

First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 744

Name in full Arthur Wright Age 25

Address Bonne Bay

~~Married~~ Single

Color Fair Height _____ Weight _____
Hair Golden Eyes Gray

Other distinguishing marks _____

Nearest relative Mrs Samuel White (mother)

Address Blaque Brook - Bonne Bay -

Dependents gone

Occupation Carpenter Present Wage \$2.00 per day.

Previous service _____

Decorations _____

General Remarks _____

Date of Enlistment Jan. 29th 1915

I, Arthur Wright, 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 condition of my service.

Declared before me this 5th day

of July 1915

Arthur Wright

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

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

Reg-205-44

Name Arthur Wight

Apparent age 25 years _____ months. Height _____ feet _____ inches.

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

Distinctive marks Color: Fair, Hair: Golden, Eyes: Grey

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin Mrs. Samuel White, Shoal Brook, Somer Bay, Nfld.

Relationship Mother

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>30/1/15</u>					
				Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>29th January '15</u>					
Total Service forfeited as above									

Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days

 " " Pension " " " " " " " "

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

(To correspond with Entries on the Medical History Sheet.)
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Reg. No. 944

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Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>29th January '15</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>28-6-16</u> (date of ^{DEATH} discharge) <u>1</u> years <u>151</u> days									
" " Pension " " " " " "									

H. A. July 15/16
Embarked St. Stephens 20 3/8. Embarked N.S.F. 20 3/8.
Disembarked Key and entrained for Cairns 31 3/8. Embarked for Hallsville 13 2/8
Loaded Silver Bay night of 19.20 Sept 1/15. Embarked and arrived Key 15 7/8
Proceeded to July 16th. Embarked Port August 14 3/8. Disembarked Henslow 22 3/8
Domb-Hausd killed in Action 28-6-16

A night

C.R.

944

Pxh. O.

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname *Wright*

Christian Name *Arthur*

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish..... County.....

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <i>28</i> day of <i>Jan.</i> 191 <i>5</i>	on day of 191	on day of	191
	at <i>St Johns.</i>	at		
Declared Age.....	<i>25</i> years	days	years	days
Trade or Occupation.....	<i>Carpenter</i>			
Height	<i>5</i> feet	<i>4</i> inches	feet	inches
Weight		<i>130</i> lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement {	Girth when fully expanded...	<i>32</i> inches		inches
	Range of expansion..	<i>35 1/2</i> inches		inches
Physical Development.....				
Vaccination Marks {	Arm			
	Number			
When Vaccinated	<i>Never.</i>			
Vision	R.E.—V=	<i>9/6</i>	R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=	<i>6/24</i>	L.E.—V=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection	(b)		(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	<i>Cluny Macpherson</i>		<i>L.P.</i>	
(Rank)	<i>Capt.</i>			
	Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at <i>St Johns.</i>	at		
	on <i>29</i> day of <i>Jan</i> 191 <i>6</i>	on day of 191	on day of	191
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
	<i>1st Wfl Regt.</i>	<i>944</i>		
Transferred to.....				
Became non-effective by.....				
	on day of 191	on day of 191	on day of	191
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

Table III.—Beards: Courts of Inquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, &c.: Examinations for Field or Foreign Service, Extension, Re-engagement, or Prolongation of Service; Issue of Surgical Appliances; Particulars of Dental Treatment, &c.

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
27.4.15 16.8.15	<p><i>J.V.</i></p> <p><i>Was</i> <i>Fit for foreign service</i></p>

TABLE IV.—SERVICE TABLE.

Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation	Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation
St. Johns Nfld.	Jan'y 29-15	20 MAR 1915			
T. S. "Stephans"	20 MAR 1915	22 MAR 1915			
T. S. "Orduna"	22 MAR 1915	30 Mar. 15			
Edinburgh Castle	30 Mar. 15				



Army Form B. 2090A.



FIELD SERVICE

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

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

Regtl. No. 944 Rank Private

Name Wight, A.

Died { Date June 28th., 1916. Place France. Cause of Death* Killed in Action.

Reported by: O.C. 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.

State whether he leaves a will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) Not to hand. (b) in Small Book (if at Base) Not to hand. (c) as a separate document Not to hand.

