

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

Applicable to all ranks. To correspond with entries on the Medical History Sheet.

Name Geo. Tho. Judge
 Apparent age 21 years 1 months. Height 5 feet 9 inches
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 35 inches
 Range of expansion 4 inches
 Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Geo. Tho. Judge
Wuddy Hole | Relationship Father
Merilay way 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	Promotion, 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 _____									
Joined at _____ on _____									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ [date of discharge] _____ years _____ days									
" " Pensions " _____ [" "] _____ " _____ "									



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

4323

ATTESTATION OF

No. 4323 Name Geo. T. Sudge Corps Co. E

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your name? 1. Geo. Thos. Sudge
2. What is your full Address? 2. Hermitage Bay
3. Are you a British Subject? 3. Yes
4. What is your age? 4. 21 Years Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. Sailor
6. Are you Married? 6. No
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? } 7. No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? } 8. Yes
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? } 9. Yes
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. Yes

I, George T. Sudge 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.

Geo. Thos. Sudge SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

Robt. Edward Long Signature of Witness.

Geo. Thos. Sudge 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 on this day of 191

James G. James Signature of Attesting Officer

†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 James G. James 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, 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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Joined at <u>M. J. H. S.</u> on <u>January 22-1918</u>									
		<u>Admitted to I.H. Pneumonia 3-5-18.</u>							<u>Admitted to Jensen Camp 22/18</u>
		<u>Died Jensen Camp</u>							<u>22-6-18</u>
		<u>Buried to Cemetery at Muddy Hole N.B.</u>							
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to 22-6-18 [date of discharge] 152 years 152 days
 " " Pensions " " " " " " " " " " " "

W F Rendell

Muddy Hole
Hermitage Bay
Feb 1st 1919
C.R. 4323

Dear Sir: —

I received the
letter concerning the grave of
Pte George T Fudge.

- 1) He is buried in a Church of England
Cemetery. But it is not yet Consecrated.
- 2) We have neither head Stone at present
as it is very difficult to get one here.
But we intend to get one.

I am

Yours Truly
John Fudge
And Annie Fudge

Encl. No. 4323

Jan. 2nd 19

Mr. John Fudge,
Muddy Hole, H.B.

Dear Sir:-

The Army Council have requested that they may be furnished with particulars of the Graves of all Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers, and men of His Majesty's Forces, raised in any part of the British Empire, who died in the Overseas Dominions during the present War. I should be glad, therefore, if you will inform me of the following particulars concerning No. 4323, Private George T. Fudge:-

- 1.....Location of Grave (for example: Methodist Cemetery, Carbonear)
- 2.....Whether the Grave has been temporarily or permanently marked; that is, what kind of Headstone, ~~stone~~, has been erected.

A reply to this letter at your earliest convenience would be appreciated.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Col.,
Chief Staff Officer.



C.R. 4323

THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
HEADQUARTERS

St. John's, Newfoundland,

June 22nd, 1918 *1918*

From Officer Commanding,
Depot

To D. O. C., Newfoundland,
Militia Dept.

SIR:-

#4323 Pte. George Fudge.

I am advised by Mrs. Paterson that above noted man died at Jensen Camp this morning. She also advises that Mr. Carnell, undertaker, has been given charge of the remains.

Will you please advise as to disposal of body, as connection can be made to this man's late home by S.S. "Fogota" and train to Placentia on Monday morning.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant

W. A. B. L.
Ass't Adjutant
Depot The Royal Newfoundland Regiment
St. John's, Nfld.



CR. 4323

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal
Nfld. Regt. St. John's, dated June 22, 1918.

4323 Pte. George Fudge.

Died in Jensen Camp 22-6-18 struck off the strength
from that date.

C.R. 4323

Counter No. _____

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



Gable Connection with all the World

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I request that the following Telegram may be forwarded according to the foregoing Conditions, by which I agree to abide.

