



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

ATTESTATION OF

No. 1623 Name Edward Butt Corps _____

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

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| 1. What is your name? | 1. <u>Edward Butt</u> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>St. Lawrence</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>yes</u> |
| 4. What is your Age? | 4. <u>18</u> Years <u>8</u> Months. |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>bookman</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 |
| | { 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, Edward Butt 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.

Edward Butt SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
Edward Butt Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Edward Butt 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 23 day of July 1915
Signature of the Attesting Officer. Edward Butt

† Certificate of Approving Officer.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the : _____
If enlisted by special authority, such will be attached to the original attestation.

Date _____ 191 _____
Place _____ } Approving Officer.

† The signature of the Approving Officer is to be affixed in the presence of the Recruit.
‡ Here insert the " Corps" for which the Recruit has been enlisted.

* If so, the 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) _____



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| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. What is your Age? | 4. <u>19</u> Years <u>8</u> Months. |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>Fisherman</u> |
| 6. Are you Married? | 6. <u>No.</u> |
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 on this 12th day of July 1915
E. J. Jones
 Signature of the Attesting Officer.

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1623

1623

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.
 Applicable to all ranks. To correspond with entries on the Medical History Sheet.

Name Edward Butt
 Apparent age 18 years 8 months. Height 5 feet 6 inches.
 Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 36 inches.
 Range of expansion 4 inches.
 Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin James Butt, Peter Crossing
Bay of Idles. | 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	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank.	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Re-serve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from _____									
Joined at _____ on _____									
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days									
" " " Pension " _____ (") _____ " _____ "									

Regimental Number 623

Company _____

THE
1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

I hereby enlist for service at home or abroad in the King's Forces under the following conditions:

For the duration of the present war, or until my discharge.

Subject to the Army Act, the King's Regulations, and to such ordinances as may apply or may be made to apply to the British Regular Army.

Subject to the Newfoundland Volunteer Act, 5 George V., Chapter IV.

Signed Edward Butt

Witness J Robertson

Dated at _____



_____ 191

C.R. 1623

August 29th 1919.

Mrs. Sophia Butt,
Petries,
Bay of Islands.

Dear Madam:-

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 7th inst. addressed to the Hon. J.R. Bennett, with reference to your obtaining the gratuity monies of your late son, #1623, Pte. Edward Butt.

I am directed to state that War Service Gratuity is not payable to the next of kin of the deceased soldier, as it is only intended to be a personal payment to the soldier to enable him to resume his duties in civil life.

I am enclosing form for Separation Allowance which if you will kindly fill in, your claim will be considered, and you will be informed of the result.

Yours Sincerely,

LT. COL.

CHIEF STAFF OFFICER.

FAB/AW.

7 August 1919

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Dear Sir just a few to see
if i can get my son
grawitely money all the rest
get it around iam toll
that i should get it to
young men around here
getting it and was not
at the front at all they
are not sick neither
are they wounded nothing
wrong with them
my son laid down his
life so i am entilled
to his money iam
a sickly woman
i need it will you
kindly get it for me
if you please

his. no 1623
privet Edward Butt

will you please answer
Back my letter again

your truly

mrs sophia Butt

petrus crossing

Bay of islands

mr J P Bennett

1623 E. Butt

No Answer

C.R. 1623

Aug. 28th. 1919.

The Honourable,
The Colonial Secretary.

Sir:-

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your communication of the 19th. inst., with enclosure from Mrs. Sophia Butt of Petries Crossing, Bay of Islands, regarding Gratuity, payable to her son, No. 1623 Pte. Edward Butt. A reply will be made direct to Mrs Butt in the matter.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your Obedient Servant.

Minister of Militia.

C.R. 1623

Extract from Nominal Roll of Mfld. Regt. embarked Devonport
13-3-16 for Egypt, transferred to B.E.F. & Disembarked Mar-
seilles 3-4-16.

1623 Pte. E. Butt.

C.R. 1623

Extract of Nominal Roll Draft (All Ranks) to 1st Bn.,
B.E.F., Embarked Southampton.

1623 Pte. E. Butt.

3-10-16.

C.R. 1623

May 20th, 1919

Mrs. Sophia Butt
Petrie's Crossing

Dear Madam:-

Your letter addressed to the Col. Secretary, dated 11th May, has been forwarded to this Department for attention; and I beg to inform you that we are taking steps to procure for you, if possible, a photograph of the grave of your son No. 1623, Pte. Edward F. Butt, and also any personal effects of his that may be procurable. I shall again communicate with you when reply to our enquiries is received.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Col.,

Chief Staff Officer.

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Chief Staff Officer.
Pay & Record Office
Newfoundland Contingent
58 Victoria Street
London, S.W.1

May 20th

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1623, Pte. Edward F. Butt, Deceased

The mother of the above mentioned deceased soldier has requested that an endeavour be made to procure a photograph of the grave of her son, and also any further personal effects of his which may be procurable. I should be glad if you would apply to the D.S.S.E. for the photo, and endeavour to locate anything further in the way of effects of this soldier.

Minister of Militia

C.R. 1623

Extract from Nominal Roll of Mfld. Regt. Draft No. 11,
from 2nd Bn. Depot, to 1st Bn. B.E.F. Embarked Southampton,
3-10-16.

1623 Pte. E. Butt.

C.R. 1623



16th May, 1919.

Sir,

I enclose herewith letter under date 11th instant, from Mrs. Sophia Butt, Petrie's Crossing, who is anxious to obtain a photograph of the grave of her son, the late Pte. Edward F. Butt, No. 1623, and also any personal effects of his which may be procurable.

