



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

RL

No. 3345 Name John O'Rourke Corps

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

- | | |
|--|------------------------------------|
| 1. What is your name? | 1. <u>John O'Rourke</u> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>Wolfeboro</u>
<u>CB</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>yes</u> |
| 4. What is your age? | 4. <u>19</u> Years <u>4</u> Months |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>fisherman</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, John O'Rourke 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.

Edw 18/16 John O'Rourke SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
Harold Knight Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, John O'Rourke 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 St John's on this 18 day of December 1916

Signature of Attesting Officer Harold Knight

†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, 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).....

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name John O Rowke
 Apparent age 19 years 7 months. Height 5 feet 8 inches
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 38 1/2 inches
 Range of expansion 3 1/2 inches
 Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin James O Rowke
Hollywood | 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	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 <u>18-12-16</u>									Laus Capt <u>22-3-1918</u>
Joined at <u>St John's</u> on <u>December 18</u> <u>16</u>									
<u>Embarked</u>	<u>St John's</u>	<u>S.S. Hoegel to Windsor N.S.</u>		<u>31-17</u>					Embarked for <u>156 S.</u> <u>22-9-17</u> joined unit in the field <u>12-10-17</u> Mounted <u>20-11-17</u> <u>Admitted 37th</u> <u>Inf</u> <u>18th</u> <u>Calp.</u> <u>31-11-17</u> <u>Instructor to Company</u> <u>26-1-18</u> <u>Admitted Lieutenant</u> <u>Military Dep.</u> <u>Have been Lieutenant</u> <u>Survey</u> <u>27-11-17</u> <u>Surveys</u> <u>then attached Hoeg Dept</u> <u>25-17</u> <u>Embarked for 156 S.</u> <u>4-2-1918</u> <u>to Dunkerque France</u> <u>6-2-1918</u> <u>joined 156 S.</u> <u>France</u> <u>15-2-1918</u> <u>Military Medal London Gazette</u> <u>14-2-1919</u>
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to 20-10-18 (date of discharge) 1 years 307 days
 " " " Pensions " " " " " " " " " " " "



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 John A. Roache.
aged 19 yrs 6 1/2 months conducted at C. L. B.
Date: Dec 18/16 Recruiting Officer:

NO OF TEST	FINDING
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1	no
2	no
3	no
4	no
5	no
6	no
7	yes
8	yes
9	no
10	"
11	"
12	"
13	"
14	"
15	"
16	"
17	"
18	"
19	left eye 1/2 st.
20	"
21	"
22	"
23	"
24	"
25	"
26	"
27	"
28	"
29	"
30	"
31	"
32	"
33	no

33465

5'8"
170 lbs.
35" 3 1/2"

8/150 Parday
Parents James O Roache Holywood.

Signature of Medical Examiner:

J. W. Burden

C.R.

No. 3345 Name John O'Rourke Sgt. Batty A. Corps Royal Newfoundland Date of enlistment 18/12/16 G.C. Badges } Service or Proficiency Pay }
 Date of last entry in Company Conduct Sheet 19/8/17 No. and date of last drunk } Period not reckoning towards freedom from extra fine } Sheet No. 1 Signature O.C. Edward May Character Good

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>Field</u>	<u>23.2.18</u>	<u>Pte</u>		<u>Deficient of Iron Rations</u>	<u>Capt Davis</u>	<u>Pay for loss of</u>	<u>23.2.18</u>	<u>Capt Riley</u>	<u>RHC</u>

Killed 20.10.18

ARMY FORM B. 122

[P.T.O.]

C.R. 3345

Nov. 7th, 1928

Mr. James O'Rourke,
Holyrood

Dear Mr. O'Rourke:-

I am very pleased to inform you that His Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the Military Medal to your son, No. 3345, L/Corpl. John O'Rourke, for bravery in the field.

