



First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 547

Name in full John Lukins Age 26

Address 12 Bell Street

Married m Height _____ Weight 133
~~Single~~

Color dark Hair black Eyes brown

Other distinguishing marks right thumb, scar.

Nearest relative wife Mary Lukins

Address 12 Bell St

Dependents wife & children

Occupation clerk Present Wage 1000 per wk

Previous service _____

Decorations _____

General Remarks _____

Date of Enlistment _____

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

*Recruited at St John's
Albion St
14 Aug 1914*

John Lukins

Declared before me this first day of October 1914

J. W. ...

Sept 16

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

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

Reg. No. 547

Name John Lukins

Apparent age 26 years _____ months. Height _____ feet _____ inches.

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

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

Other distinguishing marks: Right thumb, scar

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin May Lukins, 12 Bell Street, St. John's

| Relationship Wife

Particulars as to Marriage.

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

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

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed 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 <u>16/9/14</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>16th September '14</u>									
				<u>Embarked S. I. Hoisek Sept 3 '14</u>					<u>Embarked at 6.7.20 '15</u>
				<u>Discharged Key and exp. trained for S. I. Hoisek</u>					<u>Embarked for</u>
				<u>Callants 13 3/4 Landed S. I. Hoisek Bay Sept of 19-20</u>					<u>Sept 15</u>
				<u>Embarked Port Aug 14-16</u>					<u>23-3-16</u>
				<u>Bomb Wounds France 28/14</u>					
Total Service forfeited as above									

Total Service towards Engagement to 28.6-16 (date of discharge) 1 years 286 days
 " " Pension " (") " " " "

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

Applicable to all ranks. To correspond with entries on the Medical History Sheet.
Reg. No. 547

Name **John Lukins**

Apparent age **26** years _____ months. Height _____ feet _____ inches.

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

Distinctive marks **Color: Dark, Hair: Black, Eyes: Brown.**

Other distinguishing marks: Right thumb, scar.

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin **May Lukins, 12 Bell St., St. John's**

| Relationship **Wife**

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) Signature of Officer verifying entry from certificate.

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d) Verified from certificate.

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth	(d)
		Verified from certificate.

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from 16/9/14									
Joined at St. John's on 16th Sept/14									
<i>K.A. June 28/16</i>									
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days									
" " " Pension " _____ (") _____ " _____									



This Form is to be used in connection with Pamph. M. E. (1)
N. F. 1914

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 *Lukins John* 100
aged *26* conducted at *C I G Amory*
Date: *15/9/14* Recruiting Officer:

NO. OF TEST FINDING

- 1 *100*
- 2 *100*
- 3 *100*
- 4 *100*
- 5 *100*
- 6 *100*
- 7 *100*
- 8 *100*
- 9 *100*
- 10 *100*
- 11 *n.*
- 12 *Slight bow-legged*
- 13 *n.*
- 14 *n.*
- 15 *n.*
- 16 *n.*
- 17 *n.*
- 18 *n.*
- 19 *n.*
- 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 *n.*
- 33 *6 years ago*
- 34 *5 ft 6 inc.*
- 35 *133 lbs.*
- 36 *32. 35*
- 37 *Deck*
- 38 *Father Fredrick Lukins 5 Lines Square*
- 39 *Wife and tool holder*

Signature of Medical Examiner: *Cluny M. ... M.D.*

J. Lukins

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P.R.O.

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Lukins OF Christian Name John

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish..... County.....

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined	on	day of	on	day of
Declared Age... ..	at		at	
Trade or Occupation... ..				
Height				
Weight				
Chest Measurement {	Girth when fully expanded... ..	inches	inches	inches
	Range of expansion.. ..	inches	inches	inches
Physical Development... ..				
Vaccination Marks {	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Arm			
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R. E.—V==		R. E.—V==	
	L. E.—V==		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)				
(Rank)				
Enlisted	at		at	
	on	day of	on	day of
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
Transferred to... ..				
Became non-effective by.				
(Signature)	on	day of	on	day of
(Rank)				

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

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
<p>15.8.15</p> <p>28.6.16</p>	<p>J. V</p> <p>Vac</p> <p>Fit for foreign service</p> <p>Killed in Action France <i>[Signature]</i></p>

TABLE IV.—SERVICE TABLE.

Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation.	Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation



FIELD SERVICE



REPORT of Death of a Soldier to be forwarded to the War Office with the least possible delay after receipt of notification of death on Army Form B. 213 or Army Form A. 36 or from other official documentary sources.

