

MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT
ACTIVE SERVICE
FINLAND



First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 88

Name in full John Henry Simons Age 22
Jogo

Address _____

~~Married~~ Single _____ Height 5' 4" Weight 175 lbs

Color Sax Hair Sax Eyes Blue

Other distinguishing marks Scar on left calf from dog bite

Nearest relative Father - William Simons

Address Jogo

Dependents none

Occupation Fisherman Present Wage \$500.00 per year

Previous service _____

Decorations _____

General Remarks _____

Date of Enlistment _____

John Henry Simons

I, John Henry Simons, do sincerely promise and swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty and that I will faithfully serve His Majesty in any place where I may be needed (or in the Colony of Newfoundland as the case may be) against all his enemies and opposers whatsoever according to the conditions of my service.

John H. Simons

Declared before me this 1st day
of October, 1914

Chas. R. Ayre

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

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

Reg. No. 88

Name John Henry Simms

Apparent age 22 years _____ months. Height 5 feet 4 inches.

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

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

Other distinguishing mark: Scar on left calf from dog bite

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin Williams Simms, Fogo, Newfoundland

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	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of Pension	Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay	Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries.
					years days	years days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>2/9/14</u>							
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>2nd September '14</u>							
<u>Embarked for St. John's for U.K. 3/10/14</u>							
<u>Embarked Plymouth for U.K. 20/8/15</u>							
<u>Disembarked Alexandria detained for Cairo 31/8/15</u>							
<u>Embarked Alexandria for Gallipoli 13/9/15 handed over to Bay Light 19-20 Sept. 1915</u>							
<u>Evacuated sick & admitted Hosp. Nicosia 22/12/15. Discharged to Base 5/1/16.</u>							
<u>Joined Battalion Aug. 16/1/16. Embarked for B. 28/1/16.</u>							
<u>Disembarked Marseille 22/3/16. With Battalion 4/7/16. (Little Div. Train).</u>							
<u>With Battalion 23/1/17. Discharged to duty ca. Div. Train 26/3/17.</u>							
<u>Wounded in action 18/8/17. Died of wounds, 4th Casualty</u>							
<u>Clearing St. (G. W. R. leg & Head) 17/8/17</u>							
<u>Awarded Military Medal for bravery in the field 16/8/17. by</u>							
<u>G.O.C. 29th Division</u>							
Total Service forfeited as above							
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>17-8-17</u> (date of discharge) <u>2</u> years <u>349</u> days							
" " " Pension " " " " " " " "							

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Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>2nd September '14</u>									
<i>Died of Wounds Aug 17th 1917</i>									
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days									
" " " Pension " _____ (") " " "									

J. H. Simms

C.R.

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First Newfoundland Regiment

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Declared before me this 1st day of October 1914

Chas. R. Ayle

John H Simms

*I signed for
John Henry Simms
at St. John's
14 Aug 1914*

John H Simms

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					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from 2/9/14									
Joined at St. John's on 2nd September '14.									
<i>Deceased</i>									
<i>22/12/15</i>									
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days									
" " " Pension " _____ (") _____ " _____ "									

FIELD SERVICE.

ORIGINAL

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 } NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT. Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company } A Company
Regimental No. 88 Rank Private

Surname SIMMS Christian Names J. H.

Died { Date Aug. 17th., 1917. Place 4th. Cas. Cl. Stat., Belgium or France.
Cause of Death* Died of Wounds received in Action.

Nature and Date of Report Message, 18/8/17.

By whom made O.C, 4th. 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.

Burial { Place _____ Date _____
By whom reported _____

State whether he leaves a Will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) No. (b) in Small Book (if at Base) Not to hand
(c) as a separate document Not known.

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Station and Date 27/8/17. Signature of Officer in charge of Section [Signature]
Adjutant-General's Office at the Base

Major
O. i/c No. 1 Reg. Infantry Section
G.H.Q., 3rd Echelon

"A" Form.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C.2121
 (in pads of 100).
 No. of Message.....

Prefix	Code	Words	Charge	This message is on a/c of: Service.	Recd. at.....m.
Office of Origin and Service Instructions.		Sent			Date.....
		At.....m.		From.....	
		To.....		By.....	
		By.....		(Signature of "Franking Officer.")	

TO { DR. JAMES MURRAY,
EDINBURGH. MURRAY,

Sender's Number. * 120	Day of Month. 3/6/17.	In reply to Number.	A A A
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REFERENCE	YOUR	TELEGRAM	88	JOHN
SIMMS	SHOULD	REPORT	RECORD	OFFICE
58	VICTORIA	STREET	LONDON	IMMEDIATELY
SUFFICIENTLY	RECOVERED	IF	ILLNESS	PROTRACTED
SHOULD	REPORT	MILITARY	HOSPITAL.	
			SYNOPTICAL.	

