



THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 5415 Name John Hobbs Corps 2nd

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

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|--|------------------------------------|
| 1. What is your name? | 1. <u>John Hobbs</u> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>Beal Cliff Bonaville Bay</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>yes</u> |
| 4. What is your age? | 4. <u>19</u> Years .. Months |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>bookmaker</u> |
| 6. Are you Married? ..? | 6. <u>no</u> |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? | 7. <u>no</u> |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? | 8. <u>yes</u> |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? ..? | 9. <u>yes</u> |
| 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? | 10. Name ..
Corps .. |
| 11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? | 11. <u>yes</u> |

I, J. D. Smith do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements made.

22-5-18

John Hobbs SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
J. D. Smith Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, John Hobbs do make oath, that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty, King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity against all enemies according to the conditions of my service.

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The Recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.

The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at ..

on this 22nd day of May 1918

Signature of Attesting Officer .. J. D. Smith

† CERTIFICATE OF APPROVING OFFICER.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the ..

If enlisted by special authority, such will be attached to the original attestation.

Date May 24th 1918 ..

Place St. John's .. } Approving Officer.

† The signature of the Approving Officer is to be affixed in the presence of the Recruit.
‡ Here insert the "Corps" for which the Recruit has been enlisted.

* If so, Recruit is to be asked the particulars of his former service, and to produce, if possible, his Certificate of Discharge and Certificate of Character, which should be returned to him conspicuously endorsed in red ink, as follows, viz:—(Name) .. re-enlisted in the (Regiment) .. on the (Date) ..

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

Applicable to all ranks. To correspond with entries on the Medical History Sheet.

Name J. P. Smith
 Apparent age 19 years — months. Height 5 feet 7 inches
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 34 inches
 Range of expansion 3 inches
 Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Henry Smith
Red Cliff B. B. | Relationship Father
 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	Rgt. or Lepot	Promotion, 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	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from _____									_____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____
Joined at _____ on _____									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ [date of discharge] _____ years _____ days									
" " Pensions " _____ [" "] _____ " _____									



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| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>Red Cliff</u>
<u>Bonaville Bay</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>yes</u> |
| 4. What is your age? | 4. <u>19</u> Years <u>—</u> Months |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>Seaman</u> |
| 6. Are you Married? | 6. <u>no</u> |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? | 7. <u>no</u> |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? | 8. <u>yes</u> |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? | 9. <u>yes</u> |
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I, John Hobbs do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements made.

John Hobbs SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
W. L. Coughlan Signature of Witness.

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I, John Hobbs do make oath, that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity against all enemies according to the conditions of my service.

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I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at St. John's on this 24 day of May 1915.

Signature of Attesting Officer Edwards Rient

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I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the;

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Date. May 24 1915

Place. St. John's

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Corps in which served	Rgt. or L'epot	Promotion, 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	
Service towards actual engagement reckons from <u>24-5-18</u>									
Joined at <u>M. P. Co's</u> on <u>Monday 24-1918</u>									
<u>Embarked M. P. Co's S.S. Colombia to Halifax N.S. 22-7-18</u>									
<u>Seriously ill Hospital Camp No. 1000 Halifax N.S. 16-11-18</u>									
<u>Diagnosed as Pneumonia 2-12-18 Hospital Halifax N.S.</u>									
<u>Discharged as Invalid No. 1000 Hospital Halifax N.S. 2-12-18</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to 2-12-1918 (date of discharge) _____ years 193 days
 " " Pensions " [" "] " " " "



C.R. 5415

Extract of Casualties from Pay and Record Office, London,
dated Dec.12th 1918.

5414 Pte.J.Hobbs

was buried in Grave No. H112, Magdalen Hill Cemetery, Winchester
on 5/12/18.

AUTHORITY:

Reply to P & R.O. No.20037/2253 of 6/12/18.

C.R. 5415

August 26th 1919.

Henry Hobbs Esq.,
Redcliffe, B.B.

Dear Mr. Hobbs:

I am sending under separate cover, photograph of the grave of your late son No. 5415 Pte. J. Hobbs, who was buried in Magdalen Hill Cemetery, near Winchester, Hants Grave No. H. 112, which we received from London a few days ago.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Col.
Chief Staff Officer.

C.R. 5415

RECEIVED FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.

ONE PACKAGE CONTAINING EFFECTS BELONGING TO THE LATE
NO. 5415 PTE. JOHN HOBBS.

DATE.....*Feb 29th 1919*.....

SIGNED.....*Henry Hobbs*.....

Extract from Registered Receipt, dated Feb. 17th., 1919.

One package No. A. 1599

To. Pte. John Hobb,
Redcliffe, B.B.

