Recruiting Form A, 1914.



# First Newfoundland Regiment

## ATTESTATION PAPER

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DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

(To correspond with Entries on the Medical History Sheet.)

Applicable to all ranks.

Reg. No. 250

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(c) as a separate document

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 Epeditionary 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 Capt. for Lt. Col., of Section Adjutant-General's Officer 1/c Infantry Section, Office at the Base 3rd. Echelon, B.E.F.

Station and Date 26/7/16.

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February 28, 1921.

From: Paymaster

To: Chief Staff Officer

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

Sir:-

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Name M. L

I have the honour by direction, to advise you that the claim for pension on account of the Marsinally noted has been considered by the Board, and it has been ordered that if there is an allotment, Separation addee., or Patriotic Fundablee., being paid on his account, that it should be cancelled from

Kindly govern wourself accordingly, and advise me of the amount gaid by your De t., on this account.

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Door Madam, -

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Tours faithfully,

Capt.

Paymaster & 0. i/c Records

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Rev. Fr. Gough,

Portugal Cove.

Dear Sir :-

You will, no doubt, remember my speaking to you about a payment of Separation Allowance on account of the late Michael J. Ross, and your statement to the effect that the child had been for some time in the care of its grandmother.

Is has been suggested that the cheque be forwarded to you with a request that it be used to the best interests of the child but as the child is dead, it appears to be most reasonable the that the amount should go to Mrs Meary, to reimburse her for any expenses she may have incurred whilst the child was in her care.

I am therefore enclosing a checue for \$338.67, which is the total amount due, and I shall be obliged if you will turn it over to Mrs Meary, in such manner as you think fit.

Yours truly,

Najor 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. aug 10 1921 St. John's. I beg to acknowledge receipt of Memorial Plaque issued in respect of gervices of the late No. Name Mrs Mangaret Meany (Sgd.)
Mother Relationship.

#### ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

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Royal Nfld. Regt. Dept. of Militia,
ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.

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[P.T.O.]

The accompanying Victory Medal and/or British War Medal
is/are forwarded herewith to Hilling
Mrs. Margaret. Meary (Mother)
in respect of his service as No. 250 Rank Pte
Name Ross Royal Nfld. Regt.
Dept. of Militia,
Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.
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Signature Margaret Mary
Date Och. 11 ch 1921
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#### DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND

Mrs. Margaret Neary Portugal Cove Nov. 9th, 1921

Dear Medam: -

250 Pte. M.J. Ross

I am forwarding herewith, please photograph in triplicate of the grave of the above mentioned deceased soldier. These have been received from the Director of Graves Registration and inquiries, London.

I shall be glad if you will kindly acknowledge

receipt,

Yours faithfully,

W. F. Rendellout Col.

Chief Staff Officer

Received from Dept of Mulitia

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To Certify that I have received the AB 64 of the above

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

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C.F. 250

JANUARY 17/20.

Mrs. Mrgeret Heary, Portugal Cove.

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I am returning you herewith Cemetery Register
Form, as you omitted to fill in space (A). This space is
intended for a Personal Inscription or Text, not exceeding
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words. I should be glad if you will fill this in, and
return Form to this Department at your earliest convenience.

Yours faithfully,

Lieutl Colonel, Chief Staff Officer.

C.R. 250

RECEIPT.

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No 250 Namo Michael J. Ross

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Date Dee Jeh 1919.

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May 11, 1918.

Mear Mrs. Meary:

I am writing to inform you that it is my regrettable duty to forward to you, one packag of effects, which belonged to your son, the late No.250 Private M. Ross of The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I am enclosing herewith, receipt. Will you kindly sign same and works your earliest convenience.

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

I am,

Yours sincerely,

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Mrs.Margaret Mesry, .

Portugal Cove,
St.John's, East.

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#### PERSONAL EFFECTS.

Received from Militia Department No 250

Package of effects of the late Phe Michael Pross

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signed Margaret heavy

Date May 30 = 1910

From Despatching Office Registered Letter Addressed--Stamp Arrival Office Stamp Received by NOTE.—This Form must be assorted up, each separately as a letter.

April Ett. 18.

Mrs. Margaret Neary,

Portugal Cove,

St.John's East.

