



# First Newfoundland Regiment

## ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 695

Name in full James Joseph Gray Age 20 years

Address 7 Flower Hill

Married  Single  Height 5 ft. 6 in. Weight 137.

Color Dark Hair Dark Brown Eyes Grey

Other distinguishing marks \_\_\_\_\_

Nearest relative Mrs. J. Fitzpatrick (Mother)

Address 7 Flower Hill

Dependents (none)

Occupation Teacher Present Wage 320 \$ a year

Previous service \_\_\_\_\_

Decorations \_\_\_\_\_

General Remarks \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Enlistment December 15<sup>th</sup>

I, James Joseph Gray, 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.

Declared before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of December 1914  
James Joseph Gray  
Ensign

**DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.**

(To correspond with Entries on the Medical History Sheet.)  
Applicable to all ranks.

**Reg. No. 696**

Name James Joseph Gear

Apparent age 20 years      months. Height 5 feet 6 inches.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded      inches.  
Range of expansion      inches.

Distinctive marks Color: Dark, Hair: Dark Brown, Eyes: Grey

**INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.**

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Relationship Mother

**Particulars as to Marriage.**

(a) Christian and Surname of Woman to whom married, and whether spinster or widow. (b) Place and date of marriage.  
(c) Present address. (d) Initials of Officer verifying entry.

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)

**Particulars as to Children.**

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

**STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.**

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of Pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries.
					years   days	years   days	years   days	years   days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>15/12/14</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>15th December '14</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above ... ..									
Total Service towards Engagement to ... .. (date of discharge) ... .. years ... .. days ... ..									
" " " " Pension " " " " ( " " " ) " " " "									

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 Joined at St. John's on 15th December '14

*Missing April 15th 1917.*

*Embarked St. John's S.S. Dominion 5<sup>th</sup>. Embarked M. S. 20<sup>th</sup>. Disembarked Here and embarked for Cairo 31<sup>st</sup>. Embarked for Gallipoli 13<sup>th</sup>. Landed Sube Bay night of 19. 20 Sept 15. Evacuated and arrived Her. 15<sup>th</sup>. Proceeded to Suez 16<sup>th</sup>. Embarked Port Said 14<sup>th</sup>. Disembarked Alexandria 22<sup>nd</sup>. Wounded 1<sup>st</sup>. Admitted 87 J.A. 9 SW Both Shoulders 2<sup>nd</sup>. Invalided to England 5<sup>th</sup>. Admitted Wandsworth 4<sup>th</sup>. Employed at 1. attached Capt. 27<sup>th</sup>. L. Capt. 4<sup>th</sup>. A. Surg. 7<sup>th</sup>. Embarked for B. S. 30<sup>th</sup>. Disembarked Town 1-12-16. Admitted 105<sup>th</sup> Hosp. N.Y.D. 3<sup>rd</sup>. Joined Base Depot 5<sup>th</sup>. Admitted 51<sup>st</sup> Hosp. N.Y.D. 23<sup>rd</sup>. Joined Base Depot 6<sup>th</sup>. Invalidation 24-2-17.*

*Missing 11-11-1917*

Total Service forfeited as above ... ..  
 Total Service towards Engagement to 14-11-17 (date of discharge) 2 years 121 days.  
 " " " Pension " " " " " " " "

J. Yeast

695

~~P. T. P. U.~~

June 17 51-16

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

# MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Gear OF Christian Name James

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	at	on	at
Examined	1st day of Dec 1914	St. Johns.	day of	191
Declared Age	20 years	days	years	days
Trade or Occupation	Teacher			
Height	5 feet	6 inches	feet	inches
Weight		137 lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded	36 1/2 inches		inches
	Range of expansion	3 inches		inches
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Arm			
	Number			
When Vaccinated	1906			
Vision	R.E.—V=		R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=	<i>M</i>	L.E.—V=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection	(b)		(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	<i>Cluny Macpherson</i>			
(Rank)	Capt.			
	Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at	St. Johns.	at	
	on	15th day of Dec 1914	on	day of 191
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	1st Nfd Regt	Regtl. No.	695
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by				
	on	day of 191	on	day of 191
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

Table II.—Only for admission to hospital or to the sick list in case of Warrant officers treated in quarters.

