



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 2577 Name William P. King Corps

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

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| 1. What is your name? | 1. <u>William P. King</u> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>Summit-side Battery City.</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. What is your age? | 4. <u>27</u> Years <u>5</u> Months |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>F.ickerman</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>THE DURATION OF THE WAR</u> } Name <u>Corps</u> |
| 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, William P. 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.

William P. King SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

E. At. 23/16 J. Power Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, William P. 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 24 day of Apr 1916

Signature of Attesting Officer H. Outbridge 2nd Lieut.

†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 1916

Place } 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 William King
 Apparent age 29 years 5 months. Height 5 feet 3 inches
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 36 1/2 inches
 Range of expansion 2 1/2 inches
 Distinctive marks.....

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Mr. Wm King
Southern Railway | Relationship Father
St Johns' 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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- 6. Are you Married? 6. No
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E. Apr. 23/16

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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 26 conducted at C. L. B.
Date: Apr 22/16 Recruiting Officer:

NO OF TEST FINDING

- 1 nd
- 2 nd
- 3 nd
- 4 nd
- 5 nd
- 6 nd
- 7 yes
- 8 yes
- 9 nd
- 10 n
- 11 n
- 12 n
- 13 n
- 14 n
- 15 n
- 16 n
- 17 n
- 18 n
- 19 of Both
- 20 6 n
- 21 n
- 22 n
- 23 n
- 24 n
- 25 n
- 26 n
- 27 n
- 28 n
- 29 n
- 30 n
- 31 n
- 32 n

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33 yes w/over 10 yrs.
34 5-3"
35 126
36 34 36" a
37 \$400
38 parents William King South Side Boston
39 none

Signature of Medical Examiner: J. Paterson

CR. 2577

Extract from Orders By Major G. T. Mathias, D.S.O.
Commanding 1st Bn. R. Hfld. Regt. 20-8-18.

The following joined the Battn. 19-8-18, and is posted to
A. Coy.

2577 Pte. W. King.

G.R. 2577

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

2577 Pte. W.King.

C.R. 2577

Extract of DAILY ORDERS PART II, Royal Newfoundland Regiment
in France dated 21/11/18.

KILLED IN ACTION.

#2577 Pte. W. King.


20/10/18.

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

One package. R. 1606 Wm. King,

South Side, Battery.

No. of Paper 1435**PERSONAL EFFECTS.**Name King W.P.C.R. 2577Rank PrivateRegiment ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Article	Where stored	Notified by
1 cotton bag containing:— Disc; Rosary (broken);		<i>Shipped to Newfoundland.</i>
	Final disposal	

Remarks:— *Casualty Advice:— Killed in action 20/10/18*
Next of Kin:— Father:— William King
Southside Battery
St. John's.

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No. of Paper _____

PERSONAL EFFECTS.

Name King W P **C.R. 2577**

Rank RAE Regiment THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

Article	Where stored	Notified by
<p><u>Kiss Bag</u></p>		<p>Shipped from Depot.</p>
	<p>Final disposal</p>	

Remarks: - With 2nd Batt.

Next of Kin - Mother.
Wm King.

Countesside Battery
St John's

C.R.

2577

Extract from Militia Orders No. 27- ~~2822~~ dated NDec. 3rd. 1913

V AWARDS.

MILITARY MEDAL.

#Late No. 2577, Pte. William P. King.

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C.R. 2577

Extract of Telegram from Synoptical London, dated Nov. 26th.

Following received decoration M.M. Late #2577 King.

C.R. 2577

Nov 9th, 18

Dear Mr. King:-

I very much regret to inform you that a report has been received from the Record Office of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, London, to-day to the effect that your son, No. 2577, Private William King was killed in action on October 20th.

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

Yours faithfully,

Minister of Militia.

Mr. William King

South Side Battery

2577

Extract from Telegram from Synoptical, London dated November 9th., 1918.

FOLLOWING KILLED IN ACTION.

#2577 King.

C.R. 2577

Extract from Telegram despatched to Synoptical,
London, dated June 4th, 1918.

Pay to as follows:-

#2577 Pte. King,

£5.

C.R. 2577

Extract from Nominal Roll, Draft No. 50 from 2nd Bn. Royal Wfld.
Regt., Hazley Down Camp, Winchester, to 1st, Bn. R. Wfld. R. B.E.F.

