

First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 214

Name in full Victor William Miles Age 29

Address 14 Runnymede Road

Married Single Height Weight

Color Dark Hair Dark Eyes Blue

Other distinguishing marks Tattoo left arm

Nearest relative

Address

Dependents None other Frank

Occupation Tobacco Manufacturer Runnymede Rd Present Wage \$70.00 per month

Previous service

Decorations

General Remarks

Date of Enlistment

I, Victor William Miles, 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.

Declared before me this 8th day of Sept. 1914

Robert H. Sait Sgt. 214

William Miles Sgt. 8th

Re-engaged for war. Declared before me this 8th day of Sept. 1914. Witness

Name William Miles

Apparent age 28 years 0 months 0 Haight 5 feet 10 inches

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 38 inches.  
Range of expansion 2 inches.

Distinctive marks Color: Dark, Hair: Dark, Eyes: Blue.

Other distinguishing marks: Tattoo on left arm.

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin Frank Miles, 14 Pennywell Road, St. John's

| Relationship Brother

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

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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>8/9/14</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>8th September '14</u>									
Promoted to <u>Sergt.</u> <u>21/9/14</u>									
<u>C.O.S.</u> <u>6/5/15</u>									
<u>H.A. 17/16</u>									
<u>Embarked S.S. Messager for Oct 3<sup>rd</sup> 14. And entrained for Cairo. Disembarked night of 19-20 Oct 14. Admitted to hospital 14/16. Embarked Port Said 14/16. Disembarked Messager 22/16. Killed in Action 1/16.</u>									
<u>Embarked M.S.F. 20/15. Disembarked 11/16. Embarked for Gallipoli 13/16. Landed Suvla Bay 26/16. Disembarked 29/16. Embarked 29/16. Disembarked 11/16.</u>									
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" " " Pension " ( " ) " " "									

## NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINENT.

## INVENTORY of EFFECTS of

No. 214 Com/W.M. Jos deceased.

EXTRACT from A. F. p. 2090 A, dated \_\_\_\_\_;

CAUSE of DEATH St in A.DATE 1/7/16 PLACE St John's

WILL: (a) In Pay Book \_\_\_\_\_

(b) In Small Book \_\_\_\_\_

(c) Separate Document \_\_\_\_\_

NEXT OF KIN: Frank MilesRelationship BrotherAddress 14 Pennywell Rd.St John's

## PARTICULARS.

1 Packet.  
(in Box.)

2 Pipes (1 in Case)

1 Cigarette Case.

1 Match Box Case.

Photo, Post Cards.

Greeting Cards Stationary.

4 Coppers (Crowns)

1 Soap Book (soap)

1 Hair Brush.

1 Pack Playing Cards

2 Puggases

1 Shell Splinter (Crown)

1 Cap.

2 Diaries

1 Book (Mil.)

1 Novel.

1 Housewife

(1 Wood of Box)

1 Suit Bag - from Dept.



**WILL.**

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Brother

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Frank Miles  
of Harvey & Co  
St John's  
Newfoundland

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101 214 Miles V.W.

~~WORTH~~

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

ST. JOHN'S  
AUG 15  
8-AM  
Nfld.

MADE IN  
NEWFOUNDLAND  
GOODS

To the Officer in Charge of Records

*The Royal Nfld. Regt.*

*Dept. of Militia,*

*ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.*

NO STAMP REQUIRED

CR 214  
C.R.

RECEIPT.

I hereby certify that I have received the 1914-1915

STAR.

for No 214 Name V.W. Miles

Witness E.H. Cornick

Date Dec 5 1919

Place St Johns N.F.

E.H. Cornick

V.W. Miles

July 26, 1916.

Dear Sir,

I regret to inform you that the  
Record Office of the First Newfoundland  
Regiment, London, to-day reports that your  
brother, No. 214, C.S.M. V. William Miles,  
was killed in action on July 1st.

Yours sympathetically,

Colonial Secretary.

Mr. Frank Miles,  
150 Lower Street.

Dept. of Militia, St. John's. *Aug 13* 1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of the late No. *214* Rank *C. Sgt.* Name *William Miller* Royal Newfoundland Regt.

*W. Miller* (Sgd.)

*Prox.* Relationship.

Address *100 Gairdler Road*



26  
January 14, 1916.

Dear Sir,

I beg to inform you that additional information has to-day been received from the Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, to the effect that

No. 214, C.Q.M.S. Victor W. Miles, who was previously reported with pyrexia at Malta on October 11th, is now reported as having been discharged from Hospital fit for active service and embarked for Egypt on December 2nd.

This information has been received by mail.

Yours faithfully,

Mr. Frank Miles,  
14 Pennywell Rd.

Colonial Secretary

OR 214

Extract of Casualty received from Pay & Record Office, London,  
dated Dec. 18th 1915.

214 C.Q.M.S. V.W.Miles

Discharged ex Hospital in Malta (Fit for Active Service) and  
Embarked for Egypt per H.T. "Nile" 2nd Dec. 1915.

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November 24, 1915.

Dear Sir,

I regret to have to inform you that a report has this day been received from the Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, to the effect that No. 214, G.O.M.S. Victor Wm. Miles, was admitted to hospital in Malta ex Hospital Ship KARAPARA on Oct. 11th suffering from Pyrexia. This information was received by mail.

I trust that later reports will bring news of his convalescence.

Any further information received at this Office as to his condition will be at once notified to you.

Yours faithfully,

J. R. Bennett

Colonial Secretary.

Mr. Frank Miles,  
14 Pennywell Rd.,  
City.

CR. 214

Extract from Nominal Roll of Co. 1st Bn. Nfld. Regt.  
Embarked at Devonport for Active Service 20-8-15.

214. COMS. V. Miles.

Disembarked Alexandria, 31-8-15. Proceeded to Abbassia,  
Cairo, same date. Embarked Alexandria for Gallipoli  
13-9-15.

ORIGINAL

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland.

Regimental No. CR. 214 Rank C. Q. M. S. Name Miles W. V.

Enlisted (a) 1-10-14 Terms of Service (a) one year Service reckons from (a) 1-10-14

Date of promotion to present rank } Date of appointment to lance rank } Numerical position on roll of N.C.Os. }

Extended } Re-engaged duration of war 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 at St. John's, Nfld.		3/10/14.	
		Disembarked Alexandria		1/9/15.	
		Embarked for Gallipoli		13/9/15.	
7/10/15.	"Karapara"	Ill, Pyrexia admitted	A 36	Hosp., Malta	11/10/15. Auth. A 15139. JP
<del>29/1/16</del>	<del>sent with Battalion</del>	<del>Embarked Port Suez</del>		<del>14.3.16</del>	<del>B 213</del>
		Disembarked MARSEILLES		22.3.16	
		<del>sent promoted C. S. M</del>	France	11.6.16	B 213 O 1810 220
11.7.16.	sent.	Killed in Action	France	1.7.16.	B 213

A. Clerk CAPTAIN.  
FOR O. 16 INFANTRY RECORDS  
G. H. Q.; 3<sup>RD</sup> ECHELON.

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(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, Shoelace Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties. [P.T.O.]

