

# FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF

*Capt.*

No. 3192 Name Malcolm Lane Corps

### Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <p>1. What is your name? .....</p> <p>2. What is your full Address? .....</p> <p>3. Are you a British Subject? .....</p> <p>4. What is your age? .....</p> <p>5. What is your Trade or Calling? .....</p> <p>6. Are you Married? .....</p> <p>7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? .....</p> <p>8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? .....</p> <p>9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? .....</p> <p>10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?....</p> <p>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? .....</p> | <p>1. <u>Malcolm Lane</u>.....</p> <p>2. <u>Fair Islands</u><br/><u>Bonaville Bay</u>.....</p> <p>3. <u>yes</u>.....</p> <p>4. <u>21</u> Years <u>3</u> Months .....</p> <p>5. <u>Fisherman</u>.....</p> <p>6. <u>no</u>.....</p> <p>7. <u>no</u>.....</p> <p>8. <u>yes</u>.....</p> <p>9. <u>yes</u>.....</p> <p>10. { Name .....<br/>Corps .....</p> <p>11. <u>yes</u>.....</p> |
|---|---|

I, Malcolm Lane 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.

Malcolm Lane ..... SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.  
Harold Knight ..... Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Malcolm Lane 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 12<sup>th</sup> day of November 1916

Signature of Attesting Officer Charles Aye 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.....1916

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: vis:—(Name).....re-enlisted in the (Regiment).....on the (Date).....



C.R. 3192

Extract from Daily Orders Part II Unit The Royal  
Hfld. Regt., St. John's, Nov. 9th 1916.

3192 Pte. M. Lane.

Attached to the strength from Nov. 1st, 1916.

C.R. 3192

Extract from Nominal Roll Draft embarked St. John's, per  
S.S. "GRAMPIAN" 31/1/17 Sailed Halifax 16/4/17.

3192 Pte. N. Lane.

Used only for Special Reserve Recruits, and for Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

# MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname *Lane*

OF

Christian Name *Malcolm*

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.



Birthplace:—Parish \_\_\_\_\_

County \_\_\_\_\_

		SPECIAL RESERVE.			
Examined	on <i>1<sup>st</sup></i> day of <i>Nov</i> 191 <i>6</i>	on	day of	191	
	at <i>St. John's Nfld.</i>	at			
Declared Age	<i>31</i> years <i>3 mos</i> days	years		days	
Trade or Occupation	<i>Fisherman</i>				
Height	<i>5'</i> feet <i>4 1/2</i> inches	feet		inches	
Weight	<i>130</i> lbs.	lbs.		lbs.	
Chest Measurement	Grith when fully expanded	<i>41</i> inches		inches	
	Range of Expansion	<i>7</i> inches		inches	
Physical Development					
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left	
	<i>—</i>	<i>3 scars</i>			
When Vaccinated					
Vision	R. E.—V= <i>6/9</i>	R. E.—V=			
	L. E.—V= <i>5/6</i>	L. E.—V=			
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)	(a)			
	(b)	(b)			
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection	(b)	(b)			
Approved by (Signature)	<i>Samuel Roberts</i>				
(Rank)	<i>Major</i>				
Enlisted	at <i>St. John's Nfld.</i>	at			
	on <i>1</i> day of <i>Nov</i> 191 <i>6</i>	on	day of	191	
Joined on Enlistment	<i>3/11</i> Corps. <i>Nfld.</i>	Corps.			
	<i>3192</i> Regtl. No.	Regtl. No.			
Transferred to					
Became non-effective by					
(Signature)	on	day of	191	on	day of
(Rank)					

Table III.—Boards: Courts of Inquiry, Vaccination, etc.; Examinations: Foreign Service, Extension, Re-engagement, or prolongation of service; Surgical Appliances; Particulars of Dental Treatment, etc.