Embarked "Southampton".

2577 Pte. W. P. King.

May 7, 1917.

Dear Sir.

I beg to inform you that additional information has to-day been received from the Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, to the effect that No. 2577, Private William P. King, has been admitted to Wandsworth.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary.

Mr. William King,
South Side,
Battery.

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May 5, 1917.

Dear Sir,

In reply to my enquiry by cable
on the 2nd instant, the Record Office, London,
to-day reports No. 2577, Private William P.
King, is progressing favourably.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary.

Mr. William King,
South Side Battery.

TRANSLATION OF CODE MESSAGE SENT TO
SYNOPTICAL, LONDON, MAY 2, 1917.

Report by telegraph present condition of Captain
Butler 2605 Hann What is address of Report by
telegraph present condition of 108 Kavanagh 459
Crotty 2577 King Telegraph particulars Nature
of wounds Report by telegraph present condition
of 1940 Shertall.

April 23, 1917.

Dear Sir.

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. 2577, Private William P. King, was admitted Eighteenth General Hospital, Dannes Camiers,

April 15th, suffering from severe gunshot wounds in the buttock, left forearm and face.

I trust that later reports will bring news of his convalescence.

Any further information received at this Office as to his condition will be at once notified to you.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary.

Mr. William King,
South Side,
(Battery)

C.R. 2577

Extract from War Office List BNo.H.A. 8755.

NBLD. CONTINGENT.

"₃#2577 Pte. W. King.

GSW Lr. Jaw Severe.

Admitted 20th Gen.Hosp. Dannes Camiers ex 18th Gen.Hosp.

18th April 1917.

C.R. 2577

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

2577 Pte. King, W.P.

C.R. 2577

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

2577 Pte. W. King.

11-10-16.

C.R. 2577

William P. King was attested for General
Service with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT ON April 23rd 1916
Regimental No. 2577 was allotted to Pte. W.P. King.

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger;

Dept. of Militia.

March 25th 1919

W. King

C.R.

2577

P.L.O.

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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	
	on	at	on	at
Examined	22 day of April 1916		day of 191	
Declared Age	27 years 5 days		years days	
Trade or Occupation	Fisherman			
Height	5 feet 3 inches		feet inches	
Weight	126 lbs.		lbs.	
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded... 36 1/2 inches		inches	
	Range of expansion... 2 1/2 inches		inches	
Physical Development				



O. i/c Northern Command Depot,

Vaccination Marks	Right		Left	
	Arm	Number	Arm	Number
				1

When Vaccinated	10 years ago			
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

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection



Approved by (Signature) Lammont Paterson
 (Rank) Major Medical Officer. Medical Officer.

Enlisted at St John's on 22 day of April 1916 on _____ day of _____ 1911

Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
	<u>1st Nfld. Regt.</u>	<u>2577</u>		

Transferred to .. Newfoundland

Became non-effective by _____ on _____ day of _____ 1911 on _____ day of _____ 1911

(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 Days in Hospital	Remarks bearing on the cause, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of further 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				
RD LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL. WANDSWORTH.	5	5	17	16	10	17	88% face fract. low jaw Perforating L forearm fract ulna.	16	Wounded in France 13-4-17. X-Ray - both fractures. Tulso:	S. H. Knapley Capt R.A.M.C.
Shelph Kipon	25	10	17	14	1	18	hlo.	71	Lat. A.III	R. J. Harris Lt. Col., R.A.M.C. M.O. i/c Northern Command Depo RIFCN.
Zeley Down	24	3	18	28	3	18	Absen Dental Remotion	4	Recount Discharged to duty.	H. G. Lawson, Capt. R.

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3 rd LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL WANDSWORTH.	5	5	17	16	10	17	Open face fracture Repairing L forearm fract ulna.	164	Wounded in France 13-4-17. X-Ray - both fractures. Furlo!	<i>Sturmsley</i> Capt RAMS
<i>h. d. d. d.</i> Refuse	25	10	17	14	1	18	hlo.	71	Capt. <u>A. W.</u>	<i>P. J. Harris</i> Lt. Col., R.A.M.C., M.O. i/c Northern Command Depot, RIFCN.
<i>Stazeley Down</i>	24	3	18	28	3	18	Ulcer dental restoration	4	Reopened on discharge to duty.	<i>H. Lawson</i> , Capt. RAMS

No. 2577

Name

King W

Sqn., Batty.,
or Company

Corps Newfoundland

Date of
enlistmentG.C.
BadgesService or
Proficiency PayDate of last entry in
Company Conduct SheetNo. and date
of last drunkPeriod not reckoning towards
freedom from extra fineSheet No.
189Signature O.C.
Company, etc.

