



First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 1446

Name in full Maxwell James Mercer Age 19

Address Bay Roberts

Married Single Height 5ft 9 in Weight 127

Color fair Hair light brown Eyes blue

Other distinguishing marks Scar in upper right eye Scar in left eye back each hand

Nearest relative Father Isaac of San

Address Bay Roberts

Dependents none

Occupation operator telephone Present Wage 150 per mo

Previous service

Decorations

General Remarks

Date of Enlistment April 19/15

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

Maxwell James Mercer

Declared before me this 26 day
of April 1915
Montgomery

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

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

Reg. No. 1446

Name **Maxwell James Mercer**

Apparent age **19** years _____ months. Height **5** feet **9** inches.

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

Distinctive marks **Color: Fair, Hair: Light brown, Eyes: Blue.**

Other distinguishing marks: Scar under right eye; slight scars back of each hand.

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin **Isaac (of Sam) Mercer, Bay Roberts, Nfld.**

| Relationship **Father.**

Particulars as to Marriage.

(a) Christian and Surname of Woman to whom married, and whether spinster or widow. (b) Place and date of marriage.
(c) Present address. (d) 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 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 Ap. 19/15									
Joined at St. John's on Ap. 19/15									
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days									
" " " Pension " _____ (") _____ " "									

Killed in Action France 1.7.16

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

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Reg. No. **1443**

Name **Maxwell James Mercer**

Apparent age **19** years _____ months. Height **5** feet **9** inches.

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

Distinctive marks **Color: Fair, Hair: Light brown, Eyes: Blue.**

Other distinguishing marks: Scar under right eye; slight scars back of each hand.

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin **Isaac (or Sam) Mercer, Bay Roberts, Nfld.**

| Relationship **Father.**

Particulars as to Marriage.

(a) Christian and Surname of Woman to whom married, and whether spinster or widow. (b) Place and date of marriage.
(c) Present address. (d) 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)
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<i>K. A. July 1st /16</i>							
<i>Embarked St. John's Nfld. for U.S. to embark Southampton 28th Decemb. 1896</i>							
<i>Embarked Southampton 15/4/16</i>							
<i>Killed in Action 1-7-16</i>							
Total Service forfeited as above							
Total Service towards Engagement to 1-7-16 (date of discharge) 1 years 74 days							
" " " Pension " (") " "							

C.R. 1446

Maxwell J Mercer was attested for General service
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on .April 19th 1915
Regimental No 1446 was allotted to Pte. M.J.Mercer

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

Bay Roberts,

Jan 12: 1920-

C.R.

1446

R
W. F. Rendell Esq.
Chief Staff Officer,
St John's.

Dear Sir,-

I beg to
acquaint you of the fact, that I
have received from you a
Memorial scroll, also the
accompanying Message sent from
the King,

Thanking you very kindly for
the same, of which we all sincerely
appreciate.

Yours truly,
Isaac Mercer.

C.R. 1446

Extract from Minimal Roll of Royal H&A. Regt. Draft No. 3.

~~Extract from~~
from 2nd Bn., Depot to 1st Bn., B.E.F. Embarked 28-3-16.

1446 Pte. M. Mercer.

C.R. 1446

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

1446 Pte. M. Mercer.

28-3-16.

C.R. 1446

Extract of Casualty List received from P&O. London

Dated Aug. 1st. 1916

The following Casualties in the Newfoundland Contingent are reported under various dates:-

1446 Pte. W.J. Mercer

Killed.

C.R. 1446

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&.R.O.
July 26th., 1916.

1446, Pte M.J. Mercer. ✓

Reported by O.C. Bn. d/11.7.16. KILLED IN ACTION 1.7.16.

C.R. 1446

Extract ~~from~~ Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's for Overseas, p
per S.S. "~~Magician~~" "Galgarian" June, 19. 1915. "P"

1446 Pte. Mercer M.J.

N OUNDLAND 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.

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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

July 26, 1916.

To

Mr. Isaac Meezer, of Samuel,
Bay Roberts.

Regret to inform you No. 1446, Private Maxwell J.
Mercer, has been reported killed in action July first.

J.R. BENNETT

Colonial Secretary.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



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Line Number	Rcd.	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated

July 26, 1916.

To

Rev. Sydney Bennett,
Bay Roberts.

Regret to inform you No. 1446, Private Maxwell J. Mercer, son of Mr. Isaac Mercer of Samuel, Bay Roberts, has been reported killed in action. July first. Kindly inform relatives.

