



First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 82

Name in full William Joseph Collins Age 22

Address #1 Flower Hill.

Color Right Height 5' 4" Weight 170
Hair Right Brown Eyes Right Blue

Other distinguishing marks Cut on right side

Nearest relative Jenny Collins

Address Flower Hill

Dependents None

Occupation Laborer Present Wage 9.50 weekly

Previous service None

Decorations None

General Remarks _____

Date of Enlistment _____

I, William Joseph Collins 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.

Reenlisted during 14 days of absence

William Joseph Collins

Declared before me this Oct. day _____ of _____ 1914

Augustus Brian Capt.

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

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

Reg.No.82

Name William Joseph Collins

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

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

Distinctive marks Color: Light, Hair: Light Brown, Eyes: Light Blue

Other distinguishing marks: Cut on right side

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin Jerry Collins, Flower Hill, St. John's

Relationship

Particulars as to Marriage.

(a) Christian and Surname of Woman to whom married, and whether spinster or widow. (b) Place and date of marriage.
(c) Present address. (d) Initials of Officer verifying entry.

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	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	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>									
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days									
" " " Pension " _____ (") _____ " "									

Sick at Alexandria Oct 28/15

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November 9, 1915.

Dear Sir,

It was with sincere regret that the Government received a message from the Record Office, London, stating that your son, No. 82, Private William Joseph Collins, had died of dysentery upon the 28th October last.

On behalf of the Government and for myself I beg to tender you heartfelt sympathy in this time of sorrow. Your gallant son early obeyed the call for King and Country and enlisted in the glorious fight for the principles of Righteousness, Truth and Justice. Though he has fallen with his face to the foe it is some comfort to realize that he has done his part in bringing nearer the time when Peace and Truth shall again reign upon the earth. He has received the soldier's crown of victory and his name will be inscribed upon the Roll of Honour and held in fragrant memory by all his fellow countrymen. The tears will fall and the heart will be sad at the loss of our loved one but your gallant boy died in a noble cause and we are glad to have such brave young men and such loyal and patriotic parents who so willingly give their boys at the call of Duty.

With the kindest regards and warmest sympathy,

Believe me,

Your most obedient servant,

Colonial Secretary.

Mr. Jerry Collins,
1 Flower Hill,
City.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 1st NewfoundlandRegimental No. 82 Rank Pte. Name W. CollinsEnlisted (a) Oct. 2/14 Terms of Service (a) Duration of war Service reckons from (a) Oct. 2/14Date of promotion to } _____ Date of appointment } _____ Numerical position on } _____
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. 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				
		Embarked St. John's, Nfld.		3/10/14	
		Disembarked Alexandria		1/9/15	
		Embarked for Gallipoli		13/9/15	
17/10/15	"Neuralgia" Ill, Dysentery A 36 Admitted		19th Genl. Hospital	10/10/15	
30/10/15	O.C. 19th Genl. Died		do.	16/10/15 28/10/15	Auth. A. 14623

(Sgd) H. PARKHOUSE, Captain
Officer i/c Records, T.F. 6
3rd Echelon, M.E.F.(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.

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.

.. *Sept-12*1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of
the late No. *82* Rank *Plt.*
Name *William J Collins*
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

W. J. Finn

(Sgd.)

Sister

Relationship.

Address

Popewall Range

1882 pte. Collins.

Mr. J. Collins

C.R. 82

90 Col. Bordage Co.,

Hope Walk Range.

RECEIPT.

C.F. 82

I hereby certify that I have received the 1914-1915

STAR.

No 82

Name

Pte William J Collins

Witness

W J Sims

Date

Sept 12/21

Place

Popewalk Range

Please Sign & Return (Important)

NEWFOUNDLAND PATRIOTIC FUND

C.R. 82

PRESIDENT: HIS EXCELLENCY SIR W. E. DAVIDSON,
K.C.M.G., GOVERNOR OF NEWFOUNDLAND

CHAIRMAN, HON. SIR E. R. BOWRING, KT., M. L. C.
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(MINISTER OF FINANCE)

HON. TREASURER, J. S. MUNN, ESQ.,
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St. John's, Newfoundland,

January 17, 1916. 191

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The father, Jerry, (Jeremiah) Collins, aged 55, works at Bowring's and is one of the firm's "steady" employees. He received from the coastal and fish-wharf departments of Bowring's, as being a dock laborer, during the month of December, the sum of \$53.77, or, roughly, \$2.00 per working day. In addition to this we have continued to the family, pending a decision by the Government as to pensions or gratuities to relatives of men who have died in the Regiment and with the understanding that we shall be reimbursed for such outlays, an amount of \$4.20 per week, equivalent to the sixty cents per day which the son allotted the family when he went on Active Service.

