

THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 5491 Name Victor Hull ~~and~~ Meth

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment

1. What is your name? 1. Victor Hull
2. What is your full Address? 2. Little Bay Islands, N.S.
3. Are you a British Subject? 3. Yes
4. What is your age? 4. 18 Years 0 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
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, Victor Hull 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.

Victor Hull SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
John Henry Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Victor Hull 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 Sydney on this 14th day of May 1913.

Signature of Attesting Officer C. D. Dick's Lieut.

†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).....re-enlisted in the (Regiment).....on the (Date).....

CR 3471

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal
Tfld. Regt. St. John's, dated May 29, 1918

#5471 Pte. Victor Hull.

Attested for General Service with the Royal Tfld. Regt.
from May 27, 1918

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Huel OF Christian Name Victor

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish Little Bay Islands, NFB County Nfld.

	SPECIAL RESERVE		REGULAR ARMY	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined	27 th	May		1918
Declared Age	18	years		days
Trade or Occupation	Fisherman			
Height	5	feet	8	inches
Weight	135	lbs.		
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded		35 1/2	
	Range of Expansion		3 1/2	
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
	✓	✓		
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R.E. ✓ L.E. ✓	6/10	R.E. ✓ L.E. ✓	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease				
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection				
Approved by (Signature)	[Signature]		[Signature]	
(Rank)	Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at	St. John's	at	
	on	27 th day of May	on	day of 1918
Joined on Enlistment	Corps	Royal Nfld. Regiment	Corps	Regtl. No.
		S. U. G. P.		
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by	on	day of	on	day of
(Signature)		191		191
(Rank)				

Table II.—Only for admission to hospital or to the sick list in case of Warrant Officers treated in quarters.

Name of Hospital	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number Days in Hospital	Remarks bearing on the case, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of future use. In case of syphilis, admissions and readmissions, hospital, treatment, etc., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.	Signature of Medical Officer
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
M. I. D. Hospital	5	6	18	9	6	18	Neuritis	4	Dis 7-6-18	Seabrook

Medical Examination Held at

St. John's Hospital, May 27/11

1. Name

Victor Mullen

Age (a) Declared *18*

(b) Apparent

2. Do you know of anything wrong with you? *no*

What severe illnesses have you had? *Wound with left foot*

3. Height

5' 11 1/2"

Weight *135*

4. Eyesight (a) Left

6/12

(b) Right

6/12

5. Physical Defects (Examine after strenuous exercise) *n*

6. Examination of Lungs *n*

Measurement

(a) Expiration

32

(b) Inspiration

35 1/2

7. Examination of Heart *n*

8. Examination of Urine *✓*

9. Examination of Mouth—(Defective Speech)

Teeth

Throat

Nose

Ears—(Otorrhea)

(Deafness)

n

10. Have you been successfully vaccinated, and when? *no*

11. Name and address of next of kin *Sarah Jones Little Bay Isld*

REMARKS--

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*St. John's
Archd. Cat*

C.R. 5471

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

#5471 Pte. V. Hull.

Died at Military Hospital St. John's, 8.6.18 Struck
off the strength from that date.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS



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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 _____

Line Number	Recd	By	Sent	by	Cheek
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Dated June 9/18

To Mr. John Hull

Little Bay Islands N.D.B.

Regret to inform you that your son 5471 Etc. Victor Hull died at the Military Hospital St. Johns last night of Meningitis.

J. Rendell Lieut Col.
for Minister of Militia.

NOTE FOR OPERATOR.

THIS MESSAGE IS NOT TO BE DELIVERED TILL RECEIVING OFFICE NOTIFIES THAT MESSAGE TO MEMORIST MINISTER OR SCHOOL TEACHER HAS BEEN RECEIVED AND ACTED UPON.

FOR TYPEWRITER

C.R. *5471*

THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
HEADQUARTERS

St. John's, Newfoundland,

June 9th, 1918

1918

From O. C. Depot

To D. O. C.

