



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 2618 Name Wm. King Corps

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

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|--|---|
| 1. What is your name? | 1. <u>Wm. King</u> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>Placentia</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. What is your age? | 4. <u>23</u> Years <u>8</u> Months |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>fisherman</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. <u>FOR THE DURATION OF THE WAR</u>
{ For me
{ 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, Wm. King 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.

Wm. King SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
H. D. M. Bridge Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Wm. King 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 27 day of Apr 1916
 Signature of Attesting Officer ... H. D. M. Bridge

†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.....191..... } Approving Officer.
 Place..... }

† 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 Low King
 Apparent age 23 years 8 months. Height 5 feet 10 inches
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 37 1/2 inches
 Range of expansion 2 1/4 inches
 Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Mrs James King
Placenta | 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	Rgt. or Depot	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									
" " " Pension " [" "] " " "									



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Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>26-4-16</u>									
Joined at <u>St John's</u> on <u>April 26th 16</u>									
<div style="border: 1px solid black; border-radius: 50%; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> E.K.A. 28/11/17 </div>									
<u>Embarked St John's St. Helena for Lt 19-7-16</u>									<u>Embarked for B.S. 11-76</u>
<u>Joined unit 22-10-16</u>									
<u>Killed in Action 28-1-17</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>28-1-17</u> (date of discharge) <u>—</u> years <u>277</u> days									
" " " Pension " [" "] " " " "									



This Form is to be used in connection with Pamph. M. E. (1)
N. F. 1915

In the spaces below should be entered the findings in the routine of examination set forth in the Appendix. Care should be exercised that each finding be entered after the number below which corresponds to the number of that test.

Examination of William King
aged 23 conducted at C. L. B.

Date: April 26/16 Recruiting Officer:

NO OF TEST FINDING

1 nd

2 nd

3 nd

4 nd

5 nd

6 nd

7 yes

8 yes

9 no

10 n

11 n

12 n

13 teeth bad not to distinguish

14 n

15 n

16 n

17 n

18 6/6 m Both.

19 6/6 Both.

20 n

21 n

22 n

23 n

24 n

25 n

26 n

27 n

28 n

29 n

30 n

31 n

32 Varicocele not to distinguish

33 nd

34 5-10

35 135

36 34.37 1/2

37 \$25 per month

38 Mother had Anastasia King Blood House W. Mason

39 Mother 2 sisters

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Signature of Medical Examiner:

William Pollock

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Examination of ~~Joseph~~ ^{Joseph} ~~Tracy~~ ^{Tracy} William King
aged ~~35~~ ²⁵ ~~7¹⁰~~ conducted at Placencia
Date: ~~19. 4. 16~~ ^{19. 4. 16} Recruiting Officer:

NO. OF TEST FINDING

- 1 No
- 2 No
- 3 No
- 4 No
- 5 No
- 6 No
- 7 Yes
- 8 Yes
- 9 No
- 10 Good
- 11 Foreign Service
- 12 Good
- 13 Good
- 14 } Normal Heart Chest
- 15 } and Lung.
- 16 Good
- 17 Good
- 18 Good
- 19 Good
- 20 Good
- 21 Good
- 22 Good
- 23 Good
- 24 Good
- 25 Good
- 26 Good
- 27 Good
- 28 Good
- 29 Good
- 30 Good
- 31 Good
- 32 Good
- 33 No
- 34 5'11 9
- 35 152

36 # 34 in
37 300

38 Widow Anastasia King Black House Placencia
39 Widow Anastasia King Black House Placencia

Signature of Medical Examiner: J. Clarence Pradon

C.R. 2618

Extract from Nominal Roll of 1214. Regt. Draft No. 12.
from 2nd Bn. Depot, to 1st Bn. B.E.F. Embarked South-
ampton, 11-10-16.

2618 Pte. W.King.

C.R. 2618

May 15, 1918.

Dear Mrs. King:-

I am writing to inform you that it is my regrettable duty to forward to you by Express on "KIT BAG" which belonged to your son the late #2618 Pte. Wm. King of The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I am enclosing herewith, receipt. Will you kindly sign same and return at your earliest convenience.

