



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 245 Name Ambrose A. Keill Corps

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

- | | |
|--|------------------------------------|
| 1. What is your name? | 1. <u>Ambrose A. Keill</u> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>St. John's, Nfld.</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. What is your age? | 4. <u>29</u> Years <u>0</u> Months |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>Millwright</u> |
| 6. Are you Married? | 6. <u>No</u> |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? | 7. <u>No</u> |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? | 8. <u>Yes</u> |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? | 9. <u>Yes</u> |
| 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?.... | 10. { Name |
| | Corps |
| 11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? | 11. <u>Yes</u> |

FOR THE DURATION OF THE W.F.F.

I, Ambrose A. Keill do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements made.

Ambrose A. Keill SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

A. Rosworthy Signature of Witness.

Ambrose A. Keill OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I do make oath, that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity against all enemies, according to the conditions of my service.

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The Recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.

The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at.....

on this 20 day of April 1915

Signature of Attesting Officer H. G. ...

†CERTIFICATE OF APPROVING OFFICER.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the.....

If enlisted by special authority, such will be attached to the original attestation.

Date.....1915

Place..... } Approving Officer.

† The signature of the Approving Officer is to be affixed in the presence of the Recruit.
‡ Here insert the "Corps" for which the Recruit has been enlisted.

* If so, Recruit is to be asked the particulars of his former service, and to produce, if possible, his Certificate of Discharge and Certificate of Character, which should be returned to him conspicuously endorsed in red ink, as follows, viz:—(Name).....re-enlisted in the (Regiment).....on the (Date).....

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name Ambrose Atteill
 Apparent age 29 years 7 months. Height 5 feet 8 inches.
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 37 1/2 inches
 Range of expansion 2 inches
 Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Miss Mary Ellen Atteill
Fermuse, N.J. | Relationship Sister

Particulars as to Marriage

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

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

Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	Promotion, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from _____									
Joined at _____ on _____									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ [date of discharge] _____ years _____ days									
Pension									

2545



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 2545 Name Ambrose A. O'Neill Corps

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your name? 1. Ambrose A. O'Neill
2. What is your full Address? { 2. Fermeuse Nfld.
3. Are you a British Subject? 3. Yes
4. What is your age? 4. 29 Years 7 Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. Fisherman
6. Are you Married? 6. No
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? 7. No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? 8. Yes
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? 9. Yes
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?.... 10. { Name
Corps
11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? 11. Yes

I, Ambrose A. O'Neill do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements made.

Ambrose A. O'Neill SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

A. Nasworthy Signature of Witness.

20 April

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Ambrose A. O'Neill do make oath, that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity against all enemies, according to the conditions of my service.

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The Recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.

The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at St John's on this 20 day of April 1915

Signature of Attesting Officer H. D. ...

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If enlisted by special authority, such will be attached to the original attestation.

Date.....191.....
Place..... } Approving Officer.

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‡ Here insert the "Corps" for which the Recruit has been enlisted.

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DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT
 Applicable to all ranks. To correspond with entries on the Medical History Sheet.

2545

Name Ambrose A. O'Neill
 Apparent age 29 years 7 months. Height 5 feet 8 inches
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded _____ inches
 Range of expansion _____ inches
 Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Miss Mary Ann O'Neill
 _____ | 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	Rgt. or Depot	Promotion, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>19-4-16</u>									
Joined at <u>St John's</u> <u>April 19th 16</u>									
<u>Embarked St John's St. Section for Lt. 19th 16</u>									
<u>Embarked for Lt. 11th 16</u>									
<u>Joined Battalion. 22-10-16</u>									
<u>Wounded 21-4-17</u>									
<u>Admitted 8 Oct. 1917</u>									
<u>Admitted by Army Hospital 21st 17</u>									
<u>Died of Wounds 22-4-1917</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>22-4-17</u> (date of discharge) <u>1</u> years <u>4</u> days									
" " " Pension " " " " " " " " " " " "									



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

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

Examination of *Ambras O'Neill*

aged *29* conducted at *ClB*

Date: *Apr 19-1916* Recruiting Officer:

NO OF TEST FINDING

NO OF TEST	FINDING
1	No
2	No
3	No
4	No
5	No
6	Yes. left 1910 winter
7	Yes.
8	Yes. hearing defective left ear
9	No.
10	X
11	X
12	X
13	X
14	X
15	X
16	X
17	X
18	X
19	6/6 Best.
20	X
21	X
22	X
23	X
24	X
25	X
26	X
27	X
28	X
29	X
30	X
31	X
32	X
33	No
34	
35	
36	
37	<i>\$500.00</i>
38	Sister <i>Miss Mary Ellen O'Neill, Terrence</i>
39	Sister

1845

140 5'8"
211 3/4 174

711

Signature of Medical Examiner: *William Roberts*

C.R. 2545

Extract from Nominal Roll of 881d. Regt. Draft No.12
Embarked Spynhampton, 11-10-16. from 2nd Bn. Depot. to
1st Bn. B.E.F.

