

First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 329

Name in full Hubert Edgar Ebsary Age 24

Address 147 Southside City

Married Single Height _____ Weight _____

Color Light Hair Dark Brown Eyes Brown

Other distinguishing marks Scar on right arm Biceps

Nearest relative Father Stephen Elias Ebsary

Address 147 Southside City

Dependents none

Occupation Cooper Present Wage \$12.00 per week

Previous service none

Decorations none

General Remarks _____

Date of Enlistment _____

I, Hubert Edgar Ebsary, 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.

Hubert Ebsary

Declared before me this 1st day of October 1914

Robert H. [Signature]

*Re-engaged for 1st time of war
Hubert Ebsary
Sept 7th 1915
13/8/15*

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

Applicable to all ranks. To correspond with entries on the Medical History Sheet.
Reg. No. 589

Name Hubert Edgar Ebsary

Apparent age 24 years _____ months. Height _____ feet _____ inches.

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

Distinctive marks Color: Light, Hair: Dark Brown, Eyes: Brown.

Other distinguishing marks: Scar on right arm biceps.

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin Stephen Elias Ebsary, 147 South Side, St. John's.

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) Signature of Officer verifying entry from certificate.
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d) Verified from certificate.

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth	(d)
		Verified from certificate

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	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>7/9/14</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>7th September '14</u>									
		Promoted to <u>L. Corp.</u>	<u>24/4/15</u>						
		" <u>Corp.</u>	<u>14/11/15</u>						
<i>Embarked <u>Diep.</u> at <u>Calcutta</u> Dec 1st 15</i>									
<i>Embarked <u>S.S. Fleethold</u> for <u>Cal.</u> 3rd 15</i>									
<i>Embarked <u>S.S. Fleethold</u> for <u>Cal.</u> 31st 15</i>									
<i>Landed <u>S.S. Fleethold</u> at <u>Cal.</u> 19-20 Sept 15</i>									
<i>Bullet Wound <u>Wrist</u> <u>Calcutta</u> 11th 15</i>									
<i>Died of Wounds 1st 15</i>									
<i>Embarked <u>S.S. Fleethold</u> for <u>Cal.</u> 20th 15</i>									
<i>Embarked <u>S.S. Fleethold</u> for <u>Cal.</u> 19th 15</i>									
<i>Embarked <u>S.S. Fleethold</u> for <u>Cal.</u> 14th 15</i>									
Total Service forfeited as above									

Total Service towards Engagement to 1-12-15 (date of discharge) 1 years 85 days

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth	(d)
		Verified from certificate

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 Re-serve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					years	days	years	days	
		Service towards limited engagement reckons from		7/9/14					
		Joined at	St. John's	on	7th September '14				
		Promoted to	L. Corp.		24/4/15				
		"	Corp		14/11/15				
		<i>Embarked S.S. Flakely for W.A. 3rd Dec 1914. Embarked 6th 20th Dec. Disembarked <i>flakely and entrained for Cairo 31st Dec. Embarked for Macebo 13th Jan landed Suva Bay night of 19-20 Sept 15. Camp 14th Jan Bullet Wound Head Dardanelles 1st Dec. Died of Wounds 1st Dec</i> </i>							
		Total Service forfeited as above							
		Total Service towards Engagement to	1-12-15 (date of discharge)		1	years	85	days	
		" " " Pension "							



3rd. Echelon,
Base, Egypt.

Dec. 21st., 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. 339, Lance Corporal H. Epsary, B Company,
1st. Newfoundland Regiment, as per list below:-

- 1 Handkerchief.
- 1 Purse containing 2 Egyptian coins and a ring.
- 1 Pkt. of Letters and Photos.

[Handwritten initials]

[Handwritten signature]

Captain
for Major,
Officer i/c Records 11 & 12 Districts,
3rd. Echelon, Base, Egypt.

Ref. No.	136
Rec'd.	JAN 13 1916
Ack'd.	
Ans'd.	
File No.	

[Large handwritten signature]

October 10, 1919

Stephen E. Ebsary,
147 South Side,
City.

Dear Sir:

I enclose cheque for \$138.93
balance of estate of late Pte. W. E. Ebsary, due
you as Administrator.

I am also enclosing herewith
Letters of Administration.

Yours truly,


Major
Paymaster

LN-
Enc. 2.

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.

Aug 27th 1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of

Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of
the late No. 339 Rank

Name: Herbert Crosby

Royal Newfoundland Regt.

[Signature] (Sgd.)

Relationship.

Address: 147 South side.

SEARCHED

Fold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld.
SEP 8
1921

BUY
MADE IN
NEWFOUNDLAND
GOODS

Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld.

Fold Here

Aug. 26 1921.