Sir:-

#5471 Pte. Victor Hull

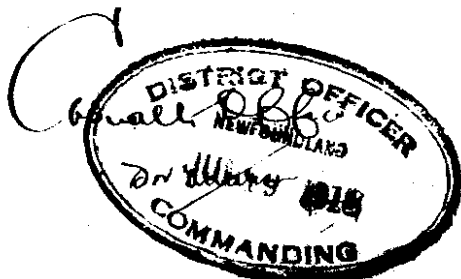
Above noted man has been reported by Dr Burden as died last night at Military Infections Hospital, Military Road, of meningitis. Casualty was notified by 'phone to Lieut. Herder by Asst.-Adjutant this morning.

Awaiting instructions regarding disposal of body Mr. Oke, undertaker, has been asked to take charge of body.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant



W. H. Herder
Asst Adjutant
Depot The Royal Newfoundland Regiment
St. John's, Nfld.

Victor Hull

Number No. _____

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender _____ Address St. John's, Nfld.

Line Number	Recd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated June 10, 1918.

To John Hull,
Little Bay Island.

KINDLY ADVISE YOUR INTEREST REGARDING THE REMAINS
YOUR SON 5471 VICTOR HULL BODY CONFINED
AND EMBALMED

W. F. RENDELL,
Chief Staff Officer,
for Minister of Militia

FOR TYPEWRITER

Form No. 10

C.R. 5471



NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line No.

Sent by

Paid by

Class

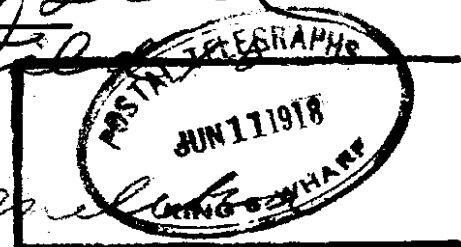
Little Bay Isd

Place from

To

W F Penhall

men of Mel...



*please send remains
Victor Hall by train
for next Home to Little Bay
Isd*

John Hull *CB*

No enquiry respecting this Message will be attended to without the production of this paper

Little Bay Island

Mrs W F Kendall
Chief Staff Officer

ANSWERED
JUNE 19
1918

will you kindly explain to
us particulars regarding
our dear son death vector
Hull we want to know how
long he was sick before he
expired was he senseless
most of the time or was he
not I do not know whether
you believe in our Faith or
not but that does not make
any difference we are Brothers
all the same we should
like to get good hope that

2

our dear son is gone to
rest

we are very thankful for
your sympathy and consider-
ation which you have shown
regarding his ~~loss~~ body

we remain with many
thanks yours sincerely

Johna Hull and
family

of the Methodist
Church

C.R. 5471

July 4th 1918.

Mr. John Hull,

Little Bay Island.

Dear Mr. Hull,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of June 19th, in which you ask for particulars with regard to the death of your son, the late #5471 Pte. Victor Hull, The Royal Newfoundland Regiment, and in reply I would say that on June 5th, he was admitted to the Military Hospital, St. John's, suffering from Meningitis. Almost upon entering, he became dangerously ill, and did not afterwards improve. He died on June 9th. He was conscious all the time up to the night of his death. I can assure you that he received every attention, with the best medical attendance that could be provided for him. During his illness, and before he became unconscious, he was attended by the Rev. Mr. Atkinson, Methodist Minister, and received the comforts of his Church.

These are all the particulars obtainable, but I can say that your boy died a good death, and one worthy of a soldier.

Yours faithfully,

C.G.B.

Captain,
for Chief Staff Surgeon.

C.R. 3497
July 23, 1918

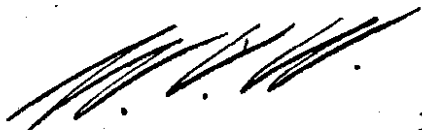
Mr. John Hull,
Little Bay Islands.