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

Regtl. No. 547 Rank Private

Name Lukins, J.

Died { Date June 28th. 1916.

Place France.

Cause of Death* Killed in Action.

Reported by J. G. and

* 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 to hand. (b) in Small Book (if at Base) Not to hand. (c) as a separate document Not to hand.

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 Paymaster at the Base (see Field Service Regulations, Part II.), 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.

A. G. Clerk

Signature of Officer in-charge of Section Adjutant-General's Office at the Base } Capt. for Lt. Col., Officer i/c Infantry Records, 3rd. Echelon, B. E. F.

Station and Date 3rd. Echelon, 10/7/16.



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

Regtl. No. 547 Rank Private

Name Laurins, J.

Died { Date June 23th 1916.
Place France.
Cause of Death * Killed in Action.

Reported by 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 to hand.
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Officer i/c Infantry Records,
3rd. Echelon, H. E. F.

Station and Date 3rd. Echelon, 10/7/16.

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

INVENTORY of EFFECTS of

No. 527 Mr John Lusk deceased.

EXTRACT from A.F. B.2090A, dated 1/7/16 :

CAUSE of DEATH Killed in Action

DATE 28/10/16 . PLACE France

- WILL: (a) in Pay Book _____
 (b) in Small Book _____
 (c) Separate document _____

NEXT of KIN: Mr May Lusk
 Relationship Wife
 Address 12 Bull Street
Liverpool 419

Particulars

1 Book of Poems.
 3 Prizes Books
 Letters & Post Cards.



BRANCH	
Cas.	
ASTON PON	
BY	JAA
DATE	

Mrs. J. White
 96 Eastland Rd.
 Newtown
 Yeovil.

Dear Sir

I am writing to inquire of my two nephews of the 1st Newfoundland Reg as I saw the name of one of them on Monday's ^{paper} being killed name J. Lukins No 547 which is his correct number and name and we are very anxious about the other brother name G. Lukins will you kindly send us word of anything concerning the end of the one killed or of the safety of the other one his number is

544.

Yours Truly,

Mrs. White

547 J. Lukins killed in action
 544 G. Lukins ~~no report~~

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	2494
Rec'd.	JUL 20 1916
Ack'd.	
Ans'd.	do
File No.	

COPY.

C.2. Casualties.

No. P.M. 39 E.

WAR OFFICE, *Finbury Court*
ALEXANDRA HOUSE,
KINGSWAY, *Finbury Pavement*
LONDON, *S.C.* *W.A.* 2.

18th June, 1918.

9848.

The Secretary of the War Office requests that you will be good enough to return this letter as early as possible, with a statement in the margin showing whether the following report, received in an official German list of dead, could be found to apply to 544 Pte. G. Lukins, Newfoundland Regt., "Luking J., Rank and Regt. unknown, fell on the 28/6/18 in a British reconaissance, South of Beaumont Hamel, from shot wound, heart."

Please state the date on which Pte. Lukins became missing.

To: The Officer in Charge,
Newfoundland Record Office,
58, Victoria Street.

Pay & Record Office,
58 Victoria St. S.W. 1,
20th June, 1918.

547 Pte. J. Lukins, 1/Bn.,
Royal Newfoundland Regt., was
reported killed in action on
28/6/18, near Beaumont Hamel
during a raid on the German
lines. He was not posted as
missing.

A brother, No. 544 Pte. G.
Lukins was posted missing on
1/7/18, and his place of burial
has since been reported.

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

HA/JC

No information received re grave
site. Death report only states
"Killed in Action" —

P. O. Box 621
St. John's, Nfld.
July 12/1916.

Officer Commanding,
Headquarters,
Graves Registration Commission.
Canadian Corps, France.

Dear Sir:-

Pardon the liberty I am
taking in addressing these few
lines to you, but I heard I
could get particulars of Soldier's
Graves from your Department
and would like to know if
such is correct.

My husband,
John Thomas Lukins
#547 - A. Company,
1st. Newfoundland Regiment
was killed somewhere in
France June 28/1916., and

3.

for any information you
can give me, I remain,

Yours in Deepest Sorrow,

(Was.) May Lukins,

Address,

Mrs. M. Lukins,

~~12 Bell Street - or~~

P. O. Box 621

St. John's,

Newfoundland.

