



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 17 Name James P. [unclear] Corps 8/12

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your name? 1. James P. [unclear]
2. What is your full Address? } 2. [unclear]
3. Are you a British Subject? 3. [unclear]
4. What is your age? 4. 22 Years 0 Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. [unclear]
6. Are you Married? 6. [unclear]
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? } 7. [unclear]
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? } 8. [unclear]
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? } 9. [unclear]
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. [unclear]

I, 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.

.....SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

.....Signature of Witness.

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, day of, 191

Signature of Attesting Officer [Signature]

†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, 191
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 Jos. W. Powers

Apparent age 22 years 9 months. Height 5 feet 8 inches

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 36 inches
 Range of expansion 5 inches

Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Michael Powers

105 Broad | 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.	
(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

" " Pensions " _____ " " " " " " " "



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

4317

No. 437 Name James M. Power Corps R/c

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

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|--|------------------------------------|
| 1. What is your name? | 1. <u>James M. Power</u> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>H. Grace</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. What is your age? | 4. <u>22</u> Years <u>9</u> Months |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>School Teacher</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> |
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| | { 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> |

I, James M. Power 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.

H. 17-1-18

James M. Power SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

Ref. General Signature of Witness.

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I, James M. Power 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.

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on this 17 day of January 1918

Signature of Attesting Officer W. H. L.

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Date Jan 17 1918

Place St. John's

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 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded *36* inches
 { Range of expansion *5* inches
 Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin *Michael Power, 109face* | 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) Initials of Officer verifying entry.

<small>(a)</small>	<small>(b)</small>	<small>(c)</small>	<small>(d)</small>

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Service towards limited engagement reckons from <i>17-1-18</i>									
Joined at <i>St Johns</i> on <i>January 17-1918</i>									
<i>Embarked St Johns train to Halifax N.S. 28³/₄</i>									<i>Embarked for France 31-8-18. Embarked France 31-8-18</i> <i>Joined Battalion in the field 9-11-18</i> <i>Wounded in action 25-10-1918</i>
<i>Embarked for 136 I. 31-8-18.</i>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to *25-10-18* (date of discharge) *285* years days
 Pensions "

C O P Y

Nov. 4th 1918.

The Newfoundland Pay & Record Office.

Sirs,

I am very sorry to inform you that Pte. James Power No. 4317, whose pay book and other personal effects are herein enclosed, was Killed in Action on October 31st 1918.

My comrades & myself buried him where he fell, on the plains of Flanders, on Nov. 2nd.

It may be of some consolation to his relatives that his death was instantaneous, having been shot in the head.

Will you be good enough to convey the above information to his relatives.

Yours sincerely,

Sgd. Gun. J. Sakoshansky,
No. 154251,
119 Siege Battery R.G.A.,
B.E.F. France.

C.R. 4317

RECEIVED FROM THE DEPT. OF MILOTIA.

One parcel containing the effects of the late No, 4317 Pte.

J.M. Power.

Signed *Michael Power*

Date *July 25th 1919*

C.R. 4317

July 21st. 1919.

Mich. Power, Esq.,

Hr. Grace.

Dear Sir:-

It is my regrettable duty to have to forward to you by Registered mail, one parcel containing the effects of the late No. 4317 Pte. J.M. Power, Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I enclose herewith receipt, will you kindly sign same, and return to this Department at your earliest convenience.

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

Yours sincerely,

Casualty Officer.

BC.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

4317

Cable Connection with all the World

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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 Dept of Militia.

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated **May 27th, 1919**To **Roman Catholic Priest or School Teacher, Hr. Grace**

Regret to inform you Record Office, London reports to-day No. 4317, Private James M. Power previously reported missing Oct 25th, 1918 now presumed dead. Please inform next of kin Michael Power.

W.F. RENDELL LIEUT. COL**CHIEF STAFF OFFICER****FOR MINISTER OF MILITIA****FOR TYPEWRITER**

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Dated **May 27th, 1919**

To **Michael Power Hr. Grace**

Regret to inform you that Record Office, London, officially reports **No. 4317, Private James M. Power** previously reported missing oct 25th 1918 now presumed dead

Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire you.