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

I am,

Yours sincerely,

Captain.

Mrs. James King,
Placentia.

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 11760/104/BCE

From
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

56, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.

To
The Hon. the Minister of
Militia,
St. John's,
Newfoundland.

FM/WF 5th, November 1917

SUBJECT:

EFFECTS: 2618, PTE. W. KING, DECEASED

Reference Nos.

REPLY

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Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

The following Post-card from Mrs. James King, Placentia, 25/8/17, received 5/10/17 (5681) is quoted for your information,-

"The parcel you forwarded to me is not my son's belongings. It is a mistake so I am sending it back."

The parcel referred to was presumably dispatched by Headquarters, St. John's, and the above advice apparently addressed to this office in error.

There are apparently two Mrs. James Kings,-

- (1) Mother of 2224, Pte. J.F. King, (Blockhouse, Placentia) now with 1/1st. Newfoundland Regt. B. E. F.
- (2) Mother of 2618, Pte. W. King, (Placentia) Killed in action.

The effects of 2618, King, were sent to you 6/7/17 and 2/3/17.

Reference may be made to shipments Nos. 514 Effects Nos. 502 and 569 respectively.

Should the package reach this office subsequently it will be forwarded to you by registered post.

A. J. Dineen
Major,
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Noted.

Minister of Militia



C.R. 2618

DUPLICATE
MAIL COPY
Posted 14 NOV 1917
11700/104/808

The Hon. the Minister of
Militia,
St. John's,
Newfoundland.

FM/WF 5th, November 7

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June 21, 1917

Dear Madam,

I beg to inform you that information, with respect to the gravesite of No. 2618, Private W. King, has now been received from the Pay and Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London.

Rev. T. Nangle, 1st Newfoundland Regiment, reports that Private W. King was interred at Lesbouzeffs.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary.

Mrs. James King,
Placentia.

RENTICU RECENTA INEN
MADE IN U.S.A.

C.R. 2618

Extract of Daily Orders part 11, from Unit Newfoundland
Regiment, 3rd Echelon, G.H.C., March 31, 1917.

#2618 Pte. W. King.

Died 27/1/17. Interned Lesbouef, 57 c.T. 5.a.4.6. Reported
by Rev. T.Nangle, 1st Nfld.Regt.

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 _____

Address _____

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated 10th February, 1917.

To. Right Rev. Msgr. Reardon, P.P.,
Placentia.

I regret to inform you that the Record Office London today reports that No. 2618 Private William King, son of Mrs. James King, was Killed in Action on the 28th January. Kindly inform relatives.

J.R.BENNETT,
Colonial Secretary.

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NOTE This message is not to be sent until message to Rev. Mgr. Reardon, P.P., is delivered and acted upon.

C.R. 2618

Extract from Telegram received from London, dated
February 10, 1917.

Killed in Action January 28th:

#2618 Pte. King.

C.R. 2618

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's for Overseas,
per S.S. SICILIAN, July 19, 1916.

2618 King Wm.

C.R. 2618

William King

was attested for General Service with

the NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT on April 26th 1916

Regimental No. 2618 was allotted to Pte Wm. King

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th 1919

Copy Placentia

CR. 2618

SEPTEMBER 15th 1919.

The Secretary,
Board of Pension Commissioners.

Sir:

I have the honour by direction to forward you
the enclosed letter from Mrs. Jas. King, Gt. Placentia,
and to request that you be good enough to place same
before your Board at an early date.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

C.G.B.

Captain,
Military Secretary.

2618 Placentia Wm. King Kin A. 27/1/17.
2224 1/16 pl. John King Died as result of
wounds at Jansen's camp 16/12/18.

W. Kang

2618

P.P.O.



1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, Wm King, Regl. No. 5618

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of Dollars and 86 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 12th 1916

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
<u>2515</u>		<u>James Murphy Placentia</u>		<u>60</u>
		<u>ill sum of \$30⁰⁰ is paid</u>		
		<u>Her to Mrs Jas King Placentia</u>		
		<u>commencing 21/7/16</u>		
Total Allotment, \$				

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.) Chas. Aye Capt.