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

Mr. Stephen E. Ebsary (Father)

in respect of his service as No. **339** Rank **Pte.**

Name **Hubert Ebsary (D.)** Royal Nfld. Regt.
Nfld. Forestry Corps

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received *Victory Medal and British War Medal*

Signature *S. Ebsary*

Date *Sept 3rd 21*

Address *147 South Side*

[P.T.O.]

RECEIPT.

CR 339

I hereby certify that I have received the 1914-1915

STAR.

for No. 339 Name A. E. Ehsan

Witness

M. G. Hill
Capt

A. E. Ehsan

Date

June 9/20

Place

St. John's. N.J.

A. W. J.

RECEIPT.

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&R.O.
January 3rd 1916.

339, L.Cpl. H. Ebsary.

Bullet Wound Body. 1.12.15.

December 22, 1915.

Dear Sir,

It was with extreme regret that I sent you yesterday the official intimation from the Record Office, London, of the death of your son, Lance Corporal Hubert Edgar Ebsary, as the result of wounds received in action. I beg now to tender to you the deep sympathy of the Government and mine own also in this time of sorrow, and I trust the Great Father will give to you and yours at this time His love and comfort.

But while our hearts feel the loss and the sadness of parting, there is some comfort in the thought that our brave lads gave their lives for the establishment of those principles that are most vital to us -- Righteousness, Truth and Liberty. Your gallant lad early responded to the call of King and Country and bravely faced the foe of common humanity. Though he has laid down his earthly weapons, he has assumed the soldier's crown of victory and his name is inscribed on the glorious Roll of Honour and will be held in fragrant memory by all his countrymen. We are proud of our brave boys and also of our noble unselfish fathers and mothers who so willingly gave up their sons when the call of duty came. I trust that it will be a comforting thought to you, when Peace is once again established, that your dear son had some part in that glorious Proclamation.

With sincerest sympathy, believe me to be

Your most obedient servant,

Mr. Stephen E. Ebsary,
147 South Side.

Colonial Secretary.

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December 21, 1915.

Dear Sir,

I deeply regret to inform you that the Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, to-day reports that No. 339, Lance-Corporal Hubert Edgar Ebsary, died of wounds on December 1st.

Sympathetically yours,

Colonial Secretary.

Mr. Stephen E. Ebsary,
147 South Side.

C.R. 339

PROMOTION.

REGIMENTAL ORDER.

By Sir Walter E. Davidson K.C.M.G., Officer Commanding.

The Lt. Col. has been pleased to approve the following appointment

To be Corporal,

Lance Cpl. H. Ebsary.

(to date from Nov. 15th 1915).

C.R. 339

Extract from Nominal Roll Co. 1st. Bn. Nile Regt.

Embarked at Devonport for Active Service 20-8-15

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

339 L/C. H. Ehsary.

C.R. 339

Extract from Maximal Roll reported St. John's per S.S.

"Floriss" Oct. 4, 1914.

339 Edsary Hurbert E.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland ✓
 Regimental No. C.R. 339 Rank L. Corp. Name Esbery H. (Thomas)
 Enlisted (a) 1-10-14 Terms of Service (a) one year. Service reckons from (a) 1-10-14
 Date of promotion to } Date of appointment } Numerical position on }
 present rank } to lance rank } roll of N.C.Os. }
 Extended } Re-engaged Christian of War Qualification (b) }

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 218, Army Form A. 86, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 218, Army Form A. 86, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		John's, N.F.I.D.		3/10/14.	
				1/9/15.	
		Gallipoli		13/9/15.	
2/12/15.	Unit	Bullet Wounds, Body.	Dardanelles	1/12/15.	B 213.
13/12/15.	88th.F.A.	Died of Wounds	88th. Field Ambulance	1/12/15.	E 2616. <i>G</i>

[Signature]
 Captain
 for Major,
 Officer i/c Records 11 & 12 Dist
 3rd. Echelon, Base, Egypt

(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.

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet. Army Form B. 121.

Number of Sheet 1

Regiment of Newfoundland

Signature of O. C. Company James Alexander Capt

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Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No.	<u>339</u>	Age on	<u>93</u> years <u>7</u> months	<u>Cooper</u>	
Joined	Date	Date of Enlistment	<u>1/10/14</u>	Religion	
Joined	Date	Period of	<u>18</u> years <u>365</u> with Reserve	<u>C. J. S.</u>	

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>Fort George</u>	<u>1915</u>	<u>plc</u>		<u>absent from duties until 11.30 pm 7.9.15</u>	<u>Sgt Shppard</u>	<u>admonished</u>	<u>8.9.15</u>	<u>Capt Alexander</u>	<u>et.</u>
<u>Stona</u>	<u>27.6.15</u>	<u>L. Cpl.</u>		<u>Neglect of Duty</u>	<u>Leut Wylton</u> <u>Sgt. Rendell</u>	<u>Severely Reprimanded</u>	<u>26.6.15</u>	<u>L. Col. Burton</u>	
				<u>Died of Wounds</u>	<u>1/12/15.</u>				
To be carried over									