From	Place	Name	
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The above may be forwarded as now corrected.

(Z)

Censor. Signature of Addressor or person authorised to telegraph in his name.

* This line should be erased if not required.



BY APPOINTMENT TO HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN
Messrs. R. & S. SPOTTISWOODE, Ltd., London.

This Form must accompany any inquiry respecting this Telegram.

Delivery and Charges.

POST OFFICE TELEGRAPHS.

Sent, or
Sent out

No. of
Telegram

46

Means

Distance

Collected

Paid out

If the Receiver of an Inland Telegram doubts its accuracy, he may have it repeated on payment of half the amount originally paid for its transmission, any fraction of 1d. less than 1d. being reckoned as 1d.; and if it be found that there was any inaccuracy, the amount paid for repetition will be refunded. Special conditions are applicable to the repetition of Foreign Telegrams.

Office Stamp.

At 2.30

To Home

By MR.



C. OR B.

Prefix

Handed in at

Office of Origin and Service Instructions

Words

Received here at

1.22

OHms London SW

33

2.7

Dr James Murray Edinburgh

120

3/6/17

Reference your telegram

88

John Simm should report Record Office

58

Victoria St London Immediately sufficient

recovered if illness protracted should report nearest military hospital Synoptical

Received at

From

By

MS. [Signature]

Charges to pay a. d.

N.B.—This Form must accompany any inquiry respecting this Telegram.



STEAR & SPOTTISWOODS, Ltd., Lond

POST OFFICE TELEGRAPHS.

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Office of Origin and Service Instructions.

Edinburgh

Charges } s. d.
to pay }



Handed in at } 7-45p Received here at } 8-45p

TO { Pay and Record Office
58 Victoria St London

Ple John Simms 78
Newfoundland Rgt suffering from acute
gastritis unable travel tonight

James Murray

Ref. No. 2808
Rec'd. JUN - 8 1917
Ack'd. 16/17
Ans'd.
File No. 120

Dr

Copy to
O.C. 1st Bn

5th June, 7.

5322/1.
HA/RC.

Embarkation Officer,
Folkestone.

88, Pte. John Simms,
~~1st Newfoundland Regiment.~~

Following exchange of telegrams ^{recorded} received with
reference to this man's case:-

(1)

From: Dr. James Murray, Edinburgh.

To: Paymaster & Record Office, Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street, S.W. 1.

"~~88~~ Pte John Simms 88 1st Newfoundland Regiment
"suffering from acute gastritis unable to travel
"tonight ~~at~~"

(2)

From; Pay & Record Office, Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street, London, S.W. 1.

To; Dr. James Murray, Edinburgh.

"reference your telegram 88 John Simms
"should report Record Office 58 Victoria Street
"London immediately sufficiently recovered if
"illness protracted should report nearest Military
"hospital ~~at~~."

Simms was on short leave from France from 24/4/17
to 3/5/17, please.

Major,
Paymaster & O. i/o Records.

O.B. Alroy

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P/27.

Officer Commanding,
/ 1st Newfoundland Regt.,
B. E. F.

No. 10

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STATEMENT of AMOUNTS DRAWN from PAY & RECORD OFFICE
to be ENTERED in A.B's 64 of SOLDIERS CONCERNED.

REFERENCE:- No. 1938/67, 25/5/16, to O.C., 1st Battalion.

Date of Payment	Regtl No.	Rank & Name	Authority	Paid To	Amount		
					£	s	d
2/8/17	88	Pte Simms, J.H.	Letter from Pte. Simms, dated 27/7/17, (4112)	William Jardine & Sons, Ltd.	1	6	11

CERTIFIED that entries have been made in A.B's 64 of the
Soldiers concerned.

J.R. Dick Lieut.

O.C. "A" Company,
1st. Battalion.

Please RETURN this FORM INTACT to:-

Paymaster & Officer i/c records, Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street, London, S.W.

[Handwritten signature]

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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Battalion.

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TRIPPLICATE

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Army Form B. 2090A.

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Surname SIMMS Christian Names J. H.

Died { Date AUG. 17th., 1917. Place 4th. Gas. Cl. Stat., Belgium or France.

Cause of Death* Died of Wounds received in Action.

Nature and Date of Report Message, 18/8/17.

By whom made O.C. 4th. 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.

