



First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 746

Name in full Wm Ollerhead Age 24

Address Hts Content

Married Single Height 5' 10" Weight 144

Color Fair Hair Light Eyes Blue Grey

Other distinguishing marks Scar on right leg, mole on right side

Nearest relative James Ollerhead

Address Hts Content

Dependents None

Occupation School Teacher Present Wage \$12 per year

Previous service _____

Decorations _____

General Remarks _____

Date of Enlistment Dec. 18/14

William Ollerhead

Witness

I, Wm Ollerhead, 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.

William Ollerhead

Declared before me this 18 day
Dec. of 1914
Eric Shyne

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

(To correspond with Entries on the Medical History Sheet.)
Applicable to all ranks.

Reg. No. 746

Name William Ollerhead

Apparent age 24 years months. Height 5 feet 10½ inches.

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

Distinctive marks Color: Fair, Hair: Light, Eyes: Blue Grey

Other distinguishing marks: Scar on right leg, mole on right side

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin James Ollerhead, Hearts Content, Nfld.

Relationship _____

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 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 <u>16/12/14</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>18th December '14</u>									
		<u>Promoted to</u>	<u>Corpl</u>	<u>26/1/15</u>					
		<u>" "</u>	<u>L/Ogt.</u>	<u>14/1/15</u>					
Total Service forfeited as above									

Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days

" " " Pension " " (") " " " "

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

(To correspond with Entries on the Medical History Sheet.)
Applicable to all ranks.

Reg. No. 746

Name William Ollerhead

Apparent age 24 years _____ months. Height 5 feet 10 1/2 inches.

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

Distinctive marks Color: Fair, Hair: Light, Eyes: Blue Grey

Other distinguishing marks: Scar on right leg, mole on right side

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Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>18th December '14</u>									
Promoted to <u>Capt</u> <u>26/1/15</u>									
" <u>Lance Serjt</u> <u>14/11/15</u>									
Embarked <u>S. S. Dominion</u> <u>St John's</u> <u>3/2/15</u>									
Embarked <u>R. C. F.</u> <u>20/2/15</u>									
Disembarked <u>Revardia</u> and entrained for <u>Cairo</u> <u>31/8/15</u>									
Embarked for <u>Gallipoli</u> <u>13/9/15</u> . Landed <u>Sulva Bay</u> night of <u>19-20 September 1915</u> .									
Evacuated and arrived <u>Revardia</u> <u>15/10</u> . Proceeded to <u>Suez</u> <u>1/10/15</u> Embarked <u>Palmyra</u> <u>14/10/15</u>									
Disembarked <u>Harville</u> <u>22/10</u> Serjt <u>11-6-16</u>									
<u>Missing</u> <u>1-7-16</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above									

Total Service towards Engagement to 1-7-16 (date of discharge) 1 years 196 days

" " " Pension " " " " " " " "

h. Allerhead.

C.R.
746

P.L.O.

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Ollerhead OF Christian Name William

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish _____ County _____

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on 10th day of Dec. 1914 at New Berlican		on _____ day of _____ 191	
Declared Age	24 years — days		years _____ days	
Trade or Occupation	School Teacher			
Height	5 feet 10 3/4 inches		feet _____ inches	
Weight	144 lbs.		lbs. _____	
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded... 34 inches		inches _____	
	Range of expansion... — inches		inches _____	
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Arm	None	None	
	Number			
When Vaccinated	1913			
Vision	R.E.—V=	N.	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)	Cluny Macpherson			
(Rank)	Capt.			
	Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at St. Johns on 18th day of Dec. 1914		at _____ on _____ day of _____ 191	
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	1st Nfld. Regt.	Corps.	
	Regtl. No.	746	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 Fit or Foreign Service, Extension, Re-engagement, or Prolongation of Service; Issue of Surgical Appliances; Particulars of Dental Treatment, &c.

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
1st. 24. 2. 15. 2nd. 6. 3. 15 23. 4. 15 15. 8. 15	J. V. Vac. Fit for Foreign Service.