C.R. 5415

Feb. 14th 19

Henry Hobbs Esq.,
Redcliffe, B.B.


Dear Mr. Hobbs;

It is my regrettable duty to have to forward to you one package, containing effects which belonged to your late son No. 5415 Pte. John Hobbs, of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Herewith enclosed you will find receipt, kindly sign same and return at your earliest convenience.

Assuring you of my deepest sympathy in your bereavement and in the added sorrow that the receipt of these effects must entail.

Yours sincerely,


Lieut
Casualty Officer.

C.R. 5415

Extract of Casualties received from the Pay and Record
Office, London dated Dec. 3rd 1918.


5415 Pte. Hobbs.

2/Bn., is reported 3-12-18 by O.C., Magdalen Camp Hospital,
Winchester, Died of Pneumonia 8 p.m. 2-12-18

Authority:-

Telegram from Hospital.

No. of Paper 1415**PERSONAL EFFECTS.**Name Hobbs John**C.R.** 5415Rank PrivateRegiment ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

Article	Where stored	Notified by
<p>1 package containing:- Letters; Watch; Ring; Postal Packet; Purse.</p>		<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Shipped to Newfoundland.</p>
	Final disposal	

Remarks :- Died of Pneumonia 2/12/18

Next of Kin: - Father: - Henry Hobbs
Red Cliff
B.B.

C.R. 5415

Jan. 3rd 1918.

Dear Mr. Hobbs:-

I beg to inform you that we have received news, by mail, from our Pay and Record Office, London, which states that your son the late #5415 Pte. John Hobbs, was buried with full Military Honours at Magdalen Hill Cemetery, Winchester, Hants, England, Grave No. H112 on the 1/12/18.

Assuring you of my deepest sympathy in your bereavement.

Yours faithfully,



Lieut.

Casualty Officer.

Henry Hobbs Esq.,
Redcliffe, B.B.

WVW/MP.

C.R. 5415

Extract from Casualties.

from Pay and Record Office Dates Nov. 27th 1918.

5415 Pte. J. Hobbs

Reported 26/11/18 by O.C., Magdalen Camp Hospital, Winchester
SERIOBBYILL.

Telegram from Hospital.

C.R. 5415

Extract of Telegram from Synoptical, London, dated November 28th 1918.

*Seriously ill Mardalen Camp Hospital, Winchester, Nov.26th cause
not stated #5415 Hobbs.

C.R. 5415

Extract of telegram from Synoptical, London, dated Dec.4th.

Died of pneumonia Magdalene Camp Hospital Dec.2nd #5415 Hobbs.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



Cable Connection with all the World

All Messages Sent are Subject to the Following Conditions:

The Management may decline to forward the Message, though it has been received for transmission; but in case of so doing shall refund to the Sender the amount paid for its transmission.

In case the Message shall never reach its destination by reason of any neglect or default of the N. P. T. or its Servants whilst the Message remains under the control of the N. P. T., they will refund the amount paid by the Sender for such Message.

The N. P. T. shall not be liable to make compensation beyond the amount refunded as above for any loss, injury, or damage arising or resulting from the non-transmission or non-delivery of the Message, or delay or error in the transmission or delivery thereof, howsoever such transmission, non-delivery, delay, or error shall have occurred.

The control of the N. P. T. over the Message shall be deemed to have entirely ceased for the purposes of these Conditions at any point where, in the course of the transit of the Message to its destination, it may be entrusted by the N. P. T. (and the N. P. T. shall have full power so to entrust the Message) for further transmission by or through any system, service, or line of Telegraph belonging to or worked by any administration or authority not controlled by the N. P. T. exclusively, although worked as part of or in connection with the Telegraphic system or service of the N. P. T.

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 _____

Dept of Militia _____
Address _____

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated Dec 4th, 1918

To Church of England Minister or School Teacher
Redcliffe.

Regret to inform you Record Office, London reports
to-day No. 5415, Private John Hobbs died of pneumonia
at Magdalene Camp Hospital Dec. 2nd. Please inform
next of kin

J.R. Bennett

Chge Dept of Militia

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Counter No. 5415

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender _____ Address Dept of Militia.

Line Number	Recd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated **Dec 6th 1918**
To **Henry Hobbs, Redcliffe B.B.**

Regret to inform you that Record Office, London,
officially reports **No. 5415, Private John Hobbs**
died of pneumonia at Magdalene Camp Hospital Dec 2nd

Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire you.

Minister of Militia.

NOTE FOR OPERATOR :

This Message is not to be delivered until Receiving Office notifies that Message to

has been received and acted upon

FOR TYPEWRITER

C.R. 5415
Counter No.