Kindly give this matter your attention, and communicate with Mrs. Butt in relation thereto.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

W. Dafford
Colonial Secretary.

J. R. Bennett, Esq.,
Minister of Militia.

11 May 1919

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Dear Sir would you be
so kind as to try and get
the photo of my dear son
grave com for me i
would like to have it
i dont know were to write
to would you be so
kind as to do it for me
i would like to get some
of his belongings to and
his Betty bag he been
dead 2 years know
i got nothing yet

lot of the people here
got it come iam sending
to you to see if you will
do it for me

this his to his a dress
pte Edward F Butt
No 10 2 B

Newfoundland regt

hoping to hear from
you again

yours truly was sophia
Butt

J R Bennett
St Johns

petries
crossing

~~St~~
Newfoundland

MAY 15th 1919.

Hon. W.W. Halfyard,
Colonial Secretary.

Sir:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 16th inst., covering letter from Mrs. Sophia Butt, of Petrie's Crossing, with reference to the gravesite and personal effects of her son, the late #1623 Pte. E.F. Butt.

I may say that this matter is receiving immediate attention, and we shall communicate with Mrs. Butt direct.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

Minister of Militia.

C.R. 1623

August 29th 1919.

Mrs. J. Butt,

Petries Crossing,

Bay of Islands.

No. 1623 Pte. E. Butt, Deceased.

Dear Madam:

With reference to your request to be furnished with a photograph of the grave of your son, I have to state that we forwarded your wishes to our London Office who applied to the Director of Graves Registration and Enquiries, they state that no trace can be found of this soldiers grave, but it is hoped that Major Nangle who has gone to France for the purpose of endeavouring to locate unregistered graves might be successful in finding your son's. It is hoped that further information may be forthcoming at a later date.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Col.

CHIEF STAFF OFFICER

C.R. 1623

Extract from Casualties received from Pay and Record Office,
London dated 25th., February, 1918

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#1623 Pte. E. Butt,

G.S.W L. FOOT.

BC?



C.R. 1623⁷⁹

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

P. O. BOX No 1242

TELEPHONE No. 361

CABLES AND TELEGRAMS TO
"PAYDEPT."
ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND

ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO BE
ADDRESSED TO THE
PAYMASTER

PAY DEPARTMENT

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

July 14th. 1917. 191

Hon. J. R. Bennett,

Colonial Secretary.

Sir:-

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter of July 12th., enclosing communication from Mr. James Butt, Bay of Islands.

I am taking the matter up direct with Mr. Butt.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant.

A. M. M. A. D. D. C.

Lieut.
Deputy Paymaster.

HMM/JH.

C.R.

G.

12th July, 1917.

Sir,

I beg to forward herewith letter from Mr. James Butt, Bay of Islands, whose son, No. 1623, has fallen in the fight. Mr. Butt desires that his son's belongings shall be forwarded to him, and I shall be glad if you will kindly take note of the matter and deal with it accordingly.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

Colonial Secretary.

Lieut. J. M. Howley,
Deputy Paymaster,
City.

TRACER.

C.R. 1623

DEPARTMENT OF THE COLONIAL SECRETARY,
NEWFOUNDLAND

TO BE SUBSTITUTED ON FILES FOR ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS DURING TEMPORARY REMOVAL.

From—

James Butty

Date—

June 4/17

Enclosures :

Subject—

Belongings of
~~1623~~ 1623 Mr Butty

Referred to

Lieut Hroley

Under date

July 17/17

M.

C.R. 1623

G.

12th July, 1917.

Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of your letter, asking that the effects of your son may be forwarded to you, and I am bringing the matter to the notice of the Deputy Paymaster here, who gives attention to such matters, and who will, upon receipt of any goods belonging to your son, forward them to you without delay.

Yours truly,

Colonial Secretary.

Mr. James Butt,
Bay of Islands.

C.R. 1623 79

Counter No. _____

NEW FOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

Cable Connection with all the World



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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.

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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 Edw. Butt Address _____

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	Check
		for	Sec. by	

Dated

April 26, 1917.

To

Mr. James Butt,

Petries Crossing,

Bay of Islands.

Regret to inform you Record Office, London, today reports No. 1623, Private Edward Butt, was killed in action April fourteenth.

J.R. BENNETT

Colonial Secretary

C.R.

1623
Counter No.

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender

Edw. Hillier

Address

Line Number

Rcd

By

Sent

by

Check

Dated

April 26, 1917.

To

Capt. Hillier, S.A.,
Curling.

Regret to inform you Record Office, London, today reports No. 1623, Private Edward Butt, son of James Butt, Petries Crossing, was killed in action April fourteenth. Please inform relatives.

J.R. BENNETT

Colonial Secretary

C.R. 1623

Extract from War Office List Q1175. 23-4-17

NFLD. CONTINGENT.

#1623 Pte. E. Butt.

KILLED IN ACTION 14-4-17. R/b OC. Unit 15-4-17

C.R. 1623

Extract of Casualties received from Pa & Record Office,
London, dated August 3rd, 1916.

#1623 Pte. E. Butt. ✓

Discharged from Hospital, granted furlough from 2/8/16 to
11/8/16. fit for Duty.

C.R. 1623

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,
London, dated July 31, 1916.

(Extract from Army Form B 213, from O.C. 1st, Nfld Regt.
dated 11/7/16.)

#1623 Pte. E. Butt. ✓

Wounded in Action ~~11/7/16~~ 1/7/16.

C.R. 1623

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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

July 10th. 1916

1633, Pte E. Butt. ✓

1st Newfoundland R. GSW. Foot L.

Adm. 1 Can. Gen

Hos. Etaples 3rd July 1916.