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. J. S. Dominion Edinburgh Castle	Dec 15/15 Feb 5/16 " 16/15	Feb 5/15 " 16/15			

Nº 615



1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, *William Ollerhead*, Regl. No. *746*
hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of
60 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 No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
<i>746</i>	<i>father</i>	<i>James Ollerhead</i>	<i>Hearts Content</i>	<i>60</i>
Total Allotment, \$				

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.) *[Signature]*
Officer Commanding
Company

(Sig.) *William Ollerhead*
(Rank)

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PAY LIST.

to 12 July 1916 Voucher No.

Army Form O. 1625.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps *1st Newfoundland*
 No. *746* Rank *Sgt* Name *W. Ollerhead*
 Died (a) *Intestate* at *same* on the *12* of *July* 191 *6*
 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>JUL 1 1916</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>1/2</i>
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at _____ from _____ to _____			
	£ s. d.				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at _____ from _____ to _____			
	191				Messing allowance days at _____			
	"				from _____ to _____			
	"				Kit allowance			
	"				Amount produced by the sale of Effects from Form 2			
	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>7</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>1/2</i>	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£	<i>7</i>	<i>12</i>		£	<i>7</i>	<i>12</i>
				<i>1/2</i>				<i>1/2</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.

Ollerhead, D^r

746

Gay. Sept.

PAY LIST.

to 1st July 1916. Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps 1st Newfoundland
 No. 745 Rank Sergeant Name W. O'Leighhead
 Died^(a) Intestate at France on the 1st of July 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 JULY....1/16.....	7	12	11½	
	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				
	"								
	"								
	Consolidated stoppage								
	Balance due by the Paymaster	7	12	11½	Balance due to the Paymaster				
		£	7	12	11½	£	7	12	11½

This account is in accordance with information received at the Pay & Record Office on FEB 22/1917 and is therefore subject to amendment if, and as may be found necessary.

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

Dated

this

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINENT
 FEB 21 1917
 LONDON, S.W.

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. 1818.
 (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. 746 Rank Sergeant Name W. Ollerhead
 Died (a) Intestate at France on the 1st of July 1916.
 Deserted at on the of 191

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

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STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

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	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				
	"								
	"								
	"								
	Consolidated stoppage								
	Balance due by the Paymaster	7	12	11½	Balance due to the Paymaster				
		£	7	12		£	7	12	11½

This account is in accordance with information received at the Pay & Record Office to 1/2/16 and is therefore subject to amendment if, and as may be found necessary.

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

Dated at

this

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
 FEB 21 1917
 LONDON, S.W.

191

Paymaster.

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

Nov .11, 1919

Secretary,
Board of Pension Commissioners.

#746 Sgt. William Ollarhead.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to your letter of 12-5-19, 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.

July 7th.1917.

Mr. James Ollerhead,
Heart's Content, T.B.

Dear Sir:-

I enclose herewith cheque for \$65.21,
being the balance of the estate of your late son,
No. 746, W. Ollerhead.

You will note that the cheque is pay-
able to yourself and Mrs Ollerhead. It will there-
fore be necessary for both of you, to endorse it,
before presenting it for payment.

Yours truly,

Lieut.
Deputy Paymaster.

Casualty Form—Active Service.



COPY.

Regiment or Corps NewfoundlandRegimental No. 746Rank Cpl.Name William OllerheadEnlisted (a) 18/12/14Terms of Service (a) One year.

Service reckons from (a) _____

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

Extended _____

Re-engaged 15/8/15.

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. 86, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked St Johns N.F.L.D.		3. 2. 15.	
		Dis do Alexandria		1. 9. 15.	
		Embarked for Gallipoli.		13. 9. 15.	
		do Fort Suez.		14. 3. 16.	
		Dis do Marseilles.		22. 3. 16.	
		Promoted. Sergeant.		11. 6. 16.	213.
11. 7. 16.	Unit.	Missing.	France	1. 7. 16.	213.

