

3873

FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

No. 3873 Name Fred Bugden Corps Meth.

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

- 1. What is your name? 1. Fred Bugden
- 2. What is your full Address? 2. Spurway
Burins
- 3. Are you a British Subject? 3. Yes
- 4. What is your age? 4. 18 years — Months
- 5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. fisherman
- 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 DURATION OF THE WA
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, Fred Bugden 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.

425-6-17.

Fred Bugden.....SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
W. McLaughlan.....Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Fred Bugden 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 25 day of June 1917.

Signature of Attesting Officer Chft Capt

†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.

Name *[illegible]*
 Apparent age *18* years *0* months Height *5* feet *9* inches

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded *36* inches
 Range of expansion *4* inches

Distinctive marks *[illegible]*

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin *Fletcher Bugden*
Spworth Burn | 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.			
(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 <i>25-6-17</i>									
Joined at <i>St. John's</i> on <i>June 25-17</i>									
<i>[Crossed out]</i>									
<i>Embarked St. John's St. Helier to Halifax 4</i>									
<i>Embarked for 156th B. 4-2-18</i>					<i>Embarked for 6</i>				
<i>Joined Battalion in the field 15-2-18</i>					<i>Embarked 89th B. 10-17-18</i>				
<i>Embarked 19th B. St. John's 28-2-18</i>					<i>Discharged from Hospital 17-5-18</i>				
<i>Killed in Action</i>					<i>13-4-18</i>				

Total Service forfeited as above.....

C.R. 3873

Extract from Daily Orders Part II Unit The Royal Newfoundland
Regt., St. John's, June 25th, 1917.

3873 Pte. F. Bugden.

Attested this day posted to F. Coy, and assigned to
number as shown.

CR 3873

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked Sy. John's for Overseas,
per S.S. "Florizel" Aug.4,1917.

3873 Pte. F. Bugden.

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.



Birthplace:—Parish Burton County

SPECIAL RESERVE.

Examined on 25 day of June 1917 on day of 191
 at Headquarters at
 Declared Age ... 18 years days years days
 Trade or Occupation
 Height 5 feet 9 inches feet inches
 Weight 140 lbs. lbs.
 Chest { Girth when fully expanded ... 36 inches inches
 Measure- { Range of Expansion .. 4 inches inches
 ment

	Right	Left	Right	Left
Vaccination Marks { Arm Number	—	—		

When Vaccinated
 Vision R.E.—V=6/6 R.E.—V=
 L.E.—V=6/16 L.E.—V=

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease
 (b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection

Approved by (Signature) Liam O'Brien
 (Rank) Major

Medical Officer. Medical Officer.

Enlisted at St John's at
 on 25 day of June 1917 on day of 191

	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
Joined on Enlistment	<u>1st N.I.D.</u>	<u>3873</u>		
Transferred to	<u>Reg.</u>			

Became non-effective by on day of 191 on day of 191
 (Signature)
 (Rank)

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCIDENT.

Regiment or corps

No. **3873**

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

Rank **PL**

Name **Bugden J.**

Died ^(a) *Intestate* at **France**

on the **13** of **April** 191**8**.

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 13 4 18	6	9	5
	<i>Cash issues</i> (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		5	0
	"				Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
	Consolidated stoppage				Deferred Pay or Gratuity			
	Balance due by the Paymaster	6	14	5	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£ 6	14	5		£ 6	14	5

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ 6 14 5 is correctly chargeable against the Public ^(b) CONTINGENT.

Dated at **3 APR 1919**
this day of

191 **Paymaster.**
CHIEF 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.

ORIGINAL.

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 } Royal Newfoundland. Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company } D.CO.

Regimental No. 3873, Rank Private. 7 MAY 1918

Surname Bugden. Christian Names R.

Date 13-4-18. Place France or Belgium.

Died { Cause of Death* Killed in Action.

Nature and Date of Report B 213 d/22/4/18. 4 MAY 1918

O.C. Unit.

COPY SENT By whom made
O.C. H.Q.
ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.
 State whether he leaves
 N.F.P.38. No. 11768

DATED 30 MAY 1918

* Specify 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.

(a) in Pay Book (Army Book 6) Not received. (b) in Small Book (if at Base) Not received.

(c) as a separate document. None received.

Private documents and effects received from the front or hospital, as well as the Pay Book, should be examined, and if any will be found to be correct, should be 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 } G.H.Q., 3rd. Echelon, 29-4-18. Signature of Officer in charge of Section } [Signature] Lieut. for MAJOR

No. 1 **Infantry Section**
G.H.Q., 3rd Echelon

C.R. 3873

**Extract from Telegram received from London Dated May
6th, 1918.**

#3873 Pte. Bugden.

Killed in Action April 13th.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

Cable Connection with all the World

All Messages Sent are Subject to the Following Conditions:

The Management may decline to forward the Message, though it has been received for transmission; but in case of so doing shall refund to the Sender the amount paid for its transmission.