J.R. BENNETT

Colonial Secretary.

J. M. Mercer.

C.R.

1446.

P. 10.

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Mercer

Christian Name Masculid James

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish Newfoundland County _____

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <u>17</u> day of <u>April</u> 191 <u>5</u> at <u>St John</u>		on _____ day of _____ 191____ at _____	
Declared Age	<u>19</u> years _____ days		_____ years _____ days	
Trade or Occupation	<u>Telegraph Operator</u>			
Height	<u>5</u> feet <u>9</u> inches		_____ feet _____ inches	
Weight	<u>127</u> lbs.		_____ lbs.	
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded... <u>36 3/4</u> inches		_____ inches	
	Range of expansion... <u>3 2/6</u> inches		_____ inches	
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Arm		Arm	
	Number		Number	
When Vaccinated	<u>never</u>			
Vision	R. E.—V=	<u>4/24</u>	R. E.—V=	
	L. E.—V=	<u>6/9</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>Thos W. Burden</u>			
(Rank)	<u>Lieut.</u>			
	Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at <u>St John</u> on <u>17</u> day of <u>April</u> 191 <u>5</u>		at _____ on _____ day of _____ 191____	
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	<u>Newfoundland</u>	Corps.	
	Regtl. No.	<u>1446</u>	Regtl. No.	
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by				
(Signature)	on _____ day of _____ 191____		on _____ day of _____ 191____	
(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
May 25 June 7 th - 25 th 15	First Inoculation — 500 million 2 nd " " 1000 Vaccinated at Sea J
20. 3. 16.	Fit for active Service. Jpm
1. 7. 16	Killed in Action France JAB

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
St Johns Rifle					

ORIGINAL

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. 1446 Rank Private

Name Mercer, M.J.

Died { Date July 1st., 1916. Place France. Cause of Death * Killed in Action.

Nature and Date of Report B 213, 11/7/16.

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) Not to hand. (b) in Small Book (if at Base) do. (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 of Section Adjutant-General's Office at the Base } A.D. Clerk Capt. for Lt. Col., Officer i/c Infantry Section, 3rd. Echelon, B. E. F.

Station and Date 31/7/16.

DUPLICATE.

FIELD SERVICE.



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

Regtl. No. 1446 Rank Private

Name HERCOFF, M. J.

Died { Date July 1st., 1916.

Place France.

Cause of Death * Killed in Action.

Nature and Date of Report B 213, 11/7/16.

By whom made O.C., Unit.

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

all
Capt. for Lt. Col.,
Officer i/o Infantry Section,
Brd. Echelon, B. E. F.

Station and Date 51/7/16.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

INVENTORY of EFFECTS of

No. W.S. M. Maxwell Messer deceased.

EXTRACT from A.F. B.2090A, dated 3/1/16 :

CAUSE of DEATH Killed in Action

DATE 1/1/16 PLACE France

WILL: (a) in Pay Book Yes (Copy attached)
 (b) in Small Book _____
 (c) Separate document _____

NEXT of KIN: Isaac Messer of Paris
 Relationship Son
 Address 11 Rue de la Paix
Paris 1^{er}
F.

Particulars

1 Envelope
Photo - Cards



Regimental Number 1446

Company 

THE
1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

I hereby enlist for service at home or abroad in the King's Forces under the following conditions:

For the duration of the present war, or until my discharge.

Subject to the Army Act, the King's Regulations, and to such ordinances as may apply or may be made to apply to the British Regular Army.

Subject to the Newfoundland Volunteer Act, 5 George V., Chapter IV.

Signed *Manuel Mercer*

Witness *James Lewis*

Dated at *Newton Park School*

May 27 191*6*

446 238

PAY LIST.

to 1st July 1916. Voucher No.

Army Form O. 1325.



NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps *1st Newfoundland*
 No. *1446* Rank *Private* Name *M. Mercer*
 Died (a) *Leper Hill* at *France* on the *1st* of *July* 191*6*.
 Deserted at on the of 191*6*.