J. H. Ollerhead.
Lieut
for
o/c 10/Reg. Inf. Section
G.A. 3rd Ech.

(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.

DEPT BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR Nfld.

12.5.19

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

DEAD AND MISSING MEN.

No. 746
Rank Sgt
Name Wm Ollerhead

Sir:-

I have the honour, by direction to advise you that a pension has been awarded to the father of the marginally noted, as follows:

Name James Ollerhead
Address St. John's
Pension 1/2
Pension commences 2-7-16

Kindly govern yourself accordingly, and advise me what deductions will have to be made.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant

[Signature]
Asst. Secretary.

1/7/16
to
30/4/19 @ 60⁴ per day.
\$ 620 $\frac{40}{xx}$

Discontinued
30/4/19 B.P.C. Form 1.

Heard's content 2.B

August 7th. 1917.

Mr. James Ollerhead,
Heart's Content, T.B.

Dear Sir:-

A further credit to the estate of your late son, Sergeant W. Ollerhead, has recently been received from London Office, amounting to \$4.23. I enclose herewith cheque for the amount.

You will note that the cheque is payable to yourself and Mrs Ollerhead, it will therefore be necessary for both of you to endorse it, before presenting it for payment.

Yours truly,

Lieut.
Deputy Paymaster,

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.



I beg to acknowledge receipt of
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of
the late No. 746 Rank Sergeant
Name William Ollerhead
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Gas Ollerhead (Sgd.)
Father Relationship.

Address Hearts Content



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 11 1921.

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

Mr. James Ollerhead (Father)

in respect of his service as No. 746 Rank Sergt.

Name William Ollerhead Royal Nfld. Regt.

Nfld. Forestry Corps

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received

medals

Signature

James Ollerhead

Date

Oct. 15th 1921

Address

Hearts Content

[P.T.O.]

C.R. 746

June 12th, 1920

Mrs. James Ollerhead,
Heart's Content.

Dear Madam:

I am in receipt of your letter of 7th June, referring to the case of No. 746 Sergt. W, Ollerhead, deceased.

I gather from your letter that you are under a misapprehension with reference to the letter received by you from the Board of Pension Commissioners. The practice of the Pension Board was to continue a soldier's allotment, when such was payable to a parent, for two years after date of death of the soldier. The case was then presented to the Pensions Board for consideration as to whether pension was payable or not. If no pension was payable under the Pensions Act, the allotments were ordered to cease, and the Board of Pensions refunded to this Department the total amount of allotments so paid, which was considered to be in the nature of a gratuity to the relative who would not be entitled to a pension. If a pension was payable, the allotment continued after date of death, was considered as a part payment of pension due since the date of death, and the account was adjusted to the date of consideration of the case; the allotments, as such, were ordered to be stopped, and the Pensions Board issued the amount of pension due.

June 22nd, 1920

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In your case the allotment was being received at the rate of 60¢ per day; that is, \$18.00 or \$18.60 per month, so that for the period during which this allotment was current you received more than a month of pension that was due; namely, \$16.00 per month up to 31st Dec., 1918; the balance thus overpaid would be corrected subsequently when the pension was increased to \$20.00 per month from Jan. 1st, 1919. The point to remember is that the allotment was continued for the period stated, two years, (or over) on account of pension that might be due, and not as an additional payment to the pension. I believe in some cases the Pensions Board adjusted the pensions accounts without allowing the allowances to continue for two years. But in any case, the total amount received as allotment and as pension would be the same, no matter what time the pension was adjusted.