2.

if I am not taking up too
much of your time would like to
know if I could get a
photograph of his grave, he poor
boy, is buried so far away,
that I will never be able to see
or visit his grave unless I
succeed in getting a photo
of it, which would be a
great consolation to me,
and his darling little
children, who are now too
young to realize their great
loss.

If you cannot give me
any particulars of his grave
would you be kind enough
to let me know who to
apply to for same.

Thanking you in advance

151 No. 1364

PAY LIST.

to 28th June 1916. Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.



Regiment or corps *1st Newfoundland*
 No. *547* Rank *Private* Name *J. Jenkins*
 Died (a) *Intestate at France* on the *28th* of *June* 1916.
 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 <i>12th May 16</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>1</i>	
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay <i>47</i> days at <i>£1¹⁰</i> from <i>13th</i> to <i>28th 6/16</i> <i>1570</i>	<i>110</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>53</i>
	<i>None</i> <i>31.5.1916</i> <i>1</i> <i>10</i> <i>6</i>				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to			
	" " " " " "				Messing allowance days at from to			
	" " " " " "				Kit allowance			
	<i>Allotment</i> <i>47 days @ 90th</i> <i>42.30</i> <i>8</i> <i>13</i> <i>10</i>				Amount produced by the sale of Effects from Form 2			
	Consolidated stoppage				Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
					Deferred Pay or Gratuity			
	Balance due by the Paymaster	<i>5</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>1</i>	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		<i>£14</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>53</i>		<i>£14</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>53</i>

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

Dated at _____ this _____ day of _____ 191 . Paymaster.

(a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with Army Form B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.
 (b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

Lukins. John.

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Pay Dept

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FIELD SERVICE.

REPORT of Death of a Soldier to be forwarded to the War Office with the least possible delay after receipt of notification of death on Army Form B. 213 or Army Form A. 36 or from other official documentary sources.

REGIMENT } 1st Newfoundland Regiment Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company } B Company
 or
 CORPS }

Regtl. No. 547 Rank Private

Name Lukins, J.



Died { Date June 28th, 1916.
 Place France.
 Cause of Death* Killed in action.

Nature and Date of Report _____

By whom made O.C., Unit.

*Specially state if killed in action, or died from wounds received in action, or from illness due to field operations or to fatigue, privation, or exposure while on military duty, or from injury while on military duty.

Burial { Place _____
 Date _____
 By whom reported _____

State whether he leaves a will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) Not to hand.
 (b) in Small Book (if at Base) Not to hand.
 (c) as a separate document Not to hand.

All private documents and effects received from the front or hospital, as well as the Pay Book, should be examined, and if any will is found it should be at once forwarded to the War Office.

Any information received as to verbal expressions by a deceased soldier of his wishes as to the disposal of his estate should be reported to the War Office as soon as possible.

A duplicate of this Report is to be sent to the Fixed Centre Paymaster at Home, or to the D.F.A.G., Indian Expeditionary Force, or Field Disbursing Officer, as the case may require, together with the deceased's Pay Book (after withdrawal of any will from the latter). If the deceased's Small Book is at the Base, it should be forwarded to the War Office with this Report.

Signature of Officer in charge of Section Adjutant-General's Office at the Base

[Signature]
 Capt. for Lt.Col.,
 Officer i/c Infantry Records,
 3rd Echelon, B.E.F.

Station and Date 3rd Echelon, 10/7/16.

PAY LIST. to 28th June 1918, Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps 1st Newfoundland
 No. 547 Rank Private Name J. Lukins
 Died (or) Intestate at France on the 28th of June 1918
 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 12th May 16	4	1	
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay 47 days at £1 ¹⁰ from 13/5 to 28/6/16 \$51 ¹⁰ 16	10	12	6 ¹
	France 31 5 1918	10	6		Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from _____ to _____			
	"			10	Messing allowance days at from _____ to _____			
	"				Kit allow			
	Allotment 47 days @ 90c, \$42. ³⁰	8	13	10 ¹	Amount			
	Consolidated stoppage				For			
					Amount			
					int			
					Deferred			
	Balance due by the Paymaster	5	9	1	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£ 14	13	5 ¹		£ 14	13	5 ¹

This account is in accordance with information received at the Pay & Record Office to 23 NOV 1916 and is therefore subject to amendment if, and as may be found necessary.

I certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the same is correctly chargeable against the Public.