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 Paymaster at the Base (see Field Service Regulations, Part II.), 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.

A.S. Clerk

Signature of Officer in charge of Section Adjutant-General's Office at the Base } Capt. for Lt. Col., Officer i/c Infantry Records, 3rd. Echelon, B.E.F.

Station and Date 3rd. Echelon, 10/7/16.



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

Regtl. No. 944 Rank Private

Name Wright, A.

Died { Date June 28th., 1916.
 Place France.
 Cause of Death* Killed in Action.

Reported by O.C. unit

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Capt. for Lt. Col.,
Officer in Charge Infantry Records,
2nd. Echelon, R.E.F.

Station and Date 2nd. Echelon, 10/7/16.

No. *944* Name *Wright a.* *Sqn., Batty.,* *10* Corps *Newfoundland* Date of enlistment }
or Company } G.C. Badges }
 Date of last entry in } No. and date } Period not reckoning towards } Sheet No. } Signature O.C. } Service or }
 Company Conduct Sheet } of last drunk } freedom from extra fine } } Company, etc. } Proficiency Pay }
 } } } } } } Character }

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

PAY LIST.

to 28th June 1916 Voucher No.

Army Form B. 2090

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps *1st Newfoundland*
 No. *9464* Rank *Private* Name *A. Knight*
 Died *intestate* at *Dance* on the *28th* of *June* 191*6*.
 Deserted at _____ on the _____ of _____ 191*6*.



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>12 May 16</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>9 1</i>
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay <i>47</i> days at <i>1st</i> from <i>19th</i> to <i>17/16</i>			<i>10 12 5</i>
					Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at _____ from _____ to _____			
					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)			
					Deferred Pay or Gratuity			
					Balance due to the Paymaster			
	Balance due by the Paymaster	<i>10 18 5</i>						
		<i>£ 17</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>6</i>				<i>£ 17 1 6</i>

Equip. 217 191 6 1 6
15 2 6 1 10
Statement 49 days @ 50 48 50 4 16 7

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

Dated at _____

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.

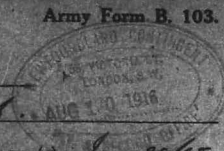
Wight, A.

944

Ray Sept.

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Casualty Form—Active Service.


 Regiment or Corps Newfoundland

 Regimental No. 944 Rank Pte Name Night A.

 Enlisted (a) 29.1.16 Terms of Service (a) one year Service reckons from (a) Jan 29/15

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

 Extended Duration Re-engaged 15.6.15 Qualification (b) _____

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 215, 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. 215, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked 88 John Affle		20.3.15	
		Disembarked Alexandria		1.9.15	
		Embarked for Gallipoli		13.9.15	
		Embarked Pte Suzy		16.3.16	
		Disembarked Marseilles		22.3.16	
28.6.16	Unit	Bomb Wdr Killed in Action	France	28.6.16	B 213 A. E. Clark Capt for 6 th Infantry Brigade 3 rd Echelon
4.7.2					
8.7.16					

(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, Electrician, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

I.P.T.O.

FIELD SERVICE.

[Handwritten signature]
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REGIMENT } 1st Newfoundland Regiment Squadron, }
 or } Troop, Battery }
 CORPS } or Company } D Company

Regtl. No. 944 Rank Private

Name Wight, A.



Died { Date June 28th, 1916.

Place France.

Cause of Death* Killed in action.

Nature and Date of Report _____

By whom made O.C., 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 _____

State whether he leaves a will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) Not to hand.
 (b) in Small Book (if at Base) Not to hand.
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Any information received as to verbal expressions by a deceased soldier of his wishes as to the disposal of his estate should be reported to the War Office as soon as possible.

A duplicate of this Report is to be sent to the Fixed Centre Paymaster at Home, or to the D.F.A.G., Indian Expeditionary Force, or Field Disbursing Officer, as the case may require, together with the deceased's Pay Book (after withdrawal of any will from the latter). If the deceased's Small Book is at the Base, it should be forwarded to the War Office with this Report.