I trust this explanation is sufficiently clear, otherwise I shall do my best to explain further

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.-Col.,
Chief Staff Officer

Hearts Content
June 7/20

W. F. Rendell Esq
Lieut Col

C.R. 746

Dept of militia

Dear Sir -

In reply
to yours of may 13th No 746
wherein you referred my matter
to the Board of Pension
Commissioners, & not having
recd any reply to date:
I wish to state that my
Husband is already receiving a pension
of \$20 per month - but this
is not the information I am
seeking - I am in receipt
of a letter dated may 8th
1919 from the Board of
Pensioners signed C C Oke
asst Secy reading as
follows - "With reference
to your application for pension
on account of 746 Sgt Tom

2/
Ollerhead, Deceased. I beg to
state that the Board has
considered your claim & it
has been agreed to pay you
(my husband)
a pension of \$16 per month
to Dec 31/18, then increased
to \$20 per month from Jan'y
1st, less any allotment that
might have been paid by the
Militia Dept on account of
pension. as soon as your
account is adjusted, cheques
will be forwarded" -

Pls note that these pension
receipts began in June 1919.
I am not as yet in receipt
of monies quoted in that
letter reading "it has been
agreed to pay you a pension
of \$16 per month to Dec 31/18

they increased to \$20 per month from Jan 1st "

You will see that this refers to 1918 & 1919 & this letter of May 8/19 was followed by a cheque for that month, may I ask if I am entitled to monies quoted & what is the meaning of this - If anything due me I would like to receive the same - I trust this matter of my writing is now quite clear to you, I will gladly furnish any further information

Respy Yours.
 Mrs Jas Ollerhead

THE BOARD OF
PENSION COMMISSIONERS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

HON. J. A. CLIFT, K.C., C.B.E.,
MAJOR W. H. PARSONS, M.C.,
R.A.M.C.



In reply refer to

No.

C.R. 746

St. John's,

May 18, 1920

Lt. Col. W.F. Rendell, C.B.E.,
Chief Staff Officer,
City.

746 Sgt. Wm. Ollerhead

Sir:-

I have the honour to acknowledge your communication of May 13, 1920, No. 746, concerning the above noted, deceased.

I beg to state that his mother, who was applicant for Pension, is in receipt of \$20 per month.

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

Secretary.

WHP/BT

CR 746

May 13th, 1920

Secretary

Board of Pension Commissioners

Dear Sir:-

No. 746 Sergt. Wm. Ollerhead

I beg to forward herewith copy of a letter received from the mother of the above mentioned deceased soldier. I should be glad if you will give it your attention, and inform me if claim for pension has been filed on his account, and if so, the reasons for which it was not granted.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.-Col.

Chief Staff Officer.

May 13th, 1920

Mrs. James Ollerhead,
Heart's Content

Dear Madam:-

Reference to your letter 8th May.
I am forwarding herewith claim form for Separation Allowance which I should be glad if you will complete and return at your earliest convenience. Your case will then be considered and it will be ascertained whether you are eligible for this allowance.

I am also referring your case to the Board of Pension Commissioners, and will reply to you again when their reply is received.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.-Col.,
Chief Staff Officer.

Hearts Content
May 8/20

Minister of Militia
St Johns

Dear Sir - J

I have noted that certain special payments or gratuities have been paid out to relatives of those who have served in the Great War, I would be very pleased to know if I am entitled to any such payments & what amount if any. Please me, as my son Sergt Wm Ollerheat No 746, 1st Nfld Regt laid down his life at Beaumont - Hamel - kindly reply & oblige his mother - Sincerely Yours
Mrs James Ollerheat

C.R. 746

Hearts Content
Jan. 27/20

Lieut. Col W F Rendell.

Chief Staff Officer

Royal Newfoundland Regt

Dear Sir:-

I received from
the Dept. of militia on Jan. 27.
1920. memorial scroll also
accompanying message from
his majesty the King. thanking
you very much for same.

I Remain
yours Truly

James Ollerhead.

C.R. 746

RECEIPT.

I hereby certify that I have received the 1914-1915

STAR.

No 746 Name James Allerhead

Witness. Neville Lockyer

Date Dec 5 1919

Place Hts Content

November 23rd, 1916.

