messages Sent are Subject to the Following Conditions:

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

(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender

Edw. A. Adams

Address

Line Number

Rcd

By

Sent

by

Check

Dated

March 13, 1917.

To

Rev. P. F. Adams, P.P.,

Stephenville.

Regret to inform you Record Office, London, today reports No. 1470, Private Edward Benoit, son of Elizabeth Benoit, Big Cove, Bay St. George, was killed in action on March third. Please inform relatives.

J.R. BENNETT

Colonial Secretary.

WFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.**Cable Connection with all the World****All Messages Sent are Subject to the Following Conditions:**

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Signature of Sender

Address

Line
Number

Rcd

By

Sent

by

Check

Dated

March 13, 1917.

To

Mrs. Elizabeth Benoit,

Big Cove,

Bay St. George.

Regret to inform you Record Office, London,
today reports No. 1470, Private Edward Benoit,
was killed in action March third.

J.R. BENNETT

Colonial Secretary.

NOTE FOR OPERATOR:

This message is not to be sent until receiving office notifies that message to Rev. Fr. Adams, Stephenville, has been delivered and acted upon.

FOR TYPEWRITER

C.R.1470

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

January 23rd. 1917,

1470, Pte E. Bennett. ✓

Diarrhoea. Slight Adm. 11 Sty. Hos. Rough 15th. January 1917

C.R. 1470

Extract from Casualties List No.E.A. 5958

1470 Pte. Bennett M.E.

Adm. 11 Sty. H. Rouen 25th Jan. 17. Myalgia Slt.

C.R. 1470

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&.R.O.
August 24th. 1916.

The following Casualty in the 1/1Newfoundland Regiment
with the British Expeditionary Force is reported
under various date.

1470, E. Bennett. ✓

Previously Reported Missing Now reported not Missing.

C.R. 1470

Extract of Cablegram received from London dated
August 19, 1916.

#1470 Bennett.

Previously reported "Missing". latest information
from Officer Commanding Battalion (Not Missing)
have no further information than that already furnished.

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender _____ Address _____

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated August 19th, 1916.

To Mrs. Elizabeth Bennett,
Big Cove, Bay St. George.

Am pleased to inform you that Record Office, London, to-day reports No. 1470 Private Edward Bennett by latest information from officer commanding Battalion is not missing.

J. R. BENNETT,

Colonial Secretary.

C.R. 1470

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record
Office, London, dated August 10, 1916.

#1470 Pte. E. Bennet.

Cancel prev. rept. of Missing to W.O. 27/7/16 C.

905 Now reported:- Not Missing. R/b O.C. Bn. 21/7/16.

C.R. 1470

1470 BENNETT. E.

EXTRACT OF CASUALTY LIST RECEIVED FROM THE PAY & RECORD
OFFICE LONDON DATED NOVEMBER AUGUST 5, 1916.

"MISSING."

C.R. 1470

Extract of Casualties received from War & Record Office,
London, dated July 31, 1916.

(Extract from Army Form B, 213 5000 from G.C. Field. Regt.,
dated 1/7/16.)

#1470 Pte. E. Bennett, B.Co.,

Missing 1/7/16. ✓

NEWS

B(107)

COPY OF TELEGRAM.

Dated
July 31, 1916.

TO **Mrs. Elizabeth Bennett,**
Big Cove,

Bay St. George.

Regret to inform you that the Record Office,
London, officially reports **No. 1470, Private**
Edward Bennett, as missing.

Upon receipt of further information I shall immedi-
ately wire you.

J. R. BENNETT,

Colonial Secretary.

OP 1470

Extract from Nominal Roll # 3rd Draft to B.E.F. arrived
29, ABD. 30-3-16 Joined Battalion 15-4-16

#1470 Pte. E. Bennett.

C.R. 1470

Extract from Memorial Roll Published St. John's for Overseas per
S.S. "Valparaiso" June. 19. 1915. "F".

1470 Pte. Bennett E.

C.R. 1470

Extract of Nominal Roll Draft (All Ranks) to 1st Bn.,
B.E.F. Embarked Southampton. 28-3-16

1470 Pte. E. Bennett.

No. 1470 Name Bennett, E. Sq. Btry. B. Corps 1st N.F.L.D. Date of enlistment }
 G.C. Badges } Service or Proficiency Pay }
 Date of last entry in Company Conduct Sheet } No. and date of last drunk } Period not reckoning towards freedom from extra fine } Sheet No. }
 Signature O.C. Company, etc. } J. J. [unclear] Character capt.