Signature of Officer in charge
 of Section Adjutant-General's
 Office at the Base *[Handwritten signature]*

[Handwritten signature]
 Capt. for Lt.Col.,
 Officer i/c Infantry Records,
 3rd Echelon, B.E.F.

Station and Date 3rd Echelon, 10/7/16.

PAY LIST.

to 28th June

1916. Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps **1st Newfoundland**
 No. **944** Rank **Private** Name **A. Wight.**
 Died (c) **Intestate** at **France** on the **28th of June** 1916
 Deserted at _____ on the _____ of _____ 1916

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 12th May. 16 ...	6	9	1
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay 47 days at £110 from 13/5 to 1/7/16 £512⁰	10	12	5
		£	s.	d.	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at _____ from _____ to _____			
	Egypt 21 2 1916	1	-	6	Messing allowance _____ days at _____ from _____ to _____			
	13 3 "	10			Kit allowances			
		1	10	6	Amount produced by the sale of Effects			
	Allotment 47 days @ 50c. \$23⁵⁰	4	16	7	Am _____			
	Consolidated stoppage				De _____			
	Balance due by the Paymaster	10	14	5	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£17	1	6		£17	1	6

This account is in accordance with information received at the Pay & Record Office to _____ and is therefore correct and amend- ment if, and as may be found necessary.

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the _____ is correctly chargeable against the Public (c).

Debtor **Warranted**
 55, VICTORIA ST.,
 LONDON, S. W.
 this **23 NOV 1916** of _____

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Paymaster.

(c) This form should be filled in when the deceased died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if it is not already sent to War Office with Army Form B. 2030 or Army Form O. 1615.
 (d) Words in italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

PAY LIST.

to 28th June

1916. Voucher No.

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STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

Form 1.

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month				Balance Cr. last month 12th May. 16	6	9	3
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay 47 days at £1¹⁰ from 13/5 to 1/7/16 £51¹⁰	10	12	5
	Egypt 21 2 1916	1	-	6	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from _____ to _____			
	" 13 3 " "			10	Messing allowance days at from _____ to _____			
	"				Kit allowance			
	Allotment 47 days @ 50c. \$23⁵⁰	4	16	7	Amount produced by the sale of Effects from Form 2			
	Consolidated stoppage				Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
	Balance due by the Paymaster	10	14	5	Deferred Pay or Gratuity			
		£17	1	6	Balance due to the Paymaster	£17	1	6

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).

58, VICTORIA ST.,
 LONDON, S. W.
23 NOV 1916
 of

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Paymaster.

(a) Has the debtor died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed here.
 (b) Words in italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

PAY LIST

1st 24th June

1918

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT

Residence of wife 1st Newfoundland

No. 284 Rank Private

Name A. Wright

Regt. Infantry at France

on the 24th of June

1918

Deceased at

on the

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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	Gr.	£		s	d
		£	s				£	s		
	Balance Dr. last month					Balance Cr. last month 18th May 16	6	9		3
	Cash loans (Date of each loan to be stated)					Pay 47 days at \$110 from 23/5/17/18 \$61	10	12		3
	Egypt 21 2 1918	1	6			Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay				
	15 5 - "		3			Days at from to				
				1	10	6	Messing allowance days at			
							from to			
							ED allowance			
							Amount paid to the paymaster			
	Allowment 47 days @ 20c. \$95.00			4	18	7				
	Consolidated									
	Balance due by the Paymaster	10	14		5	Balance due to the Paymaster				

This account is in accordance with information received at the Pay & Record Office to 28N/ and is therefore subject to amendment if, and as may be found necessary.

I hereby certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the same is correctly chargeable against the Public.



1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

IDENTITY CERTIFICATE

This is to Certify that:

(Name*) *Mrs Annie Delt Wright*
 (Address) *Shoal Brook, Bonne Bay*
 (Relation or otherwise) *Mother* is the person nominated
 by *Arthur Delt Wright* Rank *Private* Regl. No. *944*
 to draw Allotment Pay, as authorized on Form K, No. *864*, dated *March 3rd* 191*5*
 Date Allotment commences *March 27th* 191*5*

Dated at *St Johns Nfld* (Sig.) *Eric Skjapari*
MAR - 3 1915 191*5* Officer Commanding
 Company

NOTE - Allotments will be payable at the Regimental Pay Department Office, on and after the 7th day of the month following that for which Pay is due. On Week Days from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. and 2.30 to 4 p.m.; Saturdays, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Payments can only be made on production of this Certificate.