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
15-12-16	Vaccination LP
7-11-16	} TAB LP 3. LP
15-11-16	
25-11-16	

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. J. Glorzel Windsor MS	31-1-17 3-2-17	3-2-17			

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 Malcolm Lane  
aged 2 1/2 years 2 months conducted at LFB

Date: Nov 1<sup>st</sup> / 16 Recruiting Officer:

NO OF TEST FINDING

- 1 no
- 2 no
- 3 no
- 4 no
- 5 no
- 6 no
- 7 yes
- 8 yes
- 9 no no
- 10 n
- 11 n
- 12 n
- 13 n
- 14 n
- 15 n
- 16 n
- 17 n
- 18 n
- 19 n
- 20 n
- 21 n
- 22 n
- 23 n
- 24 n
- 25 n
- 26 n
- 27 n
- 28 n
- 29 n
- 30 n
- 31 n
- 32 n

6/10 6/9 ant

3192

- 33 yes 3 years
- 34 5-4 1/2"
- 35 130 lbs
- 36 3 1/2" 41"
- 37 2 1/2 years

Malcolm Lane Lane Islands  
his father and mother



C.R. 3192

Extract from Nominal Roll of Draft No. 25 Hospital Southampton 21/5/17  
from 2/1st Newfoundland Regiment Newton-on-Ayr, to 1/1st Newfoundland  
Regiment B.E.F.

3192 Pte. Lane, M.

MP.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

Counter No. \_\_\_\_\_



Cable Connection with all the World.

C.R. 3192

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

Dated April 29th, 1918.  
To Eli Lane, Fair Islands, B.B.

I regret to inform you the Record Office, London reports to-day No. 3192 Private Malcolm Lane was killed in action April 13th. If further particulars are received you will immediately be wired.

J.R. Bennett  
Actg. Minister of Militia.

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

FOR TYPEWRITER

**FIELD SERVICE ORIGINAL** 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 B. Co.  
Regimental No. 3192 Rank Private.  
Surname Lane. Christian Names M.

7 MAY 1918  
-4 MAY 1918

Date 12-4-18. Place France or Belgium.  
Died { Cause of Death\* Killed in Action.

Nature and Date of Report B 213 d/22/4/18.  
O.C. Unit.

**COPY SENT TO**  
O.C. H.Q.  
**ST. JOHNS N.F.L.D.**  
N.F.P.S. No. 237/66  
DATED 20 MAY 1918

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.  
(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 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 Adjutant-General's Office at the Base [Signature] Lieut. Col., MAJOR

W 2088/M1752-300,000-H. & Sr. 5/21-(10489)-Forme/B2090A/2  
No. 1 Infantry Section  
G.H.Q., 3rd Echelon



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191 . Voucher No.

**NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.**

Noted.

Regiment or corps

No. 3192

Rank Pte

Name Lane M.

Died<sup>(a)</sup> Intestate at France

on the 13th of April 1918.

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 <b>13.4.18</b> .....	11	7	
	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 .....			
	"							
	"							
	Consolidated stoppage .....							
	Balance due by the Paymaster	11	3		Balance due to the Paymaster .....			
	£	11	7		£	11	7	

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

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ 11 7 is correctly chargeable against the Public<sup>(b)</sup>.

Dated at this

3 APR 1919

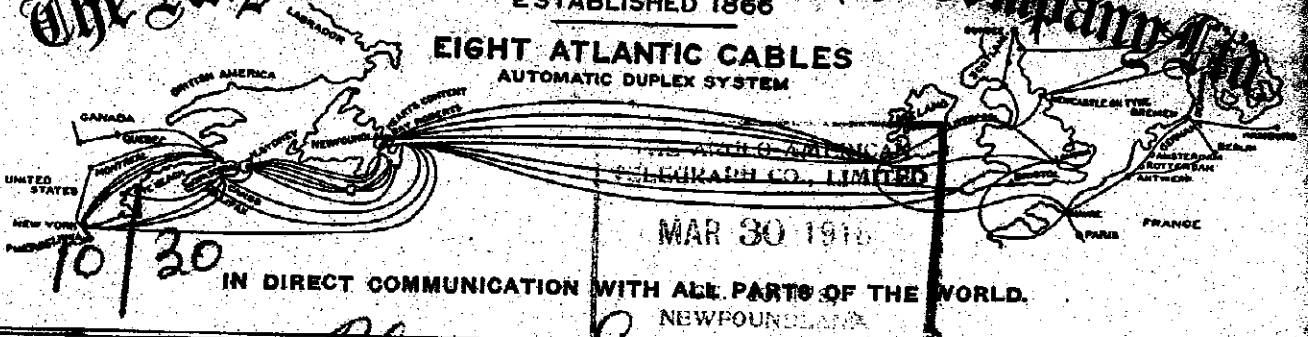
191 . CHIEF PAYMASTER

(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 done. See 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.