Place	Date of offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	Offence	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	Remarks
		<u>Pte.</u>		<u>Wounded in action 3/3/17</u>					
				<u>Killed 3-3-17</u>					
<p><u>Temporary sheet</u> <u>Original not to hand.</u></p>									
<p><u>This man I remember rightly</u> <u>enlisted & attested, his name spelled <u>Bennett, E.</u></u></p>									

Army Form B. 122

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Bennett Christian Name Edward

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish <u>St. George's</u> County <u>G. F. L. D.</u>		SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
Examined	on <u>26th</u> day of <u>April</u> 191 <u>6</u>	on	day of	191	
	at <u>St. Johns</u>	at			
Declared Age	<u>25</u> years	days	years	days	
Trade or Occupation	<u>Fisherman</u>				
Height	<u>5</u> feet	<u>5$\frac{1}{2}$</u> inches	feet	inches	
Weight		<u>162</u> lbs.		lbs.	
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded...	<u>39</u> inches		inches	
	Range of expansion..	<u>4</u> inches		inches	
Physical Development					
		Right	Left	Right	Left
Vaccination Marks	Arm				
	Number				
When Vaccinated	<u>never</u>				
Vision	R. E.—V= <u>6/6</u>			R. E.—V= <u> </u>	
	L. E.—V= <u>6/6</u>			L. E.—V= <u> </u>	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)				
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection	(b)				
Approved by (Signature)	<u>Geo W. Burden</u>				
(Rank)	<u>Lieut</u>				
					Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at <u>St. Johns</u>	at			
	on <u>24</u> day of <u>April</u> 191 <u>6</u>	on	day of	191	
Joined on Enlistment		Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
	<u>1st G. F. L. D.</u>		<u>1470</u>		
Transferred to					
Became non-effective by					
	on	day of	191	on	day of
(Signature)					
(Rank)					

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

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
May 20	First Inoculation 500 Mellow
June 7	Second " 1000 "
20.3.16.	Fit for active Service. Injrn

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
St Johns Rifle			3		

ORIGINAL.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT Form B. 2090A.
68, VICTORIA ST. LONDON, S.W.
MAR 15 1917
14 MAR 1917

FIELD SERVICE

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 2090 or from other official documentary sources.

REGIMENT } Newfoundland Regiment }
or } }
CORPS } } Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company } B Company

Regtl. No. 1470 Rank Private

Name Bennett, E.

DUPLICATE
SENT TO
O.C. H.Q.
ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.
25/4/17
MAR 23 1917

Date March 3rd., 1917.

Died Place France.

Cause of Death* Killed in Action.

Nature and Date of Report B 213, 3/3/17.

By whom made O.C., Unit.

* 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.

Place

Burial Date

By whom reported

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) do
(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

Wm Parrish Capt. for Lt. Col.,
Officer i/c Records Reg. Inf. Sec. 1,
3rd. Echelon, G.H.Q., B.E.F.

Station and Date 3rd. Echelon, 9/3/17.

TRIPLICATE. FIELD SERVICE.

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 } Newfoundland Regiment Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company } B Company
 or
 CORPS }



Regtl. No. 1470 Rank Private

Name Bennett, E.

Died { Date March 3rd., 1917.

Place France.

Cause of Death* Killed in Action.

Nature and Date of Report B 213, 8/5/17.

By whom made O.C., Unit.

* 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 _____

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) do
 (c) as a separate document do

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Signature of Officer in charge of Section Adjutant-General's Office at the Base } Mr. P. Russell Capt. for Lt. Col., Officer i/o Records Reg. Inf. Sec. 1, 3rd. Echelon, C.M.C., B.E.F.

Station and Date 3rd. Echelon, 9/5/17.

*Forwarded with the Compliments
of the Secretary of the War Office.*

War Office,

15/6/1917



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For British War Office.

Evidence as to Officers or Men on Missing Lists for Action P.M.



I (Regimental No., Name and Regiment) Pt A MacKenzie 3526

4th South Africa Battalion

British Prisoner of War interned at Chirurg Lazarett A 78

certify that I actually saw (Regimental No., Name, Regiment, or in the case of an Officer,

1470

Name, Rank and Regiment) E - Bennett Newfoundland Pgt

~~killed~~ } (cross out the word or words that do not apply) at Abou
~~taken prisoner~~ } Thronesswold

on the 10 July 16



PARTICULARS.

(If the Officer or soldier has died, you should give fully your reasons for knowing him to be dead—e.g., whether you saw him buried. In all cases you should state your reasons for being certain as to the identity of the officer or soldier referred to.)

I was lying in the same shell hole as he was from 2 a.m till 10 a.m. & he was quite cold & dead

Signature of Officer or soldier Pt A MacKenzie 3526
Unterschrift des Offizieren oder des Soldaten

Date Jan 5 '17
Datum

Signature of Commandant of Camp
Unterschrift des Kommandanten

or Officer in charge of Hospital
oder des Chefarztes

M. Minnie



Stamp.
Stempel.



COPY.

FOR BRITISH WAR OFFICE.

*Copy sent to
Gp. with Cas.
29/6/17*

EVIDENCE as to OFFICERS or MEN on MISSING LIST.

I, (Regimental No., Name and Regiment) K. Mackenzie
3526. 4th South Africa Scottish
British Prisoner of War interned at ~~Ohrdruf~~ Lazarett, A-Z-8.,
certify that I actually saw (Regimental No., Name, Regiment, or
in the case of an Officer, Name, Rank and Regiment)
1470. E. Bennett. Newfoundland Rgt.

killed)
wounded) (cross out the word or words that do not apply)
taken prisoner)
at Abom Throneswoods
on the 10, July, 16.