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender _____ Address **Dept of Militia.**

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated

Nov. 28th, 1918

To

Henry Hobb, Redcliffe, B.B.

Regret to inform you that Record Office, London, officially reports No. 5415, Private John Hobbs seriously ill at Mardalen Camp Hospital inchester Nov. 26th cause not stated.

Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire you and trust that next report will be of his convalescence.

J. R. Bennett

Chge Dept of Militia.

Minister of Militia.

FOR TYPEWRITER

C.R. 5415

Extract from Daily Orders Part II, from Unit The Royal Nfld.
Reg. St. John's, dated July 23, 1916.

The following man embarked for or arrived on H.M.S.
"Columbells" July 23, 1916.

#5415 Pte. John Hobbs.

C.R. 5415

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal
Wfld. Regt. St. John's, dated May 27, 1918.

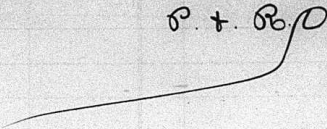
#5415 Pte. J. Hobbs.

Attested for General Service with the Royal Wfld. Regt.
from 24.5.18

J. Hobbs

5415

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Hobbs OF John Christian Name

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish Redcliffe, B.B. County Nfld.

	SPECIAL RESERVE		REGULAR ARMY	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined	2 nd	May		191
	at	Sydney.	at	
Declared Age...	19.	years		days
Trade or Occupation	fisherman.			
Height	5	feet	7.	inches
Weight	126.	lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded	34.		inches
	Range of Expansion	3.		inches
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Number			
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R.E.—V=	6/6	R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=	6/6	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)	<u>Lambert</u>			
(Rank)	Major		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at	Sydney.	at	
	on	24 th	on	day of May 1918
		Corps.		Regtl. No.
Joined on Enlistment	Royal Nfld. Regiment.		S 4/15.	
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by				
(Signature)	on	day of	on	day of
(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 Days in Hospital	Remarks bearing on the cause, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of future use. In case of syphilis, admissions and re-admissions to hospitals will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers, etc., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.	Signature of Medical Officer
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
<i>Hazeley Down</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>Tubercle lung</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>Pt. states he has had a cough for a fortnight & has been feeling ill all that time Temp now 102° Course rales at left apex & also at both bases. Sputum not at present tested, but case appears to be one of acute military tuberculosis.</i>	<i>6580 Rivian Capt R.M.C.</i>
<i>MAGDALEN CAMP HOSPITAL WINCHESTER</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>Pneumonia Lobar.</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>Cultures were. Temp left base. Temp 103°. P.R. 24. Pulse 120. Pt. never showed any signs of recovery & ultimately died.</i>	<i>H.A. Jones Capt R.M.C.</i>

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 Signatures
25-5-18	Vacc 70
13-6-18	TAB 10
27-6-18	TAB 10
4-7-18	TAB 10

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



To be used for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army only.
 Army Form B. 178* to be used for Special Reserve recruits
 and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname Hobbs Christian Name John

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish Redcliffe. B.B. County h/fld.
 Examined ... { on 24th day of May 1918.
 at St. Johns
 Declared Age ... 19 years ... days.
 Trade or Occupation ... Fisherman
 Height ... 5 feet, 7 inches.
 Weight ... 126 lbs.
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded. 34 inches.
 Range of Expansion 3 inches.

Physical Development ...

Vaccination Marks { Arm ... — Right — Left
 Number

When Vaccinated ...

Vision ... { R.E.—V= 6/6 Original
 L.E.—V= 6/6

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease ...

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection ...

COPIES SENT		
To	No.	DATE
M. OF M.	<u>20281/198</u>	<u>11/12/18</u> <u>AMH</u>
O.C. 1ST. EN.		
" 2ND. EN.		

Approved by (Signature) 2d. Lamont & Paterson
 (Rank) major. Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... { at St. Johns h/fld.
 on 24th day of May 1918.

Corps.	Regtl. No.
<u>Royal h/fld. Rgt.</u>	<u>5415</u>

Became non-effective by
 on _____ day of _____ 1918.

(Signature) _____
 (Rank) _____

Table II.—Only for Admissions to Hospital or to the Sick List in the case of Warrant Officers treated in quarters.

Name of Hospital	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number of days 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				
Hazelrigg Down	25	11	18	26	11	18	Tubercle Lung	1	Pt. states he has had a cough for a fortnight & has been feeling ill all that time. Temp. now 102°. Course raises at left apex & also at both bases. Sputum not at present tested, but case appears to be one of acute milky tuberculosis	2d. Co. A. Viriam Capt. Rame.
Magdalen Camp Hoop. Winches the	26	11	18	2	12	18	Pneumonia Luber.	7	Small signs base. P. spl. left base. Temp. 103°; Res. 24. Pulse 120. Pt. near nurse showed any signs of recovery - Delirious & died.	2d. J. H. A. Bykes Capt.