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Station and Date { 27/8/17. Signature of Officer in charge of Section } Salomange

Adjutant-General's Office at the Base

Paymaster & Coy. Records
Newfoundland Regt
London

Please forward
to Messrs Jardine & Sons, amount
to cover attached & charge
same to my account

88

J H Simmons

27.7.17

Newfoundland Regt

#112

M
H.C.
1/8/17.

pp 7

Paul

P.O. #

To. cc

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Paul

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2nd, August

Messrs William Jardine & Sons, Ltd.,

14 & 16 Forth Street,

Edinburgh.

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88, Pte. J. H. Simms, 1st. Newfoundland Regt.

C. L. 15 is enclosed for future reference, please.

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BUSINESS HOURS.
9 TO 7.
SATURDAYS.
9 TO 1.

TELEPHONE 3490Y AND 4872 CENTRAL.
TELEGRAMS 'JARDINES, EDINBURGH'

14 & 16 FORTH STREET,

Mr. J. H. Simons, 88, Edinburgh

of Lt. D. McNeill

1st Newfoundland Regt.

B.E.F. France.

TO WILLIAM JARDINE & SONS. LTD.

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MILITARY & SPORTING TAILORS.

TWEED MERCHANTS & WOOLLEN WAREHOUSEMEN.

& COLONIAL OUTFITTERS.

5/9 BREECHES
MAKERS.

MILITARY
TERMS
NETT PROMPT CASH.

1917

July 9.

black oilskin Coat
son western Hat
Postage

£

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1	6	11

6 Howlands Terrace,
 Hawick.
 No. 4929
 SEP. - 3. 1917
 3/9/17 H.A.B.
 Recd of funds in France
 17/8/17

6 Howlands Terrace,
Hawick.

Scotland. 2/9/17.

Recd of funds in France
17/8/17

Sirs.

Please could you give
me any information as
regards the whereabouts of.

No 88. Pte John. H. Simms

~~1st Bn. F. L. D. Regt. with the
B. E. F. France~~

I. Oblige

Kate. M. Marchbank.

6 Howlands Terr
Hawick

Scotland



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J H Simms
~~J W Baker~~

88
~~11~~

414

Managers
Bank of Montreal

= 60

Commence 17th April

= 60

Geo. S. Carty Cpt

J H Simms
Rt

Edinburgh

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PAY LIST.

to

191 . Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps

No. *88*

Rank *Private*

Name *Simms J. H.*

Died (a) *Intestate*

at *France*

on the *17th*

of *August* 191

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>17/8/17</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>10</i>
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at from to			
		£	s.	d.	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to			
	191				Messing allowance days at from to			
	"				Kit allowance			
	"				Amount produced by the sale of Effects from Form 2			
	"				Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
	Consolidated stoppage				Deferred Pay or Gratuity			
	Balance due by the Paymaster	<i>2</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>10</i>	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£	<i>2</i>	<i>18</i>		£	<i>2</i>	<i>18</i>
							<i>18</i>	<i>10</i>

CHECKED

R. G.
11/4/17

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ 2 18 10 is correctly chargeable against the Public (b).

Dated at

this

day of

191

Paymaster.

- (a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with Army Form B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.
- (b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

F. H. Sims

88

Ray Dept

DUPLICATE
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REGIMENT OR CORPS NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT. Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company O Company
 Regimental No. 3379 Rank Private
 Surname SCOTT Christian Names M.
 Died { Date July 31st., 1917. Place Belgium.
 Cause of Death* Committed Suicide.
 Nature and Date of Report Court of Enquiry, 2/8/17.
 By whom made O.G. Unit.



* 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 _____

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Station and Date | 27/8/17. Signature of Officer in charge of Section |
 Adjutant-General's Office at the Base |

Salisbury

(1452) W6587/M 30 500,000 10/16 JFW (E328) Form B2090a/2

O. J/c No. 1 Reg. Infantry Section
 G.H.Q. 3rd E.H.C.

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MAJOR
 O. J/c No. 1 Reg. Infantry Section
 G.H.Q. 3rd E.H.C.

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to

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	Balance due by the Paymaster	3	18	10					
		£	3	18		£	3	18	10

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

CHECKED
R. G. P. 11/1/17

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

Dated at _____ day of _____ 191 .



J. H. Simms
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. 2790 or Army Form O. 1815.
- (b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

PAY LIST.

to

191 . Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps **Newfoundland**

No. **88** Rank **Pte.**

Name **J. H. Simms**

Died^(a) **Intestate** at **France**

on the **17** of **August** **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 1.]