2525 Pte. A.O'Neill.

G.

15th May, 1917.

Dear Madam,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 11th instant, regarding your brother. I cannot be quite sure of the place, but it was somewhere around Monchy that the Newfoundland Regiment was engaged. The War Office will take charge of his effects, and these will be sent back here to the Deputy Paymaster, and be distributed as soon as possible. It will probably take four to six months before this can be done, but the Authorities will take the utmost care in this matter.

Yours truly,

Mrs. Mary E. O'Neill,
Admirals,
Fernesse.

Colonial Secretary.

Admiral's,
Lisbonne.
May 11/14.

answer me the following
questions concerning him—
In what battle did he fall?
What part of France was
he in?

How can I manage to get
something belonging to him
like his watch, ring etc?
Will these be sent home?

Thanking you in
anticipation

I remain,

Yours most gratefully
Mary E. O'Neill

J. R. Bennett Esq.
Colonial Secretary,
St. Johns.

Dear Sir:—

Many thanks for
your kind letter of
sympathy which I
received on May 10th. My
brother's death was indeed
a great blow to me. I
loved him so much I
really thought he would
not be killed but alas!
Providence ordained
it otherwise.

Will you kindly

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



Cable Connection with all the World

All Messages Sent are Subject to the Following Conditions:

The Management may decline to forward the Message, though it has been received for transmission; but in case of so doing shall refund to the Sender the amount paid for its transmission.

In case the Message shall never reach its destination by reason of any neglect or default of the N. P. T. or its Servants whilst the Message remains under the control of the N. P. T., they will refund the amount paid by the Sender for such Message.

The N. P. T. shall not be liable to make compensation beyond the amount refunded as above for any loss, injury, or damage arising or resulting from the non-transmission or non-delivery of the Message, or delay or error in the transmission or delivery thereof, howsoever such transmission, non-delivery, delay, or error shall have occurred.

The control of the N. P. T. over the Message shall be deemed to have entirely ceased for the purposes of these Conditions at any point where, in the course of the transit of the Message to its destination, it may be entrusted by the N. P. T. (and the N. P. T. shall have full power so to entrust the Message) for further transmission by or through any system, service, or line of Telegraph belonging to or worked by any administration or authority not controlled by the N. P. T. exclusively, although worked as part of or in connection with the Telegraphic system or service of the N. P. T.

I request that the following Telegram may be forwarded according to the foregoing Conditions, by which I agree to abide.

(NOT TRANSMITTED) *and M. Enright*

Signature of Sender _____

Address _____

Line
Number _____

Rcd _____

By _____

Sent _____

by _____

Check _____

Dated

May 1, 1917.

To

Rev. J. Enright, C.C.

Fermeuse.

Regret to inform you Record Office, London,
today reports No. 2545, Private Ambrose A. O'Neil,
brother of Mary E. O'Neil, Fermeuse, died of wounds
at Eighth Casualty Clearing Station, France,
April twentysecond. Please inform relatives.

J.R. BENNETT

Colonial Secretary

FOR TYPEWRITER

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Signature of Sender _____

Address _____

Line

Number _____

Rcd _____

By _____

Sent _____

by _____

Check _____

Dated

May 1, 1917.

To

Miss Mary E. O'Neil,

Fermeuse.

Regret to inform you Record Office, London, today reports No. 2545, Private Ambrose A. O'Neil, died of wounds at Eighth Casualty Clearing Station, France, April twentysecond.

J. R. BENNETT

Colonial Secretary.

NOTE FOR OPERATOR

This message is not to be sent until receiving office notifies that message to Rev. J. Enright, C.C., Fermeuse, has been delivered and acted upon.

FOR TYPEWRITER

C.R. 2545

Extract from War Office List C.1179.

INFANTRY REGIMENT.

#2545 Pte. A.O'Neill.