Dated at this day of 1918



191 Paymaster

(1) Here, if necessary, the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a will. In the latter case the will should be witnessed, unless it has already been so, and sent to War Office with Army Form O. 2700 or Army Form O. 2112.
 (2) Work in this form to be struck out when there is no balance balance.

PAY LIST. to 28th June 1916. **Voucher No.**

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps 1st Newfoundland

No. 547 Rank Private Name J. LUKINS

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	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay 47 days at £1 ¹⁰ from 3/5 to 28/6/16	10	12	5½
					Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay			
					days at from _____ to			
	France 31 5 1916	10	6		Messing allowance days at			
	"				from _____ to			
	"			10 6	Kit allowa			
	Allotment 47 days @ 90c, \$42. ³⁰	8	13	10½	Amount pr			
					Form			
	Consolidated stoppage				Amount of			
					inter			
					Deferred Pay			
	Balance due by the Paymaster	5	9	1	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£ 14	13	5½		£ 14	13	5½

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

Dated at this



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Paymaster.

(a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with Army Form B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.
(b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

PAY LIST. to 28th June 1916. **Voucher No.**

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps 1st Newfoundland

No. 547

Rank Private

Name J. LUKINS

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					days at from _____ to _____			
	France 31 5 191 6		10	6	Messing allowance days at			
	"				from _____ to _____			
	"				Kit allowance			
	Allotment				Amount produced by the sale of Effects from			
	47 days @ 90c, \$42. ⁵⁰	8	13	10½	Form 2			
	Consolidated stoppage				Amount of Savings Bank balance, including			
					interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
					Deferred Pay or Gratuity			
	Balance due by the Paymaster	5	9	1	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£	14	13		£	14	13
				5½				5½

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

Dated at

this



day of

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Paymaster.

(a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with Army Form B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.

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

FORM K



No. 274

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, John Lukins, Regl. No. 547
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form, to make an Allotment of
 Dollars and ninety 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:

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person).
	<u>wife</u>	<u>Mrs May Lukins</u>	<u>12 Bell St. St John's Nfld.</u>	<u>90</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.) J W March
 Officer Commanding
 Company

(Sig.) John Lukins
 (Rank) Private

Oct 1 1914 191

Send Cheque

30 GEAR STREET,
ST. JOHN'S. N.F.L.D.
MARCH 15-1919.

TO THE
PAYMASTER,
SEPARATION ALLOWANCE BRANCH,
ST. JOHN'S. N.F.L.D.

DEAR SIR,-

Enclosed herewith please find Claim Form filled in and signed as requested for Separation Allowance due me on account of my late Husband, # 547, PRIVATE JOHN T. LUKINS, from date of his enlistment AUGUST 1914 to the date of his death, JUNE 28-1916.

My Marriage Certificate is already in the Pension Department, therefore I am not enclosing a Copy with this Form. If you want a second copy I will get same.

Your attention to my claim will oblige,

Yours sincerely,

(Mrs.) *May Lukins Campbell,*

NOTICE

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
(Separation Allowance Branch)
(Information for Board of Review)

WIFE

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

Each statement is considered as being made on OATH and the Form is to be signed before a Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate or Justice of the Peace and returned to:-
THE PAYMASTER,

Separation Allowance Branch,
St. John's Newfoundland.

-
1. Name in full of soldier. Rank. Reg't or Unit. Reg't No.
John Thomas Lukins, Private - rfd. Regt. 547.
-
2. Age of soldier Married or Single.
27 years. "
-
3. Name in full of wife.
May Lukins Campbell,
-
4. Address in full.
30 Gear Street - St. John's, rfd.
-
5. Date of Marriage.
December 1910
-
6. Place of marriage.
St. John's, rfd.
-
7. Did marriage take place since soldier's enlistment.
no.
-
8. Was Commanding Officer's permission obtained? If not, why?
-
9. If not married, how long have you been dependent on the soldier for your maintenance, and supported regularly by him on a bona fide permanent domestic basis.
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10. Were you living with your husband immediately prior to his enlistment? If not, how long have you been separated. *Yes.*
-
11. Is separation a legal one?

12. If legal, are you in receipt of alimony. If so, state amount.

13. If not legal, how long since your husband contributed to your support? Explain fully.

14. State amount of allotment received by you from soldier monthly.

ninety cents a day.

15. From what date have you received allotment.

October 1914

16. Names of children.

Age last Birthday

Names of children

Age last Birthday

Margaret Lukins,

9 yrs.