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month				Balance Cr. last month 17/8/17	3	18	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			
	"				produced by the sale of Effects from			
	Consolidated stoppage				ings Bank balance, including (no balance, to be so stated)			
					Gratuity			
	Balance due by the Paymaster				due to the Paymaster			
		£	3	18		£	3	18
								10

CHECKED
R. G. [Signature]
11/17

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

Dated at _____
this _____ day of _____ 191



J. H. [Signature]
NEWFOUNDLAND CO. TINGEN
Paymaster

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	Balance due by the Paymaster	3	18	10					
		£				£	3	18	10

This account is ^{checked} in accordance with information received at the Pay & Record Office to **11/11/17** and is therefore subject to amendment if, and as may be found necessary.

CHECKED
R. G. [Signature]
11/11/17

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ 3 18 10 is correctly chargeable against the Public^(b)

Dated at

this

day of

191



J. H. [Signature]
Paymaster

(a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. THIS INFORMATION OBTAINED FROM THE RECORDS here to, if not already sent to the Pay Office, Army Form B. 2990 or Army Form O. 1815.

(b) Words in Italics to be struck out when the account is a creditor balance.

S. J. FOOTE,
BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, CONVEYANCER, ETC.
COMMERCIAL CHAMBERS,
WATER STREET,
ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

2948

Oct. 15, 1918 .

Captain J. M. Howley,
Paymaster,
Royal Wfld. Regiment,
City.

Dear Sir:-

The certified copy of the death of John Henry Simms which you sent me was not what I wanted. I received word from his father William H. Simms asking me to find out for him in whose possession his Bank book is; also the amount of moneys due him from the Military authorities. If you have the Bank book in your possession and have a knowledge of what is due him, kindly give me particulars not later than to-morrow if you can possibly manage it.

Yours truly,



88 Jan K: 5. to B. O. M.
allots 60¢ per day to 17th 15.
Commenced April 17th 17.
discontinued Aug 30th 17.
Estate for \$26.00 in hands
of Minister of Justice

October 16, 1918.

S. F. Foote, Esq.,
Solicitor,
Commercial Chambers, Water Street,
C i t y.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of October 15, I have been instructed to inform you that the late Pte. John Henry Simms declared an allotment of sixty cents per day in favour of the Bank of Montreal, in his own name. It is therefore necessary to take out Letters of Administration in order to receive the amount of money to his credit in the Bank.

also -
I therefore wish to state that the balance of his estate is at present in the hands of the Minister of Justice awaiting Letters of Administration.

Yours truly,

A. M. Maddick

Lieut.
For Paymaster

1917 - 1918

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 26 ¹⁸ / -

Oct. 30 ¹⁸ / 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of twenty Six ¹⁸ / - Dollars.

~~an account~~
balance of Pay. Estate Bank of Nova Scotia
per J. M. M. M.

Ch. No. 8701	Initials E.W.
Pay Ledger 267	Initials W.H.
Gen. Ledger	Initials

Regtl. No. Rank

No. 88. Rank A.

Name Simms J.H.

Bank of Nova Scotia

Show Paymaster letter of
administration attached to our
P.C. 47. You should receive.
26.18

8423

Fogo, Nfld., Oct. 23rd., 1918

To the Paymaster,
1st. Nfld. Regiment,
St. John's

Please pay to the order of the Bank of Nova Scotia the
balance at the credit of my late son, Private John H. Simms

William L. Simms.....

Administrator of Estate

THE BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA
FOGO, NFLD.
R.L. 48





This Form is to be used in connection with Pamph. M. E. (1)
N. F. 1914

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 Summers John Henry (251)
aged 23 conducted at C. F. B. Army
Date: Aug 26-1914 Recruiting Officer:

NO. OF TEST	FINDING
1	no
2	no
3	no
4	no
5	no
6	no
7	yes
8	yes
9	no
10	no
11	Slight Scoliosis
12	no
13	no
14	Heart Insult +
15	no
16	no
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31	no
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34	5' 4"
35	131
36	min 32 max. 34
37	no 600 Week
38	father Wm. H. Summers Toyo
39	no

Fit. Signature of Medical Examiner: Amey Graeferson

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.

.....1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of
the late No. 88 Rank Private
Name John Henry Swann
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

William H. Swann (Sgd.)

Father Relationship.

Address 7090

C.R. 88

^{of}
Fogo.

February 28/77

Department of Militia
St. Johns

Dear Sirs.

I am in receipt of the Memorial Scroll
and am grateful to you for your kindness,
and remembrance of them who laid down
is life.

