



First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 1268

Name in full Lawrence Joseph Sewer Age 21

Address Placentia

~~Married~~ Single Height 5 ft 6 1/2 Weight 141

Color Light Hair Brown Eyes Blue

Other distinguishing marks Scar on first finger, right hand

Nearest relative Father (William)

Address Placentia

Dependents None

Occupation Paper-Maker Present Wage \$3.50 per day

Previous service

Decorations

General Remarks

Date of Enlistment March 15/15

I, Lawrence Joseph Sewer, 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 condition of my service.

Lawrence Joseph Sewer

Declared before me this 29th day
of March, 1915

C.R. 1268

Lawrence Jos. Fewer was attested for General service
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on .. March. 15th. 1915
Regimental No 1268 was allotted to Pte. L.J. Fewer

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of MILITIA,

March 25th 1919.

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Extract from Hospital Roll embarked St. John's, for Overseas,
per S.S. "Stephane" April 24, 1918.

1268 Pte. Fewer L.

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Fewer OF Christian Name Lawrence Joseph

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish Placentia County Newfoundland

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <u>9</u> day of <u>March</u> 191 <u>5</u> at <u>Grand Falls</u>		on _____ day of _____ 191____ at _____	
Declared Age	<u>Paper Maker</u> <u>2</u> years		_____ years	
Trade or Occupation	_____		_____	
Height	<u>5</u> feet	<u>6 1/2</u> inches	_____ feet	_____ inches
Weight	<u>141</u> lbs.		_____ lbs.	
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded... <u>35 1/2</u> inches		_____ inches	
	Range of expansion... <u>37 1/2</u> inches		_____ inches	
Physical Development	_____		_____	
Vaccination Marks	Arm	_____	Arm	_____
	Number	_____	Number	_____
When Vaccinated	_____		_____	
Vision	R. E.—V== <u>1905</u>		R. E.—V== _____	
	L. E.—V _____		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>W. J. Atkinson</u>		_____	
(Rank)	<u>Capt</u>		_____	
	Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at <u>St John's</u> on <u>15</u> day of <u>March</u> 191 <u>5</u>		at _____ on _____ day of _____ 191____	
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	<u>1st Infan</u>	Corps.	_____
	Regtl. No.	<u>1768</u>	Regtl. No.	_____
Transferred to	_____		_____	
Became non-effective by	_____		_____	
(Signature)	on _____ day of _____ 191____		on _____ day of _____ 191____	
(Rank)	_____		_____	

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

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
1-7-16	Killed in Action France <i>[Signature]</i>

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
<i>St John N. P. Co</i>					

C.R. 1/768

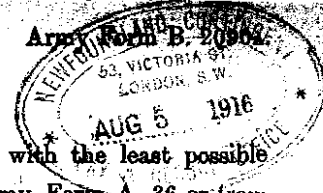
Extract from Casualties C.914 5/8/16, 1st Bn. Royal Wfld.
Regt, dated Aug. 9th. 1916.

1268 Pte. L. Fewer

K. in Action 1/7/16. Reptd. Buried 1/7/16 by Rev. H.S. Reid,
Attachd. 87 Bde.

ORIGINAL

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 } 1st. Newfoundland Regt. Squadron, Troop, Battery } D Company
or
CORPS }

Regtl. No. 1268 Rank Private

Name Fewer, L.

Date July 1st., 1916.

Died Place France.

Cause of Death* Killed in Action.

Nature and Date of Report Burial Report.

By whom made Rev. C. Mayne, att. 86th. Brigade.

* 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 Grave No. 7, Knightsbridge, 1 mile W.N.W. of Hamel, 4 1/2 miles N. of Albert.

Date July 1st., 1916.

By whom reported Rev. C. Mayne.

State whether he leaves a will or not (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) Not to hand. (b) in Small Book (if at Base) do (c) as a separate document do

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.

Signature of Officer in charge of Section Adjutant-General's Office at the Base } [Signature] Capt. for Lt. Col., Officer i/c Infantry Section, 3rd. Echelon, B. E. F.

Station and Date 28/7/16.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland

Regimental No. 1268 Rank Pte Name Lawrence Foweraker

Enlisted (a) 29.5.15 Terms of Service (a) War Service reckons from (a) _____

Date of promotion to present rank } Date of appointment to lance rank } Numerical position on 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. 36, 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 30.4.15
 Disembarked Gallipoli 1.12.15
 Embarked Pt Suez 14.3.16
 Disembarked Marseilles 22.3.16

July 9/16 Rev Col Regue Killed in Action France 17.16 Buried Grave No 7
 at 86 13 age Knightsbridge
 1 mile N.W. of Albert
 A. E. Clerk. Capt
 for 6 1/2 Infantry Record
 G.H. 2. 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) e.g., Signaller, Shoeing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

PAY LIST.

to *1st July* 191*6*. Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps *1st Newfoundland*
 No. *1268* Rank *Private* Name *L. J. Fewer*
 Died *(a) in action* at *France* on the *1st* of *July* 191*6*
 Deserted at on the of 191*6*.