E. Talbot: Capt.

Character

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
Ripon	13-11-17	Pvt.		Absent from Station until 11-25 p.m. (1 hr. 25 min.)	Sgt: King, H. Clowman.	2 days C.B.	14-10-17	Capt: Talbot	SA
				Certified Correct 27.2.1919					

No. 7 COY NORTHERN COMMAND DEPOT RIFON

27 FEB 1919

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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 A. 36, or from other official documentary sources.

REGIMENT OR CORPS } "1st Newfoundland Regt." Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company }

Regimental No. 2577, Rank Private

Surname King. Christian Names W.P.

Date 20-10-18. Place Belgium.

Died { Cause of Death* Killed in Action

Nature and Date of Report B 215 d/25-10-18.

By whom made O.O. 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.



COPIES SENT		
TO	No.	DATE
M. OF M.	21445/214	11/11/18
O.C. 1st. BN.		
„ 2ND. BN.		

State whether he leaves a Will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) _____ (b) in Small Book (if at Base) _____ (c) as a separate document none received

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.

Station and Date } 3-11-18. Signature of Officer in charge of Section } Captain, Adjutant-General's Office at the Base }

[Signature]
For Officer i/c No 1 Infantry Section
3rd Echelon. General Headquarters

TO,- The Chief Paymaster,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
58 Victoria Street,
London, S.W.

Sir:-

Please charge the amounts set opposite my name to my account and pay it to the N.F.C.A. "Prisoners of War Fund" in quarterly instalments for the period of one year.

Commencing on the 1st July 1918.

Regtl. No.	Rank	Name	Amount	Signature:
2577	Pte	King	£ 2.50	W.P.H.

I have the honour to be, Sir,
~~for the~~
Your obedient servant.

Date 12-7-18

William P. King

" DENTAL DEPARTMENT "

Central Military Hospital,
WINCHESTER.

To. Medical Officer i/c

----- Royal 7th Fus. Regt. -----

----- Hazley Down Camp. -----

No.

----- 2577 Pli King W -----

has been fitted with an

~~upper~~

----- denture.

lower

Will you kindly see that this fact is recorded in
his Medical History Sheet and Army Book 64.

J. Anderson

Capt. R.A.M.C.
Dental Surgeon.