The fine reputation as a fighting force which our Regiment has gained, is due to the gallantry and soldierly qualities of all ranks, and particularly to the deeds and conduct of those who distinguish themselves. The Regiment is very proud of such soldiers who bring honour to it and themselves, and I am sure you are proud of L/Corpl. O'Rourke. MM

Please accept my congratulations and assurances of the appreciation of the splendid conduct of your son.

Yours faithfully,

Minister of Militia.

No. 524

A REGISTERED POSTAL PACKET

Received from

R1579

Addressed—

James O'Rourke - by
Whitney Pirie
Sydney

Received a Registered Postal Packet addressed as on the Receipt Form bearing the above No.

Office Stamp }



Received a Registered Postal Packet addressed as above....

C.R. 3345

Sydney

RECEIVED FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ONE ENVELOPE CONTAINING EFFECTS OF THE LATE
NO. 3345 L/Cpl. John O'Rourke.

Received Badge thank you for same

SIGNED *James O'Rourke*

DATE *March the 2 1919*

3345

C.R.

Feb. 14th 191

James O'Rourke Esq.,
71 Wesley Street,
Whitney Pier,
Sydney, N.S.

Dear Mr. O'Rourke:

It is my regrettable duty to have to forward to you one envelope, containing effects which belonged to the late No. 3345 L/Cpl. John O'Rourke, of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Herewith enclosed you will find receipt, kindly sign same and return at your earliest convenience.

Assuring you of my deepest sympathy in your bereavement and in the added sorrow that the receipt of these effects must entail


Yours sincerely,



Lieut.

Casualty Officer.

No. of Paper 1438PERSONAL EFFECTS.Name O'Rourke J.C.R. 3345Rank Lance CorpRegiment ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Article	Where stored	Notified by
1 envelope containing: Disc.		<i>Shipped to Newfoundland.</i>
	Final disposal	

Remarks:— *Killed in action 20/10/18*
*Next of Kin:— Father:— James O'Rourke
 Holywood, C.B.*

C.R. 3345

Extract of DAILY ORDERS PART II, Royal Newfoundland Regiment
in France dated 21/11/18.

KILLED IN ACTION

#3345 L/Cpl. O'Rourke, J

20/10/18.

C.R. 3345

Extract from Newfoundland Royal Gazette, Nov. 15th, 1918.

MILITIA ORDERS--24.

BY J.R. BENNETT, ESQ., MINISTER OF MILITIA.

AWARDED MILITARY MEDAL.

#3345 L/Cpl. John O'Rourke.

MM.

C.R. 3345

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CLASS OF SERVICE DESIRED	
Fast Day Message	
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Patrons should mark an X opposite the class of service desired: OTHERWISE THE TELEGRAM WILL BE TRANSMITTED AS A FAST DAY MESSAGE.	

Important Messages should be repeated—

Attention is called to the Importance of legible writing.

CHECK

TELEPHONE 378 FOR MESSENGER.

TIME

Received

Sent

SEND the following telegram subject to the terms }
back hereof which are hereby agreed to.

Date Nov. 15th 1918 191

To James O'Rourke, 71 Wesley Street, Whitney Pier, South Sydney

Regret to inform you Record Office, London officially reports your son, No. 3345, Sergt. John O'Rourke killed in action October 20th Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire

J.R. Bennett

Minister of Militia.

NOTE FOR OPERATOR:
THIS MESSAGE IS NOT TO BE DELIVERED UNTIL MESSAGE TO ROMAN CATHOLIC PRIEST OR SCHOOL TEACHER, WHITNEY PIER SOUTH SYDNEY HAS BEEN RECEIVED AND NOTIFIED.

ONE DPT OF MILITIA.

C.R. 3345

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SEND the following telegram subject to the terms } Date **Nov. 13th** 191
back hereof which are hereby agreed to.

To **ROMAN CATHOLIC PRIEST OR SCHOOL TEACHER** **WHITNEY PIER**
SOUTH SYDNEY

REQUEST TO INFORM YOU REGD OFFICE, LONDON REPORTS TO/DAY
NO. 3345, SERGT. JOHN O'ROURKE KILLED IN ACTION OCTOBER 20TH
PLEASE INFORM NEXT OF KIN **JAMES O'ROURKE, 71 WESLEY STREET**

J.R. BENNETT
MINISTER OF MILIT A.