Yours very sincerely
William H. Lewis

C.R. 88

Foggy
February 28/20

Department of Militia
St. Johns.

Dear Sirs.

I am also in receipt of the Message
from the King. for which I am thankful.

Yours very respectfully
William H. Linn

C.F. 88

RECEIPT.

I hereby certify that I have received the 1914-1915

STAR.

No 88 Name Pte L. H. Linnis

Witness. Wm. H. Linnis

Date Dec. 29/19

Place Fogo

PERSONAL EFFECTS

Received from Militia Department

One KIT BAG of the late #88 Pte. H.J. Simms (M.M.)

Signed

Wm H Simms

Date

June 25

No. of Paper 1064

PERSONAL EFFECTS.

Name Quinn, J. H. No. 88.

Rank Plt Regiment THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT

Article	Where stored	Notified by
<p><i>1 Kilt Bag</i></p>		
	Final disposal	
		<p>Shipped from Depot.</p>

Remarks:— *Casualty. Advice:— D.O.F.W.*
Next of Kin:— Mrs Quinn
Floro

C.R. 88

June 22, 1918.

Mr. William Simms,
Fogo.

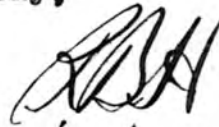
Dear Mr. Simms:-

I am writing to inform you that it is my regrettable duty to forward to you by "S.S. SEAL" one KIT BAG, which belonged to your son #88 Pte J.H. Simms, M.M. of The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

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

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

Yours sincerely,



Lieut.

for Lieut. Col. C.S.O.

Enc'l 1.

Fogo July 12 1918

Dear Sir just a few words
of thanks to you for
the interest and sympathy
you have taken with
regard to my Dear sons
passions it is very sad to
know that the bright young
man he was will never return
but gods will must be done
so we must leave it all
in his care and his way is
always the best from
your humble servant
William G. Simms

C.R. 88

Extract of Memorandum from Pay and Record Office London dated
May 13th. 1918.

DIVISIONAL CERTIFICATES.

The following has been received:

88 Pte. J. Simms, M. M. No. 212.

(Card.)

Fogo March 26 1819

ANSWERED
APR 6 1918

To the
Honble R Pennock

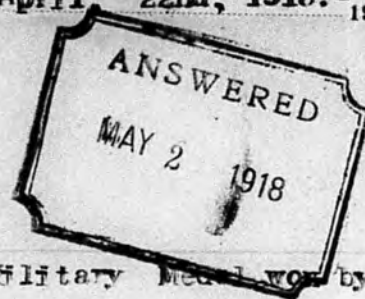
C.R. 88

Dear Sir, just a few
lines in reply to your
letter about the
military medal my dear
son won by is braved
deed in trying to save
a brother man only
expecting the same in
return i went to the
justes of peace as you
reggested and also to my
clergeman they says
it is the best way
to have it preasented
publicly so if you will
arand to have it preasente^d
hear in fogo i think it
will be the best from
your humble servant

William H Simms



April 22nd, 1918.-191



Dear Sir.-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of the Military Medal won by Pte John H. Simms.-

Lest Thursday night at a Public Meeting held in the S. U. Hall, prepared by a band of young Ladies, by way of reception and welcome to two members of the R. N. Reserve, home on furlough, I took advantage of the opportunity to present the Medal to Mr. William Henry. Simms, father of the gallant lad who won it.- There was a large audience, both of men and women, and Mr Simms was present by special invitation.-

After Tea I read your letter and extract of record of "deed" for which the Medal was won, and at the end of a short address I presented it to Mr Simms, amidst great applause.- Rev J. O. Britnell and E. J. Earle, Esq. J. P. gave eloquent addresses making special reference to the gallant conduct of the late Pte Simms, and congratulating Mr Simms of being the father of such a brave son, who had made the supreme sacrifice for King and Country.-

The proceedings were brought to a close by singing the National Anthem.

I remain,

yours sincerely,

Major. W. F. Rendell.

St. John's.-

(Thursday 18th - presented)

C.R.

88

April 1st, 1918.

A. Cook, Esq.,

Stipendiary Magistrate

Fogo

Dear Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of April 22nd, and to state that it was placed before the Minister of Militia who expressed his pleasure at the satisfactory manner in which the presentation was carried out, and sends his thanks.

Yours faithfully,

Major, C.S.O.

C.R. 88

April 6th, 1918.

Stipendiary Magistrate,

Fogo.