Mrs William King

E. F. In

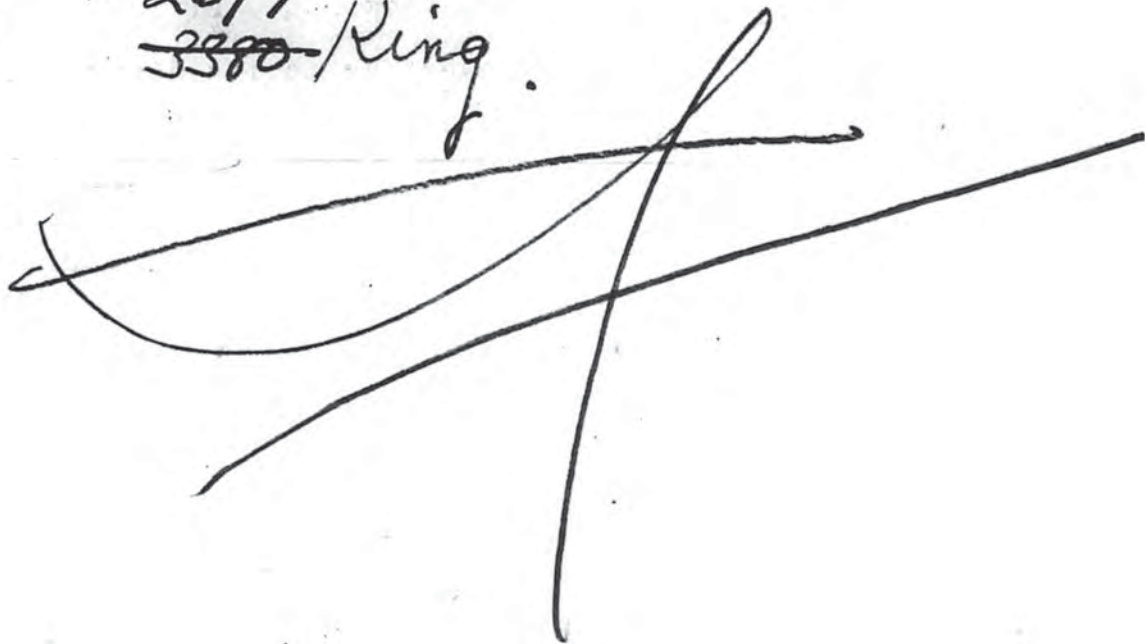
Southside

St. Johns

1866

Please cable five pounds
through Minister, Halifax.

2577
~~3580~~ King.



For God, For King & For Country



PATRON
Y.M.C.A. NATIONAL COUNCIL.
H. M. THE KING.



PATRON
MILITARY CAMP DEPT.
H.R.H. DUKE OF CONNAUGHT.

Reply to

Company

Bat.

Regt. N. F. L. D

Stationed at

Ripon

Jan 31st

1918

Dear John (Battery)

I am still at ripon it is just as bad as ever a shade worse if any I expect to be here another month awaiting for my teeth I am going to ask you to wire home for 5 £ for me if you can I shall be much obliged to you for doing so as you know the way it is down here without money if you wire for me please let me know I shall be much obliged to you for doing so my address..

Yours sincerely
W. P. King

W^{rs} William King
South Side
St John
N. F. L. D

QUARTER AND CONTINGENT,
RECORD OFFICE,
OS IV 1169
2 FEB 1918
Ans d

Ref. Nos. 001		
ACTED UPON		
BRANCH	DATE	BY
Comd.		
P & A.		
R. & C.		ASH
B. & E		
P. S.		

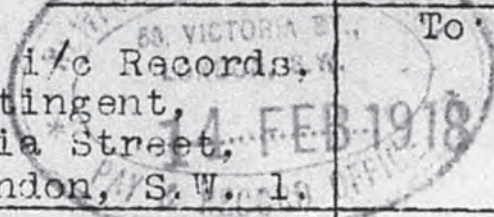


No. 1959/25

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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

To Officer Commanding,
Northern Command Depot
Ripon.



Subject: 7th February 1918

12/2/1918.

Subject: 2577, Pte. W. P. King,

With reference to the following telegram (1253) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received

6/2/18

Pay to 2577, King, £5:0:0

Draft £ 5:0:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier.

Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

A. D. Bennett Maj.

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Amg.

Receipt hereunder.

W. D. Clayton

Officer Comdg. no 7 Co
1st Newfoundland Regiment

Received the sum of Five
pounds on account of

cable remittance from Newfoundland.

William P. King

No. 2577 Rank Plt

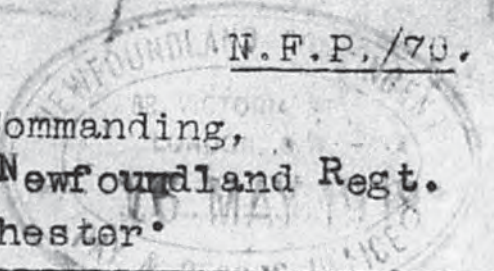
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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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

To: Officer Commanding,
2/Bn Royal Newfoundland Regt.
Winchester.



Subject: 4th May 1918

May 7th 1918

Subject: 2577, Pte. W. P. King,

With reference to the following telegram (3922) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received 1 / 5/18

Pay to 2577 King £5:0:0

Draft £ 5:0:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

H. S. Anderson Lieut
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Receipt hereunder.

Cham / *Capl*
LIEUT. COLONEL,
COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.
1st Newfoundland Regiment

Received the sum of Five
pounds on account of
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

William P. King
No. 2577 Rank Pte

No.

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WESTERN UNION

ANGLO-AMERICAN DIRECT UNITED STATES CABLEGRAM



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To _____ By _____

FOR STAMPS

THIS FORM WILL BE ACCEPTED AT ALL POST OFFICE TELEGRAPH STATIONS.