(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender _____ Address Dept of Militia.

Line Number	Recd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated June 22nd, 1918

To John Fudge, Muddy Hole, Hermitage Bay

Very much regret to inform you No. 4323, Private George Fudge died at Jansen Camp June 22. Body being sent home Monday 24th via train to placental and Fogota

W.F. R IDELL, LIEUT. COL.,
CHIEF STAFF OFFICER.

C.R. 4323
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Signature of Sender _____ Address Dept of Militia.

Line Number	Ret	By	Sent by	Check

Dated June 22nd, 1913

To Church of England Minister or School Teacher
Muddy Hole, Hermitage Bay

Regret to inform you No. 4323 George Judge, Private died at
Jensen Camp June 22. Please inform next of kin.

ROUTE

M.F. RENDELL, LIEUT. COL.
CHIEF SAFETY OFFICER

C.R. 4323

Extract of Daily Orders p rt 11, from Unit 4/1st
Royal Newfoundland Regiment, Headquarters,
dated January 22, 1918.

#4323 Pte. G.T. Fudge.

tested for General Service with the 1st
Newfoundland Regiment, with effect from 21/1/18.

Paymaster :-

Herewith for

11323 - The Geo. Fudge -

$\frac{1}{1781}$ $\frac{1}{1812}$ $\frac{1}{1822}$ $\frac{1}{1831}$ $\frac{2}{1845}$

Received above notes documents -

C. C. P. Ke. SSM.

JUN 28 1918

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4323

June 22nd, 1918

From Officer Commanding,
Depot

To D. O. C., Newfoundland,
Militia Dept.

SIR:-

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I am advised by Mrs. Paterson that above noted man died at Jensen Camp this morning. She also advises that Mr. Carnell, undertaker, has been given charge of the remains.

Will you please advise as to disposal of body, as connection can be made to this man's late home by S.S. "Fogota" and train to Placentia on Monday morning.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant

June 27th, 1918

From Officer Commanding,
Depot

To Paymaster and Officer i/o Records,
Militia Department

Strength Decreases by Deaths

Undernoted please find list of men who have been struck off Regimental strength on account of death. Herewith I am sending complete documents on file at Depot in connection with them and have noted Credit Balances due them on their respective Company Pay Accounts to date of their decease, which are now transferred to your Department for transmission to their next of kin.

Kindly sign receipts and return.

		<u>Date of Death</u>	<u>Gr. Bal.</u>	
4323	Pte. Geo. Fudge	22-6-18	\$91.30	No Allotment
5413	" Elias Hobbs	22-6-18	24.20	Do.
5475	" Augustus Winsor	23-6-18	25.30	Allotment commences July 1st
5455	" Permanus Canning	24-6-18	26.40	No Allotment

Jensen Camp
June 6th / 18

To Lieut. S. James:-
Paymaster:-

Dear Sir:-

I beg to write to you
re. my allotment. I am at present in
Jensen Camp & am unable to get to
town to see about it. Will you please
make an allotment of 60¢ (sixty cents)
per day, payable to my father:-

M^r. John Fudge

Muddy Hole

Htgs. Bay.

I should like you to send my father
all the money due me now, less \$ 15.⁰⁰.
(fifteen dollars), which please deliver
to bearer for me.

Please understand that the allotment
begins from this date.

Trusting you will oblige me
re. this matter.

N.B.

Pte. G. J. Fudge.

No. 4323.

Royal N. F. & D. Regt.

I remain

Your Obedient Servant
Geo. J. Fudge Pte.
Mark

Witness. J. Evans Pte.

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Judge, Geo. T.

#323

- Pay. sept.

