

FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 4036 Name John Edward Corps R.L.

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your name? 1. John Edward
2. What is your full Address? 2. 329 Water St.
3. Are you a British Subject? 3. Yes
4. What is your age? 4. 18 Years — Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. Ratee
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 Yes
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

John Edward 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.

John Edward SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
W. Edwards Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

John Edward 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.....
on this 30 day of Oct 1911.

Signature of Attesting Officer W. Edwards

†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.....1911

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

C.R. 4036

Extract from Military Orders Part II Unit The Royal Nfld.
Regt., St. John's, Oct. 30th, 1917.

4036 Pte. J. Pynn.

Attested for General Service with the Nfld. Regt., with
effect from Oct. 30th, 1917.

4036

NOMINAL ROLL
Extract from CREWEL embarked St. John's for Overseas Dec. 11th 1917

Per S.S. FLORIZEL.

#4036 PT. E. J. PYN. N.

To be used only for Special Reserve Recruits, and for Special Reservists en-
 Regt. Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Cymer

OF

Christian Name John

Table I—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish St. John's

County Wex

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined	30	Oct.	1917	191
Declared Age	18	years		days
Trade or Occupation	Baker			
Height	5	feet	3	inches
Weight			114	lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded		34	inches
	Range of Expansion		4	inches
Physical Development	Right	Left	Right	Left
Vaccination Marks	Arm			
	Number	1 Seal		
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R.E.	V 6/30	R.E.—V	
	L.E.	V 6/6	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)	<i>James D. ...</i>			
(Rank)	Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at	St. John's	at	
	on	30 day of Oct.	on	day of 191
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
Transferred to	St. John's Regt. 4036			
Became non-effective by	on	day of 191	on	day of 191
[Signature]				
[Rank]				

Table III.—Boards: Courts of Inquiry, Vacancies, Incompetence, &c. Examinations for Foreign Service, Extension, Re-engagement, or Prolongation of service; Issue of Medical Appliances; Particulars of Dental Treatment, &c.

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
10-11-17	Vacc 10
30-10-17	T.A.B 10
4-11-17	" 20
8-11-17	3 20

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

G.R. 4036

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

Extract of Nominal Roll of Draft No. 46,- 120 Other Ranks from 2nd. Bn.,
Depot, Winchester to 1st. Batta. Royal Newfoundland Regiment, B.E.F.,
Embarked Folkestone 25/5/18.

4036 Pte. J. Pynn.

A.P.S. B. 103 (one
for each soldier)
sent to Br Ech-
elon, B.E.F.

C.R. 4036

Extract from Orders by Major H.T. Mathias, D.S.O. Comdg.
1st Battn. R.Nfld. Regt. 3/8/18.

The u/m has been evacuated.

4036 Pte. J. Pynn.

C.R. 4036

Extract from Daily Orders Part II by Lt. Col. G. Mathias, D.S.O.
Commanding 1st Battalion Royal New Zealand Regiment,
dated 1/9/19.

Discharged hospital.

The undermentioned is discharged to duty.

4036, Pte. J. Pynn, B. Coy.

C.R. 4036

Oct 19th 18

Dear Mr. Pynn:

I regret to have to inform you that a report has this day been received from the Record Office of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, London, to the effect that

your son, No. 4056, Private John Pynn, is at 44th Casualty Clearing Station since October 16th, dangerously ill suffering from G.S.W. left arm and legs.

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,

Mr. Daniel Pynn

529 Water St

Minister of Militia.

CAR. 4036

Oct 23rd 18

Dear Mr. Pynn:

I regret to have to inform you that a report has this day been received from the Record Office of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, London, to the effect that your son, No. 4036, Private Jack Pynn was still dangerously ill on October 23rd.

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,

Mr. D. Pynn

329 Water Street

West

Minister of Militia.

C.R. 4036

Extracts of casualties from Pay & Record Office London dated Nov.
4/11/18.

4036 PTE. J. PYNN.

Is reported by the O.C., 8th Stationary Hospital, Wimereux, DIED
31/10/18, G.S.W. Legs, fractured femur, L., Arm L.

Telegram from War Office (C.2. Cas).

CF 4036

Nov 5th 18

Dear Mr. Pynn:-

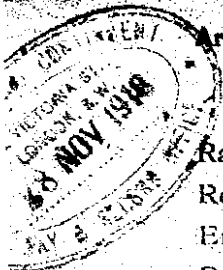
I regret very much to have to inform you that a report has to-day been received from the Record Office of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, London to the effect that your son, No. 4036, Private Jack Pynn died of wounds at 8th Stationary Hospital Wimereux Oct. 31st,

Should any further information be received concerning him, the same will at once be communicated to you.

Yours faithfully,

Minister of Militia.

Mr. Daniel Pynn
329 Water Street
C I T Y



Army Form B. 103.

Regimental Number **4.0.240**

Casualty Form - Active Service.

