



# FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 4088 Name James E. [unclear] Corps 1st [unclear]

### Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

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

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 compiled 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 William C. [unclear]

Apparent age 17 years     months. Height 5 feet     inches

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 34 inches  
 Range of expansion 4 inches

Distinctive marks    

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin    

    | 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	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									[Signature Area]
Joined at <u>   </u> on <u>   </u>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to     [date of discharge]     years     days

" " Pensions "     [ " " ]     "     "



# FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

4088

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 4088 Name Wm E. Rees Corps R & Co E

### Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

- |  |                                   |
|--|-----------------------------------|
| 1. What is your name? .....  | 1. <u>William E. Rees</u> .....   |
| 2. What is your full Address? .....  | 2. <u>Bull Island C Bay</u> ..... |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? .....  | 3. <u>Yes</u> .....               |
| 4. What is your age? .....   | 4. <u>19</u> Years ..... Months   |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? .....  | 5. <u>Engine Power</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 .....<br>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, William E. Rees 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.

Wm E. Rees SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.  
Robert [unclear] Signature of Witness.

### OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, William E. Rees 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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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 ..... 1917  
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 Nov 8th 1917 ..... } Approving Officer.  
Place [Signature] .....

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# DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name William C. Rus  
 Apparent age 17 years - months. Height 5 feet 6 inches  
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 32 inches  
 Range of expansion 4 inches  
 Distinctive marks \_\_\_\_\_

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin George Rus  
10311 Island C. Bay. | 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.

(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>8-11-17</u>									
Joined at <u>St Johns</u> on <u>November 8-17</u>									
<u>Embarked</u>	<u>St Johns</u>	<u>St. Louisanah</u>	<u>11.12.17</u>	<u>Embarked for</u>	<u>St. L.</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>18</u>	
<u>Disembarked</u>	<u>Trave</u>	<u>27-5-18</u>	<u>Joined</u>	<u>Dakka</u>	<u>31-5-18</u>	<u>Wounded</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>18</u>
<u>Admitted</u>	<u>44 C.C.S. SW head</u>	<u>25-10-18</u>							
<u>Chief of Wounds. 27-10-18</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to 27-10-18 (date of discharge) \_\_\_\_\_ years 355 days  
 " " Pensions " \_\_\_\_\_ [ " " ] \_\_\_\_\_ " \_\_\_\_\_

Reg. No. 4088 Rank Pl Name Rees W.E.  
Attested 8-11-17 Address Green Island C. Bay.  
Allotment 60<sup>00</sup> Allotee H New fees table  
Date of Allotment 1-12-17 60 Returned from Overseas \_\_\_\_\_  
Embarked for Overseas 11-12-17 Cause \_\_\_\_\_

June 1<sup>st</sup> 10-11-17 2<sup>nd</sup> 16-11-17 3<sup>rd</sup> 26-11-17 Dec 29-11-17  
N.L. 19-11-17 to 24-11-17

No. 104

A REGISTERED POSTAL PACKET

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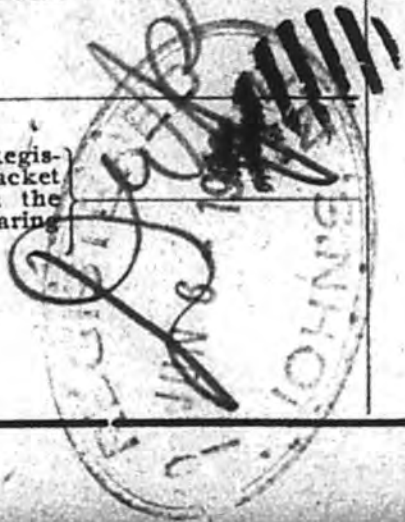
Addressed—

*George P. Ross*

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

*Bell Label*

Office Stamp }





Received a Registered Postal Packet addressed as above...

*J.P. Ross*

1.—Hand to Sender.

No. of Paper 1466**PERSONAL EFFECTS.**Name Rees, W. E.C.R. No. 4088Rank PrivateRegiment ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

Article	Where stored	Notified by
1 Cotton bag containing:— Disc; Cards; Photos; Ph. Book; ✓ 1 watch (broken in case); one part of watch, ✓ watch chain (part); 2 Brooches; 1 metal ring ✓ 2 Big Cases ✓ 1 Safety Razor; ✓ 1 pr Scissors ✓		
	Final disposal	
		

Remarks:— Casualty Advice:— Deceased 27-10-18  
 Next of Kin:— Father:— George Rees  
 Bell Island

C.B.



C.R. 4088

June 5th. 1919.

George Rees, Esq.,  
Ball Island C.B.

Dear Sir:-

It is my regrettable duty to have to forward to you by Registered mail, One parcel containing the effects which belonged to your late son, 4088 Pte. W.C. Rees of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

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

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

I am,  
Yours sincerely,



Lieut.  
Casualty Officer.