# The Anglo-American Telegraph Company

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MAR 30 1916

IN DIRECT COMMUNICATION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.  
NEWFOUNDLAND

No. 9  
Wds.

*Old London*

TO { *Butler Spruce St St Johns.*

*Money not received rush*

*Lane.*

PLEASE HAND YOUR REPLY DIRECT TO THIS OFFICE.

Cables and Telegrams:  
"SYNOPTICAL," London.

Telephone:  
VICTORIA 147.

Communications to be addressed to the  
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/O RECORDS,  
and the following No. quoted:

# NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

## MEMORANDUM.

No. 9802/388/P&A *C.R. 3192*

From  
**PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,**  
58, VICTORIA STREET,  
LONDON, S.W.

To  
The Hon. the Minister of  
Militia,  
St. John's,  
Newfoundland.

FM/WF 15th, June 1918

### SUBJECT:

3192, PTE. M. LANE,  
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.  
Reference Nos.

### REPLY

Dated August 31st. 1918

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

Confirmation of telegrams  
exchanged:

(1)  
Received 2/4/18 (3042),-  
"Synoptical. London.  
"With reference to my telegram  
"March 25th. cancel payment  
"to 2956 Butler and pay to  
"3192 Lane error in name reply by  
"telegraph stating if arranged  
"accordingly. Military."

(2)  
Despatched 9/4/18 (448/119),-  
"Military. St. John's.  
"With reference to your telegram  
"April 1st. remittance has been  
"transferred to 3192 Lane.  
"Synoptical."

(3)  
Received 2/6/18 (4953),-  
"When was four pounds cabled  
"3192 Lane March 28th. paid to  
"him he was killed in action April  
"13th. if not paid please refund.

(4)  
Despatched 4/6/18 (729),-  
"Military. St. John's.  
"Reference your telegram June  
"1st. 3192 Lane has not been paid  
"amount has been adjusted in  
"your account. Synoptical."

The amount of £4. 0. 0  
has been credited to you in  
Telegraphic Remittance account,  
please.

*J. H. Mansel*  
Major,  
Chief Paymaster & i/o Records.

The amount has now been  
refunded to the remitter,  
Mrs Joseph Butler, 31 Cabot  
St.

*George J. D. Bennett*

Minister of Militia

Aug. 16th. 18

Mrs. Joseph Butler,  
31 Cabot Street,  
C i t y.

Dear Madam:

I enclose cheque for \$19.96 being a  
refund of the money cabled by you through this Depart-  
ment on March 26th. to No. 3192, late Pte. Lane.

Yours truly,

15.00  
4.96 to be withheld Lieut.  
For Paymaster  
~~\$19.96~~ from today's next months cheque.

Post Office Box 1132  
Duckworth St.

To Mrs Wm Rogers  
South Side  
Derby

Sept. 12, 1918.

Mrs. Joseph Butler,  
C/o Mrs. Wm. Rodgers,  
South Side, VERMONT.

Dear Madam:

When you were living at No. 31,  
Cabot Street, I wrote you the following:

"I enclose cheque for \$10.95  
being a refund of the money cabled by you through  
this Department on March 26/18. to No. 3122 late  
Private Lane."

This was not intended for you,  
it was intended for another Mrs. Joseph Butler of  
City, and if you received the letter referred to  
cheque enclosed, will you kindly return the cheque  
to me as early as possible.

Sept. 30, 1918.

Mrs. Joseph Butler,

WINDSOR.