PARTICULARS.

(If the Officer or Soldier has died, you should give fully
your reasons for knowing him to be dead— e.g., whether you saw
him buried. In all cases you should state your reasons for
being certain as to the identity of the Officer or Soldier referred
to.)

I was lying in the same shell hole as he was from
2 a.m. till 10 a.m. & he was quite cold & dead.

Signature of Officer or Soldier: Pte. K. Mackenzie. 3526.
Unterschrift des Offizieren oder des Soldaten.

Date) Jan. 5/17.
Datum)

Signature of Commandant of Camp)
Unterschrift des Kommandanten)
on Officer in charge of Hospital)
oder des Chefartztes)

Stamp. Kriegsgefangenen-
Stampel. Lazarett.
Ohrdruf

Zentralkomitee vom Roten Kreuz
(Abteilung für Gefangenensorge)
Berlin S.W., Abgeordnetenhaus.

*Note: 1470 Pte. E. Bennett was killed in action 3/1/17
and the statement of K. Mackenzie appears to
be incorrect.*

PAY LIST.

to

191 . Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps

No. *1470* Rank *Pte.*

Name *Bennell R.*

Died^(a) *Intestate* at *France* on the *3rd* of *March* 191*7*.

Deserted at _____ on the _____ of _____ 191*7*.

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

{ *Commanding Squadron, Troop,
Battery or Company.*

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

[Form 1.]

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month				Balance Cr. last month	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>17</i>
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at _____ from _____ to _____			
	£ s. d.				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at _____ from _____ to _____			
	191				Messing allowance days at _____			
	"				from _____ to _____			
	"				Kit allowance			
	"				Amount produced by the sale of Effects from Form 2			
	Consolidated stoppage				Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
					Deferred Pay or Gratuity			
	Balance due by the Paymaster	<i>27</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>6</i>	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£	<i>27</i>	<i>15</i>		£	<i>27</i>	<i>15</i>

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the *debtor balance* is correctly chargeable against the Public^(a) CONTINGENT.

Dated *11 JUN 1917*
at *LONDON*

191

Paymaster

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.
Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.



PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE RECORDS

Bennett. E.

1470

Ray Dept

This account is in accordance with information received at the Pay & Record Office to 2 / 1 / 1917 and is therefore subject to amendment if, and as may be found necessary.

PAY LIST.

to

191 . Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps

No. 1470

Rank Pte.

Name **Bennett, E.**

Died^(a) Intestate

at **France**

on the **3rd** of **March** 1917.

Deserted at

on the _____ of 191 _____

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

{ *Commanding Squadron, Troop,
Battery or Company.*

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

Form 1.

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month				Balance Cr. last month 3/3/17	27	15	6 ✓
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay _____ days at _____ from _____ to _____			
	£ s. d.				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay _____ days at _____ from _____ to _____			
	191				Messing allowance _____ days at _____ from _____ to _____			
	"				Kit allowance			
	"							
	"							
	Consolidated stoppage							
	Balance due by the Paymaster	27	15	6	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£27	15	6		£	27	15 6

This account is in accordance with information received at the Pay & Record Office to / / and is therefore subject to amendment if, and as may be found necessary.

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debt is correctly chargeable against the Public^(b).

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
15 VICTORIA ST.,
LONDON, S.W.

JUN 21 1917

[Signature]
PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS

(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.

CHECKED

PAY LIST.

to

191 . Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps

No. 1470

Rank Pte.

Name Bennett, E.

Died (a) Intestate

at France

on the 3rd of March 1917.

Deserted at

on the of 191 .

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

Commanding Squadron, Troop,
Battery or Company.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

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	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at from to			
	£ s. d.				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to			
191					Messing allowance days at from to			
"					Kit allowance			
"					produced by the sale of Effects from form 2			
"					of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
"					red Pay or Gratuity			
	Balance due by the Paymaster	27	15	6	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£27	15	6		£27	15	6

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the
is correctly chargeable against the Public (b).

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
25 VICTORIA ST.,
LONDON, S.W.
JUN 21 1917

Paymaster

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CHECKED

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$151 ⁹⁷/₁₀₀

Feb. 6th 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of One hundred Fifty One ⁹⁷/₁₀₀ Dollars.
on account of Pay Estate.
balance

Ch. No.	3911	Initials	EW
Pay Ledger	129	Initials	EW
Gen. Ledger		Initials	JRS

Regtl. No. Rank

200

No. 1470 Rank Pte.

Name E. Bennett.

Elizabeth King.

Bank Head.

Bay St. George's.

Feb. 8th, 18.

Mrs. Elizabeth King,

Bank Head,

St. George's.

Dear Madam:-

I enclose herewith cheque for \$151.97,
being the balance of the estate of the late Pte. E. Bennett,
payable to you as Administratrix. I also enclose letters
of Administration.

Yours faithfully,

Capt. & Paymaster