BC.



C.R. 4088

Mar. 5th

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George Rees Esq.,  
Bell Island C.B.

Dear Sir:

I beg to inform you that we have received news, by mail, from our Pay & Record Office, London which states that your son, the late No. 4088, Pte. Wm. E. Rees, who died on 27/10/18, was buried at Duhalloo, A.D.S. Cemetery, Ypres, Belgium.

Assuring you of my deepest sympathy in your bereavement.

Yours sincerely,



Lieut.

Casualty Officer.

WVW/MP.

C.R. 4088

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, Feb. 18, 1919.

4088 Pte. W.E. Rees.

Was buried at Duhallow A.D.S. Cemetery, Ypres. (Date  
of death 27-10-18) Reported by Graves Registration Units  
(Report Ypres 131-52.)

C.R. 4088.

Extract of DAILY ORDERS, PART II, Royal Newfoundland  
Regiment in France, dated 21/11/18.

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DOED OF WOUNDS.

4088 Pte. W. Rees.

27/10/18.



Counter No. 4088

# 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)**

Signature of Sender \_\_\_\_\_ Address Dept of Militia.

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated **Nov. 8th, 1918**

To **George Rees, Bell Island, C.B.**

Regret to inform you that Record Office, London,  
officially reports No. 4088, Private William Rees died  
of wounds Oct. 27th at 44th Casualty Clearing Station  
Gun shot wound head.

Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire you.

**J. R. Bennett**

**Chge Dept of Militia.**

Minister of Militia.

NOTE FOR OPERATOR:

This Message is not to be delivered until Receiving Office notifies that Message to **Church of England**  
**Minister or School Teacher Bell Island**  
has been received and acted upon

**FOR TYPEWRITER**

C.R. 4088  
Counter No. \_\_\_\_\_

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender \_\_\_\_\_ Address Dept of Mil.

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

*Dated* Nov 8th, 1918  
*To* Church of England Minister or School Teacher, Bell Island.

Regret to inform you Record Office, London reports to-day No. 4088, Private William Rees died of wounds Oct 27th at 44th Casualty Clearing Station gunshot wound head. Please inform next of kin

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J. R. Bennett  
Minister of Militia.

Chge Dept of Militia

FOR TYPEWRITER

C.R.

4088

EXTRACT FROM TELEGRAM FROM SYNOPTICAL SERVICE DATED NOV. 7th., 1918.

DIDI OF WOUNDS OCTOBER 27th., 44th/ CASUALTY CLEARING STATION  
G.S.W., Head 4088 REES.



C.R.4088

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, Nov.7th,1918.

O.C., 44th Casualty Clearing Station, France,  
reports 30/10/18. DIED 27/10/18.

4088 Pte. W.E.Rees.

S.W.HEAD.

C.F. 4088

Extract from War Office List No. C. 1937 dated 6/11/18.

NUMBER 25-10-18.

#4088 Pte. W. Rees.

*Amended*

*J*

C.R. 4088

Extract from Seminal Roll of M1A. Regt. Draft No. 46  
from 2nd Bn. Depot, to 1st Bn. B.M.F. Embarked Folke-  
stone, 25-5-18.

4088 Pte. W.E. Rees.



C.R. 4088

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

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Extract of Nominal Roll of Draft No. 46,- 100 Other Ranks from 2nd. In.,  
Depot, Winchester to 1st. Batta., The Royal Newfoundland Regiment, B.E.F.  
Embarked Folkestone, 26/5/18.

4088 Pte. W. E. Rees.

A.Fa. B. 103 (one  
for each soldier  
sent to 3rd. Ech  
elon B.E.F.

C.R. 4088

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's for Overseas,  
per S.S. "Florisel" Dec. 11, 1917.

4088 PTE. W. E. REES.

C.R! 4088

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Nfld.  
Regt., St. John's, Nov. 8th, 1917.

4088 Pte. W.E. Rees.

Attested for General Service with the Nfld. Regt., posted  
to G. Coy, with effect from Nov. 8th, 1917.



W. C. Rees

C.R. 4088

R. R. O.

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

# MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Rees

OF

Christian Name William C.

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish Bell Island Lab. County Nfld.

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on 8th day of Nov 1917	at St. Johns	on	day of 191
Declared Age	19 years	days	years	days
Trade or Occupation	Engine Driver			
Height	5 feet	6 inches	feet	inches
Weight	123 lbs.			lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded... 34 inches			inches
	Range of Expansion... 4 inches			inches
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	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)	<u>Lamont Paterson</u>			
(Rank)	Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at St. Johns	at		
	on 8th day of Nov 1917	on	day of 191	
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
Transferred to	1st Nfld Regt 4088			
Became non-effective by	on	day of 191	on	day of 191
(Signature)				
(Rank)				





# FIELD SERVICE.

Army Form B. 2090A.