Annie J. Lukins,

6 yrs.

Dorothy Lukins,

8 yrs.

17. Are you already in receipt of Separation Allowance from any source? If so, state amount. no

18. Are you in receipt of payment from any Patriotic Fund? If so, how much? no

19. Have you made a previous claim for Separation Allowance. If not, why? Give particulars.

} no - I did not know about this Separation allowance until ten days ago.

20. Was your husband at the time of his enlistment an employee of the Nfld. Government?

no.

21. In what capacity and ⁱⁿ what place?

22. Is he in receipt of a salary as such while serving in the Nfld. Regiment. If so, how much?

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

Signature of Applicant Mrs. May ~~Campbell~~ Lukins Campbell

Place of Residence No. 30 York St. St. John's

Declared and subscribed before me

at

this

St Johns
135 day of *March* 19 *19*

Signature of Barrister of Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public or Justice of the Peace.

Afred B. Moring

This application must be signed by two responsible parties one of whom must be a Clergyman, the other a representative of your local Patriotic Fund Committee, certifying that to the best of their knowledge, after careful enquiry, the above statements are correct

Signature of Clergyman

J. J. Moring

Signature of member of Patriotic Fund Committee

N.B.

Marriage Certificate must accompany this application, and will be returned after perusal. If marriage is after enlistment, Commanding Officer's permission in writing must be forwarded.

Marriage Certificate in the Pension Dept.

12 BELL STREET.,

ST. JOHN'S, NFLD.

OCTOBER 10 - 1917.

LIEUT. J. M. HOWLEY,

COLONIAL BUILDING.

C I T Y.

DEAR SIR,-

This is to inform you that since I received my last pension cheque September 1st/1917 I have been married.

I would like to hear from you re my children's pension, as I understand from paper I have that the children's pension continues until they are Seventeen (17) years old, and also that there is a year's pension due me.

Your reply will oblige,

Yours truly,

Mae Campbell
Formerly,
MRS. MAE LUKINS,
Widow of JOHN T. LUKINS.

Mae Campbell

March 25, 1919

Mrs. May Lukins,
13, Gear Street.

Dear Madam:

547

With reference to your letter of March 15th. I enclose cheque payable to you for \$428.67 in payment for Retroactive Separation Allowance, from the date of your husband's enlistment up to the date of his death.

Yours truly,

Lieut.
For Paymaster

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$26 ⁹⁴/₁₀₀

Oct. 26th 1917

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Twenty Six ⁹⁴/₁₀₀ Dollars.
~~on account~~ of Pay Estate
balance

Cheque mailed Oct 29th 1917

Ch. No. <u>579</u>	Initials <u>RS</u>
Pay Ledger <u>255</u>	Initials <u>RS</u>
Gen. Ledger <u>62</u>	Initials <u>RS</u>

Regtl. No. Rank

579

No. 547

Rank Pte.

Name J. Lukins.

May Lukins Campbell

12 Bell St.

October 29th.1917.

Mrs M. Lukins Campbell,
12 Bell Street.

Dear Madam,-

I enclose herewith cheque for \$26.94, being the balance due you as Administratrix of the Estate of the late John Thomas Lukins. I also enclose letter of Administration.

Yours faithfully,

Capt. & Paymaster.

Enclosures 2.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld.

DEC. 7 - 1914.

CAPT. A. MONTGOMERIE,
P.O. BOX # 1242.
ST. JOHN'S.

547

Dear Sir,-

In answer to your enquiry re the children's ages.

They are as follows:-

MARGARET M. LUKINS, will be 5 years old the 23rd. Jany., next
DOROTHY M. LUKINS, " "4 " " " 1st., Feby. do
ANNIE J. LUKINS, " "2 " " " 16th., Jany. do

Yours truly,

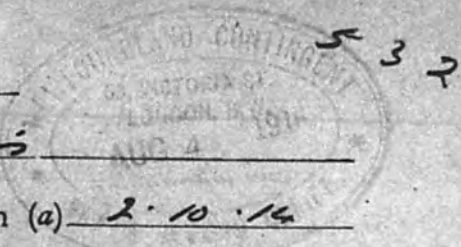
May Lukins

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DEPARTMENT
Reference No.
Date Recd.	Dec 7/14
" Ack'd.
" Au'd.
File

Casualty Form—Active Service.

COPY.