W.F. RENDELL, LIEUT. COL
CHIEF STAFF OFFICER
FOR MINISTER OF MILITIA

~~Minister of Militia~~

NOTE FOR OPERATOR:

This Message is not to be delivered until Receiving Office notifies that Message to

Roman Catholic

Priest or School Teacher

has been received and acted upon

FOR TYPEWRITER

C.R. 4317

Extract from Telegram from Syn,m to Military

Dated May 23rd 1919.

Previously reported Missing Oct . 25th now presumed Dead.

4317, Power.

C.R. 4317

Extract from Casualties received from Pay and Record
Office, London dated 23~~05~~ 19.

The undermentioned who was previously reported
reported missing 25/10/18, are now presumed dead
for Official purposes 22/5/19.

#4317 Cte. J. Power.

C.R. 4317

Mar 11th, 1919

Mrs. M. Power,
The "Hill"
Hr. Grace

Dear Madam:-

With reference to your letter of Jan. 6th to the Director of Graves Registration and Effects War Office, concerning your son No. 4317, Private J.M. Power, reported missing 25/10/18, I beg to state that communication received by us to-day from our Pay & Record Office, London requests us to inform you that your letter was forwarded to that Office from the D.G.R. & E., and that it is regretted that no further information other than that he was reported Missing on Oct. 25, 1918 has been received either by them or by the Director of Graves Registration and Effects concerning your son.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Col.,

Chief Staff Officer.

Cables and Telegrams :
"SYNOPTICAL" London.

Telephone :
VICTORIA 4923 & 4.

Communications to be addressed to the
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/O. RECORDS.

C.R. 4317
N. F. P/38A
DUPLICATE.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

N2895/92/R.G.C.

From
PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,
58, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.1.

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

18th February, 1919

SUBJECT:

4317 PTE. J.M. POWER.
MISSING 25/10/18.

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated Mar 11th

1919

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

The following letter dated
6/1/19 (1254) from Mrs. M. Power,
The Hill, Harbour Grace,
addressed to D.G.R.&E., War
Office, and passed to this
Office, is quoted, please.

"Will you try to find for me
"what information you can
"concerning my son, 4317 Pte.
"James Power, of the Royal
"Nfld, who has been missing
"since the 25th October 1918.
" I have received no news
"since the official announce-
"ment of his being missing,
"on the twentieth of November.
" Will you please try to
"get some tidings as soon as
"you can and you will have my
"deepest gratitude."

No information other than
"Missing 25/10/18" has been
received either by this Office
or the D.G.R.&E., please.

A. H. Station

For Chief Paymaster & O. I/O Recds.

Noted and Mrs. Power
has been communicated with in this
connection.

Minister of Militia.

HB/JC

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Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated

Nov 23rd, 1918

To

Michael Power Hr Grace

Regret to inform you that Record Office, London,
officially reports **No. 4317, Pte. James M. Power**
missing Oct. 25th

Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire you.

J.R. Bennett**Chge Dept of Militia.**

Minister of Militia.

FOR TYPEWRITER

C.R. 4317

Extract from CASUALTIES C.1749. 18/11/18, Royal Newfoundland Regt.,
dated 22nd Nov. 1918.

4317 Pte. J. Power

Missing 25/10/18.

Authority: O.C. Bn. 28/10/18.

C.R. 4317

Extract from Telegram from Synoptical, dated Nov. 25th., 1918.

#4317 Power.

MISSING OCT. 25th.,

BC.

C.R. 4317

Extract of DAILY ORDERS, PART II, ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
in France dated 21/11/18.

#4317 Pte. J. Power.

MISSING, 25/10/18.

C.R. 4317

Extract from O.R.D.E.R.S. by Lt. Col. G. Mathias, D.S.O.,
Commanding 1st Battalion Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
dated 5/9/18.

The following arrived to-day and is posted to the following
Company.

B. COMPANY.

4317, Pte. J. Power.

C.R. 4317

Extract from Colonial Roll Draft #51, to R.N.P. Harkness

Falkestone, SL-8-18.

4317 Pte. Power J.M.

C.R. 4317

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's for Overseas,
Mar. 28th, 1918.

4317 Pte. Power J.

C.R. 4317

Extract of Daily Orders part 11, from Unit 4/1st
Royal Newfoundland Regiment, Headquarters,
dated January 18, 1918

#4317 Pte. J. Power.

It is noted for General Service with the 1st Nfld.
Regt. with effect from 17/1/18.

J. H. Lower

C.R.

4317

LRG

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Poiver Christian Name James H.