A special inquiry by a plain-clothes detective made for us, discloses the fact that the Collins family consists of the father, mother, and two daughters, one aged 17 and the other aged 14, or four persons in all, and as we are assured by Messrs. Bowring Bros. that the amount received by Collins in December is about an average monthly payment. It is evident that this family is in receipt of, roughly, \$60.00 per month, which is equivalent to the amount received by many a clerk on Water Street who has to live up to the much higher standard demanded by his position. In view of these facts we have to say that we cannot find ourselves in a position to make any further provision for this family, because, although the police report is that "he apparently is not in very good circumstances at the present time," we are forced to conclude that with \$60.00 per month in hand in cash, there must be some cause for this condition with which we cannot grapple. *there's your*

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His Excellency Sir W. E. Davidson.

I might add that, according to our information, young Collins was a wharf laborer at G. M. Barr's up to the time he enlisted and was receiving \$1.60 per day or \$9.60 per week, and that if his parents received from him regularly \$4.00 per week for his board and maintenance, it was the outside of what he contributed to the support of the family.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,



Hon. Secretary.

C.R. 82

17 December, 1915.

Hon. Secretary,

Trustees Patriotic Fund.

Mrs. Jessie Collins, 1 Flower Hill, had a son in the Regiment who died of Dysentery at Alexandria on October 28th. He was a wharf labourer, 22 years of age, and an only son. His father also was a wharf labourer and has been disabled for 1½ years by a broken arm.

It looks as if this case deserved consideration.

Governor.

17 December, 1915.

C.R. 82

Extract of Sick and Wounded N.C.Os. and Men of the Mediterranean Expeditionary Force, No. H. 3100, dated Nov. 18th. 1918.

82 Pte. W. Collins

1st. Newfoundland "A" Coy..... Dysentery.... Died in 1915 G.H. Alexandria
28th. Oct. 1915.

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December 10, 1915.

Dear Sir,

I beg to inform you that in a report yesterday from the Record Office, London, by mail, I learn that the death of your son No. 82, Private William Joseph Collins, of which it was my sad duty to inform you on the 4th November last, occurred at the 19th General Hospital, Alexandria.

I have thought that you may possibly wish to receive this information.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary.

Mr. Jerry Collins,
1 Flower Hill.

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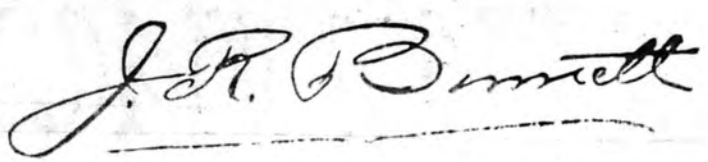
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November 4, 1915.

Dear Sir,

I regret to have to inform you that the Record Office of the Newfoundland Regiment, London, officially reports that No. 82, Private William Joseph Collins, died of dysentery on October 28th.


Yours sympathetically,



Colonial Secretary.

Mr. Jerry Collins,
1 Flower Hill,
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MEDITERRANEAN FORCE CASUALTIES.

Nos. M.11705. M.11706 & M.11707.

No. M.11705.

Third Echelon, Mediterranean Expeditionary Force, Alexandria,
telegraphs 1st November, 1915. (M.F.C. 24688. Received
2nd November, 1915).

NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Died of Dysentery 28th October, 1915.

✓ 82 Collins Pte. W. ✓

No. M.11706.

Third Echelon, Mediterranean Expeditionary Force, Alexandria,
telegraphs 1st November, 1915. (M.F.C. 24689. Received
2nd November, 1915).

1/10th MANCHESTERS.

October 14th, 1915. Previously reported Missing now reported
Wounded not Missing.

2850 O'Connor Pte. J.

No. M.11707.

Third Echelon, Mediterranean Expeditionary Force, Alexandria,
telegraphs 1st November, 1915. (M.F.C. 24690. Received
2nd November, 1915).

1/5th NORFOLK REGIMENT.