CHGE DEPT OF MILITIA.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.**Cable Connection with all the World****All Messages Sent are Subject to the Following Conditions:**

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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)**Depts of Militia.**

Signature of Sender _____

Address _____

Nov. 9th, 1918

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

*Dated***Nov. 9th, 1918***To***James O'Rourke Holyrood**

Regret to inform you that Record Office, London,
officially reports **No. 3345, 1/991. John O'Rourke**
Filed in action Oct. 20th

Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire you.

J. B. Bennett**Chge Dept of Militia.****Minister of Militia.**

NOTE FOR OPERATOR:

This Message is not to be delivered until Receiving Office notifies that Message to **Roman Catholic****Priest or School Teacher**

has been received and acted upon

FOR TYPEWRITER

Form 3
Newfoundland Postal Telegraphs.

C.R. 3345

Office Stamp and Date.
TELEGRAPHS
NOV 11 1918
KING'S WHARF

prefix.....
SERVICE MESSAGE

Time received.....by.....Time sent.....by.....

From

Postal

To

Dept Militia

Holywood advises O'Rourke's address as follows.

James O'Rourke
71 Wesley St.
Whitby Pier.
South Sydney

Form 3

Newfoundland Postal Telegraphs.

C.R. 3345

Prefix 10

SERVICE MESSAGE

Office Stamp and Date

NOV 9 1918

KING'S WHARF

Time received by Time sent by

From

Postal

To

J.R. Bennett

yours O'Rourke Holywood
 undelivered party working
 at Sydney

E.R. 3345
Counter No. _____

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Signature of Sender _____ Address Dept of Militia.

Line Number	Recd	By	Sent	by	Check
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Dated Nov 9th, 1918
To Roman Catholic Priest or School Teacher, Holyrood

Regret to inform you Record Office, London reports to-day
No. 3345, L/Cpl. John O'Rourke killed in action October 20th
Please inform next of kin

J.R. Bennett

Minister of Militia.

Chgo Dept of Militia.

OR

FOR TYPEWRITER

C.R. 3345
Counter No. _____

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Dated
To

Nov. 9th, 1918.

Roman Catholic Priest or School Teacher, Holrrood.

Regret to inform you Record Office, London, reports to-day No. 3345, L/Cpl. John O'Rourke Killed in action October 20th, Lplease inform next kin.

J.R. Bennett,
Minister of Militia.

Charge to Dept. of Militia
FOR TYPEWRITER

C.R. 3345

Extract from Telegram from Synoptical, London dated November 9th., 1918.

Sergt. 3345 O'Rourke.

KILLED IN ACTION.

C.R. 3345

Extract from Nominal Roll of Draft No. 50, 50 Other Ranks from
2/1st Newfoundland Regiment B. B. to 1/1st.
Newfoundland Regiment B. E. F.,
embarked Southampton 29th September 1918.

43345 Pte. J. O'Rourke.

C.R. 3345

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal
Hfld. Regt. in the field, dated May 27, 1918.

#3345 Pte. J. O'Rourke.

Appointed Lance-Corporal March 22, 1918.

C.R. 3345

Abstract from General Roll Draft No. 36, 800 Other Ranks
from 2nd., Reserve Batta. Royal Newfoundland Regiment, and pr
proceeded to join the 1st., Battalion, Royal Field., Regt.
R. N. F., embarked Southampton 4/2/18.

3345 J. O'rourke.

C.R. 3345

Extract from Daily Orders, Part II, UNIT: The Royal Newfoundland
Regiment, dated Dec. 29th. 1917.

STRENGTH.

3345 Pte. J. O'Rourke.

Invalided to U.K. 26/11/17. Wtd.

C.R. 3345

Extract from Casualties from P.&R.O., London, dated
Dec. 18th. 1917.

FOR DISCHARGE.