CR 1623
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(NOT TRANSMITTED) *Arthur News*

Signature of Sender _____ Address _____

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check
			<i>W.S.M.</i>		

Dated 10th July, 1916.

To **SYNOPTICAL,**
LONDON.

**W.S.M. The following for 1623 Butt Are you seriously wounded
Anxious to hear Mrs. James Butt.**

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

C.R. 1623

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD



Line No. 14 Sent by [Signature] Rec'd by [Signature] Check [Signature]

Place from Stirling 10

To W. Sm private

JUL 30 1910
Edward Butt

no 1623 L. Company
1st Nfld Regt.
Sp J. A. Bennett
Col Secty

Are you seriously
wounded anxious to
hear
Mrs James Butt

1623
Counter No. _____

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Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check
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Dated 7 July, 1916.

To Mr. James Butt, Petrie's Crossing.

Regret to inform you No. 1623 Private Edward Butt reported Wandsworth Hospital, wounded left foot.

J. R. Bennett,
COLONIAL SECRETARY.

C.R. 1623

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record
Office, London, dated July 7, 1916.

#1623 Pte. E. Butt. ✓

Gurshot wound left foot.

Admitted 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth,
July 5, 1916.

CR 1623

Extract from Nominal Roll, G. Co., entrained St. John's 27/10/18 for Overseas

1623 Pte. E. Butt.

C.R. 1623

Edward Butt

was attested for General Service

with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on June 26th 1915.

Regimental No. **1623** was allotted to Pte **E. Butt.**

AUTHORITY:

Record Officer

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th, 1919.

E. Butts.

1633.

P. T. P. O.

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Bull

Christian Name Edward

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish _____ County W'ld

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <u>25</u> day of <u>June</u> 191 <u>5</u>		on _____ day of _____ 191	
	at <u>St Johns W'ld</u>		at _____	
Declared Age	<u>19</u> years		_____ years	_____ days
Trade or Occupation	<u>Asherman</u>		_____	_____
Height	<u>5</u> feet	<u>6</u> inches	_____ feet	_____ inches
Weight	<u>129</u> lbs.		_____ lbs.	_____ lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded... <u>36</u> inches		_____ inches	_____ inches
	Range of expansion... <u>4</u> inches		_____ inches	_____ inches
Physical Development	_____		_____	_____
Vaccination Marks	Arm	_____	_____	_____
	Number	_____	_____	_____
When Vaccinated	<u>no</u>		_____	_____
Vision	R. E.—V==	<u>4/6</u>	R. E.—V==	_____
	L. E.—V==	<u>4/6</u>	L. E.—V==	_____
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a) _____		(a) _____	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection	(b) _____		(b) _____	
Approved by (Signature)	<u>Samuel Patterson</u>		_____	_____
(Rank)	<u>Capt.</u>		_____	_____
	Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at <u>St Johns</u>		at _____	
	on <u>25</u> day of <u>June</u> 191 <u>5</u>		on _____ day of _____ 191	
Joined on Enlistment	Corps	<u>1st W'ld Reg</u>	Corps.	_____
	Regtl. No.	<u>1623</u>	Regtl. No.	_____
Transferred to	_____		_____	
Became non-effective by	_____		_____	
(Signature)	on _____ day of _____ 191		on _____ day of _____ 191	
(Rank)	_____		_____	

Table III.—Boards: 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
15-10-15	
19-11-15	Vaco. R.P. Graham Lt. Ranc.
9-12-15	TV. II R.P. Graham Lt. Ranc.
2-10-16	fit Active Service H. H. W.

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
56 Johns R. Co					

Admitted 5.7.16

Army Form W. 3016

No. _____

Date August 2nd 1916



(1) To the Officer i/c Records,

58 Victoria St
S.W. (Station.)

(2) The Officer Commanding,

Newfoundland Contingent
Army (Station.)

(3) The Paymaster,

58 Victoria St
S.W. (Station.)

Regimental No. 1623

Rank and Name Plt. Butt E.

Regiment or Corps 1st Newfoundland Contingent

has been granted a furlough from Aug-2nd to Aug-11th

His address while on leave will be:—

58 Victoria St. S.W

This man has been furnished with a Warrant for Victoria and given an advance of £1 (one pound)

I consider he is fit for ^{Duty.} ~~Leave.~~

Horace Fagan Capt. R.A.M.C.(F)

Officer in charge Registrar, R.A.M.C.F. Hospital,
5th London General Hospital,
WANDSWORTH, S. W. (Station.)

* Strike out that which is inapplicable.

Four copies to be made, and one copy sent to each Officer mentioned above and one copy filed in the office.

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1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, Edward Butt, Regl. No. 1623
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of
50 Dollars and fifty Cents, per diem, from my Pay,
 to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person ^{and} _{or} Persons, such payment to be made on proof
 of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person ^{and} _{or} Persons
 concerned, viz. :
 Allotment begins Oct 30/15

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
1739	Trustee	Tom March in trust for Emma Dwyer	Burlington Rd. St. John's	50
<p>This Allotment to be paid till claim of \$30.00 is satisfied when allotted 1697 comes into force</p> <p style="text-align: right;">E Butt</p>				
Total Allotment, \$				

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

Sig.) [Signature]
 Officer Commanding Company
Company 25
St John's N. 1791 5

(Sig.) Edward Butt
 (Rank) private

ORIGINAL. 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 } NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company } C. Company 07
 or
 CORPS }



Regtl. No. 1623 Rank Private

Name BUTT, E.



Date April 14th., 1917.

Died Place France.

Cause of Death* Killed in Action.

Nature and Date of Report B 213, 15/4/17.

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.