Table L.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish St. Grace County _____

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined	17	July		
at	Headquarters		at	
Declared Age	22	years 9 days	years	days
Trade or Occupation	School Teacher.			
Height	22	feet 9 inches	feet	inches
Weight		127 lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measure-ment	Girth when fully expanded...			inches
	Range of Expansion..			inches
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
	/	/		
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R. E.—V=	4/6	R. E.—V=	
	L. E.—V=	4/6	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)	<u>Samuel Paterson</u>			
(Rank)	Major			
	Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at	<u>St. John's</u>	at	
	on	17 day of July 1917	on	day of 1911
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
Transferred to	Royal Newfoundland 4317			
Became non-effective by	on	day of 1911	on	day of 1911
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

Cables and Telegrams:
"SYNOPTICAL," London.

N. F. P/88.

ORIGINAL

Telephone:
VICTORIA 4923 & 4.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 2893/92/R.&G. (4317)

Communications to be addressed to the
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/O RECORDS.

From
PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,
58, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.1.
18th February, 1919.

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

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SUBJECT:

4317 PTE. J.M. POWER.
MISSING 25/10/18.

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated Mar 11th 1919

Please return **ORIGINAL** and retain **DUPLICATE.**

The following letter dated 6/1/19 (1254) from Mrs. M. Power, The Hill, Harbour Grace, addressed to D.G.R.&E., War Office, and passed to this Office, is quoted, please.

"Will you try to find for me what information you can concerning my son, 4317 Pte. James Power, of the Royal Nfld, who has been missing since the 25th October 1918. I have received no news since the official announcement of his being missing, on the twentieth of November. Will you please try to get some tidings as soon as you can and you will have my deepest gratitude."

No information other than "Missing 25/10/18" has been received either by this Office or the D.G.R.&E., please.

A. J. P. [Signature]
for Chief Paymaster & O.I/c Recds.

HB/JC

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Noted and Mrs. Power has been communicated with in this connection.

J. P. [Signature]

Minister of Militia.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT	
PAY AND RECORD OFFICE	
RECEIVED	2901
1919 FEB 25	
FILE	
CH. PAST. [unclear]	
AL	
BRANCH	
COMM. [unclear]	
P.W.	
R.A.C.	
D & E	
P.S.	

ACKT dated	/ /	No. IN
Received	/ /	
REPLY dated	/ /	
Received	/ /	
LAST Ref No.		
NEXT " "		

2893/92/R.A.C.

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(sd) J. R. Bennett,
Minister of Militia.

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7/4/19.


for Chief Paymaster & C.I/c Recds.

HB/JC

5" Coy.
No. 11480/1139

N.F.P./79.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

From:

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

04505
J.P.
To: Officer Commanding,
2/Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regt.,
Winchester.

17th, July 1918

Subject: 4317, Pte. J. M. Power.

July 18th 1918

With reference to the following telegram (6407) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received

"Pay to 4317 Power £4. 2. 0

Draft £4. 2. 0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

A. J. Munnell
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Receipt hereunder.
James Power
LIEUT. COLONEL,
COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.
Officer Commdg. 2nd Batt'n
Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Received the sum of Four
Pounds Two Shillings on account of
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

James Power
No. 4317 Rank Private

Witness:
1227 J. Murphy

N.F.P./79.

D.M.
DUPLICATE
MAIL COPY
Posted 7 MAR 1919



2895/92/R.A.C.

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4317

HB/JO

The Newfoundland Royal Regiment Office
London Stn.

4317 POWER

AWZ

JUN 19 1942

Herewith I enclose the
Book & correspondence of a
Private Power

You will see a letter attached
written by one of the men who
was in the unit under my
command.

Due to Demobilization this
correspondence has apparently been
misplaced.

1496

J. Power
2nd Lt. R.A.
Company 119 (S) Battery
R.G.A.

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"The Hill"
Harbor Grace

6 Jan. 1919

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINENTAL
PAYABLE RECORD OFFICE
Ref. No. *1259*
Rec'd *War Office*
Ack'd *London*
Ref. Nos. U. *2897/192*

BRANCH
Comd
P.A.
E.F.

C.C.M.81/353

RECEIVED
6 FEB 1919
REGISTRY OF GRAVES
NO. ...
ENQUIRIES

Dear Sirs

Will you
try to find for me, what in-
formation you can, concerning
my son, 4317 Pte. James M. Power
of the Royal Rifles, who has
been missing since the 25th
October, 1918.