3345 Pte. J. O'Rourke

Ex Military Hospital, Grove Road, Richmond 13/12/17
Granted furlough to 22/12/17. Categories not known.
No. A.Fs. W.3016 to hand.

C.R.

2345 ✓

Extract of Casualty received from Pa. & Record
Office, London, dated December 4, 1917.

#3345 Pte. J. O'Rourke. ✓

Wounded 20/11/17.

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Address _____

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated **November 29, 1917.**To **Mr. James O'Rourke,****Holyrood, C.B.**

Regret to inform you that Record Office, London, officially reports **No. 3345, Private John O'Rourke, has been admitted to Military Hospital, Grove Road, Richmond, suffering from wounded scalp and contused back.**

Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire you and trust that next report will be of his convalescence.

J. R. BENNETT, R.A. SQUIRES

Colonial Secretary.

FOR TYPEWRITER

Newfoundland Postal Telegraphs.

SERVICE MESSAGE

Office Stamp and Date.

1610 08 10N

Time received _____ by _____ Time sent _____ by _____

From

To

Casualty Clerk

Yours Orounke Solgood
undelivered house closed
the father at Sydney
a son at Salmonier
Postal

Newfoundland Postal Telegraphs.

Office Stamp and Date.

6 **SERVICE MESSAGE**

Time received 5:37 P by _____ Time sent _____ by _____

From _____

To _____

Casualty Clerk

Yours to Bourke Polywood
delivered to R. Dwyer J.P.
who has been authorized
by party to take delivery
of his business
Postal

NOV 30 1917

"C.R. 3345"

NO. 3345 PTE? JOHN O'ROURKE.

EXTRACT OF CASUALTY LIST RECEIVED FROM THE PAY AND RECORD
OFFICE LONDON DATED NOVEMBER 29th, 1917.

"AT MILITARY HOSPITAL GROVE ROAD RICHMOND SCALP CONTUSED BACK."

✓

C.R. 3345

Extract of Nominal Roll of Officers and men embarked St. John's
31-7-17. Sailed Halifax S. S. AUSTONIA 16-4-17.

#3345 PTE. J. O'ROURKE.

C.R.

3345

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Newfoundland
Regt., St. John's, Dec. 18th, 1916.

3345 Pte. John O'Rourke.

Attached to the Strength from Dec. 18th-16.

J. D. Rowker

CR.

3345

1120

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname O'Rourke OF Christian Name John

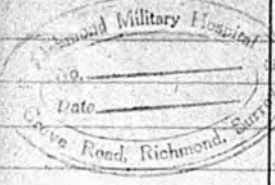
Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish _____ County _____

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>6</u>	at _____	on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>6</u>	at _____
Examined	18 th day of Dec	St. John's N.S.		
Declared Age	19 years	7 months		
Trade or Occupation	fisherman			
Height	5 feet	8 inches		
Weight	170 lbs.			
Chest Measurement	Grith when fully expanded 38 1/2 inches			
	Range of Expansion 3 1/2 inches			
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
When Vaccinated	never			
Vision	R.E.—V=	6/4	R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=	6/4	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 Paterson</u>			
(Rank)	<u>Major</u>			
	Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at St. John's N.S.			
	on 18 th day of Dec	191 <u>6</u>		
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
	1st Newfoundland Regiment 3345.			
Transferred to	NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.			
Became non-effective by				
	on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>6</u>		on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>6</u>	
(Signature)				
(Rank)				



Table II.—Only for admission to hospital or to the sick

Name of Hospital.	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number Days in Hospital	Remarks bearing syphilis, admission of treatment
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year			
3 rd Scottish General	21	5	14	24	7	17	⁴² Syphilis	64	Treatment
	27	11	17	13	12	17	M.S.W. Scalp scantiness Back		

st in case of Warrant Officers treated in quarters.

on the cause, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of future use. In cases of re-admissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers, etc., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.

Signature of Medical Officer

Kharsivan & Hg. Injections.

Seabies treated with Sulphur & Fette. Cap-hame.