Officer Commanding B Company

Wm King
June 13 1916

(Sig.) Wm King
(Rank) Private

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname King Christian Name William

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish _____ County _____

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <u>26</u> day of <u>April</u> 19 <u>16</u>	at	on _____ day of _____ 19 <u>1</u>	at _____
Declared Age.....	<u>23</u> years <u>8</u> days		years	days
Trade or Occupation	<u>Fisherman</u>			
Height	<u>5</u> feet <u>10</u> inches		feet	inches
Weight	<u>135</u> lbs.			
Chest Measurement {	Girth when fully expanded... <u>37½</u> inches		inches	
	Range of expansion... <u>3½</u> inches		inches	
Physical Development... ..				
Vaccination Marks {	Arm		Arm	
	Number		Number	
When Vaccinated	-			
Vision	R.F.—V=	<u>6/6</u>	R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=	<u>1/6</u>	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>Lamont Peterson</u>			
(Rank)	<u>Major</u>		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at <u>St John's</u>		at _____	
	on <u>26</u> day of <u>April</u> 19 <u>16</u>	on _____ day of _____ 19 <u>1</u>		
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	<u>1st Nfld Reg</u>	Corps.	
	Regtl. No.	<u>2618</u>	Regtl. No.	
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by	on _____ day of _____ 19 <u>1</u>		on _____ day of _____ 19 <u>1</u>	
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

ORIGINAL.

FIELD SERVICE.

Army Form B. 2090A.

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 B. 213 or Army Form B. 213 or other official documentary sources.



REGIMENT } 1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGT. Squadron, }
 or } Troop, Battery }
 CORPS } or Company }

Regtl. No. 2618 Rank Private

Name King, W.

Date January 28th., 1917.

Died Place Somme, France.

Cause of Death* Killed in Action.

Nature and Date of Report B 213, 29/1/17.

By whom made O.C., Unit.

DUPLICATE.

SENT TO
O.C. H.Q.
ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.
Receipt 1729/18
N.E.P. 38. No.
FEB 27 1917
DATED

* 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 Not yet received.

Burial Date do

By whom reported _____

State whether he leaves a will or not

- (a) in Pay Book (Army Book* 64) _____ No. _____
- (b) in Small Book (if at Base) _____ Not to hand. _____
- (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 } W. Burchell Capt. for Lt. Col.,
 of Section Adjutant-General's } Officer i/c Records Reg. Inf. Sec. 1,
 Office at the Base } 3rd. Echelon, G.H.Q., B.E.F.

Station and Date 3rd. Echelon, 9/2/17.

TRIPPLICATE.
FIELD SERVICE.

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REGIMENT } 1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGT. Squadron, }
or } Troop, Battery }
CORPS } or Company }

Regtl. No. 2618 Rank Private

Name King, W.

Died { Date January 28th., 1917.

{ Place Some, France.

{ Cause of Death* Killed in Action.

Nature and Date of Report B 213, 29/1/17.

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 Not yet received.

{ Date do

{ By whom reported _____

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Signature of Officer in charge } W. Birchall Capt. for Lt. Col.
of Section Adjutant-General's } Officer i/c Records Reg. Inf. Sec. 1
Office at the Base } 3rd. Echelon, G.H.Q., B.E.F

Station and Date 3rd. Echelon, 9/2/17.

No. *2618* Name *King, Wm* Sqn., Batty., } *B.* Corps *1st Newfoundland* Date of enlistment } *Apr. 26/1916* G.C. Badges } Service or Proficiency Pay }
 or Company }
 Date of last entry in } No. and date } Period not reckoning towards } Sheet No. } Signature O.C. } *Arbuthnot* Character } *Good*
 Company Conduct Sheet } *None* of last drunk } *None* freedom from extra fine } *One.* Company, etc. } *Curr.*

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>Pvt.</i>							
				<i>Killed in action 28.1.17 H.S.</i>					

Army Form B. 122

PAY LIST. to **191** . Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps
 No. 2618 Rank Pte Name King Wm
 Died Intestate at France on the 28th of January 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.