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

Date	Brief details, and signature
25.5.18	Vac.
13.6.18	T.A.B.
27.6.18	
4 7.18	3

} G.A.P.
L.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

To:- O.1/c Records.,
Newfoundland Regt.

Herewith please private effects of,-
5415. Private. J. Hobbs, Royal Newfoundland Regt.,
(Deceased)

Silver Watch.
Silver Ring.
Small Leather Wallett.
3 - £1 Notes. 96 cents.
Letters.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of same hereon.

(Signed) ? ? Captain.
R. A. M. C.

Military Hospital,
Magdalen Camp,
Winchester.

Approved: S.I.C. -107
John Macdonald

To: The Hon. Secy. of the Navy

Chief Paymaster & C.I/c Records
(General)

From:- Chief Paymaster & C.I/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street, S.W.1.

To:- Officer Commanding,
Military Hospital,
Magdalen Camp,
Winchester.

Reference reverse: Effects have
been received, please.

Chief Paymaster & C.I/c Records.
Major

12th. December, 1918.

FM/MN.

20037/2253/R.&C.

Forms
C. 348
1660

MEMORANDUM.

C. P. ~~From~~ & O. i/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent.

From Officer Commanding,
2nd Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regt.
Hazeley Down Camp.

To Officer Commanding,
2nd Bn.
R. Newfoundland Regt.,
Winchester.

To The Chief Paymaster,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
London, S.W.

ANSWER.

Pay & Record Office.

6th December, 1918.

Dec. 10th 1918

5415 PTE. J. HOBBS. Dec'd.

Will you please inform me
with regard to the burial of
the above-named man who died
at Magdalen Camp Hospital,
Winchester on 2/12/18:

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT, PAY & RECORD OFFICE.	
Ref. Nos. in	10722
Rec'd	7 DEC 1918
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Tran. Nos.	101
BY	
CH	112.
	Magdalen Hill Cemetery, Winchester
	December 5th 1918.
P.S.	

- a. No. of Grave
- b. Name of Cemetery & Place
- c. Date of burial?

- (a) 112.
- (b) Magdalen Hill Cemetery,
Winchester
- (c) December 5th 1918.

A. P. Munnell Major,

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

HA/NV

*Notes
Cas. 12-12-18*

N. Barclay
LIEUT. COLONEL,
COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

20037/2253/R.&.C.

G.P. & O. i/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent.

Officer Commanding,
2nd Bn.
R. Newfoundland Regt.,
Winchester.

Pay & Record Office.

6th December, 8.

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Major,

Chief Paymaster & O..i/c Records.

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POST OFFICE



TELEGRAPHS.

Office Stamp.

Handed in at

Office of Origin and Service Instructions

Words

Charges to pay

1100 OHMS HAZELBY CAMP 18



THIS FORM MUST ACCOMPANY ANY ENQUIRY RESPECTING THIS TELEGRAM.

Received here at

TO SYNOPTICAL LONDON

451 4TH AAA 5415 HOBBS DIED MILITARY
HOSPITAL MAGDALEN CAMP WINCHESTER. 20.12.18
PNEUMONIA * NEWFOUND HAZELBY CAMP

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No. 17782/1921



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

From:

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent,
Pay & Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.

To:

Officer Commanding,
2/Bn Royal Nfld. Regt.
Winchester.

1st November 1918

Nov 6 1918

Subject: 5415, Pte. J. Hobbs,

With reference to the following telegram (9443) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received

Pay to 5415 Hobbs £4:2:0

Receipt hereunder
Chambers
LIEUT. COLONEL,
COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.
Officer Commdg. 2nd Batt'n,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Received the sum of Four
pounds two sh on account of
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

Draft £ 4:2:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

A. A. Mitchell Maj.
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

J. Hobbs
No. 5415 Rank Private
Witness A. L. Carter, Pte.

20709/49/P&A

Command Paymaster,
Southern Command,
Salisbury.

16th December 8

FUNERAL CHARGES.

Reference A.C.T. 1839 of 1917: Bill of
Funeral Expenses of No. 5415, Pte, J. Hobbs,
Deceased, Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
Corporation of the City of Winchester, is
enclosed for customary attention, please.