Dear Mr. Hull:-

I am writing to inform you that it is my regrettable duty to forward to you through "Register Post" one Watch and Chain, which belonged to your son the late #5471 Pte. Victor Hull of The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Trusting you will receive it in good condition, I am,

Yours sincerely,


Lieut.
for Lieut. Col. C.S. O.

C.R. 5471

Dec. 1st. 17

Mr. F. John Hall,
Little Bay Islands,
N.B.A.

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. 1, Pto. 1, etc.:-

1.....Location of Grave (for example: Methodist Cemetery, Garbancar)

2.....Whether the grave has been temporarily or permanently marked, that is, what kind of Headstone has been erected.

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

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Col.
The Adjutant-General.

Little Bay Island

Jan 29 1918

(1)

W R Rendell
Department of militia St Johns

C.R. 5471

Dear sir 5471, Pte. Victor Hull

in reply to your
letter of the 21st Dec
I may say that we have
not as yet any head stone
to our sons grave.
and he is buried in
our own methodist cemetery
Sulians Cove Little Bay
Island. Peter Dame Bay

Hoping that this is
Satisfactory I remain
Yours truly John R. Hull

John R. Hull
Little Bay Island
P D B

Little Bay Island

C.R. 5471

To Department of militia
St. Johns

Dear Sirs

I am sending back
the watch which you sent
as it did not belong
to my son Victor Hull
I kept it a while ~~think~~
thinking it was a
mistake as you told
us on the letter you
were sending watch
and chain but we never
reviewed it

-hoping the delay
has caused you no
trouble I remain
yours sincerely
John R Hull

Little Bay Island
P f L R

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Regiment of *Royal New-fours* *Co. 20*
 Signature of O. C. Company *[Signature]*

Number of Sheet *Two*

Troop *Third*

Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or 1956 Army pay

No.	Regimental Number and Name	Age on 18 years	Enlistment	Troop	Period of (with Colours with Reserve)	Years	Months	Days	Number of Offences	Number of Warnings	Time absent awarded	REMARKS
5471	Victoria No. 21	18										
	Joined											
	Joined											
	Joined											
	Joined											
	Place											
	Date of Offence											
	Rank											

Direct Reception to Battery No. 21

To be carried over.

Little Boy Scouts
Feb. 17th / 21

C.R. 5471

Lieut-Col., W. F. Rendell,
St. Johns,

Dear Sir,

I wish to acknowledge
with thanks and feelings of
appreciation, the receipt of
both Memorial Scroll commemo-
rating the name of my own
private victim Hull No. 5421,
and the accompanying
message from the Mayor
the King.

Yours truly

John Hull
P. S.

Aug. 31st. 23.

The Rev. Cyril M. Curtis,
Little Bay Is., N.D.B.

Dear Reverend Sir,

We have on hand an headstone supplied by the Imperial War Graves Commission for the grave of the late 5471, Private Victor Hull, Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

It is desired to have this grave treated in the same manner as War Graves in war areas, namely, France, Belgium, and elsewhere. I would be glad if you would mention the matter to Mr. John Hull, this soldier's next-of-kin, and then employ some man to do the work. If you will certify the bills when the work is finished, and send them to us payment will be made immediately. The attached circular might be of service to the contractor, and will give the measurements of the curb.

Kindly advise by wire whether cement and lumber are available, if not, I will ship from here with headstone.

I may say for your information that we have on two occasions written Mr. Jas. Strong J.P. on this matter but up to the present have not been favoured with a reply.

Thanking you for your kind attention to this matter, and awaiting your reply, I beg to remain,

Yours very truly,

Little Bay Islands,

Sept. 4th/23.

H. Col. Rendell,
Militia Department,
St. John's.

Dear Sir,-

Your favour reached me today. As far as 5471. Private
Victor Hull's headstone is concerned, I am writing you to say
that all the necessary material is here. In fact Mr. Strong
on receipt of your letter had taken the matter up but
failed to reply to your letter. The work is now begun and
I can assure you the matter will be satisfactorily
settled and the bills will be certified by Mr. Strong
or by me.

Trusting this will suit you.

I am,

Yours faithfully

C. Curtis