Madam: -

The following description of Grave Size, has been received from the Pay & Record Office, London, of:-

"#250 Pte. M.J.Ross, Killed in "Action, 1/7/16.(Reported SSP "2667 O.C., G.R.W.P.) Place of

"Grave 12 miles South of "Beaumont Hamel. Reported by Graves Registration Units."

I have the honour to be,

Madam,

Your obedient servant.

Major Chief Staff Officer.



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Portugal Cove.

Mrs. Margaret Neary.

Regret to inform you No. 250 Private Michael Joseph Ross is unofficially reported killed in action, no date given.

J.R.BENNETT.

Colonial Secretary.

To

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

250, Pte M. Ross.

Reported by 0.5. Bn. d/11.7.16. KILLED IN ACTION. 1/7/16.

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Record Office, London, reports No. 250, Private Michael J. Ross, now officially reported killed in action July first.

J.R. BENNETT

Colonial Secretary.

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July 20, 1916.

Dear Madam,

It was with extreme regret that the Government received a cablegram from the Record Office, London, intimating that your son, Private Michael BesephiRess, had been reported as killed in action, no date, however, of which was given.

Permit me to express to you on behalf of the Government, as well as for myself, the sincerest sympathy in this time of serrow. We feel the loss of our loved ones but 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 fee, in defence of the principles of Right cousness, 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 deep sympathy,

Relieve me to be,
Your obedient servant,

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iktract of Camualty List received from PSDO., London Dated Aug. Let. 1916. The following Camualties in the Newfoundland Contingent are reported under various dates:-

250 Pte. M. Ross

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Dear

Madam.

I beg to inform you that additional information has to-day been received from the Record Office of the First New-foundland Regiment, Bondon, to the effect that

No. 250, Private M. J. Ross, who was previously reported at Wandsworth, January 8th, suffering from malaria, is now fit for duty and was granted furlough Feb. 19.

This information has been received by mail.

Gours faithfully,

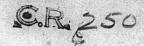
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Mrs. Margaret Neary. Portugal Cove. Colonial Secretary.

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Extract from Nominal Roll 3rd Draft-to B.E.F. arrived 29, I.B.D. 30-3-16 Joined Battalion 15-4-16

#250 Pte. M. J. Ross.



Extract from Hominal Rolls of Royal Hild. Regt. Draft Ho.S. from 2nd Bu., Depot, to let Bu., B.H.F. Huberked 28-5-16.

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Gours faithfully,

Mrs. Margaret Neary. Portugal Cove.

J. P. Berrick Colonial Secretary.

TRANSLATION OF MESSAGE TO SYNOPTICAL, LONDON.

JANUARY 22nd, 1916.

Report by telegraph present condition of 169 Whelan; 250 Ross; what is address of, report by telegraph present condition of 813 Willar; has anything been heard of, relatives anxious for news of 1442 Butler.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

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

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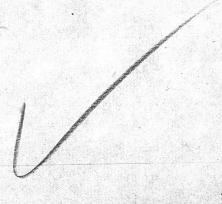
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UNOFFICIALLY REPORTED KILLED,

by Officer Commanding

1st Battalion. (No date given)

No, 250, Ross, Pte. M.



#### NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&.R.O. January 15th 1916.

250, Pte. M.Ross.

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Extract from Casualties from list of sick and wounded N.C.O's and men of the Expeditionary Force - Mediterranean dated Han. 14th 1916. List.No.H.4838.

250 Pte. Ross. M.

Malaria..... Ad. 3 Lond. G. H. Wandsworth 8th Jan. 16

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Extract of Casualties received from ay & Record Office, London, dated January 14m1916.

#250 Pte.M.Ross.

Malaria.

Admitted 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth 8th January 1916.

Dear Madam,

A beg to inform you that additional information has to-day been received from the Record Office of the First New-foundland Regiment, Bandon, to the effect that No. 250, Private Michael J. Ross, who was previously reported suffering from a serious attack of pyrexia, was admitted to Military Hospital, Tigno, Malta, on November 26th.

This information has been received by mail.

Gours faithfully,

No Ross

Mrs. Margaret Meary. Portugal Cove. Colonial Secretary.

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To

Mrs. Margaret Neary.

Portugal Cove.

Record Office, London, today reports No. 250, Private Michael J. Ross, previously reported with pyrexia serious, admitted Third London General Hospital, Wandsworth, January eighth, suffering from malaria.