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>1st July 1916</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>6</i>
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay <i>78</i> days at <i>1/10</i> from <i>15/4</i> to <i>1/7/16</i>	<i>188</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>12</i>
	<i>3.1.1916</i> ✓ <i>1/2</i>				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to			
	<i>8.4.1916</i> ✓ <i>4/2</i>				Messing allowance days at from to			
	<i>9.5.1916</i> ✓ <i>10/6</i>				Kit allowance			
	<i>31.5.1916</i> ✓ <i>10/6</i>				Amount produced by the sale of Effects from Form 2			
	<i>7.6.1916</i> ✓ <i>10/6</i>				Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
				<i>110/27 8/2</i>	Deferred Pay or Gratuity			
	<i>Allotment</i> <i>78 day @ 60/1146⁸⁰</i>			<i>9 12 4</i>				
	Consolidated stoppage							
	Balance due by the Paymaster			<i>19 17 1</i>	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		<i>£</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>17</i>				<i>12</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.



1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, Maxwell Mercer, Regl. No. 1446
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of
 Dollars and 60 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	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
1	Mother	M ^{rs} Isaac	Bay Roberts	
2		Mercer	Bay	
3				
4				
<p>Community June 12th</p>				
Total Allotment, \$				<u>60</u>

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

(Sig.)

Officer Commanding
 Company

St Johns
June 12th 1915

(Sig.) Maxwell Mercer

(Rank) Pvt

Hercot, Kay. J

1446

Kay Dept

Nov. 11, 1919

Secretary,
Board of Pension Commissioners,
City.

Re #1446 Pte. M.J. Mercer

Dear Sir:-

Referring to your letter of 30-4-19, I
beg to state that the amount paid in continuance of
this soldier's Allotment is Six hundred and twenty
dollars and forty cents (\$620.40).

Yours truly

Major
Paymaster.

Casualty Form Active Service.

COPY.

Regiment or Corps

Newfoundland

Regimental No

1446

Rank

Plc.

Name

Berces W. J.

Enlisted (a)

19.4.16

Terms of Service (a)

War

Service reckons from (a)

Date of promotion
to present rankDate of appointment
to lance.rankNumerical 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 Southampton		28/3/16	
		Disembarked Rouen		30/3/16	
11/7/16	Unit	Killed in action	France	1/7/16	B 213

Squad Ebleck
Call
for OC Infantry Records
Lt 23 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.

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. 86 or from other official documentary sources.



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

Regtl. No. 1446 Rank Private

Name Mercer, M. J.

Died { Date July 1st, 1916.
Place France.
Cause of Death* Killed in Action.

Nature and Date of Report B 213, 11/7/16.

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

Station and Date 31/7/16.

PAY LIST. to 1st July 1916. Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps 1st Newfoundland

No. 1446 Rank Private

Name M. Mercer

Died (a) left will at France

on the 1st of July 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 14th. April 16....	2	4	6
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay 78 days at 1 ¹⁰ from 15/4 to 1/7/16 585 ⁸⁰	17	12	7 ¹ / ₂
		£	s.	d.	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from _____ to			
		3	4	191 6	Messing allowance days at			
		8	4	" 6	from _____ to			
		9	5	" 6	Kit allowance			
		31	5	" "	Amount p			
		26	6	" "	For			
				7 2	Amount c			
				7 2	inte			
				10 6	Deferred			
				10 6				
				10 6				
				110 2				
	Allotment 78 days @ 600. 46 ⁸⁰				Amount p			
	Consolidated stoppage				For			
				9 12 4	Amount c			
					inte			
					Deferred			
	Balance due by the Paymaster	7	17	1	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£	19	17				
				1 ¹ / ₂				
						£	19	17
								1 ¹ / ₂

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 is correctly chargeable against the Public (b).



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Paymaster.

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		£	s.	d.	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from _____ to _____			
	3 4 191 6		7	2	Messing allowance days at _____ from _____ to _____			
	8 4 " 6		7	2	Kit allowance			
	9 5 " 6		10	6	Amount produced by the sale of Effects from Form 2			
	31 5 " "		10	6	Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
	26 6 " "		10	6	Deferred Pay or Gratuity			
			116	2 7 8 ¹ / ₂				
	Allotment 78 days @ 60c. 46 ⁸⁰		9	12 4	Balance due to the Paymaster			
	Consolidated stoppage							
	Balance due by the Paymaster	7	17	1				
		£	19 17	1 ¹ / ₂		£	19 17	1 ¹ / ₂

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

Dated at 3 NOV 1916

PAY & RECORD OFFICE

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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 1st July 1916 Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT