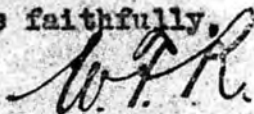
Dear Sir:-

I am forwarding you under separate registered cover the Military Medal won by No. 88, Private J.H. Simms, who died of wounds on 17th Aug., 1917. I should be glad if you will present this Medal to Mr. William Simms, the father of the deceased soldier on some suitable occasion of a public nature.

The attached paper is a description of the deed for which this soldier so gallantly won this award.

Will you please make a report to this Office of the date of presentation and any other particular in connection with the event that might be of interest.

Yours faithfully,



Major, C.S.O.

C.R. 88

April 6th, 1918.

William H. Simms,
Fogo.

Dear Sir:-

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 26th March concerning the Military Medal awarded No. 88, Private H. Simms. It is noted that you wish this medal to be presented publicly, and it is being forwarded under registered cover to the Stipendiary Magistrate at Fogo, who is being requested to present it at some public occasion.

Yours faithfully,

Major, U.S.O.

W. F. R.

C.R. 58

April 4th, 1918.

Mr. William Simms,

Fogo.

Dear Sir:-

I am directed to forward you the attached Divisional Card which has just been received from the Record Office, London.

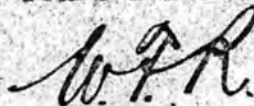
The following extract from 88th Brigade Lists is quoted in connection with the conduct of No.88, Pte. John H. Simms on 16th August, 1917:-

"For Bravery in the Field"

"In the attack on the enemy near Langemarck in 16th Aug. 1917, whilst in command of a Lewis Gun Section showed great initiative and leadership in getting his men across a particularly bad piece of ground. He rescued one man under heavy shell fire who had sunk almost to his shoulders in mud. On reaching one objective he rushed forward in spite of a heavy barrage and located an excellent position for his Lewis Gun, from which good results were obtained."

I am,

Yours faithfully,



Major, C.S.O.

C.R. 88

March 14th, 1918.

William Simms Esq.,

FOGO.

Sir:-

I beg to inform you that we have been notified through the medium of the Gravee Registration Unit, that the Grave-site of #88, Pte J.H. Simms M.M., is, Dozingham British Cemetery 2½ miles North of Poperinghe.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,



Major,

Chief Staff Officer.

March 8, 18.

William Simms Esq.,

Fogo.

Sir:-

188 Pte. J. Simms.

The Military Medal so gallantly won by the above mentioned soldier has now come to hand and I should be glad to know your wishes with regard to having this medal presented. If you would like to have the medal sent to you by registered post, your wishes will be complied with, but I should prefer to have the medal presented publicly. I shall be glad to make arrangements with the Justice of the Peace of your district to have the medal presented publicly. If you will agree to that arrangement I shall be glad to hear from you at an early date, and I can then let you know the place and date when presentation will take place.

I have great pleasure in quoting the extract of the deed for which this medal was awarded.

"In the attack on the enemy near Langemarck on 16th August, 1917, whilst in command of a Lewis gun section showed great initiative and leadership in getting his men across a particularly bad piece of ground. He rescued one man under heavy shell fire who had sunk almost to his shoulders in the mud. On reaching one objective he rushed forward in spite of a heavy barrage and located an excellent position for his Lewis gun, from which good results were obtained".

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Acting Minister of Militia.

C.R. 88

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record office,
London, dated february 8, 1918.

#88 Pte. J.H. Simms. (Rept. proven 3.29) ✓

Place of Grave:- Dozinghem British Cemetery, 2½ miles N.
of Poperinghe. Reported by Graves Registration Unit.

~~REPT. BY GRAVES REGISTRATION UNIT, 1918. AUTH: - REPORTS RECEIVED FROM WAR OFFICE~~

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Lists by D.G.R. & E.

C.R. 188

Extract of Casualty receive from Pay & Record Office,
London, dated December 4, 1917.

#188 Pte. J. Kelly. ✓

Wounded 20/11/17.

C.R. 88

Extract from Daily Orders Part II Unit Royal Newfoundland
Regiment, Station C.H.Q. 3rd Echelon, Dated 19-3-18.

Awarded Military Medal, Supplement Gazette,
4/18-10-17, Page 10731.

88, Pte. J.H. Simms.

48 Pl G. A. Simms

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Sept. 19th. 1917.

Dear Sir;-

I have the honour to advise you that a telegram received from the Pay & Record Office, London, indicates that your son has been awarded the Military Medal for bravery and distinguished service in the Field.

I wish to congratulate you on the splendid part played by your son, and the honour conferred upon him by His Majesty the King in recognition of his work.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

William Simms, Esq.,

Fogo.

for Minister of Militia.