Name of Hospital.	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number Cases in Hospital	Remarks bearing on the cause, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of future use. In cases of syphilis, admissions and re-admissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers, &c., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.	Signature of Medical Officer
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
8 <sup>th</sup> LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL WANDSWORTH.	4	7	16	17	8	16	S. N. both shoulders & R. hand. V.D. 1 day all (3 wounds).	4	Rem Anal. Wound on top of R shoulder, superficial, & a similar wound back of left shoulder. Top of L. R. hand. Also had cleaning with effluvia. Wound healed & recorded.	J. Redhead M.B. R.N.S.D.

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
25.4.15 15-8-15	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>J. V.</i></p> <p><i>Vac.</i> <i>Fit for Foreign Service</i></p>

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
<i>St. Johna.</i>	<i>Dec 17/14</i>	<i>Feb. 5/15</i>			
<i>Troopship "Ammon"</i>	<i>Feb 5/15</i>	<i>" 16/15</i>			
<i>Edinburgh Castle</i>	<i>" 16/15</i>				







Admitted 4-7-16

Army Form W. 3016.

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

Date Aug 17<sup>th</sup> 1916

(1) To the Officer i/c Records,

58 Victoria Street  
S.W. (Station.)

(2) The Officer Commanding,

Newfoundland Cont  
Army. (Station.)

(3) The Paymaster,

58 Victoria Street  
S.W. (Station.)

Regimental No. 695

Rank and Name

Pte Gear. J. J.

Regiment or Corps

1st Infld.

has been granted a furlough from

Aug 17<sup>th</sup> to Aug 26<sup>th</sup>

His address while on leave will be:—

58 Victoria Street  
S.W.

This man has been furnished with a warrant to Victoria and given an advance of (£1) one pound.

I consider he is fit for\*  Duty.  
 Light duty.

Horace Sagan Capt. R.A.M.C.(T.F.)

Officer in charge

Registrar, R.A.M.C.I. Hospital,

3rd London General Hospital,

WANDSWORTH, S.W. (Station.)

\* Strike out that which is inapplicable.

Four copies to be made, and one copy sent to each Officer mentioned above and one copy filed in the office.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,  
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

Ref. Nos IN 10716

Rec'd 10 DEC 1918

Ack'd Ans'd

Ref. Nos. OUI

Envoy

Comd

P &

R. & C

B & F

P.S.

Peggy Gray  
44 George St  
Paisley  
Scotland  
8<sup>th</sup> Dec 1918.

Dear Sir

Could you give  
me any information regarding  
Sergeant J. J. Gear 695 14<sup>th</sup> Newfoundland  
Regt who was ported missing  
on 14<sup>th</sup> April 1917. Any information  
regarding the above will be  
gladly received by me.

Missing 14.4.17.  
Presumed Dead  
17.11.17.

Believe me  
Sincerely  
Peggy Gray

695. The Flow.

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Hoip 1-0-0 ✓  
Inlay 1-7½ ✓  
any Rolls 8-2-5 ✓

9-4-0½ ✓

Appearance, 17/3/6	19-4-4½ ✓
18/3-17/8-1834	
40	6120
	12-11-6 ✓
	<u>31-18-10½</u> ✓
	9 4
	<u>22 11</u>

*Handwritten signature*

*Handwritten signature*

Office copy

PAY LIST. to 191 . Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps No. 695 Rank Sgt Name Gear J. J. Died (as Intestate) at France on the 14 of April 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.

Table with columns: Date, Dr., £ s. d., Cr., £ s. d. Rows include: Balance Dr. last month, Cash issues, Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay, Messing allowance, Kit allowance, Amount produced by the sale of Effects from Form 2, Amount of Savings Bank balance, Consolidated stoppage, Balance due by the Paymaster, Balance due to the Paymaster.

CHECKED. 16/5/18

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ 716 is correctly chargeable against the Public.

Dated at this day of 20 MAY 1918 Paymaster.

(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.

and I would like very much  
to know if he is receiving  
letters. I will be greatly  
obliged if you could see  
your way to help in  
this matter.