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Fudge OF Christian Name Geo. Hoop

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Paris Huddy Hole Hermitage Bay County

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <u>22</u> day of <u>Jan</u> 191 <u>8</u>	on	day of	191
	at <u>Headquarters.</u>	at		
Declared Age	<u>21</u> years	<u>1</u> <u>6</u> days	years	days
Trade or Occupation	<u>Sailor</u>			
Height	<u>5</u> feet	<u>9</u> inches	feet	inches
Weight		<u>133</u> lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded...	<u>35</u> inches		inches
	Range of Expansion..	<u>4</u> inches		inches
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Arm			
	Number	<u>1 Scar</u>		
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R.E.—V=	<u>6/36</u>	R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=	<u>4/18</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>James Paterson</u>			
(Rank)	<u>major</u>			
	Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at <u>St Johns Mt</u>	at		
	on <u>22</u> day of <u>Jan</u> 191 <u>8</u>	on	day of	191
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
	<u>Royal</u>	<u>4323</u>		
Transferred to	<u>Newfoundland</u>			
Became non-effective by	on	day of	191	on
(Signature)			day of	191
[Rank]				

May 20th. 1918.

From Acting Medical Officer,
Depot.

To Senior Medical Officer
and Officer i/c Jensen Camp.

4323 Pte. G.F. Fudge.

The marginally noted man, now at the
Military Infectious Hospital, is suffering from Tubercu-
losis and I recommend that he be transferred to
Jensen Camp for treatment.

Transferred to Jensen camp May 21st

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UNWINCHABLE

LINEN BOND



This Form is to be used in connection with Pamph. M. E. (1)
N. F. 1915

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 George J. Dudge
aged 21 yrs conducted at Head Quarters
Date: Nov 26/17 Recruiting Officer:

NO OF TEST	FINDING
1	no
2	yes spots
3	no
4	no
5	no
6	no
7	yes
8	yes
9	yes has pain in stomach when working hard
10	n
11	n
12	n
13	n
14	n
15	n
16	n
17	n
18	n
19	6/36 hgt. 6/18 ht.
20	n
21	n
22	n
23	n
24	n
25	n
26	n
27	n
28	n
29	n
30	n
31	n
32	n
33	yes 6 yrs ago 12 ea.
34	57 1/4 in
35	133 lbs
36	31-35
37	30 yrs month
38	Father Dudge Muddy Hole H Bay
39	nobody

To Report 1st
week in January

4323

As he tried out by Muddy Hole
Instructs upon allocated test.
Show to children in and tried out for
bottle notes in section 2. then to report
to sit parade every 10th day. test.
This man can
have an. skin connect by
Mr Gillyard
mandatory

Handwritten initials

Signature of Medical Examiner:

Geo Barden

THE RECTORY.

PUSHTHROUGH.

15/11/19.

7482

Dear Sir,

Sometime ago I filled in a form for John William Fudge in order that he might draw the money due to his son's estate. The son's name was Mr. George Thomas Fudge (Official No. 4323). He died in St. Johns. I asked that all correspondence in re the matter be sent to me. I have heard nothing of it since. The form was sent to the Dept. of Justice. Will you kindly look up the matter and have the money sent on here at your earliest convenience. The sum due is \$110⁰⁰/₁₀₀. Very truly yours
W. W. W. W.
Rector.

THE RECTORY,

PUSHTHROUGH

bal of estate paid to John W. Fudge
of Muddy Hole Oct 3/9

bal Mailed

October 16, 1919.


John W. Fudge,
Muddy Hole, Burgeo & LaPoile Dist.,
Nfld.

Dear Sir:

I enclose cheque for \$100.10
balance of pay due late Pte. G. T. Fudge.

I am also enclosing Letters of
Administration.

Yours truly,


Major
PAYMASTER & O I/c RECORDS.

IM-
Enc. 2

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$100 ¹⁰/₄

Oct 3 1919

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of One hundred ¹⁰/₄ Dollars.
~~on account~~ of Pay. Estab.
balance

Ch. No. 14298	Initials <i>EW</i>
Pay Ledger 140	Initials <i>WR</i>
Gen. Ledger	Initials

Regtl. No. Rank

A. C. R.

No. 4322

Rank

Pt

Name

G. J. Fudge



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 20~~ 1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of
the late No. 4323 Rank Plt
Name George T. Fudge
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

John Fudge (Sgd.)