Place _____

Buried 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) do
 (c) as a separate document do

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.

Signature of Officer in charge of Section Adjutant-General's Office at the Base } Doohill Lieut. for Lt. Col.,
 Officer i/c Records Reg. Inf. Sec. 1,
 3rd. Echelon, G.H.Q., B.E.F.

Station and Date 3rd. Echelon, 22/4/17.

TRIPPLICATE

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 } NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT } Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company } C Company

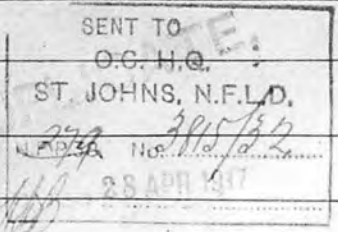
Regtl. No. 1623 Rank Private

Name BUTT, E.

Date April 14th., 1917.

Died Place France.

Cause of Death* Killed in Action.



Nature and Date of Report B 213, 15/4/17.

By whom made O.C., Unit.

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Burial Place Date By whom reported

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Signature of Officer in charge of Section Adjutant-General's Office at the Base } [Signature] Lieut. for Lt. Col., Officer i/c Records Reg. Inf. Sec. 1, 3rd. Echelon, G.H.Q., B.E.F.

Station and Date 3rd. Echelon, 22/4/17.

PAY LIST.

to

191 . Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps No. *1623*

Rank *Private*
at *France*

Name *Buth E.*
on the *14th* of *April* 191*7*
on the of 191 .

Died (a) *Intestate*
Deserted at

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>14. 4. 17</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>6</i>
	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			
	"				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)			
					Deferred Pay or Gratuity			
	Balance due by the Paymaster	<i>15</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>6</i>	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£ <i>15</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>6</i>		£ <i>15</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>6</i>

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ 15 2 6 is correctly chargeable against the Public (b).

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

Dated at *St. John's* this *14* day of *April* 191*7*

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.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT



No. 1269/1

Pay & Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W.,

12th, February 1917

To: 1623, Pte. E. Butt,
1/1st. Newfoundland Regiment,
B. E. F.

With reference to your request dated 1/4/17 ? (),
Postal money Order No. 38406 for £ 3. 0. 0.
has been sent to: Miss Isa Miller, 122, Georges Street,
Ayr, Scotland.
and charged to your account.

H. V. Simmell Major,
Paymaster & Officer i/c records.

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



RYE & SPURRIER, Ltd., Lond.

POST OFFICE TELEGRAPHS.

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 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. being reckoned as $\frac{1}{2}$ d.; 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 of Origin and Service Instructions.

11 JUL 1916

H. J. H. H. H.

Charges } s. d.
to pay }



Handed in at } 10.30a Received here at } 11.0 a

N.W. 2678/1

TO

W.S.M. Synoptical Ldn

The following for 1628 but
are you seriously wounded
anxious to hear Mrs
Butt James

Colonial Secretary.

3 L.G.H.

POST OFFICE TELEGRAMS
PAY HERE
2287
JUL 11 1916 11.30

M. F. 300
12/17
to

France

Capt. Turnerwell

1/4/17

W. Please remit to Miss
Isa Miller 122 George St-
Ayr Scotland the sum of
3 Pounds and charge
to my account-

I am yours respectfully
No 1623 E Butt

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	757
Rec'd.	FEB 12 1917 L D Regt-
Ack'd.	
Ans'd.	M. O. 38406 12/1/17
File No.	

Company C

Department of Militia

MEMORANDUM

No. 160/1623.

From
MINISTER OF MILITIA,
 ST. JOHN'S,
 NEWFOUNDLAND

To
Chief Staff Officer,
Pay & Record Office
Newfoundland Contingent
58 Victoria Street
London, S.W.1

May 20th 1919

10352

SUBJECT:

REPLY

1623, Pte. Edward F. Butt, Deceased

Dated 11th August, 1919.

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE

The mother of the above mentioned deceased soldier has requested that an endeavour be made to procure a photograph of the grave of her son, and also any further personal effects of his which may be procurable. I should be glad if you would apply to the D.G.R.E. for the photo, and endeavour to locate anything further in the way of effects of this soldier.

Enquiries have been made, but it is regretted that no trace can be found of this soldier's grave by the D.G.G.R. & E., nor can any effects be traced.

Possibly Major Nangle, who is shortly going to France, may be able to furnish information at a later date with regard to a grave.

J.R. Bennett

J.B.B.

Capt.,
 Asst. Military Secretary,
 for Chief Staff Officer (London).

Minister of Militia

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
 PAY & RECORD OFFICE.
 Ref. Nos. 160/1623
 Rec'd 2. JUN 1919
 Ack'd
 Ref. Nos. 160/1623
 [Handwritten initials]

ESTABL.
 Comd.
 P.S.A.
 R. & C.
 B. & E.

Chief Staff Officer
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX (London)

45h June,

9.

D. G. G. R. & E.,

8346/48/R.&.C.

War Office, Winchester House,

St. James's Square, S.W. 1.

No. 1623 PTE. E. F. BUTT
1st Bn. The Royal Newfoundland Regt.

I have received an application from the Minister of Militia of Newfoundland for the photograph of the grave of the above-named man, who was killed in action 14/4/17. His grave site has not yet been reported.

Will you please furnish this office with particulars of the grave site and photograph, if procurable.

Major,

Chief Staff Officer (London).

HB/NV

Mr. H. G. G. R. & E.
5/6/19

Monchyn's - heat map Ref. 1.100000

Reference: -C.C.M/55/27669.