VIA WESTERN UNION

4/2/18 TO PREVENT MISTAKES PLEASE WRITE DISTINCTLY.

To EFM MRS WILLIAM KING

SOUTHSIDE STJOHNS (Newfoundland)

PLEASE CABLE FIVE POUNDS THROUGH MINISTER MILITIA

2577.
~~550~~ KING

15 1/2
2 1/2

13 1/2
3 1/2

10 1/2 = 3 1/2 ✓

Charge of 2

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CHARGED
PAY BOOK
Date 4/2/18 by J.R.B.

Authorised.

NOT TO BE TELEGRAPHED.

Having read the conditions printed on the back hereof, I request that the above telegram be forwarded by the Western Union Telegraph-Cable System, subject to the said conditions to which I agree.

Signature _____ Address 58 Victoria St. S.W. 1.

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT



N.F.P./79.

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.

18th, July 1918

Subject: 2577, Pte. W. P. King *H*

With reference to the following telegram (6427) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received

"Pay to 2577 King £5.0.0

Draft £5. 0. 0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

A. A. [Signature]
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

July 22 1918

Receipt hereunder.

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LIEUT. COLONEL.
OFFICER COMMANDING, NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.
Batt'n
Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Received the sum of Five

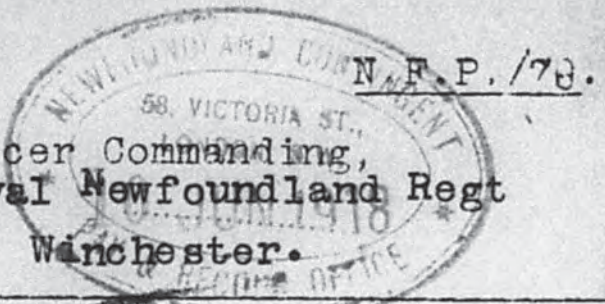
Pounds on account of cable remittance from Newfoundland.

W. P. King
No. 2577 Rank Pte

047518

No. 8899/809

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT



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

To Officer Commanding, 2/Bn Royal Newfoundland Regt Winchester.

Subject: 6th June 1918

Subject: 2577, Pte. W. P. King,

With reference to the following telegram (5039) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received

Pay to 2577 King £5:0:0

Draft £ 5:0:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Receipt hereunder.

Charu

LIEUT. COLONEL.

Officer Comdg 1st Newfoundland Regiment

Received the sum of _____

on account of _____

cable remittance from Newfoundland.

King W

No. 2577 Rank Pte

No. 1079

ANGLO-AMERICAN

WESTERN UNION



DIRECT UNITED STATES

CABLEGRAM

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FOR STAMPS

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At _____
 To _____ By _____

VIA ANGLO.

THIS FORM WILL BE ACCEPTED AT ALL POST OFFICE TELEGRAPH STATIONS.

31/10/17 TO PREVENT MISTAKES PLEASE WRITE DISTINCTLY.

To EFM WILLIAM KING
 SOUTHSIDE BATTERY
 STJOHNS (Newfoundland)

CABLE IMMEDIATELY FIVE ~~THROUGH~~ POUNDS THROUGH
 MINISTER MILITIA

WILLIAM KING

CHECKED.
HORR

Charge to
 2577 W King.

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 3 1/2

CHARGED
 PAY BOOK. *Command by... to T.*
 Date *3/11/17* by *Reid.*

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(Authorised)

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Signature _____ Address 58 Victoria St. S.W. 1.

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P. King
£3.00
Sir.

Receipt No
3980

Ward B.7.
3 L. G. Hospital.

I beg to apply for permission to draw the sum of £3. (Three Pounds.) to be deducted from my credit.



Pte W. P. King 2577.
1st Newfoundland Regt.

7.8.17

Approved
I shall
Capt King

No. 10603/113

File Card

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

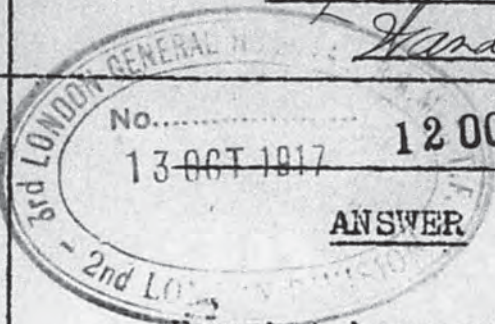
N.F.P./79.