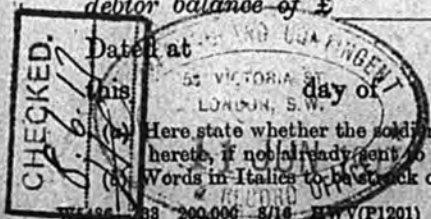
Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month				Balance Cr. last month <u>28. 1. 17</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>4</u> ✓
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at from to			
	£ s. d.				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to			
	191				Messing allowance days at from to			
	"				Kit allowance			
	"				Amount produced by the sale of Effects from Form 2			
	"				Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
	Consolidated stoppage				Deferred Pay or Gratuity			
	Balance due by the Paymaster	<u>6</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>4</u>	Balance due to the Paymaster			
	£	<u>6</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>4</u>	£	<u>6</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>4</u>

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ 6 16 4 is correctly chargeable against the Public.

Dated at 55 VICTORIA ST LONDON, S.W. this 16 day of February 1917 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.



CHECKED: W. B. G.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 11760/104/BCE

From

PAY & RECORD OFFICE,

58, VICTORIA STREET,

LONDON, S.W.

To

The Hon. the Minister of
Militia,St. John's,
Newfoundland.

FM/WF

5th, November 1917

SUBJECT:

EFFECTS: 2618, PTE. W. KING, DECEASED

REPLY

191

Reference Nos.

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

The following Post-card from Mrs. James King, Placentia, 25/8/17, received 5/10/17 (5681) is quoted for your information,-

"The parcel you forwarded to me is not my son's belongings. It is a mistake so I am sending it back."

The parcel referred to was presumably dispatched by Headquarters, St. John's, and the above advice apparently addressed to this office in error.

There are apparently two Mrs. James Kings,-

- (1) Mother of 2224, Pte. J.F. King, (Blockhouse, Placentia) now with 1/1st. Newfoundland Regt. B. E. F.
- (2) Mother of 2618, Pte. W. King, (Placentia) Killed in action.

The effects of 2618, King, were sent to you 6/7/17 and 2/3/17.

Reference may be made to shipments Nos. 5 & 4 Effects Nos. 502 and 569 respectively.

Should the package reach this office subsequently it will be forwarded to you by registered post.

M.A. Guinness
Major,
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records.

Noted.

J.T. Bennett

Minister of Militia

NEWFOUNDLAND	187
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.	
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1ST N. W. FOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
COPY SENT TO	
Ref. No.	4256
Rec'd.	6/8/17
Ack'd.	
Mentioned Atts. U.	Nov 18, 1/8/17.
Dated	
File No.	

Placentia
July ^{the} 12. 1917

Pay & Record Office

Dear Sir

Please forward my
Brother's Belongings
No) 2618 Plé William King
Who Was Killed in Action
Somewhere in France On
January 27-1917. Please
-Forward them as quick
as you can

I Remain Sincerely
Miss Annie King
Placentia Newfoundland

1st W

Placentia

Ref. No.

5681 August 25

Rec'd.

5 Oct 1917

Day & Record Office

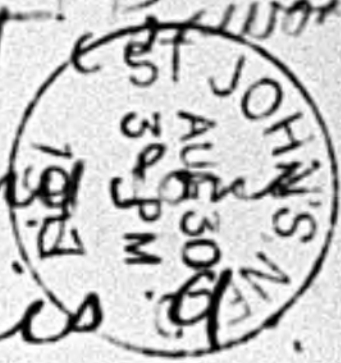
Dear Sir

Appt.

11/4/57/1 5/11/17

Exp. No.

The Parcel you sent to me is not mine belonging. it is



Mistake so I am sending it back

So I remain yours sincerely

Mrs James King

Placentia

2618
1153

11759/1/B&E

5th, November 7

Mrs. James King,
Placentia,
Newfoundland.

Madam,-

EFFECTS: 2618, PTE. W. KING, DECEASED.

With reference to your post card 25/8/17, received 5/10/17 (5681): The parcel you refer to has not yet reached this office. As these effects were apparently sent to you by Headquarters, St. John's, Newfoundland, a copy of your post card is being sent to the Minister of Militia for information.