I am Sincerely  
Yours  
J. J. Gray

44 George St  
Paisley  
Scotland

Missing

44 George St  
Paisley  
Scotland  
29<sup>th</sup> May 1917

Dear Sir

Would you be  
so kind as to forward  
this letter to Supt J. J.  
Dear No 695 who left

~~Apr or December 1916 with~~  
~~S. Boy of the Newfoundland~~  
~~Regt. I have been writing~~  
~~to him for some time~~  
~~and have had no reply~~

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	2740
Rec'd.	MAY 31 1917
Acc'd.	
Ans'd.	1/6/17
File No.	

1st June, 7

5232/1  
HA/JC

Miss Peggy Gray,  
44, George Street,  
Paisley, Scotland.

695, SERGT. J.J.GEAR.

With reference to your letter of the 29/5/17, enclosing a letter for Sergt. Gear: I regret to say that this N.C.O. was posted "Missing" on the 14/4/17, and I am therefore returning the letter to you, pending further information.

Major,

Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

BRANCH
Ad
ACTED UPON
BY
DATE

Peggy Gray  
 44 George St  
 Paisley  
 Scotland.

Oct. 16<sup>th</sup> 1917.

~~Missing~~

Dear Sir

You would  
 greatly oblige the writer  
 by giving any information  
 about Sergeant G. J. Gear No 695  
 1<sup>st</sup> N. F. L. D. who was  
 posted missing on April 14<sup>th</sup>  
 1917. An early reply would  
 greatly oblige yours faithfully  
 Peggy Gray

1ST N. F. L. D. REGISTER
PAID & RECEIVED OFFICE
Reg. No. 15991
Rec'd. 18 OCT 1917
Acc'd. [Signature]
Ans'd. [Signature]
File No.



Year 19.

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Ray Depth

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

Claimant.. *Agnes Fitzpatrick (Mother)*

Deceased *James J. Lee* No. *693* Rank. *Sgt.*  
On account of

Decision... *Refused*  
*Subband not incapacitated*

Date *Jan. 27/1920.*

*W. H. Kendall Lieut. Col.*  
*M. Bowley Major*

Instructions.....  
.....  
.....

Allotment of *70<sup>¢</sup>* per day payable to *Mrs. Fitzpatrick*  
his *S. Walter* from *31/1/19* to *30/6/19*

Discontinued ~~on account of~~ *by Pension Board.*

*V. Pike S. Sgt.*

*691*

NOTICE.

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

MOTHER.

(Separation Allowance Branch )

THIS STATUTORY DECLARATION is to be filled in correctly in every detail, and a complete reply must be given to each question.

Each statement is considered as being made on Oath, and the form is to be signed before a Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public or Justice of the Peace and returned to:

"The Paymaster"  
Separation Allowance Branch,  
St. John's, Nfld.

1. Name in full of soldier. Rank. Reg't. or Unit. Regt. No.  
*James J. Blair Serjt of FID 695*
2. Age of soldier. Married or Single.  
*19 years. Single.*
3. Name in full of mother. Age. Occupation. Permanent Address.  
*Agnes Fitzpatrick 50 years Housewife No 7 Flower Hill*
4. Give name of your husband. Age. Occupation Where Employed.  
*Thomas Fitzpatrick 62 Carpenter James McLaughlin*
5. If your husband is not supporting you state the reason.
6. If your husband is a chronic invalid and totally incapacitated, state nature of malady. ( A Medical Certificate must be enclosed with this document stating from what date husband has been totally incapacitated, and for how long incapacity is likely to continue.)
7. If you are a widow, state date and place of death of your husband.
8. Have you married again since death of above mentioned husband?
9. Names of your other children. Address in full. Age. Occupation Married or Single.  
*Thomas Fitzpatrick 15 - going to School. Single*  
*Railt Fitzpatrick age 13.*