Specimen Signature

Mrs Annie Wright
 (*)

Witness to Signature of Allottee

John C. Lapper

Bonne Bay
 Allottee

PAYMENTS

Date Paid	Amount	Payee's Signature	Date Paid	Amount	Payee's Signature
<i>May 5</i>	<i>17 00</i>		<i>May 7</i>	<i>15 50</i>	
<i>June 8</i>	<i>15 50</i>		<i>May 1</i>	<i>14 50</i>	
<i>JUL 6 1915</i>	<i>15</i>		<i>May 1</i>	<i>15 50</i>	
<i>Aug 10</i>	<i>15 50</i>		<i>May 1</i>	<i>15 50</i>	
<i>Sept 10</i>	<i>15 50</i>		<i>JUN 1 1915</i>	<i>15</i>	
<i>OCT 5 1915</i>	<i>15</i>		<i>July 1</i>	<i>15</i>	
<i>NOV 1 1915</i>	<i>15 50</i>				
<i>Jan 7</i>	<i>15 50</i>				

April 19. 19

Secretary,
Board of Pension Commissioners,
C i t y.

Dear Sir.

Re #244, Pte. Arthur Wight

Referring to your letter of Jan. 14/'19

I beg to state that the amount paid in continuance
of this soldier's allotment is \$458.50 (Four
hundred and fifty-eight dollars and fifty cents)

Yours truly,

Capt.
Paymaster.

May 9th. 1918.

Samuel Wight, Esq.,
Shoal Brook,
Bonnie Bay.

J.P.B.

Dear Sir,-

I enclose herewith cheque for \$55.87,
being the balance of the Estate of the late No. 944,
Private A. Wight, payable to you as Administrator.

I also enclose Letters of Administration.

Yours faithfully,

Capt. B. Paymaster &
Officer i/c Record.s.

Encl. 2.
J/H.

Bonne Bay New York 17 1919
Shoalbrook

5221

944

Dear sir i think i
am intitled to some thing
as my son give his life
a ransome for his king
and Countory and for
this great peacc wich
has come to all of us
i am told that he gave
his life nobley for his
king and Countory
i have one son that
can work another who
has been a envelaid last
eight yeates i am geting
seven years sixty

Samuel Wight

No 864



1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
ALLOTMENTS

I, *C. J. [unclear]*, Regl. No. *1114*
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of *50* Dollars and *00* 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. :

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
<i>13</i>		<i>Wm. [unclear]</i>	<i>3 Main Bay Road [unclear]</i>	<i>50</i>
			Total Allotment, \$	

NOTE.—This form must be completed by the Officer Commanding Company, signed by the Volunteer, countersigned by the Officer Commanding Company and handed to the Paymaster as authority to make the required payments on application.

(Sig.) *[Signature]*
 Officer Commanding

(Sig.) *Arthur Wright*
 (Rank) *Private*

[Signature]
 Company
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DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 55 ⁸⁷/₁₀₀

May 8th 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Fifty five 87 Dollars.
on account of Pay Estate
balance

Ch. No.	6438	Initials	ew
Pay Ledger	R1	Initials	Y. J. G.
Gen. Ledger	51	Initials	Y. J. G.

Regtl. No. _____

J. P. B.

No. 944 Rank Pte

Name A. Night

Samuel Night

Shoal Brook.

Bonne Bay

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 11 1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of
the late No. *Pvt* Rank *176*
Name *Arthur Wright*
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Mrs. Samuel Wright (Sgd.)
Mother Relationship.

Address *Shwal Brook, Bonna Bay*

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RECEIPT.

C.R. 944

I hereby certify that I have received the 1914-1915

STAR.

No 944 Name Pte. A Wight. Dec

Witness. Mrs Annie Wight

Date January 21 1920

Place Shoal Brook
Bonne Bay.

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TRACER.