I am, Madam,
Your obedient Servant,

Major,
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records

FM/WF

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11759/1/B&E

5th, November 1917

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Placentia,
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Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records

FM/WF

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King Wm

2618

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PAY LIST.

to

191 . Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps
 No. **2618** Rank **Pte.** Name **King, Wm.**
 ✓ Died (a) **Intestate.** at on the of 191 .
 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 28/1/17	6	16	4
	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	6	16	4	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£ 6	16	4		£ 6	16	4

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 debtor balance of £ 6 16 4 is correctly chargeable against the Public (b).

Dated at this

W. A. Munnell Maj.
 Paymaster.
 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) In cases of soldiers struck out when there is no debtor balance.

CHECKED 11/6/17



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.

Certificate of Baptism.

I hereby Certify that on the 19th day of September
~~191~~ 1899, at St. John's in the District of St. John's (West) I did
baptize with water, in the Name of the Holy Trinity, the Infant son
of Theophilus Helia Evans of St. John's by the name of
'William King' who was born on the 5th day of September
~~191~~ 1899.

W. P. Cowperthwaite

Methodist Minister.

Rev. W. M. Gwynne

You may find the above in Lower St. John's Circuit Book on the
Register of Baptisms, No.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

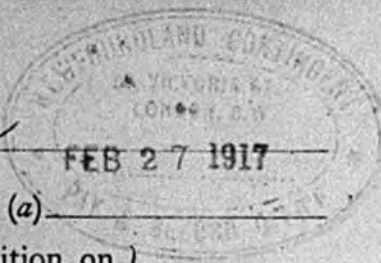
Regiment or Corps Newfoundland

Regimental No. 2618 Rank Plt Name King, William

Enlisted (a) 26/4/16 Terms of Service (a) war Service reckons from (a) _____

Date of promotion } _____ Date of appointment } _____ Numerical position on } _____
to present rank } to lance rank } roll of N.C.Os. }

Extended _____ Re-engaged _____ Qualification (b) _____



Certified True Copy

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 96, 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 Southampton		11/10/16	
		Disembarked Rouen		12/10/16	
		Joined Battalion		22/10/16	
			with Batt.	23/1/17	
29/1/17	O. Unit	Killed in action	Somme, France	28/1/17	B. 213

Sgd
J. M. Burchell Capt.
for officer of No 1 Regular Infantry Section
General Headquarters 3rd 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 etc.

DUPLICATE.
FIELD SERVICE.

Army Form B. 2090A.

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 B. 214 or other official documentary sources.



REGIMENT } **1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.** Squadron, }
or } Troop, Battery }
CORPS } or Company } **C Company**

Regtl. No. **2618** Rank **Private**

Name **King, V.**

Died { Date **January 28th., 1917.**
Place **Somme, France.**
Cause of Death* **Killed in Action.**

Nature and Date of Report **B 213, 29/1/17.**

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 **Not yet received.**
Date **do**
By whom reported _____

State whether he leaves a will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) **No.**
(b) in Small Book (if at Base) **Not to hand.**
(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.

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Signature of Officer in charge of Section Adjutant-General's Office at the Base } *W. Burdell* **Capt. for Lt. Col., Officer i/c Records Reg. Inf. Sec. 1, Srd. Echelon, G.H.Q., B.E.F.**

Station and Date **Srd. Echelon, 9/2/17.**

LM-

April 26, 1920

From: Paymaster & O i/c Records

To : Board of Pension Commissioners for Mfld.

Re No. 2618. Wm. King

The amount paid in continuance of the above man's
allotment is \$621.60

Major
Paymaster

December 20th, 1917.

Mrs Anastasia King.

Placentia, P.B.

Dear Madam,-

I enclose herewith cheque for \$34.67, being the amount due you as Administratrix of the Estate of the late Pte. William King. I also enclose letter of Administration.

Yours faithfully,

Capt. & Paymaster.