10. State amount earned by (a) Yourself *nothing*  
(b) Your husband. *12 dollars if paid*
- 
11. State amount and source of any other income. *Nothing*
- 
12. State value of real property belonging to you and your husband. *Nothing*
- 
13. State value of personal property belonging to you and your husband. *Nothing*
- 
14. If husband is dead state value of real and personal property left by him.
- 
15. Actual amount contributed by soldier during the year prior to enlistment. *350 yearly*
- 
16. Was this amount contributed weekly or monthly. *every three Months*
- 
17. Did this amount include payment of son's Board etc., *yes*
- 
18. State your son's trade or occupation prior to enlistment. *School Teacher*
- 
19. State amount of his wages per week.
- 
20. State name and address of his last employer. *Rev Father Sunny Betty Harbor*
- 
21. State amount of monthly support from son since enlistment. *2/00*
- 
22. State amount of allotment received by you from son since enlistment. *untill august of 1919.*
- 
23. State from what date did you receive allotment? *Feb 4<sup>th</sup> 1914.*
- 
24. Actual amount contributed by other children      Weekly      Monthly  
*nothing*
- 
25. Are any of these children in the employ of you or your husband? *no*

- 26. If not receiving support from other children, state cause. Explain fully. *ta young*
- 27. With whom are you residing at present? *not husband*
- 28. Have you made a previous claim for Separation Allowance. If not, why? Give particulars. *did not look for it until attachment was stopped*
- 29. Are you already in receipt of Separation Allowance from any source? If so, how much? *nothing*
- 30. Are you already in receipt of any payment from any Patriotic Fund? If so, how much. *nothing*
- 31. Was the soldier at the time of his enlistment an employee of the H.M.G. Government. *yes*
- 32. In what capacity and in what place? *School Teacher - Petty Harbour*
- 33. Is he in receipt of a salary as such while serving in the Royal Newfoundland Regiment? If so, how much. *nothing*

I herewith make this solemn Declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and knowing it to be of the same force and effect as if made under Oath and in Virtue of the Evidence Act.

Signature of Applicant. *Mrs. Thomas Fitzpatrick*  
 Place of Residence... *St. John's, St. John's, Nfld.*  
 Declared and subscribed before me at... *St. John's, Nfld.*  
 this... *30th* day of... *August* 191*9*  
 Signature of Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public or Justice of the Peace. *John McCarthy*

This application must be signed by two responsible parties one of whom must be a Clergyman, the other a representative of your local Patriotic Fund Committee, certifying that to the best of their knowledge after careful investigation the above statements are correct and the soldier first above mentioned is the sole support of the applicant.

Signature of Clergyman... *Thomas J. Flynn*  
 Signature of member of the Patriotic Fund Committee. *Judge Paul*

Jan. 12, 1920

Mrs. Agnes Gitzpatrick,  
#7 Flower Hill,  
City

Dear Madam:-

Referring to your application for Separation allowance, I have been directed to inform you that same cannot be granted you, as your husband is not incapacitated, and you cannot be considered to have been dependent upon your late son.

Yours truly,

Major

Paymaster.

1917 - 1918

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 47<sup>22</sup>

Oct. 24<sup>th</sup> 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of forty Seven <sup>22</sup>/<sub>100</sub> Dollars.  
~~amount~~ of Pay. Estate.  
balance

Ch. No. 8676	Initials JH
Pay Ledger 695	Initials WA
Gen. Ledger	Initials

Regtl. No. Rank

No. 691. Rank Sgt.

Name Gear J. J.

Agnes S. Fitzpatrick

7 Flower Hill

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Oct. 28th, 1918.

Mrs. Agnes S. Fitzpatrick,  
7 Flower Hill,  
City.

Dear Madam,-

I beg to enclose cheque for \$47.22, being the  
balance of the Estate of the late Sergt. J. J. Gear, payable  
to you as Administratrix.

I also enclose Letters of Administration.

Yours truly,

Capt.  
Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

ENCLOSURE

EW.



ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE.



OFFICER i/c RECORDS,

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA,

ST., JOHN'S, N.F.L.D.

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To ensure that as far as may be possible none of the next of kin of those who have fallen in the War shall fail to receive the Memorial Plaque, it is requested that on receipt of the enclosed Plaque this card be signed at the bottom and posted. No stamp is required.

*E*

*Mrs J. Fitzpatrick*

(2249) Wt 21551/ P6599 10/19 900M (20) D.St.

22  
111  
1919

Mrs Thomas Fitzpatrick

# 7 Flower

Department of Militia

Mill  
City. ———

Dear Sir:

I received the 1914-1915  
Star Medal forwarded on  
Feb Dec 3rd. I signed the  
Post boys slip and sent it  
back.

yours sincerely  
Mrs Thomas Fitzpatrick  
7 Flower Mill  
City ———

695 Sgt. Jas. Egan.

C.R.