From:
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.

To:
Officer Commanding,
3rd London General Hosp
Wandsworth S W 18



Oct 12th 1917



No. 12 OCT 1917 1917

ANSWER

Subject: 2577 Pk. W. King
112 9th Regt

With reference to the following telegram from the Hon. the Minister of Militia, (5763.) received 9/10/17

Receipt hereunder.

"Pay to 2577 King £10-0-0

and your reply on 9/25/17 11/12/17
Postal Draft

Cheque \$ 10-0-0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier.

Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

J. R. Maxwell
Major,
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

H. J. Ryan Capt R.A.M.C.
Officer Comdg. Battn
1st Newfoundland Regiment
3rd London General Hospital,
Wandsworth, S.W. 18.

Received the sum of £10-0-0
ten pounds on account of
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

W. King
No. 2577 Rank Private

X

No. 10434/112

N.F.P./80.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

From:

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

To:

Officer Commanding,
3rd. London General Hospital,
Wandsworth, S.W.18.

9th, October 1917

Subject: 2577, Pte. William King.
1st. Newfoundland Regiment.

With reference to the follow-
ing telegram (5763) from the
Hon. the Minister of Militia,
received 9/10/ 17,-

"Pay to 2577 King £10.0.0.

Kindly advise whether this
amount should be remitted to you
for payment to this Soldier, or
retained to credit of his account.

or otherwise as per instructions.

R. C. Guinness Major,
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

11 OCT 1917

BRANCH

Pay

BY

J.W.M.

ANSWER

DATE

12/10/17

11th October 1917

Reference the foregoing Pte
King wishes the sum remitted
to me for issue to him at my
discretion.

H. Lagan
Capt (R.A.M.C.)
for O.C.

✓ 5870

3rd London General Hospital,
Wandsworth, S.W. 18.

P. 79
DD £10.00

022/53

B7.

roy.
Please send here for King.

No. 1324 *46* No. C.D. 45661/ NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./79

From: **5-DEC-1917**
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.

To: Officer Commanding,
Northern Command Depot,
Ripon.

4th December 1917

10-12-1917

Subject: 2577, Private W. P. King,

With reference to the following telegram (7320) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received 1/12/17

"Pay Private W. P. King, 2577,
"£5:0:0"

Draft £5:0:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Receipt hereunder.

J. Quarton
Officer Comdg. *N. 7 Batta Coy*
~~1st Newfoundland Regiment~~
~~Northern Command Depot~~

Received the sum of £5
on account of

cable remittance from Newfoundland.

W. P. King
No 2577 Rank Private

OK £10-0-0
12/9/17

Sept 10th/17

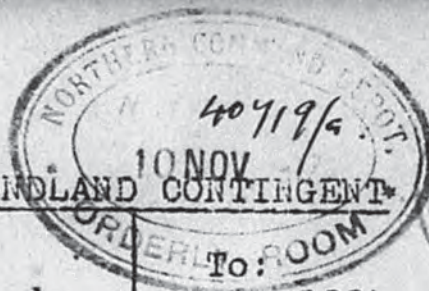
2577 Pte W.P. King
wishes to draw on
account the sum of
£10 ten pound.

R7 Walker
Med: off:

Enter Aux: Hosp: ^l

Receipt No
3999

No 11980/31



From:
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.

Officer Commanding,
Northern Command Dept.
Ripon, Yorks.

9th, November 1917

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Subject: 2577, Pte. W. P. King,
1st Newfoundland Regt.

ANSWER

With reference to the follow-
ing telegram from the Hon. the
Minister of Militia, (6596)
received 7/11/17

Receipt hereunder.

"pay to 2577 King £5.

Malcolm Campbell
Officer Comdg. Batt Capt.,
Cambridge North Lancs & Shires Coy.
NORTHERN COMMAND DEPOT.

Postal Draft
Cheque £5.0.0. is enclosed
for payment to this Soldier.
Kindly obtain his receipt
hereon.

Received the sum of £5.50-0
Prior points on account of
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

A. A. Munnell Maj.
Major,
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

W. P. King
No. 2577 Rank Pte

No. 1217

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28/11/17 TO PREVENT MISTAKES PLEASE WRITE DISTINCTLY.