JH/.
Encl. 2.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$34⁶⁷/₁₀₀

Dec. 13th 1917

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Thirty four ⁶⁷/₁₀₀ Dollars.
on account of Pay Estate
balance

Ch. No.	2269	Initials	EW
Pay Ledger	143	Initials	[Signature]
Gen. Ledger	10	Initials	[Signature]

Regtl. No. Rank

No. 2618 Rank Plt.

Name W. M. King

Anastasia King,

Placentia

GENERAL . . .
. . . MERCHANDISE



MOTOR . . .
. . . ACCESSORIES

PLACENTIA, N. F.,

July 21 1916

Mr. M. Howley
Dept. Paymaster 1st New York

Beater

I understand that Tom King have made an
allotment in favor of Jas. Murphy Row or
Frank Murphy for \$18.⁰⁰ or about that amount each
month. I understand we should have an amount
on the 7th of the month
I know at once.

Will you please let me
know
Yours truly
J. J. Murphy

2618
25th July

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Mr F.V. Murphy,
c/o. James Murphy & Sons,
Placentia.

Sir,-

Referring to your letter of July 21st. I beg to state that Pte. William King has made an allotment of 60¢ per day, in favour of James Murphy & Sons, until the amount of \$30.00 has been paid. Cheques for \$18.60 will be forwarded on the 7th of August, and the balance on the 7th of September.

Yours very truly,

J.K.H/B.K.W.


Deputy Paymaster.

16/1/16

GENERAL ...
... MERCHANDISE

JAS. MURPHY & SONS

Placentia's ...
Fastest Growing Store

MOTOR ...
... ACCESSORIES

MAY 5 1916
Mrs. King
Please stand to this
McHowley

PLACENTIA, N. F.,

May 4 1916

2618

Dept Paymaster 1st Regt Ky

Sir

Sometime ago one William King signed
some allocation papers before Mrs Fitzpatrick
and went to St John Baptist & was unaccepted
later he went again & was accepted

We agreed to pay Mr King a certain amount
of money monthly and retain another amount
for advances made personally to Mr King during
the winter

Mr King is around today for food and
we cant do anything for her until we get confirmation
from you as to whether you will carry out Mr King's
instructions. Please advise us as our expense
whether some will be all right or otherwise so that
we can make advances as agreed between Mr King
his mother & the writer

Yours truly

Jas Murphy Sons

W. King - 2618 - Enlisted April 26th 1916 - Searched
April 27th 1916. Age 27 years, at present in St John's
in training with 1st Regt. Ky.

This man signed some papers the first time he
came. He was rejected and returned home.

He applied again & was accepted. He states he
signed no papers the second time. There would
be no good in any case as an allotment
can only be legally made here. He
will make an allotment to his mother before

next pay day. He states she is not in
need having one so home and another
her services for money

Amy

Just under by
May 15/14

2618
May 17th,

6

James Murphy & Sons,
Placentia.

Gentlemen:-

Referring to your letter of May 4th, I did not answer by wire, because not being directly connected with the Recruiting Officer, I had to send your letter to the C.I.B. Armoury to get particulars regarding King.

I might say that orders given by men coming in here to enlist, will not be acted on. The only form the Regimental authorities will recognise, is their own official form of allotment, furthermore we have no control over the money these Volunteers earn, and private bills between their dependants and their merchants, are no concern of ours whatever. In the present case King states that he will make an allotment before the end of this month, but that ^{his mother} ~~she~~ should not be in need as she has other sources of assistance.

Yours truly,



Deputy Paymaster.

J.K.H/W.

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE.

OFFICER i/c RECORDS,

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA,

ST., JOHN'S, Nfld.



2618

539345

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.

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never received, Plaque,

(2249) Wt 21551/AP6599 10/19 900m (20) D.St.

In memory of
pt. Wm King 2618:
Anastasia King

Receipt for Army Book 64

No. 2618 Name W. King

To Certify that I have received the AB 64 of the above
named soldier.

Mrs James King
Name

Date

Place

N.B. For completion and return to the Department of Militia
insert in corner of envelope "AB 64"

W

Casualty Form—Active Service

Regimental Number 2618

C.R.
1918

Regiment or Corps 21st New Found and Regt.
Rank Prv. Surname Kuig Christian Name William

Religion A.S. Age on Enlistment 23 years 8 months.