Healing well

Discharged Newfld. H. Qrs A7w 3016 (1/)

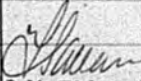
 Major, R.A.M.O.
O/1c Richmond Military Hospital,
Surrey.

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

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
10-1-17.	} TAB 20
17-1-17	} 20
24-1-17	} 3 20
29-12-16	Vacc. 20

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
S.S. Hovigel	Jan 31	Feb. 3 rd			
Windsor MS	Feb 3 rd	1911 164			
P.O. Aurora	16.4.17				

SYPHILIS CASE-SHEET.

Regtl. No. *3345* Rank and Name *Pte G. Rowke, John* Corps *4th B. F.L.D. Reg. Coy*

Placed on Syphilis Register at *Scott. Gen. Hosp* on *21. 5. 17* No. in Register

Disease contracted at *Apr. 5. 5. 17* Primary sore appeared on (date) *23. 5. 17*

CONDITION WHEN PLACED ON REGISTER.

Primary sore—character and site *Ulcer on prepuce*

Lymphatic glands *indurated*

Skin (nature and distribution of rash)

Mucous membranes

Other symptoms

Examination of exudate from sore—Spirochaeta Pallida (present or absent) *present*

Examination of blood serum—Method employed (original or modification)

Wassermann reaction (Result (positive or negative))

Station *3rd Scott. Gen. Hosp.* Date *20. 7. 17* Signature of M.O. *Edw. Walter C. C. King*

Struck off Syphilis Register at _____ on _____

Cause of being struck off Register { (a) Recovered
(b) Transferred to Army Reserve
(c) Discharged from Army }

Station _____ Date _____ Signature of M.O. _____

N.B.—On completion of a course of treatment a red line to be drawn across the page, and the date when the next blood test is due to be entered in red ink below the line, e.g., "Blood test due 15.5.14."
The date and result of the blood test to be entered; and if negative, the date on which the next blood test is due to be also entered.

Station	Date	Symptoms and progress (Date of admission to hospital, and date of discharge from hospital, to be entered in red ink.)	Weight doctored, without boots—lbs.	Urine		Treatment				Signature of M.O. (Each M.O. will sign his name in full on the first occasion; subsequent entries may be initialed)	
				Normal (N) Albumin (Alb.)	Method (Original Modification (M))	Wassermann Reaction		Arsenical	Mercurial		Other Methods
						Positive (+)	Negative (-)				
3rd Scott. Gen. Hosp.	21.5.17	Wound from bullet from below a thigh profuse: paralytic									
	24.5.17	Wound on inner aspect of profuse: Spasmodic pt. tremor.	172						15c		Deaton G.H.
	25.5.17			N		38c					Ⓢ
	30.5.17		174	N		38c					Ⓢ
	31.5.17								15c		Ⓢ
	4.6.17			N		38c					Ⓢ
	7.6.17		173						15c		Ⓢ
	14.6.17								15c		Ⓢ
	18.6.17		174	N		48c					Ⓢ
	24.6.17	Com. healed							15c		Ⓢ
	25.6.17		177	N		58c					Ⓢ
	28.6.17								15c		Ⓢ
	5.7.17		179						15c		Ⓢ
	9.7.17			N		58c					Ⓢ
	12.7.17		180						15c		Ⓢ
	16.7.17			N		58c					Ⓢ
	18.7.17	In action signs.									Ⓢ

Blood Test due 18.10.17.



1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, John O'Rourke, Regl. No. 3345

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of Twenty Dollars and 50 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

Feb 1st 1917

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
3448	Father	Mr. Jas. O'Rourke	Holywood C.B.	50
Total Allotment, \$				

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

(Sig.) B Strong Lt.
for St. Philip's Officer Commanding Company
June 9 1917

(Sig.) John O'Rourke
(Rank) 3345 Pte.