The Officer in Charge,
Newfoundland Record Office,
38, Victoria Street, S.W.1.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT'S RECORD OFFICE
 PAY & RECORD OFFICE.
 RECORDED IN 45071 JUL 1919
 JUL 19 '9
 CKM
 AND BY CHAUMBERS
 ET. NOS. 001

1623 Private E.F. Butt,
 1st Battalion,
 Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
 Killed 14th April, 1917.

Reference your 8346/48/R.&.C. dated 4th June, 1919,
the grave of above mentioned man is not located. As I
understand that the records of this Battalion are now,
in your possession. I shall be glad if you could give
any information which would assist in locating his grave.

War Office,
Winchester House,
St. James's Square,
London, S.W.1.

Major,
for Major-General,
D.G.G.R.&.E.

9370/53/R.&C.

5th July,

9


D.G.G.R. & E.,
War Office,
Winchester House,
St. James's Square, S.W. 1.

Sir: 1623 Pte. E. F. Butt,
 1/Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regt.,
 Killed in Action, 14/4/17.

With reference to my No. 8346/48/R.&C. of 4/6/19
and your reply C.C.M./55/27669 of 1/7/19 (4507), asking for
any information which would assist in locating the late
Pte. Butt's grave: the only information at my disposal is
that on the 14/4/17 the 1st Bn., The Royal Newfoundland
Regiment, was operating at Monchy-le-Preux, map reference
1.100000.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,


Major,
Chief Staff Officer (London).

HB/JC

Butt, E

1623

Pay Sept

PAY LIST.

to

191 . Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps

No. 1825

Rank Private

Name Butt, B/

Died^(a) Intestate at France

on the 14th of April, 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	15	2	6
	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 included			
	Consolidated stoppage							
	Balance due by the Paymaster	15	2	6	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£ 15	2	6		£ 15	2	6

This account is in accordance with information received at the Pay & Record Office to 27 / 7 / 17 and is therefore subject to amendment if, and as may be found necessary.



I certify the above account is correct in every particular and is correctly chargeable against the NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

191 .

RECEIVED
PAY & RECORD OFFICE

(a) Show where 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. 2099 or Army Form O. 1815.

(b) Stoppage to be struck out when there is no debit balance.

PAY LIST.

to

191 . Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps

No. 1623

Rank Private

Name Butt, E.

Died (a) Intestate at France

on the 14th of April, 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 .. 14/4/17	15	2	6	
	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				
	Consolidated stoppage								
	Balance due by the Paymaster	15	2	6	Balance due to the Paymaster				
		£	15	2		£	15	2	6

This account is in accordance with information received at the Pay & Record Office to 27 / 7 / 17 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 debt balance shown is correctly chargeable against the Public (b).

Dated at

191 .

A. J. ...
PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE
Paymaster.

CHECKED.
11.6.17
H.C.

(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.

PAY LIST.

to

191 . Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps

No. 1623

Rank Private

Name Butt, E.

Died (a) Intestate at France

on the 14th of April, 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.		
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	"				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				Pay or Gratuity			
	Bal				Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£	15	2		£	15	2
				6				6

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular and that the debt balance shown is correctly chargeable against the Public (b).



Dated at this 11.6.17 1917

A. D. ...
PAYMASTER & OFFICIAL RECORDS
Paymaster (r).

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.

CHECKED
11.6.17
H.B.

DUPLICATE
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 } **NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT** Squadron, Troop, Battery }
or } }
CORPS } } or Company }

Regtl. No. **1623** Rank **Private**

Name **BUTT, E.**

Date **April 14th., 1917.**
Died { Place **France.**
Cause of Death* **Killed in Action.**

Nature and Date of Report **B 213, 15/4/17.**

By whom made **C.O., 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) **do**
(c) as a separate document **do**

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.

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Signature of Officer in charge } *Hooper*
of Section Adjutant-General's } **Lieut. for Lt. Col.,**
Office at the Base } **Officer i/c Records Reg. Inf. Sec. 1,**
3rd. Echelon, G.H.Q., B.E.F.

Station and Date **3rd. Echelon, 22/4/17.**

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland

Regimental No. 1623

Rank Plt

Name Butt C.

Enlisted (a) 26.6.16

Terms of Service (a) War

Service reckons from (a) _____

Date of promotion to present rank } _____

Date of appointment to lance rank } _____

Numerical position on roll of N.C.Os. } _____

Extended _____

Re-engaged _____

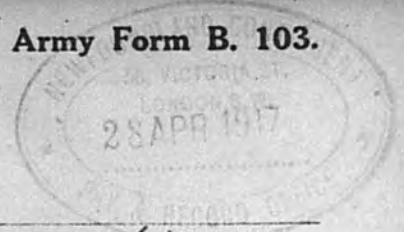
Qualification (b) _____



Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 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				
		<u>Siemba Marseille</u>		<u>2.4.16</u>	
	<u>872.A.</u>	<u>Lt. W. Foot Transf</u>	<u>C.C.B.</u>	<u>2.7.16</u>	<u>Ed 11968</u>
	<u>Can. Lt.</u>	<u>Lt. W. L. Foot</u>	<u>Etaples</u>	<u>2.7.16</u>	<u>S.A. 522</u>
		<u>Transferred to England</u>		<u>4.7.16</u>	<u>W 3083</u>
			<u>See A.C. Clerk</u>		<u>Cap</u>
					<u>for Hq. Infantry Records</u>
					<u>Lt. 3rd Echelon</u>

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

Casualty Form—Active Service.