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

{ *Commanding Squadron, Troop,
 Battery or Company.*

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

[Form I.]

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month				Balance Cr. last month <i>12 May. 16</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>11</i>
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay <i>50</i> days at <i>1st</i> from <i>3/5</i> to <i>1/7/16</i> <i>1/55</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>6</i>	
	<i>France</i> <i>Egypt. 31. 5 1916</i> <i>76. 6</i> <i>Egypt. 78. 7</i> <i>78. 7</i> <i>15. 2</i>				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at _____ to _____			
	<i>Kit allowance</i>				Messing allowance days at _____ from _____ to _____			
	<i>Kit allowance</i>				Kit allowance			
	<i>Alloiment</i> <i>Sodayp @ 70¢ 13500</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>1</i>	Amount produced by the sale of Effects from Form 2			
	Consolidated stoppage				Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
					Deferred Pay or Gratuity			
	Balance due by the Paymaster	<i>19</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>5</i>	Balance due to the Paymaster	<i>19</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>5</i>

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ *19 17 5* is correctly chargeable against the Public^(b).

Dated at *France* this _____ day of _____ 191*6*. 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.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

INVENTORY of EFFECTS of

No. 1268 Pte. R.J. Hewes deceased.

EXTRACT from A.R. B. 2090 A, dated _____:

CAUSE of DEATH Stroke

DATE 1/2/16 PLACE Shannon

WILL: (a) In Pay Book. No

(b) In Small Book _____

(c) Separate Document _____

NEXT OF KIN: Wm Hewes

Relationship Father

Address Placentia

	PARTICULARS.
<u>1 Envelope</u>	<u>2 Photos.</u> <u>1 Badge.</u>
<u>1 Kit Bag</u>	<u>from Depot.</u>

July 6th, 1917.

Mr. William Fewer,
Placentia.

Dear Sir:-

I enclose herewith cheque for \$56.07,
being the balance of the estate of your late
son, No. 1268, L. G. Fewer.

Yours truly,

Lieut.
D/Pkmaster.

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records.

RECEIVED
1921
AUG. 30
NEWFID.

The Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.

NO STAMP REQUIRED

Dept. of Militia,

St. John's.

Blancetown Aug 21 1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of
the late No. *1268* Rank *Pte*

Name *Laurence J. Lewer*
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

William Lewer (Sgd.)

Father Relationship.

Address

Blancetown

RECEIVED

1268

Aug. 29 1921.

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

Mr. William Fewer (Father)

in respect of his service as No. 1268 Rank Pte.

Name L. J. Fewer (Dec.) Royal Nfld. Regt.
Nfld. Forestry Corps.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received September 21/21
Victory Medal and Ribbon

Signature William Fewer

Date Sept 7/21

Address Placentia

[P.T.O.]

Receipt for Army Book 64

No. 1268 Name. *Lewis*

To Certify that I have received the AB 64 of the above
named soldier.

July 22/20

Date. *William Lewis*

Date.....

Place. *Peacenia*

N.B. For completion and return to the Department of Militia
insert in corner of envelope "AB 64"

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C.R. 1268

RECEIPT.

I hereby certify that I have received the 1914-1915

STAR.

No 1268 Name Lawrence Frown

Witness William Frown

Date Jan 14/20

Place Placenton

I also received
the Memorial Scrolls
for which I am
very thankful
William Frown

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

W. P. Griffith & Sons Ltd., Printers, Old Bailey, E.C. 4.
 (533) W1387/603 40cm 3/16x1 83 5/8

Number of Sheet 1
 Signature of O. C. Company *[Signature]*

Regiment of 1st New Brunswick
 Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay

No. <u>1268</u>	Regimental Number and Name <u>Private J. [Name]</u>	Enlistment	Trade <u>Paper Maker</u>	Signature of O. C. Company
Age on <u>24</u> years	months	Place and Date of Enlistment <u>Spring 18-3-15</u>	Religion <u>S.C.</u>	
Period of { with Colours <u>109</u> years	{ with Reserve <u>365</u> years	Place of Birth <u>Quebec</u>		

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or date of discontinuing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
<u>Stabs</u>	<u>17/8/15</u>	<u>1st Lt</u>		<u>breating & disturbing L Corp while after "lights out" Le Buff.</u>		<u>5 days L.C.</u>	<u>18/8/15</u>	<u>Capt Ayre</u>	
<u>Qxpr</u>	<u>4/9/15</u>			<u>absent from 9:15 a Parade up to Ross</u>		<u>2 days L.C.</u>	<u>6/9/15</u>	<u>20 P. [Name]</u>	
				<u>Killed in Action</u>					

To be carried over