Dear Sir,

For some time past the Imperial Government have been making enquiries in relation to those men of the First Newfoundland Regiment who have been reported missing since the action of the 1st July. I very much regret to state, however, that from the correspondence which has taken place, a copy of which I enclose, it is evident that none of them are Prisoners of War in Germany, and the authorities are, therefore, reluctantly forced to the conclusion that all these gallant men, whose names are given in the enclosed list, and one of whom was very dear to you, were killed in that fateful action on the 1st of July.

I desire to express to you on behalf of the Government, as well as for myself, the sincerest sympathy in this time of sorrow. We feel the loss of our loved ones, but it will, no doubt, be some consolation to you to think that he, for whom you now mourn, willingly answered the call of King and Country, did his part nobly, and fell, facing the foe, in defence of the principles of Righteousness, Truth and Liberty. Though he has laid down the earthly weapons of warfare, he now wears the Soldier's Crown of Victory, and his name will be inscribed upon the Glorious Roll of Honor, and be held in fragrant memory by all his fellow-countrymen. When the victory is won, and Peace again reigns upon the earth, it will be a comforting thought to you that in this glorious achievement he bore no small part.

I trust that you may have the Grace and consolation of the Great Father of us all at this time.

With sincere sympathy,

Believe me to be,

Your obedient servant,

Colonial Secretary.

Mr. James Ollerhead,
Heart's Content.

746

C.R. 746

746 SGT. OLLERHEAD W. ✓

EXTRACT OF CASUALTY LIST RECEIVED FROM THE PAYM&
RECORD OFFICE LONDON DATED 7.11.16.

"REPORTED MISSING JULY 1, 1916."

C.R.

1/46

#746 SGT. W. OLLERHEAD.

EXTRACT OF CASUALTY LIST RECEIVED FROM THE PAY & RECORD OFFICE
LONDON DATED 5th AUGUST.

"MISSING."

C.R. 746

Extract of casualties received from Pay & Record Office,
London, dated July 31, 1916.
(Extract from Army Form B. 213 from O.C. Mfld. Regt.
dated 1/7/16.)

#746 Sergt. W. Ollerhead, C. Co.,
Missing 1/7/16. ✓

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Signature of Sender _____ Address _____

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated July 31, 1916.

To Mr. James Ollerhead,
Heart's Content.

Record Office, London, today reports that No. 746, Sergt. William Ollerhead, who was previously unofficially reported killed in action is now officially reported missing.

J.R. BENNETT
Colonial Secretary.

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Extract of Daily Orders part 11, from Unit 1st. Nfld.
Regt. 3rd Echelon, dated July 22, 1916.

#746 L/Se gt. W. Ollerhead, C. Co.,

Promoted Sergeant 11/6/16.

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July 20, 1916.

Dear Sir,

It was with the greatest regret that the Government received a cablegram from the Record Office, London, intimating that your son, Lance Sergeant William Ollerhead, had been reported as killed in action, the date of which, however, was not given.

Permit me on behalf of the Government, as well as for myself, to express to you the sincerest sympathy in this time of sorrow. We feel the loss of our loved ones but no doubt it will be some consolation to you to think that your brave boy early answered the Call of King and Country, did his part nobly and fell, facing the foe, in defence of the principles of Righteousness, Truth and Liberty. We are proud of our gallant boys and also of the noble fathers and mothers, who so willingly gave their sons when the Call of Duty came. Though your boy has laid down the earthly weapons of warfare he now 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 fellow-countrymen. When the victory is won and Peace again reigns upon this earth it will be a comforting thought to you that, in this glorious achievement, your boy bore no small part.

I trust that you may have the Grace and consolation of the Great Father of us all at this time.

With the sincerest sympathy,

Believe me to be,

Your obedient servant,

Mr. James Ollerhead,
Heart's Content.

Colonial Secretary.

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender John M. Stirling Address _____

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated

July 18, 1916.

To

Mr. James Ollerhead,
Heart's Content.

Regret to inform you No. 746, Lance Sergeant
William Ollerhead, is unofficially reported killed
in action, no date given.

J.R. BENNETT

Colonial Secretary.