DEPARTMENT OF THE COLONIAL SECRETARY,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

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FROM - *Mr Samuel Wight Shoal Brook Bonne Bay*
DATE - *28 Dec 16* ENCLOSURES -

SUBJECT - *Effects of hu* REFERRED TO *Dep. Master*
son, K. in A. UNDER DATE *9 Jan 17*

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W-7-4-16.

Deputy Colonial Secretary.

Mrs. Samuel Wight,
Shoal Brook,
Bonne Bay.

Deputy Colonial Secretary.

Mr. J. M. Howley,
Registrar's Dept.,
St. John's.

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January 9, 1917.

Dear Madam,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 28th December and I am forwarding the same to the Paymaster's Department here, asking them to procure what information is possible in connection with this matter and to forward the same to you direct.

Yours truly,

Deputy Colonial Secretary.

Mrs. Samuel Wight,
 Shoal Brook,
 Bonne Bay.

Deputy Colonial Secretary.

Mr. Lieut. J.H. Hooley,
 Paymaster's Dept.,
 St. John's.

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January 9, 1917.

Sir,

I beg to forward herewith letter, under date 28th December, from Mrs. Samuel Wight, of Shoal Brook, Bonne Bay, asking information regarding her son's clothing and balance of wages due him. I shall be glad if you will take up this matter direct with Mrs. Wight. So far as clothes and money left with his relatives in England is concerned, I presume you will be able to do very little, but there will probably be a balance due him by the Record Office and he would doubtless have had some effects with him, which would come forward through that Agency. I should be glad, therefore, in writing Mrs. Wight, if you would give her full particulars as to what it is possible for you to do.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Colonial Secretary.

2nd. Lieut. J.M. Howley,
Paymaster's Dept.,
Ct. W.

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July 12, 1916.

Dear Madam,

It was with the deepest regret that the Government received a cable from the Record Office, London, reporting that your son, Private Arthur White, had been killed in action on the 28th of June last.

Permit me to tender you on behalf of the Government, as well as for myself, the sincerest sympathy in this time of sorrow. We all feel the loss of our loved ones and the whole community unites in sympathy with you at this time.

It is, I have no doubt, some comfort to think that your brave boy came forward early as the call of King and Country and has given his life, after a gallant fight, in defence of the principles of Righteousness, Truth and Liberty. His name will be inscribed upon the glorious Roll of Honour and be held in fragrant memory by all his fellow countrymen. We are proud of our brave lads and equally proud of the noble and loyal fathers and mothers who he unselfishly gave their boys when the Call of Duty came. Though your noble son has laid down his earthly weapons he is wearing to-day the Soldier's Crown of Victory, and when peace again reigns amongst us it will be your proud thought that he did his part to the fullest extent in bringing again that condition of things.

I trust that you may have the comforting presence of the Father of us all.

With my sincerest sympathy,
Believe me to be,
Your obedient servant,

White
Mrs. Samuel ~~White~~ Brock,
Borne Bay.

Colonial Secretary.

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)Signature of Sender *J. R. Bennett*

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Dated

July 10, 1916.

To

Mr. John Campbell,

Nerris's Point.

Regret to inform you that No. 944, Private Arthur

Wright
White, son of Mrs. Samuel White, Shoal Brook, Bonne Bay,
was killed in action on June twentyeighth. Kindly
inform relatives.

J.R. BENNETT

Colonial Secretary.

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To

Mrs. Samuel White, *Wight*

Shoal Bay,

Benne Bay.

Regret to inform you that No. 944, Private Arthur

White White was killed in action on June twentieth.

J.R. BENNETT

Colonial Secretary.

NOTE FOR OPERATOR:

This message is not to be sent until Receiving Office notifies that message to Mr. Campbell, Norris's Pt., has been delivered and acted upon.

FOR TYPEWRITER

C.R. 944

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record
Office, London, dated July 10, 1916.

#944 Pte. A. Wight. ✓

Killed in Action 28/6/16.

C.R. 944

Extract from Nominal Roll of "D" Co. 1st Bn. MFLA. Regt.
Embarked at Devonport 20-8-15. for Active Service.

944 Pte. A. Wight.

Disembarked Alexandria 31-8-15 proceeded to Abbassia, Cairo,
same date Embarked Alexandria for Gallipoli, 12-9-15.