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

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

Regimental No. 4088, Rank Private

Surname Rees Christian Names W.E.

Date 27-10-18. Place France or Belgium.

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

Nature and Date of Report Report No. 6675, d/30-10-18.

By whom made O.C., 44th C.C.S.

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

State whether he leaves a Will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) Not received (b) in Small Book (if at Base) Not received  
(c) as a separate document. None received

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.

Station and Date } G.H.Q., 3rd Echelon, 11-11-18. Signature of Officer in charge of Section }  
Adjutant-General's Office at the Base }

COPIES SENT		
To	No	DATE
M. OF M.	<u>21445/217/187C. 23/18</u>	
O.C. 1st. Bn.		
" 2ND. Bn.		



W. Mad  
For Officer i/c No 1 Infantry Section Capt.  
3rd Echelon. General Headquarters

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 OR CORPS } Battery or Company }

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By whom made O.G., 44th.C.C.S.

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Station and Date } G.H.Q., 3rd. Echelon, Signature of Officer in charge of Section } Officer i/c No. Infantry Section.  
 Date } 11-11-18. Adjutant-General's Office at the Base }

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To	No.	DATE
M. of M.	21445214	17.10.18
O.C. 1st. Bn.		
2nd. Bn.		

NEWFOUNDLAND  
 50, VICTORIA ST.  
 LONDON, S.W.  
 16 NOV 1918  
 PAY & RECORD OFFICE

MORNING SICK REPORT

Army Form B 256

MEDICAL INSPECTION REPORT

Unit *1st Bn Royal Wiltshire Regt.*  
 Squadron, battery, or company *C Coy*

Station and date *Hagley Park Camp 13.10.18*

Regtl. No.	Rank and Name (Christian name in full; Surname first; M under name if married.)		Completed Years of		Religion.	If for duty †	Whether a defaulter.	Lines or barracks.	Room.	Disease.	Disposal.
	Age	Service.	Medical Officer's remarks and signature.								
4058	Pte	Rees, W.	19	6/12	C of E.						For relief Please The Medical Officer Winchester. RAK
											Note. Completed AG

† State nature of duty for which warned. In the case of men for medical inspection, the reason, such as "Soldiers for trial by Court-Martial," or "joining the station," &c., should be stated against their names.

\* Strike out whichever is not applicable.

Orderly  
N.O.O.







Rees, W E

4088

Ray Sept.



ORIGINAL.

Army Form O. 1625.

PAY LIST.

to

191 . Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps **ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.**  
 No. 4088 Rank Pte Name Rees W.E.  
 Died (a) Intestate at France on the 27th of October 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 <sup>27/10/18</sup> .....	8	18	7
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated) £ s. d.				Pay days at from to .....			
	191				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to .....			
	"				Messing allowance days at from to .....			
	"				Kit allowance .....			
	Consolidated stoppage .....							
	Balance due by the Paymaster	8	18	7	Balance due to the Paymaster .....			
		£ 8	18	7		£ 8	18	7

This account is in accordance with advices received at the Pay & Record Office to 12 JUN 1919 and may therefore be subject to amendments if and as may be revealed by subsequent advices.

CHECKED.  
P.D.X.  
12 JUN 1919

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of **NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT** is correctly chargeable against the Public.

Dated at this day of **12 JUN 1919** at **RECORD OFFICE** 191 **CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE RECORDS** 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.

ORIGINAL.

Army Form O. 1425.

PAY LIST.

to

191 Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps **ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.**  
 No. 4088 Rank Pte Name Rees W.E.  
 Died<sup>(a)</sup> Intestate at France on the 27th of October 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 <sup>27/10/18</sup> .....	8	18	7
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated) £ s. d.				Pay days at from to .....			
	191				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to .....			
	"				Messing allowance days at from to .....			
	"				Kit allowance .....			
	Consolidated stoppage .....							
	Balance due by the Paymaster	8	18	7	Balance due to the Paymaster .....			
		£ 8	18	7		£ 8	18	7

This account is in accordance with advices received at the Pay & Record Office to 12 JUN 1919 and may therefore be subject to amendments if and as may be revealed by subsequent advices.

CHECKED.

P.S.A.  
12 JUN 1919

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the balance of the above account is completely chargeable against the Contingent of the NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

Dated at this

12 JUN 1919  
PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE

191

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE

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**FIELD SERVICE.**

Army Form B. 2090A.

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 } Royal Newfoundland Regt Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company } \_\_\_\_\_

Regimental No. 4088 Rank Private.

Surname Rees. Christian Names W.E.

Died { Date 27-10-18. Place France or Belgium

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

Nature and Date of Report Report No. 6675, d/30-10-18.

By whom made O.C. 44th U.C.S.