Enlisted (a) 26/4/16 Terms of Service (a) War Service reckons from (a) _____

Date of promotion to present rank _____ Date of appointment to lance rank _____

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

Signature of Officer i/c Records.



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				
			Embarked Southampton	11 OCT 1916	
			Disembarked ROUEN	12 OCT 1916	
		Joined Battalion		22 OCT 1916	
			With BATT.	28.1.17	
29/1/17	OC Unit	Killed in Action	Somme, France	28/1/17	B213

COPIES SENT TO
G.C.H.Q.
ST. JOHNS. N.F.L.D.
No. 1729/18
FEB 1917

Wm. Burchell
CAPTAIN.
Officer i/c No. 1 Regular Infantry Section
General Headquarters, 3rd Exp. Div.

(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.

[P.T.O.]



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STATEMENT OF ELIGIBILITY
FOR HONOURS AND AWARDS

TO ENABLE THE DEPARTMENT TO DETERMINE THE RIGHTFUL OWNER OF THE SERVICE AWARD(S) OF THE BELOW NAMED DECEASED VETERAN, PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN THIS FORM TO THE FOLLOWING ADDRESS WITH THE SIGNATURE OF THE MOST ELIGIBLE PERSON.

VETERANS AFFAIRS CANADA
HONOURS AND AWARDS SECTION
284 WELLINGTON STREET
OTTAWA, ONTARIO
K1A 0P4

DÉCLARATION D'AYANT DROIT
POUR DÉCORATIONS ET CITATIONS

AFIN DE PERMETTRE AU MINISTÈRE DE DÉTERMINER LE TITULAIRE AUTHENTIQUE DE DÉCORATION(S) MILITAIRE(S) DU DÉFUNT ANCIEN COMBATTANT SOUS-MENTIONNÉ, CETTE FORMULE DOIT ÊTRE REMPLIE ET RETOURNÉE À L'ADRESSE SUIVANTE AVEC LA SIGNATURE DE LA PERSONNE LA PLUS ÉLIGIBLE.

ANCIENS COMBATTANTS CANADA
SECTION DES CITATIONS ET DÉCORATIONS
284, RUE WELLINGTON
OTTAWA (ONTARIO)
K1A 0P4

NAME OF VETERAN - NOM DE L'ANCIEN COMBATTANT KING, William	SERVICE NUMBER(S) - MATRICULE(S) 2618
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NAME - NOM	ADDRESS - ADRESSE
WIDOW / WIDOWER - VEUVE / VEUF N/A single	
ELDEST SON - FILS AÎNÉ N/A single	
ELDEST DAUGHTER - FILLE AÎNÉE N/A	
FATHER - PÈRE WILLIAM DECEASED	
MOTHER - MÈRE ANASTATIA DECEASED	
ELDEST BROTHER - FRÈRE AÎNÉ Peter Deceased	
ELDEST SISTER - SOEUR AÎNÉE STELLA (King) McHugh	South East Placentia Lied Dec 17th 1966

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, DO HEREBY DECLARE THAT THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS TRUE AND CORRECT AND I MAKE THIS SOLEMN DECLARATION KNOWING THAT IT IS OF THE SAME FORCE AND EFFECT AS IF MADE UNDER OATH.

JE, SOUSSIGNÉ, DÉCLARE PAR LA PRÉSENTE QUE LES RENSEIGNEMENTS QUI PRÉCÈDENT SONT VRAIS ET AUTHENTIQUES ET JE FAIS CETTE DÉCLARATION SOLENNELLE, CONSCIENT DU FAIT QU'ELLE A LA MÊME VALEUR ET MÊME PORTÉE QUE SI ELLE ÉTAIT FAITE SOUS SERMENT EN VERTU DE LA LOI.

Gordon Michael McHugh (son) Stella McHugh Dec. 8th / 85
 SIGNATURE OF ELIGIBLE PERSON - SIGNATURE DE LA PERSONNE ÉLIGIBLE DATE