Died of Wounds 22-4-17. R/b O.C. 8th C.C.S. 22-4-17

C.R. 2545

Extract from Nominal Roll Libscribed by John's for Overseas,
per S.S. Sicilian. July 18, 1916.

2545 Pte. O'Neil, A.

C.R. 25-45

Ambrose A. O'Neill was attested for General Service with
the NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT on April 19th 1916
Regimental No. 2545 was allotted to Pte A.A. O'NEILL.

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th 1919

A. O'Neill

C.R.

2545

P. P. O.

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

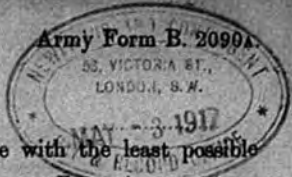
Surname O'Neill OF Christian Name Ambrose

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY	
	County			
Examined	on 19 day of April 1916	at St. John's N.S.	on	day of 191
Declared Age	29 years 2 months		years	days
Trade or Occupation	Fisherman			
Height	5 feet 8 inches		feet	inches
Weight	140 lbs.			lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded	37½ inches		inches
	Range of expansion	3 inches		inches
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Arm			
Number				
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R.E.—V=6/6		R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=6/6		L.E.—V=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection	(b)		(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	<i>Samuel Peterson</i>			
(Rank)	Major Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at St. John's		at	
	on 15 day of April 1916		on	day of 191
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
	1st Newfoundland	2545		
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by				
(Signature)	on	day of 191	on	day of 191
(Rank)				

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 } NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT, Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company } A Company

Regtl. No. 2545 Rank Private

Name O'NEILL, A.

Date April 22nd., 1917.

Died Place 8th. Casualty Clearing Station, France.

Cause of Death* Died of Wounds received in Action.

Nature and Date of Report Memo, 22/4/17.

By whom made O.C., 8th. C.C.S., France.

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

Place

Burial

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) 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

Handwritten signature: Doohie, Lieut. for Lt. Col., Officer i/c Records Reg. Inf. Sec. 1, 3rd. Echelon, G.H.Q., B.E.F.

Station and Date 3rd. Echelon, 28/4/17.

DUPLICATE.

SENT TO O.C. H.Q. ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D. N.F.P. 38. NO. 4067/13 DATED 17 MAY 1917

TRIPPLICATE. 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 } NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT, Squadron, } A Company
 or } Troop, Battery }
 CORPS } or Company }

Regtl. No. 2545 Rank Private

Name O'NEILL, A.



Date April 22nd., 1917.

Died { Place 8th. Casualty Clearing Station, France.

Cause of Death* Died of Wounds received in Action.

Nature and Date of Report Memo, 22/4/17.

By whom made O.C., 8th. C.O.S., France.

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

J. J. J.
 Officer in Charge Records Reg. Inf. Sec. 1,
 3rd. Bn. Royal, G.H.Q., B.R.F.

3rd. Bn. Royal, 22/4/17.

Station and Date _____

PAY LIST.

to

191 . Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps

No. *2545* Rank *Pte.*Name *O'Neil. A.*Died (a) *Will 315* at *France*on the *22nd* of *April*191*7.*

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>22 4 17</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>10</i> ✓
	Cash issues				Pay days at from to			
	(Date of each issue to be stated)				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay			
	£ s. d.				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>11</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>10</i>	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		<i>11</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>10</i>		<i>11</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>10</i>
		£ <i>11</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>10</i>		<i>11</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>10</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^(a).
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

Dated at _____

this _____

191 _____

Paymaster: _____

- (a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. *Phy* 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.

CHECKED.

11.6.17

O. Neil Q.

2545

Pay Dept.

PAY LIST.

to

191 . Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps

No. 2545

Rank

Pte.

Name O'Neil, A.

Died (a) Will 315

at

France

on the 22nd of April,

1917.

Deserted at

on the of

191 .

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

{ Commanding Squadron, Troop,
Battery or Company.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

Form I.

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month				Balance Cr. last month ... 22/4/17.....	11	3	10
	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 Soldier's Bank balance to debit			
	Balance due by the Paymaster	11	3	10	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£ 11	3	10		£ 11	3	10

This account is in accordance with information received by the Pay & Record Office on 27/7/17 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 (b).

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
10 VICTORIA ST.
LONDON, S.W.

Dated at 7 JUL 1917

PAY & RECORD OFFICE

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE

191

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CHECKED
11.6.17

DUPLICATE. FIELD SERVICE.