To EFM MRS WM KING
SOUTHSIDE
STJOHNS (Newfoundland)

CABLE TEN POUNDS THROUGH MINISTER MILITIA

W KING

CHECKED.
AAO

CHARGED
PAY BOOK II *Company*
Date *1/12/17* by *[Signature]*

14 1/2
28
7
35
2-11 ✓

*Charge to
2577 Pt W. King.*

(Authorised)

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Signature _____ Address 58, Victoria St. S.W. 1.

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No. 2577 Rank Pts Name King W.P.

Pay	F.A.	Wkg	Total
100	10		110
Less: Allotment			50
Net Rate			60

M. M. P. 1/12

DEBITS	Date	£	s	d	CREDITS	Period		Days	Rate	£	s	d
						From	To					
Balance					Balance 8.6.17					18	18	7 1/2
Acquittance Rolls					Pay @ Net Rate	9 ⁶ / ₁₇	16 ¹⁰ / ₁₇	130	60	78	00	16 0 6 1/2
Hospital Advances		4	8	0	Return allowance	16 ¹⁰ / ₁₇	25 ¹⁰ / ₁₇	10	2/-			1 0 0 35 A.2
A.B. 34					(18.16.2)							
P. & R.O. Payments	17.3.0	13	0	0								
Cheque No 6896	16/10/17	18	0	0								

CHECKED.
C.R.
16/10/17

King, W. P.

2577

Ray Dept

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 A. 36, or from other official documentary sources.

REGIMENT OR CORPS } "1st Newfoundland Regt." Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company } A. Co.

Regimental No. 2577. Rank Private

Surname King. Christian Names W.P.

Died { Date 20-10-18. Place Belgium

Cause of Death* Killed in Action

Nature and Date of Report B 213 d/23-10-18.

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.

State whether he leaves a Will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) not received (b) in Small Book (if at Base) not received
(c) as a separate document none received

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.

Station and Date } 3-11-18. Signature of Officer in charge of Section } [Signature] Captain,
Adjutant-General's Office at the Base }

For Officer i/c No 1 Infantry Section
3rd Echelon. General Headquarters

ORIGINAL

PAY LIST.

to

191 . Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT,
 No. 2577 Rank Pte Name King W.P.
 Died^(a) Intestate at France. on the 20th of October 1918.
 Deserted at or 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 20/10/18	5	15	7
	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	5	15	7	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£	5	15		£	5	15
				7				7

This account is in accordance with advices received at the Pay & Record Office to 5/6/19 and may therefore be subject to amendments if and as may be revealed by subsequent advices.

CHECKED.
 P.S.A.
 5 JUN 1919

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
 VICTORIA ST.
 LONDON, S.W.
 5 JUN 1919
 PAY RECEIPT

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE RECORDS
 Paymaster.

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

Dated at this day of 191

- (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.

ORIGINAL.

Army Form O. 1625

PAY LIST.

to

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	"									
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CHECKED.
P.S.A.
5 JUN 1919

I hereby certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the above balance is correctly chargeable against the Contingent.

Dated at this



 CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER 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 the Office with Army Form B. 2080 or Army Form O. 1615.
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July 23rd. 1919

Mr. William King,
South side, Battery,
City.



Dear Sir:

I enclose herewith cheque
for \$34.72, balance of estate of late Pte. W.P.
King, due you as Administrator of his estate.

I am also enclosing here-
with Letters of Administration.

Yours truly,

PAYMASTER & O i/c ^{Capt.} RECORDS.

LM/

Enc. 2.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 34 $\frac{72}{x}$

July 7 19.19

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Thirty four $\frac{72}{x}$ Dollars.
~~on account~~ of Pay. Estate.
balance



Ch. No.	2463	Initials.	EW
Pay Ledger	176	Initials.	JA
Gen. Ledger		Initials.	

Regtl. No. Rank

No. 2577

Rank

Pf

Name

W. B. King

South Side Battery

Fold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.

Fold Here

OCT 5 1921.

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

Mr. William King (Father)

in respect of his service as No. 2577 Rank Pte.

Name William P2 King Royal Nfld. Regt.
Nfld. Forestry Corps.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received

Medals

Signature

William King

Date

October 5th

Address

South Side City

[P.T.O.]