Casualty Form B. 103

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland
 Regimental No. 1623 Rank Pte Name Butt, E.
 Enlisted (a) 26.6.15 Terms of Service (a) War. Service reckons from (a) 26.6.15
 Date of promotion } _____ Date of appointment } _____ Numerical position on } _____
 to present rank } _____ to lance rank } _____ 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. 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 Southampton		3.10.16	
		Assembled Rouen		4.10.16	
		Joined Battalion		14.10.16	
		With Battalion		23.11.17	
15.4.17	Dismiss	Killed in Action	France	14.4.17	B. 213

Sgt S. S. S. S.

*O/C No 1 Reg Infantry Section
 3rd Echelon*

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



1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, Edward Butt, Regl. No. 1623

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.:

Allotment begins Oct 30/15

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
1739		Trustee for march in trust for Emma Dwyer	Burling Bay Islands.	50.
<p>This allotment to be paid till claim of \$30.00 is satisfied when allotment 1697 comes into force</p> <p style="text-align: right;">E Butt</p>				
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.

[Signature]
 Officer Commanding
 Company
25
 St Johns N. Y. 1915

(Sig.) Edward Butt
 (Rank) private

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

Claimant... *Sophia Butt* (*Mother*)
On account of *Edward Butt* No. *1623* Rank. *Pte.*

Decision... *Refused*
Husband not incapacitated
.....
.....

Date... *March 16/1920*
W. J. Russell *Supt. Gen.*
M. Howley *Asst. Supt.*

Instructions.....
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1693
Allotment of *50⁴* per day payable to *Sophia Butt*
his *Mother* from *30/10/18* to *31/1/1921* *Bank of Montreal*
Discontinued on ~~account of~~ *by Pension Board*

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L. Pike *S. Sgt.*

NOTICE.

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

MOTHER.

(Separation Allowance Branch.)

THIS STATUTORY DECLARATION is to be filled in correctly in every detail, and a complete reply must be given to each question.

Each statement is considered as being made on oath, and the form is to be signed before a Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public or Justice of the Peace and returned to:

"The Paymaster"
Separation Allowance Branch,
St. John's, Nfld.

1. Name in full of soldier. Rank. Reg't. or Unit. Regt. No. *1623*
Edward Butt *Private*
2. Age of soldier. *22*. Married or Single. *Single*
3. Name in full of mother. Age. Occupation. Permanent Address.
Sophia Butt *49* *Housewife Pelvis*
4. Give name of your husband. Age. Occupation. Where Employed.
James Butt *53* *Fisherman on his own account.*
5. If your husband is not supporting you state the reason.
Husband doing his best to support his family
6. If your husband is a chronic invalid and totally incapacitated, state nature of malady. (A Medical Certificate must be enclosed with this document stating from what date husband has been totally incapacitated, and for how long incapacity is likely to continue.)
Suffering with heart failure
7. If you are a widow, state date and place of death of your husband.
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8. Have you married again since death of above mentioned husband?
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9. Names of your other children. Address in full. Age. Occupation Married or Single.
John 24 for himself *Mundarr age 16.* *Alfred 14*
Erick 9 *Duncan 10*

10. State amount earned by (a) Yourself
(b) Your husband,

11. State amount and source of any other income. *years ago this year a failure income depend on the fishery same*

12. State value of real property belonging to you and your husband.

13. State value of personal property belonging to you and your husband. *valued \$1000.*

14. If husband is dead state value of real and personal property left by him. *Husband Living*

15. Actual amount contributed by soldier during the year prior to enlistment. *Earnings given to mother for support \$200.00*

16. Was this amount contributed weekly or monthly. *generally at the end of the voyage*

17. Did this amount include payment of son's board etc. *yes*

18. State your son's trade or occupation prior to enlistment. *Fisherman*

19. State amount of his wages per week.

20. State name and address of his last employer. *Employed with his father*

21. State amount of monthly support from son since enlistment. *\$15.00 per month forwarded him at the ^{near the amount} Harfords*

22. State amount of allotment received by you from son since enlistment. *about \$40.00 after his death*

23. State from what date did you receive allotment? *Some time in 1918 about June*

24. Actual amount contributed by other children. *Weekly Monthly. all earnings go together for support of family*

25. Are any of these children in the employ of you or your husband? *all go together except John who is working for himself*

31- questions
26. If not receiving support from other children, state cause. Explain fully.
no support except already in form

27. With whom are you residing at present?
Residing at home with my family

28. Have you made a previous claim for Separation Allowance. If not, why? Give particulars.
No.

29. Are you already in receipt of Separation Allowance from any source? If so, how much?
already explained received nothing except

30. Are you already in receipt of any payment from any Patriotic Fund? If so, how much.
No

31. Was the soldier at the time of his enlistment an employee of the Nfld. Government.
No

32. In what capacity and in what place?
✓

33. Is he in receipt of a salary as such while serving in the Royal Newfoundland Regiment? If so, how much.
No -

I herewith make this solemn Declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and knowing it to be of the same force and effect as if made under Oath and in Virtue of the Evidence Act.

Signature of Applicant. Sophia Butt

Place of Residence. Charles Point, Bay of Islands

Declared and subscribed before me at Charlottetown

this 6th day of November 1919

Signature of Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public or Justice of the Peace. Levi March
Notary Public

This application must be signed by two responsible parties one of whom must be a Clergyman, the other a representative of your local Patriotic Fund Committee, certifying that to the best of their knowledge after careful investigation the above statements are correct and the soldier first above mentioned is the sole support of the applicant.