695

u. B.

C.R. 695

Extract of Communication received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, dated October 15, 1917.

#695 Sergt. J.J.Gear.

Posted as "Missing" 14/4/17 and presumed Dead for  
official purposes 17/11/17.

C.R. 695

Extract of Cablegram received from Pay & Record  
Office, London dated May 13, 1917.

#695 Sergt. J. J. Gear, C. Co.,

Reported Missing April 14th.

May 13, 7.  
\_\_\_\_\_191

Madam,

Dear

I regret to have to inform you that a report has this day been received from the Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, to the effect that  
No. 695, Bergt. James G. Gear,

\_\_\_\_\_ missing April 14th.

has been posted as \_\_\_\_\_

Should any further information be received concerning him, such information will be at once communicated to you.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs. T. Fitzpatrick,  
7 Flower Hill.

Colonial Secretary.



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April 13, 1917.

Dear Madam,

In reply to an enquiry which I cabled to the Record Office, London, on the 11th instant, I am to-day advised by Major Timwell that No. 695, Sergt. James J. Gear, is at present with the First Battalion.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary.

*Geo. Egan*  
Mrs. T. Fitzpatrick,  
7 Flower Hill.

TRANSLATION OF CODE MESSAGE SENT TO  
SYNOPTICAL, LONDON, ON THE  
11TH APRIL, 1917.

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Report by telegraph present condition of  
2636 Stone 2779 Somerton Relatives anxious  
for news of 2967 Dunphy 2284 Layman 695  
Gear What is extent of injuries sustained by  
1853 Hancock full stop Have you any informa-  
tion personal effects of 1124 Lannigan.

C.R. 695

Extract of casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, dated December 11, 1916.

#695 Sergt, J.J. Ge r.

NYD. slight.

Admitted 1. Stationary Hospital, Rouen, 3rd December 1916.

✓

C.R. 695.

Extract from Nominal Roll Draft (All Ranks) to 1st Bn.  
B.C.F. Embarked Southampton.

695 Psgt. J.Gear

30-11-16.

C.R. 695

Extract of Daily Orders part 11, from Unit 1st Nfld. Regt.  
3rd Echelon, B.C.F., dated August 31, 1916.

EX

#695 Pte. J. Gear, C.CO.,

In arrest awaiting trial 2/5/16. Tried by Field General  
Court Martial on 10/5/16, and convicted of "Disobeying  
a lawful command given by his superior officer."  
Sentence - Imprisonment Hard Labour for one year.  
Remitted 11/8/16 by the G.O.C., 88th Brigade.

✓

C.R. 695

Extract of Communication received from Pay & Record Office  
London, dated August 18, 1916.

† 695 Pte. J.J.Gear.

Discharged from Hospital granted furlough from 17/8/16  
to 26/8/16 fit for Duty Class "A."

C.R. 695

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

(extract from Army Form B 218, from O.C. 1st. Wild. Regt.  
dated 11/7/16.)

#695 Pte. J.J.Gear. ✓

Wounded in Action 1/7/16.

C.R.

~~659~~  
695

Extract from Casualties received from Pay and Record Offices  
dated July 6th., 1916.

Admitted Sgt., London General Hospital on July 4th., 1916.

<sup>75</sup>  
~~450~~ pte. J.J. Gear

G.S.W. BANK.

BU.



C.R. 695

Copy of Cablegram to Governor St. John's Nfld.  
from P.&R.O. 6/7/16.

695, Gear. ✓

At Wandsworth Gunshot Wound Back.

C.R. 695

Copy of Cablegram to Governor St. John's Nfld.  
from P.&.R.O. 6/7/16.

695, Gear. ✓

At Wandsworth Gunshot Wound Back.

C.R. 6951

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, dated July 6, 1916.

#695 Pte. J.J.Gear. ✓

Gunshot wound back.

Admitted 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth,  
July 4, 1916.

Extract from Nominal Roll Co.1st. Bn. Nfld. Regt.