Receipt for Army Book 64

No. 2547 Name W.P. King

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

Name Mary King

Date Aug 30/20

Place South Side Stephen Nfb

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

WJ

Casualty Form—Active Service.



Regiment or Corps 1st Royal Newfoundland
 Rank Pte Surname King Christian Name William I.
 Religion R.C. Age on Enlistment 27 years 5 months.
 Enlisted (a) 23/4/16 Terms of Service (a) Duration Service reckons from (a) 23/4/16
 Date of promotion to present rank _____ Date of appointment to lance rank _____
 Extended { } Re-engaged { } Qualification (b) _____
 or Corps Trade and Rate _____
 Occupation - Fisherman Signature of Officer i/c Records. [Signature]

Date	Report From whom received	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
		Embarked ...		9.8.18	A
		Disembarked ...			
		ARRIVED D. B. D.		13.8.18	
		Joined Battalion		19.8.18	
23/10/18	[Signature]	Killed in Action	Whit	20/10/18	B 213
			For Officer i/c No 1 Infantry Section		
			3rd Echelon, General Headquarters		✓

(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, Shoaming-smith, &c.
 (4 27 20) W 5012-5156, 100,000, 12.15 H W V (P 1977) Form B. 103/3

Best of kin! Father, King Wm South Side Battery St Johns Area

[P.T.O.]

FIELD SERVICE.

C.R. 2577
Army Form B 2090A

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OR CORPS } Battery or Company }

Regimental No. 2577 Rank Private

Surname King Christian Names W.P.

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Cause of Death* Killed in Action

Nature and Date of Report B 215 d/23-10-18.

By whom made O.C. Unit.

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Station and Date } 3-11-18. Signature of Officer in charge of Section } Captain.
Adjutant-General's Office at the Base } For Officer No 1 Infantry Section

C.R. 2577

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

No. 10398/546/R.&.C.

From: Pay & Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. I.

To: Minister of Militia,
St. John's,
Newfoundland.

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SUBJECT HONOURS & AWARDS.
MILITARY MEDALS.

RPELY.
Dated Aug. 29th. 1919.

%

I am forwarding in the care
of Lieut. A. H. Greaves, Military
Medals relating to the under
mentioned:-

The Military Medals have
been safely received from
Lieut. Greaves.

A.E.E.

- No. 2577 Pte. W. King,
- No. 3603 " E. O'Brien,
- No. 2318 " M. POWER
- No. 2603 # " R. Powers,
- No. 1393 " A. Smith,
- No. 3156 " H. Tresk.

Minister of Militia.

H. A. ANDERSON, CAPT.
Asst. Military Secretary,
For Chief Staff Officer, (London)

HA/NV.

Orig. See M-37-3

C.R. 2577

Feb. 14th 19.

Wm. King Esq.,
Southside, Battery.

Dear Mr. King:

It is my regrettable duty to have to forward to you one cotton bag containing effects which belonged to your late son No. 2577, Pte. Wm. P. King, 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. 2577

June 19, 1918

Mr. William King,
South Side, Battery.

Dear Mr. King:-

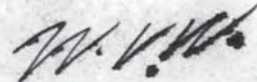
I am writing to inform you that it is my regrettable duty to forward to you one KIT BAG, which belonged to your son #2577 Pte. W. King. of The Royal Newfoundland Regt.

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

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

I am,

Yours sincerely,



Lieut.

for Lieut. Col. C. S. O.

End'1 1.

C.R. 2577

April 15, 19.

William P. King, Esq.,
South Side, Battery.

Dear Sir:

I beg to quote hereunder the details of the deed for which the Military Medal was awarded your late son, #2577, Pte. William P. King, Royal Newfoundland Regiment, taken from supplement to the London Gazette.

"For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. On the 14th October 1918, during the advance from LEDEGHEM towards LYS, this man was acting as Company runner. During the whole of the day he carried messages back to Battn. H.Q. often under heavy fire. Especially when his Company was held up at WEERHOF during the advance, he carried messages continually back to Battn. H.Q. On each occasion he had to cross about 200 to 300 yards of open ground swept by enemy H.G. fire."

Please accept my congratulations and assurance of the appreciation of the conduct of your late son.

Yours Faithfully,

MINISTER of MILITIA.

AW.