3345 Rank Pvt Name O'Rourke J

Pay	F.A.	Weg	Total
100	10		110
Less Allotment			50
Net Rate			60

DEBITS	Date	£	s	d	CREDITS		Period		Days	Rate	£	s	d				
					From	To											
Balance			7	15	Balance		28/9						1	5	8	✓	
Acquittance Rollis		2	15	0	Overcharge from rollis											5	✓
Hospital Advances					Pay @ Net Rate	29/9	13/12	16	60	45	60		9	7	5	✓	
A.B. 34 (15/70)			11	0	Ration allow									1	0	0	✓
P. & R.O. Payments					10 days @ 2/-												
	3-13-11				13-12 to 22-12												
Cash (4/70)		8	0	5	8-0-5												

3-13-11

H-13-6

A.O.

BIRMINGHAM Hospital
 2nd Grove Road
 Rickmansworth Surrey
 Nov 29 1115
 ACTED UPON BY
 DATE

Dear Sir,
 Please send the following
 telegram to Mr James
 O'Rourke care of Brudy
 Whitney pier
 South Sydney Corporation

please send my
 wireless 5 pounds.
 as quick as possible
 admitted Hospital
 wounded and feeling fine

John O'Rourke

3345 Pte John O'Rourke
 1st Gen Hospital Regt

turn over

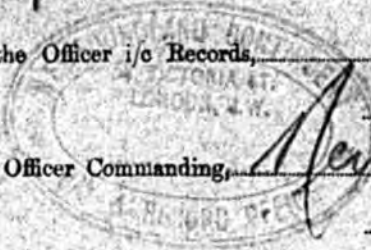
302
 30 NOV 1917
 Ack'd.
 Ans'd.
 File No.

please keep it at pay
office till I call
much obliged
Pete J. Cronk

Only for use with Men returned from an Expeditionary Force or from
Garrisons Abroad.

Army Form W. 3016
(In Books of 200.)

No. 1149 Date 13/12/17 191

(1) To the Officer i/c Records, _____ (Station).


(2) The Officer Commanding, Newfoundland Regt _____ (Station).

(3) The Paymaster, _____ (Station).

Regimental No. 3345

Rank and Name Platoon Quartermaster John

Regiment or Corps 1 Newfoundland Regt

has been granted a furlough from to the post to _____

His address while on leave will be: 55 Victoria St
SW.

I consider he is fit for* i. Duty.
 ~~ii. General Duty.~~
 ~~iii. Special Duty.~~
* Strike out that which is inapplicable.

Officer in charge Hallam Major, R.A.M.C. Hospital,
O i/c Richmond Military Hospital (Station).
Surrey.

Four copies to be made, and one copy sent to each Officer mentioned above and one copy filed in the office. In the case of men of the Royal Flying Corps, Royal Engineers and Army Ordnance Corps two copies of A.F.W. 3016 will be sent to the Officer in charge Records concerned and one to the Paymaster, instead of one copy to the Officer i/c Records, the Paymaster, and O.C. shown in the Schedule.

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At _____
 To _____ By _____

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THIS FORM WILL BE ACCEPTED AT ALL
 POST OFFICE TELEGRAPH STATIONS.

30/11/17 TO PREVENT MISTAKES PLEASE WRITE DISTINCTLY.

To RFM JAMES OROURKE CARE H BRODY
 WHITNEY PIER
 SOUTH SYDNEY
 CAPE BRETON (Canada)

PLEASE TELEGRAPH FIVE POUNDS NEWFOUNDLAND PAY OFFICE
 58 VICTORIA STREET LONDON QUICK AS POSSIBLE ADMITTED
 HOSPITAL LONDON WOUNDED FEELING FINE

3545 JOHN OROURKE

CHARGED
 PAY BOOK 14
 Date 4/12/17 by *RFM*

CHECKED
RFM

CREDITED
 PAY BOOK 14
 Date 12/12/17 by *RFM*

*Charge to
 3345 J. O'Rourke.*

Authorized.

NOT TO BE
 TELEGRAPHED.

Having read the conditions printed on the back hereof, I request that the above telegram be forwarded by the Western Union Telegraph-Cable System, subject to the said conditions to which I agree.