Major,
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records,

FM/S

Records

Please verify Regt
Particulars
State Cause of death
Place at I cannot
on Brit I cannot read this
JDD

5415 pte J Hobbs dies
at Magdalen Camp Hop.
Winchester on 2/12/18 of
pneumonia. He was buried
at Magdalen Hill Cemetery
on 5/12/18 JDD

Tejpe particular
a bill, as stated
by the under.

Mr. C. F. S. S. C. S.
Dobson.

James C. Hayes

Refers to act of 1839 &
1917. Bill for Federal
Expenses of No 5415
The J. H. S. S. S. S.
R. R. P. S.
Corporate of City of S. L. 10.5
incorporated for
County of S. S.

20709/49

The Chief Paymaster,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
London, S.W.

NEWFOUNDLAND DISTRICT
PAY & RECORDS OFFICE

Ref. Nos. IN 10735 ✓

The attached is passed to you for necessary action.

Hazeley Down Camp,
Winchester,
Dec. 9th 1918.

B. J. Barton

LIEUT. COLONEL,
COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

Nº 6018



1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, John Hobbs, Regl. No. 5415
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of
 Dollars and 5 Cents, per diem, from my Pay,
 to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person ^{and} _{or} Persons, such payment to be made on proof
 of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person ^{and} _{or} Persons
 concerned, viz.:

Allotment begins July 15 18

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
4521	Mother	Mrs Henry (Sorena) Hobbs	Redcliff B Bay	60
Total Allotment, \$				60

NOTE.—This form must be completed by the Officer Commanding Company, signed by the Volunteer, countersigned by the Officer Commanding Company and handed to the Paymaster as authority to make the required payments on application.

(Sig.) Watson Leitch
 Officer Commanding
 E Company

(Sig.) John Hobbs
 (Rank) Pte

St John
June 26 1918

Hobbs, John

5415

Ray Sept

4093

Red Bluffs
Bonaville, Bay
Feb 21, 1919

To the Minister of Militia

St John's

5415

Dear Sir

I understand that when a Soldier lose his life serving his Country, His Parents (or whoever the case may be) then receive his full pay. If this is so I need an explanation why it is kept from me, since the death of my Son ^{son} St John Hobbs who died Dec 2 1918 I have received same amount as before, If more is due me I expect to get it, if not due I am satisfied also. Trusting you will give this your attention,

I am yours truly

Mrs Henry Hobbs

March 1st. 1919

Mrs. Henry Hobbs,
REDCLIFFE,

5415

Dear Madam:

With reference to your letter of February 21st. I beg to inform you that when a man of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment becomes deceased, his pay ceases at that date, but if his allotment is payable to his father or mother, the allotment only is continued until such time as his case is considered by the Board of Pension Commissioners

Yours truly,

Lieut.
for Paymaster.

May 24th. 1918.

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
Set 15 To John Hobbs, (Recruit). *Powice Smith*

May 21st./18 To passage from Princeton to Shoal Harbour. \$1.05.

(As per Voucher).

o/n
25.00

C.P.H.

Correct for \$1.05

C.P.H.



ACCOUNT	<i>John Hobbs</i>	INITIALS	<i>JH</i>
CH. NO.	<i>1100</i>	INITIALS	<i>JH</i>
IND. LEDGER	<i>4</i>	INITIALS	<i>JH</i>
PAY LEDGER	<i>7</i>	INITIALS	<i>JH</i>
GEN LEDGER	<i>10</i>	INITIALS	<i>JH</i>

Recd. P. [unclear]
John Hobbs

REID-NEWFOUNDLAND COMPANY.

PASSENGER DEPARTMENT.

AGENTS', CONDUCTORS' & PURSERS' RECEIPT.

Received from John Hobbs the sum of
one Dollar 5 Cents, being the amount of 105 Class Fare
 From Princeton to Shoal Hr.
 and have issued him Ticket No. 87 538 Form No. 128
 Date May 21st 1918

Agent, Conductor or Purser

J. Pringle
L. B. B. B.

This form to be used when requested to give receipt for amount paid for tickets.

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

GREEN HALL
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NEWFID

Dept. of Militia,
St. John's.

..... Aug. 14th 1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of
the late No. 5415 Rank Pvt
Name John Hobbs
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Henry Hobbs (Sgd.)

Father Relationship.

Address Red Cliff B. Bay

Dept. of Militia,
St. John's.

..... Aug. 19th 1921

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Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Henry Hobbs (Sgd.)

Father Relationship.

Address Red Cliff, B. Bay

Red Cliff

March 5th 1920

Department of Militia
St John's

C.R. 5415

I have received the Memorial Scroll
and accompanying message from His Majesty
the King from the above mentioned depart-
ment.

Yours truly
H. Hobbs