MILITARY MEDAL.

88 Pte J. H. Simms

Date of Award. 1/8/17.

Authority. Daily Orders 1st Bn. 30/8/17.

Reference. London Gazette 18/10/17.

"For bravery in the Field."

88th Brigade Lists.

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AWARDS.

Extract of Daily Orders Part 1.

By Lieut.Col.A.L.Hadow,C.M.G.,Comdg.Nfld.Regt.30/8/17.

88 Pte. J.Simms.

Has been awarded the Military Medal by the Corps
Commander, under Authority granted by His Majesty the King.

R

88 Private John Simms.

Extract of telegram dated August 25th. 1917.

Gunshot wounds right leg and Head.

Admitted to 4th. General Casualty Clearing, Station

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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 _____

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated August 25, 1917.

To Mr. William Simms,

Fogo.

Regret to inform you Record Office, London,
today reports No. 88, Private John H. Simms, died
at Fourth Casualty Clearing Station August seventeenth
as a result of gunshot wounds in right leg and head.

R.A. SQUIRES

Colonial Secretary.

NOTE FOR OPERATOR

This message is not to be sent until receiving office notifies that message to Rev. J. O. Britnell has been delivered and acted upon.

FOR TYPEWRITER

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Dated

August 25, 1917.

To

Rev. J. O. Britnell,

Fogo.

Regret to inform you Record Office, London, today reports No. 88, Private John H. Simms, son of William Simms, Fogo, died at Fourth Casualty Clearing Station as a result of gunshot wounds in right leg and head, on August seventeenth. Please inform relatives.

R.A. SQUIRES

Colonial Secretary

FOR TYPEWRITER

Casualty Form - Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 1st Newfoundland

Regimental No. 88 Rank Pte Name J. H. Lewis



Enlisted (a) Oct 2/14 Terms of Service (a) Duration Service reckons from (a) Oct 2/14

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

Extended _____ Re-engaged _____ Qualification (b) _____

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked St John's N.F.		3.10.14	
		Dis Alexandria		1.9.15	
4.1.16	3 rd Can. Madros.	Embarked for Admitted N.Y.D.	Gallipoli.	13.9.15	
18.1.16	Do	To DUTY.	3 rd Can. Hosp. MADROS.	22.12.15	L193.
23.1.16	Unit.	With. Battalion.	29 I.B.D. Unit	5.1.16	F695H.
		Embarked Port Suez		16.1.16	
		Dis Marseilles.		14.3.16	
	Unit.	Attached A.S.C. France		22.3.16	
	Do.	With. Batt.	Do.		Now Roll. 4.7.16.
				4.7.16	Now Roll.
18.8.17	29 Div Train O.C. Unit.	Discharged to duty.	Unit.	23.1.17	
18.8.17	4 th B.C.F.	Wounded in action.		26.3.17	B 213. 12.4.17.
		Died of Wounds.		16.8.17	B 213.
		(G.S.W. R-leg & Head.)		17.8.17	Message.

S Aldridge Major Reg. Inf. Section. 101 Reg. DTA 3rd Field Coy

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.
 (b) e.g., Signaller, Shoeing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

C.R. 88

Extract from Code Telegram from Major Timewell, to the Hon.
the Colonial Secretary, received August 25th., 1917.

DIED OF WOUNDS AT 4th. CASUALTY CLEARING STATION
RIGHT LEG AND HEAD

88 SIMMS?

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FEB 26 1916

Dear Sir,

I beg to inform you that additional information has to-day been received from the Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, to the effect that No. 88, Private John H. Simms, who was reported at Mudros West on December 22nd suffering from jaundice, was discharged to Base Depot on January 5th.

This information has been received by mail.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary.

Mr. William Simms,
Fogo.

C.R. 88

Extract of Sick and Wounded N.C.Os. and Men of the Expeditionary
Force -----Mediterranean, dated Jan 29th 1916.

List No: H. 5277.

88 Pte. J. Simms.

1st Newfoundland..... Adm. Lowland C.D. Mudros West 3rd Jan. 1916.

C.R. 88

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&R.O. London Dated Jan. 29th. 1916.

88 Pte.. J. Simms

1st. Nfld. Regt..... Dis. ex Lowland C C.S. Mudros W. to 29 1. B.D. 5th. Jan. 16

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February 8. 1916.

Dear Sir,

I regret to have to inform you that a report has this day been received from the Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, to the effect that No. 88,
Private John H. Simms, was admitted to Third Canadian
Stationary Hospital, Madras West, on December 22nd, suffering
from jaundice. This information has been received by mail.