58 Victoria St. S.W. 1.

Signature _____

Address _____

CABLE ADDRESSES REGISTERED IN ANY PART OF THE WORLD, OR WITH ANY COMPANY, ARE AVAILABLE OVER THE LINES OF THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH-CABLE SYSTEM.

Howke. J.

3345

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ORIGINAL.

Army Form O. 1625.

PAY LIST.

to

191 Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps Royal Newfoundland Regiment

No. 3345

Rank L/Cpl

Name O'Rourke, J

Died (a) Intestate at France

on the 20 of October

1918

Deserted at

on the of

1918

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 20.10.18	12	9	8
	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			
	"							
	Consolidated stoppage							
	Balance due by the Paymaster	12	9	8	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£				£		
		12	9	8		12	9	8

This account is in accordance with advices received at the Pay & Record Office to 21 JUL 1919 and may therefore be subject to amendments if and as may be revealed by subsequent advices.

CHECKED. P.D.A. 21 JUL 1919

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ 12 9 8 is correctly chargeable against the Public.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT. LONDON SW. 21 JUL 1919

THREE PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE

Dated at this day of

- (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. 5012 or Army Form O. 1315.
- (b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

ORIGINAL.

Army Form O. 1625.

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to

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Regiment or corps **Royal Newfoundland Regiment**

No. **3345**

Rank **L/Cpl**

Name **O'Rourke, J**

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CHECKED.

P.L.A.

21 JUL 1919

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

Dated at

this

21 JUL 1919
PAY & RECORD OFFICE

191

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER

- (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.

FIELD SERVICE.

Army Form B. 2090A.

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

REGIMENT OR CORPS } "1st Newfoundland Regt." Squadron, Troop, } A. Co.
 Battery or Company }

Regimental No. 3345 Rank Lance-Corporal.

Surname O'Rourke. Christian Names J.

Date 25-10-18. Place Belgium.

Died Cause of Death* Killed in Action

Nature and Date of Report B 213 d/23-10-18.

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.

State whether he leaves a Will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) Not received (b) in Small Book (if at Base) not received
 (c) as a separate document none received

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.

Station and Date } 3-11-18. Signature of Officer in charge of Section } [Signature] Captain,
 Adjutant-General's Office at the Base }

For Officer i/c No 1 Infantry Section
 3rd Echelon General Headquarters



October 31, 1919

Richard Dwyer,
Holyrood,
C.B.

Dear Sir:

I enclose cheque for \$67.90,
balance of estate of late L/Corp. J. O'Hourke,
due you as Administrator of his estate.

I am also enclosing Letters
of Administration.

Yours truly,



Major
Paymaster.

LM-
Enc. 2

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 67 ⁹⁰/_x

Oct 17 19 19

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Sixty Seven ⁹⁰/_x Dollars.
~~an account~~ of Pay. Estate.
balance

Ch. No. 16101	Initials...	EW
Pay Ledger 83	Initials...	WM
Gen. Ledger.....	Initials.....	

Regtl. No.

Ray

A. C. S.

No. 3345 Rank Lt Col

Name J. O'Rourke

FIELD SERVICE

CR 3375
Army Form D. 2090A.

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REGIMENT) "1st Newfoundland Regt." Squadron, Troop, } A. Co.
OR CORPS } Battery or Company }

Regimental No. 3345 Rank Lance-Corporal.

Surname O'Rourke. Christian Names J.

Died { Date 20-10-18. Place Belgium.

Cause of Death* Killed in Action

Nature and Date of Report B 213 d/23-10-18.

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.

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Station and Date } 3-11-18. Signature of Officer in charge of Section } Captain,
Adjutant-General's Office at the Base } For Officer i/c No 1 Infantry Section



Army Form B. 103.

Regiment (Number) **C.R. 334th**

Casualty Form - Active Service.