Father Relationship.

Address Buddy Hole - Burn - By

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Forms
B. 121.
123.

Regiment of Royal Newfoundland

Number of Sheets ONE

Signature of O. C. Company W. H. [Signature]

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay
No.	<u>Fudge</u>	Age on	<u>21</u> years <u>1</u> month	<u>Sailor</u>	
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	<u>St. Johns</u>	Religion	
Joined	Date	Period of	<u>22-1-18</u>	<u>C of C</u>	
Joined	Date	} with Colours	<u>52</u> years.	Place of Birth	
Joined	Date	} with Reserve	<u>56</u> 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
				<u>Died Jensen Camp 22-6-18</u>					

To be carried over

through
10/3/20

Dear Sir,

In reference to this inquiry as to a grave stone for Mr. George J. Fudge I might say that his father has just placed a headstone at his son's grave and it seems unnecessary to have another, but perhaps your committee would vote some money to the stone already placed to the grave. I can assure you that the father is far from being well-to-do. It would therefore considerably help him. The cost of the headstone that the father bought was (including freight) \$26⁰⁰. Any further correspondence in re this matter may be addressed to me.

Very truly yours
N. S. Vivian
Rector

C.R. 4323

MARCH 31st 1920.

Rev. H.G. Vivian,
The Rectory,
Pushthrough.

Rev. and dear Sir:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of March 10th, having reference to the Headstone for Pte. George T. Fudge, 4323.

In reply I may say that the Imperial War Graves Commission will erect a stone over every deceased soldier's body, whether on the Battlefield, in the United Kingdom, or at home.

No provision has been made with regard to refunds on stones already erected by Next-of-Kin. Therefore, I regret to say, your request in this connection cannot be acceded to.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Colonel,
Chief Staff Officer.

Muddy Hole
Jan 20th 1921.

C.R.

4323

W. F. Rendell

Dear Sir -

We received the
Memorial Scroll and also
the Memento which was
sent to us from your
office and from His
Majesty the King. Was
very pleased to get it
and feels very grateful to
you for sending it to us
with Best wishes

I am

your faithfully

John Fudge

Muddy Hole.

Rushethrough,

October 22nd 1923.

Lieut. Col. Rendell

Dept. Militia
5095th Stn

Dear Col. Rendell,

Sometime ago you wrote Mr. John Fudge in
re the placing of a headstone to his son, Pte (4323) G. F. Fudge
in the cemetery at Muddy Hole. They already have
an headstone to that grave and of the same or very similar
kind as the Imp. W. G. Comm. headstones. They would
like to have the cement and in otherwise doing
up the grave as you suggest, but personally to me
it seems strange that the Govt. through that Comm.
is so anxious to spend its much needed money for
another stone for that same grave. However, they ask
me to write you and to state that they would very
much like to have the cement + the plan for the grave
but would prefer to keep the present stone. Any further correspond-
ence in this matter please send direct to me.

Very truly yours
N. G. Chisran

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11323

Pte. George Fudge

Mussey Hall. Hermitage B.

Died at Jensen Camp

morning of 22-6-18.

Funeral arrangements made
with burial by Mrs. Peterson.

Funeral to Railway Station

7 AM. Monday 24-6-18. Body

sent to his home.

DAY LETTER

Form T.R.1.

ANGLO-AMERICAN TELEGRAPH COMPANY, LIMITED.