Regiment or Corps Newfoundland
 Regimental No. 547 Rank Pte Name J. Tuckers
 Enlisted (a) 2.10.14 Terms of Service (a) Duration Service reckons from (a) 2.10.14
 Date of promotion to present rank } Date of appointment to lance rank } Numerical position on roll of N.C.Os. }
 Extended _____ Re-engaged _____ Qualification (b) _____

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked St John's Nfld		3-10-14	
		Disembarked Alexandria		1-4-15	
		Embarked for Gallipoli		13-9-15	
		Embarked Pt Teign		14-3-16	
		Disembarked Marseilles		22-3-16	
	Unit awarded day F.P. No 1				B 1810 22-4-16
28-6-16	to	Bomb Wds Killed in action	France	28-6-16	B 213
	G.H. 2 1-7-16				A.E. Clerk Capt for O/C Infantry Rowers 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 duties.

C.R. 547

P.O. BOX 621.,
ST. JOHN'S. N.F.L.D.
SEPTEMBER 29-1920.

LIEUT. COL. W. F. RENDELL,
C I T Y.

DEAR SIR,-

The enclosed letter received by me some time ago, but I have not received the form which you are asking me to forward.

If you will kindly forward me another form I will fill in same, and return to you at once.

Thanking you for your attention to same,

Yours truly,

Margaret Lukins.

ADDRESS.

MISS MARGARET LUKINS,
C/O P.O. BOX 621.
ST. JOHN'S. N.F.L.D.



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND

Miss Margaret Lukins
12 Bell Street

August 7th, 1920

Dear Madam:-

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

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

Yours faithfully,

W. F. Readell Lieut.-Col.,
Chief Staff Officer.

RECEIPT.

C.R.

547.

I hereby certify that I have received the 1914-1915

STAR.

Formely Mrs J. Lukins

No 6

Name Mrs. S. Campbell

Witness L. Lukins

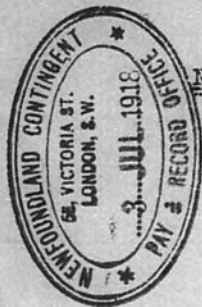
Date June 15

Place St Johns.

Bullyst

AW,

Eldest daughter Margaret age 10.



NEWFOUNDLAND EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

LIST NO. P.F. 447 of 28.6.18.

C.R. 547

Official German List forwarded through Geneva Red Cross 4.4.18.

LIST OF DEAD.

547	Luking ^S J.	Pte.	1/R. Newfoundland Regt.	Fell on the 28.6.16. in a British reconnaissance, South of Beaumont Hamel from shot wound heart.	D2/13.
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C.R. 547

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record

} Office 26th June 1918.

#547 Pte. J. Lukins.

A communication from the War Office dated 18-6-18 states the following has been reported in an official German list of Dead Received: "Luking J., rank and Regt. unknown, fell on "the28-6-16 in a British Reconnaissance South of Beaumont Hamel from Shot wound heart. The above refers to 547 Pte. J. Lukins, who was previously reported "Killed in Action 28-6-16.

C.R. 547

Extarct from Casualties received from P & R Office London,
June 21st, 1918.

A Communication from the War Office dated 18/6/18 states the following has been reported in an Official German List of dead received; "Luking, J." Rank and Regt unknownm fell on the 28/6/16 in a British reconnaissance South of Beaumont Hamel from shot wound Heart "The above refers to 547 Pte. J. Lukins, who was previously reported "Killed In action 28/6/16.

Authority:- Memo from W.O. C.2. Cas. dated 18/6/18. (5530)

CR 547

Ans'd 6/5/18



Reference:- 8/2521.

The Officer Commanding,
1st Battalion
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
British Armies in France.

I have received an enquiry for the location of the grave of 547 Private J.Lukins of your Battalion who is stated to have been killed on 28th June, 1916.

The grave has not been registered in this office, and I shall be much obliged if you can give me any information (if possible a map reference) which might assist in locating it, or failing this a map reference of the place where he was last seen.

In the event of your Battalion not having buried him, it will assist if you can say by what Unit you were relieved, or by what Unit the burial may have been effected.

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War Office,
Winchester House,
St. James's Square,
London, S.W.1.

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Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Brig.-General,
Director G.R. & E.

M

July 13, 1916.

Dear Madam,

It was with the greatest regret that the Government received a cable from the Record Office, London, reporting that your husband, Private John Lukins, had been killed in action on the 28th June last.