Severely Wounded 19th October, 1915.

1781 Beales L/Cpl. H.

C.R. 82

Extract of Sick and Wounded N.C.Os. and Men of the Mediterranean Expeditionary Force, No. H. 2677g dated Nov. 3rd. 1915.

82 Pte. W. Collins

1st. Newfoundland.....Dysentery....Adm. ex 19 G.H. Alexandria Oct. 16th. 1915.

C.R. 82

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

82 Pte. W. Collins.

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

C.R. 82

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

"Florizel" Oct. 4, 1914.

82 Collins Wm.

C.R. 82

William Jos. Hollands was attested for General Service
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on ... **Sept. 2nd. 1914.**
Regimental No. 82 was allotted to Pte **Wm. J. Hollands**

AUTHORITY:

Record Officer

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 1st Newfoundland

Regimental No. **C.R.** 82 Rank Pte Name W. Collins

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. }

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		Disembarked Alexandria		1/9/15.	
		Embarked for Gallipoli		13/9/15.	
17/10/15.	"Neuralgia"	Ill, Dysentery admitted	A 36	10/10/15.	
	O.C.		19th. Genl. Hospital	16/10/15.	
30/10/15.	19th. Genl.	Died	do	28/10/15.	Auth. A 14623.

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[Handwritten signature: H Parkhouse]

Captain,
Officer i/c Records, T.F.6,
3rd. Echelon, M.E.F.

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Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Number of Sheet 1

Signature of O. C. Company G. J. Carty Capt.

Regiment of _____

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Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No. <u>87</u>	<u>Collins W</u>	Age on <u>22</u> years <u></u> months			
Joined _____ Date _____	Date of Enlistment <u>Sept 24 1914</u>	Religion		<u>R.C.</u>	
Joined _____ Date _____	Period of { with Colours _____ years. with Reserve _____ years.				
Joined _____ Date _____					

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
<u>Jnt George</u>	<u>11 Dec 1914</u>	<u>Pte</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Found drunk on roadside 9.30 pm.</u>	<u>Police Knight Police Rail Sgt Miles</u>	<u>4 days CB</u>	<u>12/14/14</u>	<u>Lt Col Burton</u>	<u>cust</u>
<u>Jnt George</u>	<u>18 Dec</u>	<u>Pte</u>		<u>Absent from morning parade</u>	<u>Sgt Maj Paver</u>	<u>2 days CB</u>	<u>18/12/14</u>	<u>Capt barty</u>	<u>cust</u>
<u>Jnt George</u>	<u>1915 Jan 8</u>	<u>Pte</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1) Drunk in barracks about 9.10 pm 2) Refused to give name number & company to Commandes of guard.</u>	<u>Sgt Smith Cpl Clarke Cpl Churchill</u>	<u>4 days CB fined 1/3</u>	<u>1915 9/1/15</u>	<u>Lt Col Burton</u>	<u>cust</u>
<u>Jnt George</u>	<u>Jan 10</u>	<u>Pte</u>		<u>Absent from Church parade</u>	<u>Sgt Clare</u>	<u>5 days CB</u>	<u>11/1/15</u>	<u>Capt Carty</u>	<u>cust</u>
<u>Edinburgh</u>	<u>14/3/15</u>	<u>Pte</u>		<u>Unshaven & dirty on guard.</u>	<u>Capt. Russell S.M. Paver</u>	<u>2 days C.B.</u>	<u>15/3/15</u>	<u>Capt. Carty</u>	<u>R.H.I. St.</u>