I have received no news
since the official announcement
of his being missing, on the

twentieth of November.

Will you please try to get me some tidings as soon as you can and you will have my very deepest gratitude.

I remain,

Yours faithfully,
(Mrs.) M. Power,

The Hill,
Harbor Grace,
Newfoundland.

Give Newfoundland Records.

58, Victoria Street,
S.W.



The attached is passed to you for necessary action.

please. I have no report of burial for this man.

Stopford

Major, D.A.A.G.

D.C.R. & R.

2-2-19

e.c.m 81/353

Missing 25¹⁰/19

Powers James L

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May 1897

ORIGINAL.

Army Form O. 1625.

PAY LIST.

to

191 . Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

No. 4317

Rank Pte

Name Power

Died (a) Intestate

at France

on the 25th of Oct

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 25.10.18.....	4	16	9
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at from to			
		£	s.	d.	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to			
	191				Messing allowance days at			
	"				from to			
	"				Kit allowance			
	Consolidated stoppage							
	Balance due by the Paymaster	4	16	9	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£				£		
						4	16	9

This account is in accordance with advices received at the Pay & Record Office top 1017 and may therefore be subject to amendments if and as may be revealed by subsequent advices.

CHECKED.

P.P.S.

21 JUL 1918



I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ 4 16 9 is correctly chargeable against the Public.

Dated at this day

191

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE

- (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.
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CHECKED. P.S. 21 JUL 1919



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT. Chief Paymaster & Officer in Charge, RECORDS 191

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1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, James M. Power, Regl. No. 4317
hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of
 Dollars and fifty 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.:

Allotment begins March 1st. 1918

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
<u>3738</u>	<u>Father</u>	<u>Mr. Michael Power</u>	<u>Harbour Grace</u>	<u>50</u>
Total Allotment, \$				<u>50</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.) [Signature]
Officer Commanding
H Company
St. John's
July 27 1918.

(Sig.) James M Power
(Rank) Private

FORM K

Nº 3985



1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, James M Power, Regl. No. 4317
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of
 Dollars and fifty 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.:

Allotment begins March 1st 1918

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3738	father	Mr Michael Power	Hb Lower Grace	.50
Total Allotment, \$.50

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 required payments on application.

Sig.)
 Officer Commanding
H Company
St. John's
July 27 1918.

(S) James M Power
 (Rank) Private

October 29, 1919

Michael Power,
Hr. Grace.

Dear Sir:

I enclose ~~check~~ ^{J.C.S.} for \$30.13
balance of estate of late Pte. J.M. Power
due you as Administrator of his estate.

I also enclose Letters of
Administration.

Yours truly,

Major
Paymaster.

LM-
Enc. 2

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 30 $\frac{13}{xv}$

Oct 17 1919

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of thirty $\frac{13}{xv}$ Dollars.
~~on account~~ of Pay. Estate J. C. [Signature]
balance

Ch. No. 16100	Initials. [Signature]
Pay Ledger 70	Initials. [Signature]
Gen. Ledger.....	Initials.....

Regtl. No. Rank

No. 4317

Rank

Pt

Name

J. M. Cowes

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 11th 1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of
the late No. ... 4317 ... Rank ... Lt
Name ... James W. Lower
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Michael Tower (Sgd.)

Father Relationship.

Address... The Hill, St. John's

2007

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. Michael Power (Father)

in respect of his service as No. 4317 Rank Pte.

Name James M. Power Royal Nfld. Regt.
Nfld. Forestry Corps.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received Victory Medal and B. War Medal

Signature Michael Power

Date Oct. 16 1921

Address The Bell, Ft. Grace

[P.T.O.]

Receipt for Army Book 64

No. 4317 Name Jas M. Power

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

Name Michael Power

Date July 23-1920.

Place Harbor Grace

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



Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Forms
B 121.
29.Number of Sheets ONERegiment of Royal NewfoundlandSignature of O. C. Company W. Whitt

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay
No.	<u>4317</u>	Age on	<u>22</u> years <u>9</u> months	<u>School teacher</u>	
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	<u>St. John's</u>	Religion	
Joined	Date	Period of	with Colours <u>287</u> days	Place of Birth	
Joined	Date				

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 25th 78.</u>					

To be carried over

Army Form B. 121.