Embarked, at Devonport for Active Service 20-8-15

Disembarked Alexandria, 31-8-15, Proceeded to Abbassia,  
Cairo, same date, Embarked ~~for~~ Alexandria for Gallipoli  
13-9-15.

695 Pte. J.J.Gear.

C.R. 695

C.R. 695

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked by John's per S.S.  
"Dominion" "G" Company 2, 1916.

695 Pte. Gear J.J.

C.R. 695

Jas. Jos. Gear was attested for General service  
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on ... DEC. 15th. 1914.  
Regimental No 695 was allotted to Pte. J.J. Gear.

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

**Casualty Form—Active Service.**

**C.R.**

**2105**

Regiment or Corps *21<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Regt*

Rank *Serjt* Surname *Year* Christian Name *J. J.*

Religion *Roman Catholic* Age on Enlistment *20* years *1* months.

Enlisted (a) *St John* Terms of Service (a) *Duratio* Service reckons from (a) *15/12/17*

Date of promotion to present rank *7/11/16* Date of appointment to lance rank *15/12/17*

Extended { } Re-engaged { } Qualification (b) { } or Corps Trade and Rate { }



Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., 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 of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
			<b>Embarked S'hampton</b>	<b>30 NOV 1916</b>	
			<b>Disembarked Rouen</b>	<b>1-DEC 1916</b>	
		<i>Admitted NVD (Serjt)</i>	<i>Lozen</i>	<i>3/12/16</i>	<i>Sta 4794</i>
		<i>Transferred</i>	<i>ex 15th Regt</i>	<i>3/12/16</i>	<i>Sta. 5564</i>
		<i>Joined Base Dep</i>	<i>Lozen</i>	<i>5/1/17</i>	<i>St Paul</i>
		<i>Admitted NVD (Serjt)</i>	<i>Rouen</i>	<i>23/1/17</i>	<i>Sta 6738</i>
		<i>Joined Base Dep</i>	<i>Rouen</i>	<i>6/2/17</i>	<i>St Paul</i>
<i>10.3.17</i>	<i>oc. Unit</i>	<i>Re-joined Battalion</i>	<i>In the Field</i>	<i>24.2.17</i>	<i>B 213</i>
<b>15 APR 1917</b>	<b>OC. Bn.</b>	<b>MISSING</b>	<i>France</i>	<b>1 APR 1917</b>	<i>B 213</i>

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(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) Signaller, Shoeing-Smith, &c.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

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Regiment or Corps Newfoundland

Regimental No. 695

Rank Plt

Name J. J. Gear

Enlisted (a) 15/12/14

Terms of Service (a) one year

Service reckons from (a) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of promotion to present rank } \_\_\_\_\_

Date of appointment to lance rank } \_\_\_\_\_

Numerical position on roll of N.C.O.s } \_\_\_\_\_

Extended \_\_\_\_\_

Re-engaged 15/5/15

Qualification (b) \_\_\_\_\_

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 918, Army Form A. 86, 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				
		Embarked St. John's, NFLD.		3.2.15	
		Disembarked Alexandria		1.9.15	
		Embarked for Gallipoli		13.9.15	
		Embark'd Port Suez		14.3.16	
		Disembk'd MARSEILLES		22.3.16	
	8474A	CSW Both Shoulders bay. CBS		2.7.16	E.O. 11968
	25 South Huron	In to England from Egypt		3.7.16	W 3083

*Will Clerk* CAPTAIN.  
FOR THE INFANTRY RECORDS  
G. H. Q., 8th ECHELON.

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



# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

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*all*

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment	Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No.	<i>695</i>	Age on <i>20</i> years - months	<i>School Teacher</i>	<i>Promoted to C 18/9/16</i>
Joined <i>1st Nov 1914</i>	Date <i>Dec 15th 1914</i>	Place and Date of Enlistment <i>St Johns Dec 15th 1914</i>	Religion	<i>Sgt. 2nd Lt 7/11/16</i>
Joined <i>2nd Nov</i>	Date <i>27/11/16</i>		Religion <i>R. C.</i>	
Joined	Date	Period of { with Colours <i>2 1/2</i> years. with Reserve <i>3 1/2</i> years.	Place of Birth	
Joined	Date		<i>Newfoundland</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>Missing</i>	<i>14/17</i>				

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