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.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary

Mr. William Simms,
Fogo.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&R.O.

January 8th 1916.

88, Pte. J. Simms.

1st Newfoundland Jaundice Adm 3 Can. SH.W. Mudros.

22nd December 1915.

SICK AND WOUNDED N.C.O.'AND MEN OF THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE - MEDITERRANEAN.



LICHFIELD RECORD OFFICE.

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16419 Pte.Hawkins,C.R.	7-N.Staffs.	Para Typhoid.	.Dis:to 27 G.H.Mudros W.ex 3 Can;S.H.3'Jan'16.
18313 " Russell,J.	7- do.	Haemorrhoids.	.Adm:3 Can;S.H.Mudros W.6th Jan'16.
9604 " Parr,J.	7- do.	Rheumatism.	.do.
8873 Q.M.S.Swain,M.	7- do. A.A.G.Office	Haemorrhoids,	.Adm:R.C.Con;Hos:Montazah Alexandria 10'Jan'16.

EXETER RECORD OFFICE.

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11585 L/C.Pearce,B.J.	5-Wilts.	Enteritis.	.Adm:3 Can;S.H.Mudros W.5th Jan'16.
19424 Pte.Mitchell,E.C.	5- do.	Diphtheria.	.Adm:3 Can;S.H.Mudros W.6th Jan'16.
8028 " Goddard,F.	5-Wilts.	Inflamed Haemorrhoids	do.
'8192 " Johnson,D.	3-Dorsets att.7-Muns.	Septic Leg.	Adm:R.C.Con;Hos:Montazah Alexandria 10th Jan'16.
		Furnunculosis.	

TERRITORIAL FORCE - EXETER RECORD OFFICE.

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2237 L/C.Dunning,R.G.	R.Devon Yeo.	Frost Bite.	.Adm:R.C.Conv;Hos:Montazah Alexandria 10th Jan'16.
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88 Pte.Simms,J.	✓ 1-Newfoundland.	Jaundice.	✓ .Dis:to Lowland C.C.Mudros W.ex 3 Can;S.H.3'Jan'16.
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C.R! 88

Extract from Nominal Roll of ^A Co. 1st Bn. Wild. Regt.
Embarked at Devenport for Active Service 20-8-15.

88 Pte. J. Simms.

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

C.R. 88

Extract from Nominal Roll embarked St. John's per S.S.

"Flores" Oct. 4, 1914.

88 Simms John H.

C.R.

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John H. Simms. was attested for General service
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on Sept. 2nd. 1914.
Regimental No 88 was allotted to Pte. John H. Simms.

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 1st Newfoundland

Regimental No. CR. 88 Rank Pte Name J. H. Simms

Enlisted (a) Oct 2/14 Terms of Service (a) Duration of war Service reckons from (a) Oct 2/14

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

Extended _____ Re-engaged _____ Qualification (b) _____



Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 218, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked St. John's, NFLD.		3/10/14.	
		Disembarked Alexandria		1/9/15.	
		Embarked for Gallipoli		13/9/15.	
<u>4/1/16.</u>	<u>3rd. Can. Mudros.</u>	<u>Admitted, N.Y.D.</u>	<u>3rd. Can. Hosp. Mudros.</u>	<u>22/12/15.</u>	<u>L 193.</u>
<u>18/1/16</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>to duty</u>	<u>24th Coy</u>	<u>5/16</u>	<u>66954</u>
<u>27/1/16</u>	<u>unit</u>	<u>with Battalion</u>	<u>unit</u>	<u>16/16</u>	<u>B 213.</u>
		Emb'k'd Port Suez		14.3.16	
		Disemb'k'd MARSEILLE S		22.3.16	
	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Attached A.S.C. France</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>4.7.16.</u>	<u>Nom Roll of 4.7.16.</u>
	<u>do</u>	<u>with Batt.</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>4.7.16.</u>	<u>Nom. Roll.</u>
	<u>24th Coy</u>	<u>Discharged to duty</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>26.3.17</u>	<u>With 44th T. 28.1.17</u>

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(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D. Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered. (b) e.g., Signaller, Shoeing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties. (P.T.O.)

88 Private J. H. Simms

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 218, Army Form A. 86, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 218, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
	From whom received				
18-8-17	oc. Unit	Wounded in Action		16 AUG 1917	B 218
18-8-17	4 th B. L. A.	died of wounds (Gsw. R. head Head)		17-8-17	Message

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MAJOR
Q. i/c Re. 1 Reg. Infantry Section
G.H.Q., 3rd Echelon