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
Day Message	
Day Letter	Blue
Night Message	Nite
Night Letter	N L

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PUSHTHROUGH NOV 19

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LIEUT H C JANES

MILITIA DEPT STJOHNS

YOUR LETTER IN RE THE GRAVE OF 4323 FUDGE RECEIVED
 APPARENTLY THE WAR GRAVES COMMISSION HAVE UNLIMITED FUNDS SO WE
 SHALL BE GLAD TO GIVE OUR PERMISSION FOR A WASTE
 OF THIRTY OR FORTY DOLLARS IN THE CEMETERY AT MUDDYHOLE
 PERMISSION IS HEREBY GIVEN

NG VIVIAN

RECTORY

1214P

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Nov. 1st., 23.

Rev. N.G. Vivian,
Pushthrough, F.B.

Dear Reverend Sir,

Your letter of the 22nd. ulto. addressed to
Lieut. Col. W.F. Rendell has been passed to me for attention.

I note your remarks regarding the grave of the
late 4323 Private G.T. Fudge, and that a private monument has been
erected to his memory.

I have to inform you that this Department,
in the treatment of War Graves, is governed by the Regulations issued
by the Imperial War Graves Commission which asks for a form of
abandonment whereby the Commission can treat the grave in the same
manner as War Graves in war areas.

Hence, we would like to receive the permission
of Mr. Fudge to erect the Imperial Headstone and place a concrete curb
around the grave. Perhaps, if the Rector and Wardens were willing,
Mr. Fudge might like to place the private monument in the Church in the
form of a Memorial Tablet to the Memory of his son.

I have a parcel of bulbs, hyacinths, on hand
for this grave for immediate planting and spring blooming but cannot
forward until I receive the family consent as

v (2)

forward until I receive the consent of the family to treat the grave as outlined above.

If the answer is in the affirmative will you kindly wire me collect as I am anxious to plant the bulbs this Fall.

I have the honour to be,

Your obedient servant,

Officer i/s Records.

Lieut.

Nov. 21st., 23.

The Rev. N.G. Vivian,
Pushthrough, F.B.

Dear Reverend Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter telegram of the 19th. inst. and note that the family of the late Private Fudge grant permission to this Department to treat the grave of their late son as a War Grave.

I have also to remind you that the personnel of the Imperial War Graves Commission comprise representatives of the Royal Family, many notables of the House of Lords and House of Commons, gentlemen who are foremost in business and finance in the British Isles, as well as representatives from the Dominions, forming one body united by the common tie to perpetuate the memory of the Honoured Dead. The functioning of the Imperial War Graves Commission is controlled by the British Treasury and all expenses are investigated by financial experts before authorization of expenditure is approved.

I assure you that monies spent in this manner are not wasted, as quoted by you.

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The work on the grave in question will be undertaken as early as possible in the Spring.

We are forwarding by Registered Post a parcel of Hyacinths for immediate planting and spring blooming. I trust that they will be in the ground ^{before} ~~for~~ the frost arrives. I beg to remain,

Yours very sincerely,

Officer i/c Records. Lieut.

Ackn. 16/6/25
W.F.R.

Dear Sir,

Muddy Hole
June 8th 1925

I am sending you with the greatest of pleasure saying about the Headstone and the concrete you ~~was~~ mentioned to me a time ago about the grave of
The George T. Fudge No 4323 who laid down his life for King and country and as we havnt received it yet we should like and get it for to put on his grave if we could; and we should also like to get some more of them Bulb Flowers you sent us before as they all dyed away

Yours truly
John Fudge

Muddy Hole

Via Penarthrough
Hyer Bay.

Do they send

it. H.
Major J.M. Howley M.B.E.

has grave been created

Passed for reply, please

W.F. Rendell

Office of the Archivist for Militia Records.

November 20th.1925

Mr. John Fudge,

Muddy Hole.

Dear Sir:-

I beg to advise that I am forwarding by the S.S.Pertis, the headstone for the grave of your late son, G.T. Fudge, No. 4323, Royal Nfld. Regiment.

I expect that the stone will be landed at Hermitage, and I am asking that you obtain possession of it, and kindly see to its erection.

Yours truly,

Archivist.