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

State whether he leaves { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) not received (b) in Small Book (if at Base) not received  
a Will or not { none received  
(c) as a separate document \_\_\_\_\_

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.

Station and Date } G.H.Q., 3rd. Echelon, Signature of Officer in charge of Section Officer i/c No. 1 Infantry Sect.  
Date } 11-11-18. Adjutant-General's Office at the Base }






DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 45  $\frac{45}{x_2}$

Aug 14 19 19

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of Forty five  $\frac{45}{x_2}$  Dollars.  
on account of Pay. Estate  
balance



Ch. No. 8078	Initials. R. B.
Pay Ledger 3	Initials. W. W.
Gen. Ledger.....	Initials.....

Regtl. No. .... Rank.....



No.

4088

Rank

Pvt

Name

W. E. Rues

August 25, 1919

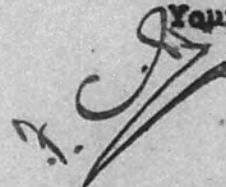
George Rees (of Solomon)  
Lance Cove,  
Bell Island, C.B.

Dear Sir:

I enclose herewith  
cheque for \$45.45, balance of estate of  
late William C. Rees, due you as Adminis-  
trator of his estate.

I am enclosing  
Letters of Administration.

Yours truly,



Capt.  
PAYMASTER & O i/c RECORDS

LM/  
Enc. 2.

Receipt for Army Book 64

No. 4088 Name W. Rees

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

Name George Rees of Sol

Date August 23/20

Place Lance Coy, 2nd Bn, 1st Div, 1st Army

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

Fold Here

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**ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE**

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

*Royal Nfld. Regt.*

*Dept. of Militia,*

*ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.*

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Fold Here



SEP 23 1921.

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

Mr. Geo. Rees (Father)

in respect of his service as No. 4088 Rank Pte.

Name William E. Rees

Royal Nfld. Regt.  
Nfld. Forestry Corps.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received

Medal

Signature

George Rees of Solomon

Date

October 4<sup>th</sup> 1921

Address

Lance Cove Bell Island

[P.T.O.]

C.R. 4088  
 Army Form B. 2090A.

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Station and Date } G.H.Q., 3rd. Echelon, 11-11-18. Signature of Officer in charge of Section officer 1/c No. 1 Infantry Sect.  
 Adjutant-General's Office at the Base } Capt., Rom

**Casualty Form—Active Service.**

Regiment or Corps *2/1st Royal Newfoundland*

Rank *Pte* Surname *Rees* Christian Name *H. M. E.*

Religion *C of E* Age on Enlistment *19* years ..... months

Enlisted (a) *8.1.11* Terms of Service (a) *Duration* Service reckons from (a) *8.1.11*

Date of promotion to present rank ..... Date of appointment to lance rank .....

Extended { ..... } Re-engaged { ..... } Qualification (b) .....  
or Corps Trade and rate *25 MAY 1918*

Occupation *Engine Driver* *J. M. E. [Signature]* Signature of Officer



Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service as reported on Army Form B.213, Army Form A. 30, 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. 30, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
			Embarked ... <i>25-5-18</i>		
			Disembarked ... <i>27-5-18</i>		
			Joined Battalion <i>31-5-18</i>		
			Wounded in Action <i>28-10-18</i>		
<i>30/10/18</i>	<i>444 CES No. 100 Head</i>	<i>Dead of wounds</i>	<i>Head</i>	<i>26/10/18</i>	<i>200001</i>
				<i>27-10-18</i>	<i>No 6675</i>
					<i>Captain</i>
					<i>For Officer 1st Infantry Section No. 1</i>
					<i>General Headquarters 3rd Echelon</i>
					<i>✓</i>

*J. M. E.*



# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Forms  
B 121.  
39.

Number of Sheets over

Signature of O. C. Company [Signature]

Regiment of 1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay
No.	<u>4088</u>	Age on	<u>19</u> years — months	<u>Engine Driver</u>	
Joined _____ Date _____		Place and Date of Enlistment		Religion	
Joined _____ Date _____		} with Colours <u>355</u> years. with Reserve <u>365</u> years.		Place of Birth	
Joined _____ Date _____					
Joined _____ Date _____		} <u>St John's</u> <u>8-11-17</u>		<u>C of C.</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
	v			<i>Died of Wounds 27<sup>th</sup></i>					

To be carried over





C.R. 4088

# DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ADDRESS REPLY TO  
DEPARTM'T OF MILITIA  
AND QUOTE NO.

4088

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND,

JUNE 5th. 1919.

RECEIVED FROM THE DEPT. OF MILITIA.

1 PARCEL.

CONTAINING THE EFFECTS OF THE LATE NO. 4088 W/SGT. REES.

SIGNED..... *George Rees* <sup>of Sol.</sup>

DATE..... *June 12/19*.....