Regiment or Corps **Royal Newfoundland**

Rank **Pte** Surname **O'Rourke** Christian Name **John**

Religion **Roman Catholic** Age on Enlistment **19** years **7** months

Enlisted (a) **St. Johns** Terms of Service (a) **Duration** Service reckons from (a) **19/12/16**

Date of promotion to present rank Date of appointment to lance rank **19/12/16**

Extended Re-engaged Qualification (b)
or Corps Trade and Rate.....

Occupation **Fisherman** **John O'Rourke** Signature of Officer.

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., 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 of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.35, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
			Embarked ... 3 FEB 1918		
			Disembarked... 6 FEB 1918		
			Joined Battalion 15 FEB 1918		
23/10/18	CO Br Ann	46th		22-3-18	B.213
		Keen in action		20/10/18	15/11/18
			For Officer 1/c No. 1	Infantry	Section
			2nd Echelon, General Headquarters		
					✓

(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, Skoog-Smith, &c.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 1st Newfoundland
 Rank Pte Surname O'Rourke Christian Name John
 Religion R. C. Age on Enlistment 19 years 7 months
 Enlisted (a) 18-12-16 Terms of Service (a) Duration Service reckons from (a) 18-12-16
 Date of promotion to present rank Date of appointment to lance rank
 Extended { } Re-engaged { } Qualification (b)
 Occupation Fisherman & Host or Corps Trade and Rate



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 A. 36 or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
			Embarked <u>Shampton</u>	<u>22.9.17</u>	
			Disembarked... <u>Rouen</u>	<u>27.9.17</u>	
			Joined Battalion	<u>12 OCT 1917</u>	
				<u>20 NOV 1917</u>	<u>A.F.B. 213.</u>
<u>26 Nov 1917</u>	<u>O.C.</u>	<u>WOUND IN ACTION</u>	<u>no trace</u>	<u>55 C.C.S.</u>	<u>2/11/17</u> <u>803827</u>
<u>21/11/17</u>	<u>377 A</u>		<u>Gun Wounds (minor)</u>	<u>Rouen</u>	<u>22/11/17</u> <u>KA 16639</u>
	<u>5 Gen Ap</u>		<u>Transferred to England</u>		<u>26-12-17</u> <u>W 3083</u>
			<u>MAJOR</u>		
			<u>O. i/c No. 1</u>	<u>Infantry</u>	
				<u>Section</u>	
				<u>G.H.Q.. 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) Signaller, Shoeing-Smith, &c.

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Forms
R 121
39.

Regiment of *1st Newfoundland*

Number of Sheet *one*
Signature of O. C. Company *Thos. C. O'Keefe*

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade		Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay	
No.	<i>3345</i>	O'Rourke J.	Age on	<i>19</i> years	<i>7</i> months	Fisherian	
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	<i>St. John's</i>		Religion	<i>R. C.</i>	
Joined	Date	Period of		with Colours		with Reserve	
Joined	Date			<i>20 7</i> years.		<i>5 5</i> 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>Asy.</i>	<i>17.5.17</i>	<i>Plt.</i>		<i>Firing blank Ammun. - Sgt. Dawson</i>		<i>3 days C.B.</i>	<i>18.5.17</i>	<i>Capt J.E.J. Fox</i>	
<i>Barr.</i>	<i>30/7/17</i>			<i>Absent from tattoo</i>	<i>Capt. Pessier</i>	<i>2 days C.B.</i>	<i>31/7/17</i>	<i>Col. G. Frost</i>	
<i>Momifuth</i>	<i>19.8.17</i>	<i>Plt.</i>		<i>Drunk on the Lines</i>	<i>Documentary</i>	<i>7 days C.B.</i>	<i>21/8/17</i>	<i>Lt. Col. Whitaker</i>	
<i>Momifuth</i>	<i>18.8.17</i>	<i>Plt.</i>		<i>Failing to salute an officer on High St. about 9.10 P.M. 18th</i>	<i>Documentary</i>	<i>3 days C.B.</i>	<i>21/8/17</i>	<i>Lt. Col. Whitaker</i>	
				<i>Killed in Action. 20 ¹⁰/₁₈</i>					



To be carried over

Army Form B. 121.