To be carried over

Brought forward

Edinburgh	22/3/15	Pte.	3	Drunk in Town Market at 8.45 p.m.	C. Jumball F.C. Sinclair	8 days C.B.	22/3/15	Lt-Col. Burton	Fined 5/- R.H.D. Lt.
Edinburgh	1.4.15	Pte		Dirty buttons and not shaved on guard mounting	Capt. Rendell S.M. Paver	3 days C.B.	1.4.15	Capt. Carty	R.H.D. Lt
Edinburgh	2.4.15	Pte	4	Drunk on High Street 3 p.m. 2 Breaking barracks while a defaulter.	Col. Segr. Steele	5 days C.B.	3.4.15	Lt. Col. Burton.	R.H. 2 Lt.
Edinburgh	3.4.15	Pte.		Absent from all defaulters' parades half hourly from 5.30 p.m. to 9.30 p.m.	Col. Segr. Steele	5 days C.B.	6.4.15	Capt. Carty	R.H.D. Lt.
"	5.4.15	"		Absent from all defaulters' parades half hourly from 5.30 p.m. to 9.30 p.m.	"				
Edinburgh	9.4.15	Pte.		Absent from all defaulters' parades half hourly from 6 to 9.30 p.m.	Col. Segr. Steele	2 days C.B.	10.4.15	Capt. Carty	R.H.D. Lt.
Edinburgh	11.4.15	Pte		Dirty brasses mounting guard	Corp. Stick	2 days C.B.	12.4.15	Capt. Carty	R.H.D. Lt.
Edinburgh	19.4.15	"	5	Drunk & creating disturbance in Crown Square	Pte. Shaffer " E. Ross	Fined 5/-	21.4.15	Lt. Col. Burton	Fined 5/- 70 pence 1 day pay J.S.H. 2nd Lt.
Edinburgh	7.5.15	"	6	Drunk in High Street	Sgt Warren	Fined 5/-	8/5/15	Lt Col Burton	Fined 5/- 1 days pay C.W.L.
Hotels Camp.	21.5/15	"		Absent from 9.15 and 2.15 parades.	Capt. Carty Lt. Col. Vair	24 hrs. F.P., No. 2	22.5/15	Lt. Col. Burton.	J.B.B.
Stops Camp	31/6/15	"	7	Drunk in Camp at 10.15 pm	Sgt Watson	Fined 5/-	4/6/15	Lt Col Burton	Fined 5/- 2 days pay under R.D.

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

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Forms
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Regiment of _____

Number of Sheet 2

Signature of O. C. Company *H. J. Carty, Capt.*

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No.	<i>W. Collins</i>	Age on	<i>22</i> years <i>0</i> months	<i>Labourer</i>	
Joined _____ Date _____		Place and Date of Enlistment	<i>Sept. 2nd 1914</i>	Religion	
Joined _____ Date _____		Period of	<i>with Colours 1st 26/365 years.</i> <i>with Reserve 365 years.</i>	Place of Birth	

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>Shots Camp</i>	<i>31st /15</i>	<i>Pte.</i>		<i>Absent from Parade 9.15 a.m.</i>	<i>Cpl. Manning</i>	<i>24 hrs. F.P. ho. 2</i>	<i>1/15</i>	<i>Lieut. Col. Burton.</i>	<i>J.E.T.F.</i>
<i>Shots Camp</i>	<i>1st /15</i>	<i>-</i>		<i>Absent from Church Parade</i>	<i>Cpl. Stick</i>	<i>3 days C.C.</i>	<i>7/15</i>	<i>Capt. Carty</i>	<i>J.E.T.F.</i>
<i>Shots Camp</i>	<i>11th /15</i>	<i>Pte.</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>Drunk & disorderly in Camp</i>	<i>Serjt. Clark</i>	<i>7 days C.C.</i>	<i>12/15</i>	<i>Capt. Carty</i>	<i>Fined 5/-</i>
<i>Shots Camp</i>	<i>19th /15</i>	<i>Pte.</i>		<i>Absent from Parade until 5.30 p.m. 24/15</i>	<i>Cpl. Manning</i> <i>L-cpl. Vail</i>	<i>72 hrs. F.P. ho. 2</i>	<i>25/15</i>	<i>Lieut. Col. Burton</i>	<i>Forfeit 6 days pay under R.W.</i>
<i>Shots Camp</i>	<i>29th /15</i>	<i>Pte.</i>		<i>Absent from Parade, 9 a.m.</i>	<i>Cpl. Blackall</i>	<i>4 days C.C.</i>	<i>29/15</i>	<i>Lieut. Raley</i>	<i>J.E.T.F.</i>
<i>Shots Camp</i>	<i>3rd /15</i>	<i>Pte.</i>		<i>Absent from 7 a.m. until 7 a.m. 5/15</i>	<i>Cpl. Blackall</i> <i>Sgt. Clark</i>	<i>72 hrs. F.P. #2</i>	<i>5/15</i>	<i>Lieut. Col. Burton</i>	<i>Forfeit 3 days pay under R.W.</i>
<i>Shots Camp</i>	<i>5th /15</i>	<i>-</i>		<i>Absent from Parade, 9 a.m.</i>	<i>Cpl. Manning</i>				<i>J.E.T.F.</i>
<i>Shots Camp</i>	<i>5th /15</i>	<i>-</i>		<i>Striking barrel of beer from Beer Canister</i>	<i>Serjt. Clark</i> <i>Serjt. Newman</i>	<i>make good kept</i> <i>72 hrs. F.P. ho. 2</i>	<i>7/15</i>	<i>Lt. Col. Burton.</i>	<i>J.E.T.F.</i>
				<i>Died, Alexandria, 28/10/15</i>					
				<i>To be carried over</i>					

Army Form B. 121.