Note for Operator.

This telegram is not to be delivered
until receiving office advises telegram
to Rev. Canon Smart received and
acted upon.

FOR TYPEWRITER

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)Signature of Sender Frederick M. Shalby Address _____

Line Number	Rcd	By	Check
		<u>Frederick M. Shalby</u>	

Dated 18th July, 1916.

To Rev. Canon Smart,

Heart's Content.

Regret to inform you Record Office First Newfoundland Regiment London reports No. 746 Lance Sergeant William Ollerhead son of Mr. James Ollerhead unofficially reported Killed in Action no date given. Kindly inform relatives.

J.R.BENNETT,

Colonial Secretary.

C.R. 746

P R O M O T I O N .

Extract of Regimental Order dated July 18, 1916.

By Lieut.Col.Sir. W.E.Davidson, K.C.M.G., Officer Comdg.

#746 Lance Sergt. Ollerhead, W., C.Co.,
to be Sergeant.

The above promotion to date from June 9, 1916.

C.R. 746

Copy of Cablegram to Governor St. John's Nfld.
from P.&.R.O. 15th July 1916.

746, Ollerhead. ✓

Unofficially with reservation reported Killed in Action
No date given.

C.R. 146

R PROMOTION
 REGIMENTAL ORDER.

By Sir Walter E. Davidson K.C.M.G., Officer Commanding.

The Lt. Col. has been pleased to approve the following appointment.

To be Lance Sergeant-

Cpl. W. Ollerhead.

(to date from November 14, 1915.)

PROMOTION.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR HAS BEEN PLEASED TO
MAKE THE FOLLOWING PROMOTIONS:

W: OLLERHEAD.

TO BE CORPORAL.

THE ABOVE COMMISSION TO DATE FROM JANUARY 26, 1915.

C.R.
746
Extract from Nominal Roll Co. 1st. Bn. Nfld. Regt.
Embarked, at Devonport for Active Service 20-8-15

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

746 Cpl. W. Ollerhead.

CR 746

Extract from Medal Roll, awarded to John's, Per 2, 3.
"Division" "C" Company. 2nd, 1915.

746 Cpl. Ollerhead. W.

C.R. 746

Extract from Nominal Roll of Warrant Officers
& N.C.O's, of The ¹²⁵ Royal Field. Regt. (undated)

746
#46 Pte. W. Ollerhead.

Promoted to Corporal Jan. 26thm 1915.

C.R.

746

William Ollerhead was attested for General Service
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on Dec. 18th 1914.

Regimental No. 746 was allotted to Pte W. Ollerhead

AUTHORITY:

Record Officer

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th, 1919.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

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Regiment or Corps Newfoundland
 Regimental No. 746 Rank Cpl Name William Ollivier
 Enlisted (a) 18/12/14 Terms of Service (a) one Service reckons from (a) _____
 Date of promotion to } present rank } Date of appointment } to lance rank } Numerical position on } roll of N.C.Os. }
 Extended _____ Re-engaged 15/8/15 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.		3-2-15	
		Disembarked Alexandria		1-9-15	
		Embarked for Gallipoli		13-9-15	
		Embk'd Port Suez		14-3-16	
		Disembk'd MARSEILLES		22-3-16	
11.7.16	Unit Promoted Sergeant	Missing	same	1 JUL 1916	B 213. B 213.

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 G.H.Q.. 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. [P.T.O.]

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

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Regiment of First Newfoundland

Signature of O. C. Company _____

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay			
No.	<u>746</u>	Age on	<u>24</u> years	<u>Telegraphist</u>				
	<u>Olleshead W.</u>		months					
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment		Religion				
Joined	Date	<u>St Johns</u>		<u>Cof. E.</u>				
Joined	Date	Period of	with Colours	Place of Birth				
Joined	Date		with Reserve					
			<u>196 years.</u>	<u>Newfoundland</u>				
			<u>365 years.</u>					

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
				<u>Missing</u>	<u>176</u>				

To be carried over

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