C.R. 944

Extract from Nominal Roll of Draft embarked for overseas
per S.S. Stephens March 20th, 1918

#944 Pte. A. White.

C.R. 944

Arthur Wight was attested for General service
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on ..Jan. 29th 1914..
Regimental No 944 was allotted to Pte. Arthur Wight.

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

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Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland
 Regimental No. C.R. 944 Rank Plt Name White, J.
 Enlisted (a) Jan 19/15 Terms of Service (a) 12 mo Wright Service reckons from (a) Jan 27/15
 Date of promotion to present rank _____ Date of appointment to lance rank _____ Numerical position on roll of N.C.Os. _____
 Extended Discharged Re-engaged Aug 1/15 Qualification (b) _____

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, assignments, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 56, 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. 56, or other official documents.
		Embarked St. John's, NFLD.		20.3.15	
		Embarked Alexandria		1.9.15	
		Embarked for Gallipoli		13.9.15	
		Emb'kd Port Suez		14.3.16	
		Disemb'kd MARSEILLE S		22.3.16	
28.6.16	Unit	Bomb Wounds, Killed in Action	France	28.6.16	B 213.
					<u>all done</u> Capt. for Lt. Col., Officers 1/2 Infantry Records, 3rd Echelon, B.C.F.
					S.N.C. 8.7.16

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

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Regiment of Newfoundland

Number of Sheet _____

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Signature of O. C. Company J. March
Capt.

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No.	<u>944 White A.</u>	Age on	<u>25</u> years - months	<u>Carpenter</u>	
Joined	Date	Date of Enlistment	<u>Jan 29 1915</u>	Religion	
Joined	Date	Period of	with Colours <u>15 1/2</u> years. with Reserve <u>3 1/2</u> years.	<u>Methodist</u>	
Joined	Date				

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Case of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
<u>St. 160</u> <u>camp</u>	<u>3 7/15</u>	<u>Plt.</u>		<u>Absent Tattooed C.</u>	<u>Cope.</u>	<u>6 days C.C.</u>	<u>7 7/15</u>	<u>Capt J. March</u>	<u>244</u>
	<u>4 7/15</u>			<u>Rebe Church paras,</u> <u>absent Tattooed C.</u>	<u>Mew.</u>				
	<u>7 7/15</u>			<u>Refusing to obey</u> <u>an order.</u>	<u>Capt Avice</u> <u>Sgt Green</u>	<u>5 days C.O.</u>	<u>8 7/15</u>	<u>do.</u>	<u>244</u>
	<u>20 7/15</u>			<u>Using profane</u> <u>language in tent</u>	<u>Lieut</u> <u>Knight</u>	<u>6 days C.C.</u>	<u>22 7/15</u>	<u>do.</u>	<u>244</u>
	<u>22 7/15</u>			<u>Insubordination</u>	<u>Sgt Lewis</u>				
				<u>Killed in action 28 6</u>					
				To be carried over					

Casualty Form—Active Service.

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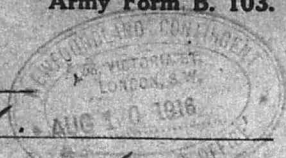
Regiment or Corps Newfoundland

Regimental No. 944 Rank Pte Name Wright A.

Enlisted (a) 29.1.16 Terms of Service (a) one year Service reckons from (a) Jan 29/15

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

Extended Duration Re-engaged 15.5.15 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				
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		Disembarked Marseilles		22.3.16	
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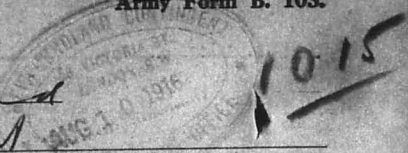
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Enlisted (a) Jan 29/15 Terms of Service (a) 12 in Wight Service reckons from (a) Jan 29/15

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

Extended Ordnance Re-engaged Aug 5/15 Qualification (b) _____



Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 113, Army Form A. 35, 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				

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Embarked Port Suez 14.3.16

Disembarked MARSEILLE S 22.3.16

78.6.16 Unit Bomb Wounds, France 78.6.16 B 213.
Killed in action

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S.N.Q.
8.7.16

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