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REGIMENT } **NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.** Squadron, }
or } Troop, Battery } **A Company**
CORPS } or Company }

Regtl. No. **2545** Rank **Private**

Name **O'NEILL, A.**



Date **April 28th., 1917.**

Died { Place **8th. Casualty Clearing Station, France.**

Cause of Death* **Died of Wounds received in Action.**

Nature and Date of Report **Memo, 22/4/17.**

By whom made **O.C., 8th. C.C.S., France.**

* 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) **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

Joshie
Lieut. for Lt. Col.,
Officer i/o Records Reg. Inf. Sec. 1,
3rd. Echelon, G.H.Q., B.E.F.

Station and Date **3rd. Echelon, 22/4/17.**

Casualty Form - Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 2/1st Newfoundland Regt.

Regimental No. 2545. Rank Pte. Name O'Neill Ambrose.

Enlisted (a) 19.4.16. Terms of Service (a) Nav. Service reckons from (a) _____

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

Extended _____ Re-engaged _____ Qualification (b) _____



Casualty Form

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.		11 Oct. 1916.	
		Disembarked Rouen.		12 Oct. 1916.	
		Joined Batt.		22 Oct. 1916.	
22.4.17	O.C. Unit	Wounded in action	With Batt	23.1.17.	
28.4.17	8 C.C.I.	Ad. 9.5.16. Malt Leg Ampt. Feet crushed	France.	21.4.17.	B 213.
22.4.17	8. C.C.I.	Deed of Wounds. (Multiple l. Wds. Ampt. R leg)	Do	21.4.17.	ED. 3547.
			Do	22.4.17.	Memo. H. 5745/1

*J. Loshell
 Lieut.
 for
 O/C No 1 Reg. Inf. Section.
 A.A. 312*

(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, Shoing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

Copy of "Will"

of

2525, Pte. A. O'Neill.

March 10.

In the event of my death I give the whole of my property and effects to my sister Mary E. O'Neill, Admirals, Fermeuse, Newfoundland.

Signature. Ambrose O'Neill.

Rank and Regiment. Pte. 1st Nfld.

Certified True Copy.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

F. W. Marshall., Lieut.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 58 ⁴⁶/_{xx}

Dec 10 19 19

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Fifty eight ⁴⁶/_{xx} Dollars.
~~on account~~ of Pay. estate.
balance

Ch. No. 2517	Initials. <i>Lee</i>
Pay Ledger. 187	Initials. <i>un</i>
Gen. Ledger.....	Initials.....

Regtl. No.....

Rank.....

J. C. S.

No. 2545

Rank

Pt.

Name

A O'Neill

January 14, 1920

Mrs. Mary E. O'Neill,
Ferneuse
Hfld.

Dear Madam:

I enclose
herewith cheque for \$58.46, being balance
of estate of late Pte. A. O'Neill, due you
as Administratrix of his estate.

I am also
enclosing herewith Letters of Administration.

Yours truly,

A. C. G.
Major
Paymaster.

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Enc. 2

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WILL

No. 2545, Pte. A. O'Neill.

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Mary Ellen O'Neil

Ferris

WILL.

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 I give the whole of my
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 my Sister Mary E. O'Neil
 Admirals.

Fermeuse.

Newfoundland

#

2545

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Rank and Regiment Plt 1st NFD

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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 14 1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services

the late No. 2545 Rank *Plt*

Name *Ambrose V O'Hara*

Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Mrs 210 *Johnnie* *Mary E. O'Hara* (Sgd.)

Sister Relationship.

Address *Admiral's Cove, Funchal*

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Fold Here

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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

Miss Mary E. O'Neill (Sister)

in respect of his service as No. 2545 Rank Pte.

Name Ambrose A. O'Neill Royal Nfld. Regt.

Nfld. Forestry Corps

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received

Victory Medal & B.W. Medal

Signature

Mary E. O'Neill

Date

Oct 21 / '21

Address

Admirals Cove Ferrieville

Receipt for Army Book 64

No. *2545* Name *A. O'Neill*

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

Name *Mary E. O'Neill*

Date *Aug. 15/20*

Place *Admiral's Cove, Fermuse*

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

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July 25, 1917.

Dear Madam,

I beg to inform you that in a report respecting Gravesites, which has been received from the Director of Graves Registration and Enquiries, it is stated that No. 2545, Private A. O'Neil was buried at Duisans British Cemetery, 4 miles W.N.W. of Arras.

Yours faithfully,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

Miss Mary E. O'Neil,
Ferneuse.

RECEIVED