Brought forward

Stabs Camp	11/15	Pk.	9	1) Drunk and attempting to release a prisoner.	Sgt. Stinch Sgt. Gardner	Fined 5/- Forfeit 2 days pay	7/12/15	Lt. Col. Burtan	J. E. J. F.
				2) Creating disturbance in camp.	Pk. O'Brien	2 1/2 hrs. F.P., #2			
Stabs Camp	16/15	Pk.		Quitting the ranks without permission	Lt. Newman	2 days c.c.	7/16/15	Capt. Carby	J. E. J. F.
Stabs Camp	18/15	Pk.		Absent from church parade	Cpl. Blackall	3 days c.c.	7/19/15	Capt. Carby	J. E. J. F.
Stabs Camp	20/15	Pk.		Absent from all defaulters' parades, 6pm - 9.30pm.	Cpl. Vail.	2 1/2 hrs. F.P., 2.	7/21/15	Lt. Col. Burtan	J. E. J. F.
Alauchoy	3/16	Pk.		Refusing to obey an order	Cpl. Newman	3 days c.B.	7/4/15	Capt. Carby	J. E. J. F.

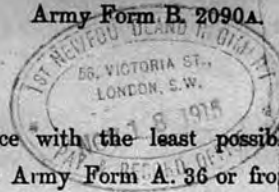
W. J. Collins

C.R. 82

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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 } A COMPANY.
or CORPS }

Regtl. No. 82 Rank Private

Name Collins, W.

Died { Date October 28th., 1915.
Place 19th. General Hospital, Alexandria.
Cause of Death * Died of Dysentery.

Nature and Date of Report Death Report, 30/10/15.

By whom made Med. Officer i/c 19th. General Hospital.

* 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 Not known.
Date Not known.
By whom reported _____

State whether he leaves a will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) Not known.
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Signature of Officer in charge of Section Adjutant-General's Office at the Base

H. Parkhouse Captain,
Officer i/c Records, T.F. 6,
3rd. Echelon, M.E.F.

Station and Date ALEXANDRIA, 5/11/15.



First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 82

Name in full William Joseph Collins Age 22

Address * 1 Slouen Hill.

Single Right Height 5' 4" Weight 130

Color Right Hair Right Brown Eyes Right Blue

Other distinguishing marks Out on right side

Nearest relative Jenny Collins

Address Slouen Hill

Dependents None

Occupation Labourer Present Wage 9.50 weekly

Previous service None

Decorations None

General Remarks _____

Date of Enlistment _____

I, William Joseph Collins, 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.

William Joseph Collins

Declared before me this 22nd day
of Oct 1914

Augustus Green

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PAY LIST. to 28 October 1915. Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps *1st New South Wales*
 No. *87.* Rank *Private* Name *W Collins*
 Died (a) at *Alexandria* on the *28th* of *October* 1915.
 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>Oct 28. 15</i>			<i>119</i>
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at _____ from _____ to _____			
	£ s. d. 191				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at _____ from _____ to _____			
	"				Messing allowance days at _____			
	"				from _____ to _____			
	"				Allotment 10 days overcharged <i>2/6</i>			
	<i>Allotment paid</i> <i>to 31 Oct. Charge 2/6</i> <i>7 days @ 60^d 4/50</i>			<i>4/6</i>	Clothing and kit allowance			
	Consolidated stoppage				Amount produced by the sale of Necessaries			
					Personal Clothing and Effects from Form 2...			
					Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
					Deferred Pay or Gratuity.....			
	Balance due by the Paymaster			<i>6/10</i>	Balance due to the Paymaster.....			
		£		<i>119</i>		£		<i>119</i>

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'S OFFICE _____
 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 A.R. 5. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.
 (b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

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Hotel Metropole,
Alexandria.

Nov. 17th., 1915.