Signature of Clergyman. W. J. Mann

Signature of member of the Patriotic Fund Committee. Sidney B. Cook



1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, Pte. Edward Butt, Regl. No. 1623

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of — Dollars and fifty Cents, per diem, from my Pay, to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person and or Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person and or Persons concerned, viz.:

Allotment begins bet 30th '15

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
1638	Self	To be deposited	(Mother)	- 50
	Mother	in Bank of	Child's Point	
		Mutual in	Bay of Islands	
		name of Sophie		
		Butt (mother) and		
		Edward Butt		
		or either of them		

This allotment does not come into force till claim of Thirty dollars has been paid to ~~messrs~~ Levi Marshall (Clerk) as shown in allotment 1739 Receipts attached

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

Henry Keegan
 Officer Commanding
 N.F.C.
 Company
 1915

(Sig.) Edward Butt
 (Rank) private

Dec.30,1919

Manager,
Bank of Montreal,
City

Dear Sir:-

Pte. Edward Butt #1623, declared
an allotment payable to the Bank of Montreal,
commencing 30th October 1915.

will you kindly inform me the
dates of any withdrawals from his account, and
by whom the withdrawals were made.

Thanking you in advance.

Yours truly

Major

Paymaster.

Dec. 30, 1919

Mrs. Sophia Butt,
Petries,
Bay of Islands.

Dear Madam:-

With reference to
your application for separation allowance, will you
kindly state if your son JOHN is married or single,
and if he is married, will you kindly forward me
his Marriage certificate, or else a certified extract
from your Parish Registrar showing date of his marriage.

Yours truly,

Major

Paymaster.

8230.

Petries
Bay of Islands
Jan'y 7th 1920

J. M. Howley. Major
Paymaster. St. Johns

Dear Sir

In reply to your letter of the 30th ulto
this will inform you that my son John
is not married. He has been on his
own account for years, and is engaged
to be married.

Yours Very truly,
Mrs Sophia Britt

Witness of
Signature

L. March JP
Wharf Public

Jan.16/'20

Bank of Montreal,
Curling,
Bay of Islands.

Dear Sirs:-

Pte. Edward Butt, #1623,
declared an allotment payable to the Bank of
Montreal, commencing 30th October 1915.

Will you kindly inform me
the dates of any withdrawals from his account, and
by whom the withdrawals were made.

Thanking you in advance.

Yours truly,

Major

Raymaster.

Bank of Montreal,
1-1003
Curling, Nfld.

10th Febr'y 1920.

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Department of Militia


St John's

Dear Sirs,

Replying to your letter of the 16th ulto
re Ed Butt # 1623.

The assignment mentioned being in favor of
Mrs Sophia Butt all funds as received were placed to
her credit and have all been withdrawn in small amounts
from time to time.

Yours faithfully


Manager

Mar .25, 1920

Mrs. Sophia Butt,
Petries,
Bay of Islands.

Dear Madam: -

With reference to your application for Separation Allowance, I have been directed to inform you that same cannot be granted, because during the period of your son's service your husband was not incapacitated, and consequently you cannot be considered to be totally dependent upon your son.

Yours truly

Major

Paymaster.

G.



12th July, 1917.

Sir,

I beg to forward herewith letter from Mr. James Butt, Bay of Islands, whose son, No. 1623, has fallen in the fight. Mr. Butt desires that his son's belongings shall be forwarded to him, and I shall be glad if you will kindly take note of the matter and deal with it accordingly.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

Colonial Secretary.

Lieut. J. M. Howley,
Deputy Paymaster,
City.

Bay of Islands
June 4th / 1777

J. R. Bennett Esq:
Sir

I received your sympathetic letter, & am thankful for writing me although that did not bring my son back to me, but I trust in the Father of all mercies that he'll receive his reward, for he was fighting for good cause, which is Justice, Freedom, & Righteousness.

Now, Sir, I wish to ask you for to send me all of my sons belongings as what ever there is belonging to him, I would like to have it. I am dear Sir
Yours &c James Butt,

59.
This is my son N^o 1823.

July 14th.1917.

Mr. James Butt,

Bay of Islands.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to your letter of June 4th. to the Colonial Secretary, regarding the effects of your late son, No. 1623, Private Butt, I beg to inform you that up to the present time, we have not received any of his effects from the Paymaster at London. As soon as it is received, I shall notify you.

Yours truly,

Lieut.
Deputy Paymaster.

HMM/JH.



Magistrate's Office

DEPARTMENT.....
Reference No.....
Date Rec'd. JAN 14 1916
" Ack'd.
" Ans'd. JAN 22 1916
File

at Burling Bay of Islands
Jan'y 11th 1916

J. M. Howley Esq
Deputy Paymaster
Newfld Regiment
St. Johns

Dear Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that I received a cheque in trust for \$14.00 on acc of allotment no 1739. I presume this is for the balance due to Emmanuel Derygo. But before passing him the cheque I want to be certain. I am also enclosing the Certificate of first amount received and signed by said Emmanuel Derygo. Thanking you in advance for a prompt reply.

I remain yours
Very truly

L. March *LM*

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$83²⁰/₁₀₀

Apr. 4th 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Eighty Three — ²⁰/₁₀₀ Dollars.
~~on account~~
balance of Pay Estate

Ch. No. 5356	Initials. C.W.
Pay Ledger 164	Initials. [Signature]
Gen. Ledger [Signature]	Initials. [Signature]

Regtl. No. [Signature]

No. 1623 Rank Pte

Name E. Butt

Sophia Butt

Giles Point

April 9th. 1918.

Mrs Sophia Butt,
Giles Point,
St. Georges.

Dear Madam,-

I enclose herewith cheque for \$83.20,
being the balance of the estate of the late No.
1623, Private E. Butt, payable to you as Adminis-
tratrix. I also enclose Letters of Adminis-
tration.

Yours faithfully,

Capt. & Paymaster. &
Officer i/c Records.