In case the Message shall never reach its destination by reason of any neglect or default of the N. P. T. or its Servants whilst the Message remains under the control of the N. P. T., they will refund the amount paid by the Sender for such Message.

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.

The control of the N. P. T. over the Message shall be deemed to have entirely ceased for the purposes of these Conditions at any point where, in the course of the transit of the Message to its destination, it may be entrusted by the N. P. T. (and the N. P. T. shall have full power so to entrust the Message) for further transmission by or through any system, service, or line of Telegraph belonging to or worked by any administration or authority not controlled by the N. P. T. exclusively, although worked as part of or in connection with the Telegraphic system or service of the N. P. T.

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
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Dated May 6th 1918.

To Fletcher Bugden, Epworth, Burin.

I regret to inform you that Record Office, London reports to-day that No. 3873, Private Fred Bugden was killed in action on April 13th. Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire you.

J.R. Bennett

Actg. Minister of Militia.

NOTE FOR OPERATOR:
THIS MESSAGE IS NOT TO BE DELIVERED UNTIL RECEIVING OFFICE
NOTIFIES THAT MESSAGE TO METHODIST MINISTER OR SCHOOL TEACHER
EPWORTH HAS BEEN RECEIVED AND ACTED UPON.

FOR TYPEWRITER

July 8, 1919

Wm. F. Bugden,
Epworth,

Dear Sir:

I enclose herewith cheque
for \$41.20, balance of estate of late ^Kte. F.A.G.
Bugden, due you as Administrator.

I enclose Letters of Ad-
ministration.

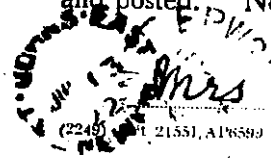
Your s truly,


Capt.
Paymaster,

10/17

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To ensure that as far as may be possible none of the 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.



Mrs Mary Rugden Epuorth

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(2249) 21551, A16599 10/19 900 (20) D St.

SEP 1 1921.

The accompanying **Victory Medal** and/or **British War Medal**
is/are forwarded herewith to

Mr. Fred Bugden (Father)

in respect of his service as No. **3843** Rank **Pte.**

Name **Fred. Bugden** **Royal Nfld. Regt.**
Nfld. Forestry Corps.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received **Victory Medal + British War Medal**

Signature **Mrs. Mary Bugden (Mother)**

Date **Nov. 6th 1921.**

Address **Epworth, Buxton**

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Army Form B. 103.

Regiment (Number) **C.R. 873**

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps **Royal New Zealand**

Rank **Plt** Surname **Dugden** Christian Name **Fredrick**

Religion **Meth.** Age on Enlistment **18** years — months

Enlisted (a) **25.6.17** Terms of Service (a) **Duration** Service reckons from (a) **25.6.17**

Date of promotion to present rank Date of appointment to lance rank

Extended { } Re-engaged { } Qualification (b)
or Corps Trade and Rate **Captain**

Occupation **F. S. Clerk** Signature of Officer **[Signature]**



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 3 FEB 1918		
			Disembarked 6 FEB 1918		
	897th Co. "V.U.O"		Field	17.2.18	CO 2964
	17CS	Diarrhoea		28/2/18	[Signature]
22 APR 1918	[Signature]	Killed in Action		13 APR 1918	B 213
		G. 1/c No. 1	MAJOR		
			Infantry Section		
			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) Signaller, Shoeing-Smiths, &c. W. 21814-21128 16021 1/17 (27227) S P & Co, Ltd. Forms B.103/4 - E.154. (P.T.O.)

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Number 1000
Signature of O. C. Company [Signature]

Regiment of 1st Newfoundland

Form B. 121.
30.

Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade
No. <u>3873</u>	<u>Bugden Fred</u>	Age on <u>18</u> years -- months	<u>29 3/4</u> years.	<u>Fisherman</u>
Joined _____ Date _____	Joined _____ Date _____	Place and Date of Enlistment <u>St Johns 25-6-14</u>	with Colours <u>29 3/4</u> years.	Religion <u>Method</u>
Joined _____ Date _____	Joined _____ Date _____	Period of <u>36 1/2</u> years.	with Reserve <u>36 1/2</u> years.	Place of Birth _____
Place _____	Date of Offence _____	OFFENCE		Names of Witnesses _____
				Punishment awarded _____
				By whom awarded _____
				Date of award or of order dispensing with trial _____
				REMARKS _____

Killed in Action 13/7/18

To be carried over

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Spworth
Mar. 5/20

C.R.

R

W. H. Rendall

Lieut. Col.

St. John's.

Dear Sir, —

I thank very much
for "memorial scroll" & His Majesty's
message in honour of our dear
boy who so willingly laid down
his young life for Right & Liberty.

I may say that we
as a family appreciate all these
things which go to prove that the
noble dead are not forgotten. We
feel proud of our soldier lad, our
father also died in Aug. 1919
& so once more on behalf of my
widowed mother, I thank you.

Yours Respectfully,
(Miss) Jennie Buggen.