To The Pay & Record Offices, Newfoundland Regiment,
~~The Command Paymaster,~~ 58 Victoria Street,
London, S.W.

~~Mr. P. H.~~

I forward herewith the A. B. 64 belonging
✓ to the late No. 82, Pzte. Wm. Collins, A Company,
1st. Newfoundland Regiment.

Death report was passed to you on the
November 5th., 1915.



H. Parkhurst.
Records Captain,
Offices/c 2nd (P. & R.) Div.
3rd Echelon, R. E. F.

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Hotel Metropole,
Alexandria.

Nov. 17th., 1915.

To

Pay & Record Offices,
Newfoundland Regiment,
58 Victoria Street,
London, S.W.

I forward under separate cover the Personal
Effects of the late, No. 82, Private Wm. Collins,
1st. Newfoundland Regiment, as per below:-

✓ 1 Photo Postcard.
✓ 1 Identity Disc.

H Parkhouse
Captain,
Officer i/c Records, TF. 6,
3rd. Echelon, M. E. F.



JK.



Hotel Metropole,
Alexandria,

November 17th., 1915.

To The Secretary,
War Office,
London, S. W.

I forward herewith Army Form B 50, Soldier's Small Book (cover only), belonging to the late, No. 82, Private ✓ Wm. Collins, 1st. Newfoundland Regiment.

Death Report was passed to you on the 5th. of November, 1915. ✓ JRA

H. Parkhouse Captain,
for Officer i/c Records, T. F. 6,
3rd Echelon, M. E. F.



W. E. Geins

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Ray Dept



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 Collins Wm (277(2))
aged 22 yr conducted at C. L. 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	no
8	no
9	no
10	no
11	no
12	no
13	no
14	no
15	no
16	no
17	no
18	no
19	no
20	no
21	no
22	no
23	no
24	no
25	no
26	no
27	no
28	no
29	no
30	no
31	no
32	no
33	yes 6 years ago
34	5'4"
35	124
36	min 31 1/2 max 34 1/4
37	irregular
38	father: Fanny Collins to I Flower Hill
39	no

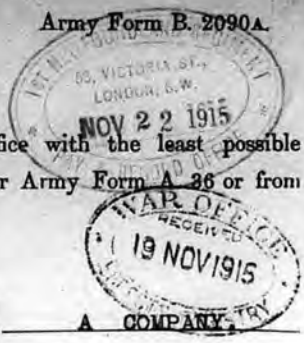
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Signature of Medical Examiner: Clay Macpherson

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or
CORPS }

Regtl. No. 82 Rank Private

Name Collins, W.

Died { Date October 25th., 1915.
Place 19th. General Hospital, Alexandria.
Cause of Death* Died of Dysentery.

Nature and Date of Report Death Report, 30/10/15.

By whom made Med. Officer i/c 19th. General Hospital.

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Officer i/c Records, T.F. 6,
3rd. Echelon, M.E.F.

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Station and Date ALEXANDRIA 5/11/15

PAY LIST.

to 28th October

1915 . Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps 1st Newfoundland
 No. 82 Rank Private Name W. Collins
 Died (a) at Alexandria on the 28th of October 1915 .
 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.

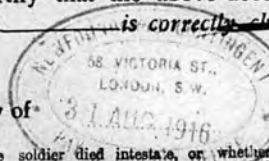
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	Balance Dr. last month.....				Balance Cr. last month.....	11	9	
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	191				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay			
	"				days at from to.....			
	"				Messing allowance days at			
	"				from to			
	Allotment paid to				Clothing and kit allowance			
	31 Oct. Charged to 29 th				Amount produced by the sale of Necessaries			
	2 days @ 60¢ = \$ 1.20		4	11	Personal Clothing and 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		6	10	Deferred Pay or Gratuity.....			
		£	11	9	Balance due to the Paymaster.....	£	11	9

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

Dated at
 this day of

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F. J. Marshall
 PAYMASTER & OFFICER Paymaster.

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July 3rd.1917.

Mr. Jerry Collins,
Flower Hill.

Dear Sir:-

I enclose herewith cheque for \$4.96,
being the balance of the estate of your late son,
No. 82, W. Collins. You will note that the cheque
is payable to yourself and Mrs Collins.

It will therefore be necessary for both
of you to endorse it, before being cashed.

Yours truly

Lieut.
Deputy Paymaster.