Enclosures 2.
JMH/JH



C.R. 1625

v.

19th August, 1919.

Sir,

I have the honour to forward herewith letter under date 7th instant from Mrs. Sophia Butt, of Petrie's Crossing, Bay of Islands, regarding gratuity money to her son Pte. Edward Butt, No. 1625. I shall be glad if you will kindly look into this matter and make direct reply to Mrs. Butt in the premises.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
your obedient servant,

Deputy Colonial Secretary.

HON. A. S. HICKMAN,
Minister of Militia.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

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Regiment or Corps Newfoundland
 Regimental No. C.R. 1673 Rank Pte Name Brett. E.

Enlisted (a) 26/6/15 Terms of Service (a) war Service reckons from (a) _____

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. 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				
		<u>Disembarked Marseilles</u>	<u>3.4.16</u>		
	<u>877A</u>	<u>GSW Foot trans</u>	<u>Colt</u>	<u>27.16</u>	<u>8.311968</u>
	<u>1 Can Bk</u>	<u>GSW Foot</u>	<u>Staples</u>	<u>27.16</u>	<u>HA 522</u>
				<u>4/7/16</u>	<u>W 3082</u> <u>ad clerk</u>

Transferred to England
 O.C. H.Q.
 ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.
 279
 3815/32
 APR 1917

CAPTAIN.
FOR O.I.C INFANTRY RECORDS
G. H. Q.; 3rd ECHELON.

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

Army Form B. 103. *b*

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regimental Number 1623
1560

Rank Pte. Regiment or Corps 2/ N.F.L.D. Regt.
Surname Butt Christian Name C.
Religion Methodist Age on Enlistment 18 years 8 months.
Enlisted (a) 26/6/15 Terms of Service (a) duration of war Service reckons from (a) 26/6/15
Date of promotion to present rank _____ Date of appointment to lance rank _____
Extended { _____ } Re-engaged { _____ } Qualification (b) _____
or Corps Trade and Rate _____

Signature of Officer i/c Records.

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked ... <u>Southern</u> <u>3.10.16</u> Disembarked ... <u>Rouen</u> <u>4.10.16</u> Joined Battalion <u>14 OCT 1916</u> <u>With BATT</u> <u>23. I. 17</u>			
<u>15.4.17</u>	<u>O.C. Unit</u>	Killed in Action	<u>France</u>	<u>14 APR 1917</u>	<u>B 913</u>

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

[P.T.O.]

1920

J

3 September

1623

Dear sir i taught i would
send back this form
i did not understand
it i would send it back
befor but i been gone
all the summer done
nothing with the fish
so i cant not pay for
get it done but if it
will not cost me nothing
please rate and let
me know i will
kindly do the best
i can befor i go away
some again
some time ago i reced
a letter saying my some
grave could not

befound let me
know if his grave
is found or not
if you please

your truly

Mr James Pratt

petries crossing

Newfoundland

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE.

OFFICER i/c RECORDS,

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA,

ST., JOHN'S, NEFD.



1623

539333/623

To ensure that as far as may be possible none of the
(473) next of kin of those who have fallen in the War shall fail to
receive the Memorial Plaque, it is requested that on receipt
of the enclosed Plaque this card be signed at the bottom
and posted. No stamp is required.

*memorial
I have received plaque*

(2249) Wt 21551/AP6599 10/19 900M (20) D.St.

JOHNSTON
JUL 1 1919
BOSTON
MASS

Mr J Butt

CP 1623

Sept. 5th, 1920

Mr. James Butt,
Petries Crossing.

Dear Sir:-

With reference to your letter of 3rd Sept. reference the Final Verification Form in respect of your son, #1623 Pte. Edward Butt, deceased, I would state that if you are unable to defray expenses in connection with the personal inscription intended to be engraved on the headstone which will be erected over this soldier's grave, there will be no charge made against you for same. I am returning the form in order that you may fill in your chosen inscription or text.

Up to date no information as to the location of Pte. Butt's grave has been received by this Department, but I shall be glad to advise you in the event of any particulars regarding same, which might come to hand.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.-Col.,

Chief Staff Officer.

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

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Regiment of 1st Newfoundland

Number of Sheet 1

Signature of O. C. Company _____

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No.	E. Butt	Age on	18 years months	Fishermer	
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment		Religion	
Joined	Date	Period of		Place of Birth	
Joined	Date	(with Colours 1294 years)		(with Reserve 365 years)	Bay of Islands

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
James	Nov 13	Plt		absent from tattoo till 7 ³⁰ p.m. Nov 13	Col Emerson	admonished	Nov 15	Capt. Rowse	Defects 3 days pay
			1	found disorderly	documentary	£10/-	Nov 16	Capt. Rowse	Any
Racecourse	Sept 22-9			Absent from general muster line leaving ranks without permission 22-9-16	Col Blackhall Sergt. P. P. King	48 hrs 20/- 2 days C.P.	Sept 23-9	Capt. Rowse	P.S.S.
				Killed in Action 14 th 77					
To be carried over									

Temporary Sheet.

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

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Number of Sheet _____

Regiment of _____

Signature of O. C. Company _____

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay	
No.	<i>Butt. 6.</i>	Age on	years	months		
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment				Religion
Joined	Date					Place of Birth
Joined	Date	Period of	with Colours	years.		
Joined	Date		with Reserve	years.		

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
<i>Racecourse</i>	<i>1916 14-9</i>	<i>Plt</i>		<i>absent from 6.30 parade Sgt. Seymour.</i>		<i>3 days C.P.</i>	<i>1916 14-9</i>	<i>Capt. Row, sell</i>	<i>J.S.S.</i>
To be carried over									