Dear Madam:

With reference to your letter of Sept. 22nd. I beg to inform you that we are holding your allotment cheque for this month amounting to \$15.50, and we are also deducting \$4.46 from your next month's cheque, making a total of \$19.96, being the amount of the cheque which you received in error.

Yours truly,

Lieut.  
For Paymaster

May 28, 1919


Mr. Eli Lane,  
Fair Islands, B.B.,  
Mfld.

Dear Sir:

I enclose cheque for \$11.31  
balance of estate of late Pte. W. Lane.  
due you as Administrator.

Yours truly,

Capt.  
Paymaster.



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 11 <sup>31</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

May 28 1919

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of Eleven <sup>31</sup>/<sub>100</sub> Dollars.  
~~on account~~ balance of Pay. Estate

Ch. No.	21095	Initials	Lee
Pay Ledger	121	Initials	JH
Gen. Ledger		Initials	

Regtl. No. Rank

*[Handwritten signature]*

March 18, 1920

From: The Paymaster  
To : The Secretary, Board Pension Commissioners.

Re #3192, Malcolm Lane

The amount paid in continuation of the  
above man's allotment is \$321.00

Major  
Paymaster

AJI/LM

PENSION COMMISSIONERS  
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

HON. J. A. CLIFT, K.C., C.B.E.  
MAJOR W. H. PARSONS, M.C.,  
R.A.M.C.

1920

*St. John's,*

April 23, 1920

Major Howley,  
Paymaster,  
City.

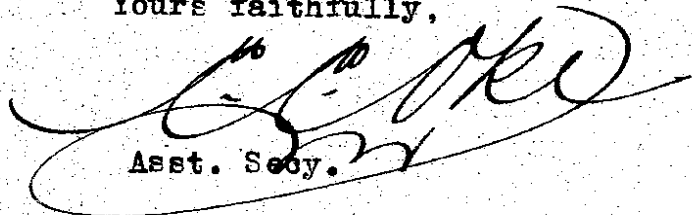
Dear Sir:-

I herewith enclose cheque for \$321, being  
refund of Allotment paid on account of 3192  
M. Lane.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of same.



Yours faithfully,



Asst. Secy.

TME/BT

**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.

*Sept* 7 1922  
RECEIVED  
MILITIA  
ST. JOHN'S

I beg to acknowledge receipt of  
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of  
the late No. *3193* Rank *1st Lt*  
Name *Robert Lane*  
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

*Annie Lane* (Sgd.)  
*Grandmother* Relationship.

Address *Sidney Cove, via Fair Blaud, B. Bay*

Receipt for Arms Book 64

No. 3192 Name M. Hans

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

G. L. Laine

Date Aug. 28/20  
Place Fair Island

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

*WV*

# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Name

Signature of O. C. Company

Regiment of 1st Newfoundland

Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay

Regimental Number and Name

No. 3192 Loane MO  
 Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date \_\_\_\_\_

Enlistment

Age on 21 years 3 months  
 Place and Date of Enlistment St. John's Nfld  
 Period of 1.11.16 with Colours / 3.6.15 years.  
 with Reserve

Trade

Fireman  
 Religion P. of C.  
 Place of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Date of award or of order suspending award with trial.

Punishment awarded

By whom awarded

REMARKS

Place \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Offence \_\_\_\_\_ Rank \_\_\_\_\_ Cases of Drunkness \_\_\_\_\_

OFFENCE

Names of Witnesses

Date of award or of order suspending award with trial.

By whom awarded

REMARKS

*Dismissed in Retention 12-18*

To be carried over

Fiji Islands.

Feb 26<sup>th</sup> / 20

C.A. No 3192

To: Lieut-Col Rendell.

Chief Staff Officer

I received your letter of the 28<sup>inst</sup> forwarding to me a Memorial Scroll comforting us in our sad bereavement for which we thank you very much. We also desire to thank His Majesty the King for the comforting message that His Majesty so kindly sent me both of which I received two days ago again I thank you very much.

I remain

Yours sincerely  
M<sup>r</sup> E. C. Lane