Permit me to express to you on behalf of the Government, as well as for myself, the sincerest sympathy with you in this time of sorrow. While our hearts are bowed down with grief at the loss of our loved ones yet it may be some comfort to you to remember that your brave husband early responded to the call of King and Country and did his part loyally and gallantly in behalf of the principles of Righteousness, Truth and Liberty. Though he has laid down his earthly weapons he wears the Soldier's Crown of Victory and his name will be inscribed upon the glorious Roll of Honour and be held in fragrant memory by all his fellows. We are very proud of our noble men who came forward so bravely and unselfishly at the call of duty and, when this war is over and Peace and Righteousness have again been established in the earth, it will be your proud thought that your noble husband did his part in bringing about that desired end.

I trust that you may have the comforting presence of the Great Father of us all.

Assuring you of my warmest sympathy.

Believe me to be,

Your obedient servant,

Colonial Secretary.

Mrs. May Lukins,
12 Bell St.

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July 10, 1916.

Dear Madam,

I regret to inform you that the
Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment,
London, to-day reports that your husband, No. 547,
Private John Lukins, was killed in action on June 28th.

Sympathetically yours,

Colonial Secretary.

Mrs. May Lukins,
12 Bell St.

C.R. 547

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

#547 Pte. J. Lukins. ✓

Killed in Action 28/6/16.

C.R. 547

A.
Extract from Nominal Roll of Co. 1st Bn. New Zealand Regt.
Embarked at Devenport for Active Service 20-8-15.

547 Pte. J. Lukins.

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

C.R. 547

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's per S.S.

"Florozel" Oct. 4. 1914.

547m Lukins John.

C.R. 547

John Lukins

was attested for General Service

with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT onSept. .16th/14.

Regimental No. 547. was allotted to Pte John Lukins.

AUTHORITY:

Record Officer

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th, 1919.

No. 547 Name

Date of last entry in Company Conduct Sheet

J. Luknis

Sqn., Batty.,
or Company

A Corps

Newfoundland

Date of enlistment

G.C.
BadgesService or
Proficiency PayNo. and date
of last drunkPeriod not reckoning towards
freedom from extra fine

Sheet No.

Signature O.C.
Company, etc.

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
Lucey	12/2/16	Pte		absent 7 p.m. Roll call	Cpl Rowan	3 days C.S.	14/2/16	2/Ft J. Fox	CS 14/2/16
Beigny L. abbé	31/3/16	Pte	1	Drunk in billets & absent from Roll call	Sgt. Greene S.V.A. Greene b/pl Patrick	14 days F.P. 1	1/4/16	Lt. Col. Shadwin	CS 1/4/16

Army Form B. 122

P.T.O.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

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Regiment or Corps 1st Newfoundland

Regimental No. C.R. 547 Rank Pte Name J. Lukins

Enlisted (a) Oct 2/14 Terms of Service (a) Duration of War Service reckons from (a) Oct 2/14

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

Extended _____ Re-engaged _____ Qualification (b) _____

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Date	From whom received				
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		Embarked Gallipoli		13.9.15	
		Embarked Port Suez		14.3.16	
		Disembarked MARSEILLES		22.3.16	
	<u>Wund</u>	<u>Awarded 14 days H.A.</u>			<u>04810 22/4/16</u>
<u>28.6.16</u>	<u>Do</u>	<u>Bomb Wounds Killed in Action</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>28.6.16</u>	<u>6213.</u>
					<u>all Clerk</u>
					<u>Capt. for Lt. Col.,</u> <u>Officer in Charge Infantry Records,</u> <u>3rd. Echelon, B.E.F.</u>
	<u>J.M.Q.</u>				
	<u>8/7/16</u>				

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D. Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered. (b) e.g., Signaller, Shoeing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties. [P.T.O.]

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

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Forms
B. 121.
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Number of Sheet _____

Regiment of _____

Signature of O. C. Company *H. Carby*

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No.	<i>547 Lukins J. G.</i>	Age on	21 years	<i>Sailor</i>	
Joined	Date	months		Religion	
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment		<i>60y. E</i>	
Joined	Date	Period of	{with Colours <i>1 2/3</i> years. {with Reserve <i>3 1/2</i> years.	Place of Birth	
Joined	Date			<i>St John's</i>	

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness.	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
				<i>Killed in Action 28⁶/₇₆</i>					

To be carried over