Regiment or corps 1st Newfoundland

No. 1448

Rank Private

Name M. Mercer

Died (or left will) at France

on the 1st of July

1916

Deserted at

on the of

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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 14th April 15	2	4	8	
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay 78 days at 2 ¹⁰ from 15/4 to 1/7/16 365 ⁸⁰	17	12	7 ¹	
		£	s.	d.	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to				
	3 4 191 6		7	2	Missing allowance days at				
	8 4 " 6		7	2	from to				
	9 5 " "		10	6	Kit allowance				
	31 5 " "		10	6	Amount p				
	25 6 " "		10	6	For				
			110	2	7	8 ¹			
	Allotment 78 days @ 600.446 ⁸⁰		9	12	4				
	Consolidated stoppage				Amount				
					Deferred				
	Balance due by the Paymaster		7	17	1				
					Balance due to the Paymaster				
		£	19	17	1 ¹				
						£	19	17	1 ¹

This account is in accordance with information received at the Pay & Record Office to 9/2/1916 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.

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Paymaster.

(a) How to certify 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 D. 2020 or Army Form O. 1815.
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C. E. RUSSELL, Editor and Proprietor
Water Street
BAY ROBERTS, Nfld.

send form
for P.A.

April 2nd

1919.
Separation Allowance Dept.
Dept. of Militia
St. John's

Dear Sir:- I will you
please send me for
Mr. Isaac Meneer, father
of Pte. M. J. Meneer, No.
1446, deceased, applica-
tion forms for Separation
Allowance. And
obliga, yours truly
C. E. Russell, Jr.

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR Nfld.

30-4-19

The Paymaster & Officer i/c Records,
St. John's Nfld.

DEAD AND MISSING MEN.

No. 1046
Rank Rt.
Name Mr. Mercier

Sir:-

I have the honour, by direction
to advise you that a pension has been awar-
ded to the Father of the marginally
noted, as follows:

Name Isaac Mercier
Address Bay Roberts
Pension 1/2
Pension commences 2-7-16

Kindly govern yourself acco-
rdingly, and advise me what deductions
will have to be made.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant

C. C. McE.
Asst. Secretary.

B.S.O. Form 1.

Discontinued
30/4/19
Mr Isaac Mercier
Bay Roberts C.B.

60 January

1/7/16
to
30/4/19
620 40
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No. 39

of

No. 1446 Rank *Ret*

Name *M. Mercer*

F
Isaac Mercer of said

Bay Roberts

WILL.

In the event of my
 death, I give all of
 my wage to my
 mother Mrs Isaac Mercet

Bay Roberts
 Newfoundland
 Marcell Mercet
 Private. No 1446
 2/1 H.F.L.D Regt

March 29th 1916

[Witnesses]

D. Leary

J. J. Gough

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

Copy of "Will"

of

No. 1446, Pte. M. Mercer.

In the event of my death I give all my wage to my mother, Mrs. Isaac Mercer, Bay Roberts, Newfoundland.

signed Maxwell Mercer Pte. No. 1446
2/1 NFLD Regt.

March 29th, 1916.

Witnesses D. Cleary.
T.J. Gosse.

Certified True Copy.

Capt.

Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

Copy Sent To H.Q.

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In the event of my death I give all my wage to my
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signed Maxwell Mercer Pte. No. 1446
2/1 NFLD Regt.

March 20th, 1916.

Witnesses D. Cleary.
T.J. Gosse.

Certified True Copy.

Capt.
Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

Copy Sent To H.Q.

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE



To the Officer in Charge of Records,

The Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.

NO STAMP REQUIRED

Dept. of Militia,
St. John's.

Aug. 10th 1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of
the late No. 1446 Rank Pte
Name Maxwell J. Mercer
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Isaac Mercer (of Saml.) (Sgd.)

Father Relationship.

Address



Bay Roberts,
Conception Bay.

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

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Regiment of 1st Newfoundland

Number of Sheet 1

Signature of O. C. Company [Signature]

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistments	Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No.	Mercer Maxwell James	Age on <u>17</u> years <u>11</u> months	Telegraph Opr.	
Joined _____	Date _____	Place and Date of Enlistment } <u>S. John's</u> <u>April 19th 18</u>	Religion	
Joined _____	Date _____		Methodist	
Joined _____	Date _____	Period of { with Colours <u>74</u> years. with Reserve <u>136</u> years.	Place of Birth	
Joined _____	Date _____		Bay Roberts Nfld.	

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
				Killed in action 1 ⁷ / ₁₆ .					

To be carried over

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