No. 431 Name *Pte Power* Sq., Batty., or Company } *1 B* Corps *Royal 7th*
 Date of enlistment } *17-1-18* G.C. 250 312 with 312 312 312 312 312 312 312 312
 Date of last entry in active service } *17/9/18*
 Company Conduct Sheet }
 No. and date of last drink }
 Period not reckoning towards freedom from extra fine }
 Sheet No. }
 Signature O.C. } *W. W. Jones*
 Company, etc. } *1 B Royal 7th*

Place	Date of offence	Rank	Character of offence	Offence	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	Remarks
<i>Field</i>	<i>17/9/18</i>	<i>Pte.</i>	<i>Wifeless damaging</i>	<i>Wifeless damaging Government property in that he tore off the sleeves of his shirt</i>	<i>Cpl W. Hayes</i>	<i>7 days & 6b.</i>	<i>16/9/18</i>	<i>Cpl W. Hayes</i>	<i>By pay sheet 1/11</i>

Army Form B. 103.
 Cavalry Form B. 103.
 Army Form B. 103.

Army Form - Active Service.

 Regimental Number **C.R.** 2307...

 Corps **Royal Newfoundland**

17-12-1895

Surname **Powel** Christian Name **James M.**
 Religion **A.C.** Age on Enlistment **22** years **9** months
 Enlisted (a) **17-1-18** Terms of Service (a) **5 years** Service reckons from (a) **17-1-18**
 Date of promotion to present rank Date of appointment to lance rank.....
 Extended Re-engaged Qualification (b).....
 Occupation **H Schotteacher** or Corps Trade and rate **Capt** Signature of Officer **J. Hoza**

Date	From whom received	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 of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks
					Taken from Army Form B 213, Army Form A 36, or other official documents.
76.8.18	<i>W. C. R.</i>	AE.	Embarked ...	31 AUG 1895	
			Disembarked	31 AUG 1895	
			ARRIVED D.I.R.D.	SEP 1895	
28/10/18	<i>Powel</i>	<i>Missing</i>	Joined Battalion	5 SEP 1895	<i>2/10/18 B213</i>
	<i>MS</i>				
Next of Kin: <i>Father William Powel</i>			<i>H. Good</i>	<i>Ugla</i>	

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.

(b) Signaller, Shoeing-Smith, &c.

W. 6527-112093 1000m 7/17 (25685) C. P. & S., Ltd. Forms B/103 B/1555.

[P.T.O.]

"The Hill"
Mr. Grace

Jan. 24, 1920

Min. of Militia,
St. John's,

Dear Sir,

You will see by enclosed letter, that the date of my son's death was the 31st of Oct. 1918, and not the 25th as was marked on the papers I received concerning his death.

Kindly return enclosed letter.

And oblige,

Yours respectfully,
Michael Power,

C.R. 4317

"The Hill"

H. Grace

Jan 30/22

W. F. Rendell

St. John's.

Dear Sir:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of picture of grave of No 4317 T. & J. M. Power.

Yours Sincerely

Michael Power.

C.R. 4317

FEBRUARY 17th 1920.

Mr. Michael Power,
Harbour Grace.

Dear Sir:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of January 24th, covering letter from Gunner J. Sakoshansky, 119 Siege Battery, R.C.A., who states that your son, the late 4317 Pte. James Power, was Killed in Action on October 31st 1918. Our records show the date of his death to be October 25th. However, we have changed the Cemetery Register Form to agree with the information forwarded by you.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Colonel,
Chief Staff Officer.

A REGISTERED POSTAL PACKET

No. 688
Received from

Addressed—

Mich. Power
H. Grace

MAR 23 1919

Registered & Registered Packet
delivered as on the
Reverse Form bearing
the above No.

Registered & Registered
Packet Packet as
shown above

CR 4317

Office
Stamp

CR 4317

FEBRUARY 17th 1920.

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A REGISTERED POSTAL PACKET

Addressed—

Mich. Power
H. Grace

Received a Registered Postal Packet addressed as on the Receipt Form bearing the above No.

JUL 22 1919

Received a Registered Postal Packet addressed as above.

Office
Stamp

CR 4317

C.R. 4317

"The Hill."

Hr. Grace.

March 20, 1920.

W. F. Rendell,
St. John's.
Sir:

I hereby acknowledge receipt of Memorial Scroll, and of His Majesty's Message which accompanied it.

Yours respectfully,
Michael Power.