J.R. BENNETT.

Colonial Secretary.

Extract of casualty list received from Pay and record office Landon Dated
'Jan. 8th. 1916.

250Pte.M.Ross.

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

Extract of easualty list received from Pay and Record office London dated Dec. 30th.1915,

250 Pte.M.Ross 🗸

1st Nfld.R. Pyrexia Slt.Trans.to Chain Tuffieha ex Mil. Tigne "alta.13th.Dec.1915.

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record Office, London, dated Becember 23,1915.

#250 Pte. M.Ross

Pyrexia Severe.

Transferred ex 54 C.C.S. Sulva 18th November 1915.

Extract of Sick and Wounded N.C.Os. and Men of the Mediterranean Expeditionary Force, No. H. 3993, dated Dec. 20th. 1915.

250 Pte. M. Ross

Hospital in Malta ex H.S. "Nevasa" 26th. November 1915.

#### SICK & WOUNDED N.C.O. & MEN OF THE MEDITERRANEAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

LIST NO.H. 3948.

HEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

250 Pte. Ross, M. .. 1/Newfoundlanders. .. .. Pyrexia Sit. ..

Adm.ax H.S. "Nevasa" to Mil.H. Tigne, Malta 26th Nov.15.

#### LIST NO.H.3948.

#### NEW SEALAND CONTINGENT.

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Copy of Cablegram to Governor St. John's Wild. from P. &. R. O. December 7th. 1915.

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Extract of Sick and Wounded N.C.O., and Hen of the Mediterranean Expedition -ary Force, He: H. 360b, dates Dec. 7th, 1915.

250 Pte. M. Ross.

Clearing Station Suvla 14th. Nov. 1915.

December 7. 191 5.

Dear

I regret to have to inform you that a report has this day been received from the Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, Bondon, to the effect that No. 250. Private Hichael Joseph Ross, is suffering from

Pyrexia - serious.

I trust that later reports will bring news of his convalescence.

Any further information received at this Office as to his condition will be at once notified to you.

Gours faithfully.

( Joseph

Portugal Cove.

Mrs. Margaret Beary.

Colonial Secretary.

Extract of Casualties from list of sick and wounded N.C.Os and men of the Expeditionary Force - France, dated Mar. lat 1918 List No.H.A. 4387.

250 Pte. Ross M.

Pyrexia 51t.....Trans to Ghain Tuffieha ex Mil Hos. Tigne
Malta 13th Dec.15.

ATHRORE CLAUSE

HILL STANK

E-tract from Nominal Roll of 60. 1st Bn.Nild.Regt. Embarked at Devenport for Active Service 20-8-15.

250 Pte. M. Ross.

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Regimental No. 250 was allotted to Pte M.J. Ross.

AUTHORITY:

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Dept. of Militia,
March 25th, 1919.

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Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet. Army Form B. 121. Number of Sheet Cork Newfoundland Regiment of Defantry Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay ... Age on 19 years 6 months Miner ross M. Date of Enlistment Period of with Colours 302 years. With Reserve years. By whom awarded REMARKS Punishment awarded OFFENCE Place Fort George Janzu Pa absent from tattor con Penny 2/1/15 to 3 pm 6/1/15 perail ? or. 5 days CB 7/1/15 Caps Carly Torfecto sdays payunderRusan 3 days CB 1/1/15 - Capt Carty Fort George Janso PL cult absent from Church Sot Clare 8 days CB 20/1/15 Et Col Builon cross Infut is days pay under Raciste golferge Jan 16 (5 Cpl fox assent from tattoo to 530 pm 19/1/15 Copt. Ryon 3 days CB 3 /15 Capt. Conty Rainburgh 30 4/15 PG. Tofeits 100 for about from Tallas, autil 9 pm. 1 /15 Absent from Jakos Cope Manning 5 days CB. 12 /15 Capt. Carty while 7. 30 a.m. 11 /15 Boraking clear food Jam Col. Ryall 24 hrs. 3.P. ho. 2 29/15 Kt. Gl. Buston To be carried over 1 con has press 1 con from press Killed in Notion 1/7/16, Edinburgh. 10 715 PK. Forfits 1 days pay Hobs Camp 39 5/15 " J. E.J. Z. Killed in Action 1/7/16,

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