Regiment or Corps **2^d Royal Newfoundland Regiment**

Rank **Pte** Surname **Pymon** Christian Name **John**

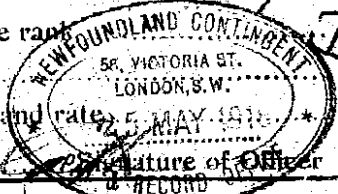
Religion **R.C.** Age on Enlistment **18** years **11** months

Enlisted (a) **30. 10. 17** Terms of Service (a) **Duration** Service reckons from (a) **30. 10. 17**

Date of promotion to present rank Date of appointment to lance rank

Extended () Re-engaged () Qualification (b) **NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINENT**

Occupation **Baker** of Corps Trade and rate **5 MAY 1918**



Date	Report From whom received	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B.213, Army Form A. 66, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A. 66, or other official documents.
			Embarked		
			Disembarked		
3rd 12th 18	O. C.	Adm. hospital	~	29. 7. 18	B.213.
23rd 26th 18	20. S. H.	Adm -	Chill m	29. 7. 18	HA 27020
	6. Con. D	Adm -	P. H. C	10. 8. 18	HA 271420
	5. Con. D	Adm -	-	11. 8. 18	HA 27640
	O. C.	Adm -	-	24. 8. 18	Leat
30th 18	D. H. B.	Co. Unit	~	30. 8. 18	Leat
				14/10/18	
62001	S. H. B.	H. G. S. W. H. B. on 11th 18	W. G. S.	18/10/18	G. D. 0157
8. 11. 18			W. G. S.	20/10/18	W. G. S.

(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.
 14. Signaller, Sholing-Suith, &c. W. 2025 212731 24/04/17 (18911), C.P. & S., Ltd., Form B.103 2/1907. P.T.O.

For Officer the Infantry Section
 General Headquarters for the Expedition

ORIGINAL

Army Form O. 1625

PAY LIST

to

191 Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

No. 4036

Rank Pte

Name Pynn J.

Died (a) Intestate

at France

on the 31st of October

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 31/10/18	6	16	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	6	16	7	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£	6	16		£	6	16
				7				7

This account is in accordance with advices received at the Pay & Record Office to 12 JUN / 1919 and may therefore be subject to amendments if and as may be revealed by subsequent advices.

BOOKED JUN 9 1919

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT LONDON, S.W. 12 JUN 1919 PAYMASTER'S OFFICE

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT is correctly chargeable against the Public.

Dated at this day 1919 CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE RECORDS

(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 the Office with Army Form B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815. (b) Wards in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

C.R. 4036

Jan 3rd 1918.

Dear Mr. Pynn:-

I beg to inform you that we have received news, by mail, from our Pay and Record Office, London, which states that your son the late #4036 Pte. J. Pynn, was buried at Terlinethun British Cemetery, 1 mile North of Boulogne, France.

Assuring you of my deepest sympathy in your bereavement.

Yours faithfully,



Lieut.

CASUALTY OFFICER.

Daniel Pynn Esq.,
329 Water Street W.
City.

WW/MP.

C.R. 4036

June 5th, 1919.

Daniel Pynn, Esq.,
329 Water Street
City.

Dear Sir:-

It is my regrettable duty to have to forward to you by Registered mail, One parcel containing the effects which belonged to your late son #4036 Pte. J. Pynn of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I enclose herewith receipt, kindly sign same and return at your earliest convenience.

Assuring you of my deepest sympathy in your bereavement and in the added sorrow which the receipt of these effects must entail.

I am Sir,

Yours Obediently



Lieut.
Casualty Officer.

No. of Paper 1451

PERSONAL EFFECTS.

Name Pynn J.

C.R. No. 4036

Rank Private

Regiment _____

Article	Where stored	Notified by
<p>1 cotton bag containing:- Disc, Letters, Cards; Photos, Note Book; Relig books, ✓ Cigarette Case, ✓ Purse, ✓ 5 coins, ✓ 2 religious medallions, ✓ Beads. ✓</p>	<p>Final disposal</p>	

Remarks :- Casualty Advice:- Deceased, 31-10-18
Next of Kin:- Father:- Daniel Pynn
329 Water St.
St. Johns, N.F.

July 23, 1919

Mrs. Margaret Pynn,
329, Water Street,
C i t y.

J. C. S.

Dear Madam:

I enclose herewith cheque
for \$33.23, balance of estate of late Pte. J.
Pynn, due you as Administratrix of his estate.

I am also enclosing here-
with Letters of Administration.

Yours truly,

PAYMASTER & O I/C ^{Capt.} RECORDS

LH/

Enc. 2.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 33²³/₁₀₀

July 7 1919

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Thirty three ²³/₁₀₀ Dollars.
~~amount~~
balance of Pay. Estate

Ch. No.	<u>2468</u>	Initials	<u>J. C. D.</u>
Pay Ledger	<u>29</u>	Initials	<u>J. C. D.</u>
Gen. Ledger		Initials	

Regtl. No. A. C. D.

THE BOARD OF
PENSION COMMISSIONERS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

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MAJOR W. H. PARSONS, M.C.,
R.A.M.C.

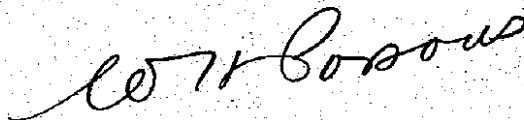
St. John's,
March 24/1920.

Mrs. Margaret Pynn,
329 Water Street, N.,
City.

Dear Madam:-

With reference to your application for pension, I would be glad if you would have the attached Medical Certificate filled in concerning your husband's condition and bring it in to me sometime convenient to yourself.

Yours faithfully,



Secy.

WHP/GEC.

THE BOARD OF
PENSION COMMISSIONERS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

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

In reply please refer to
No. _____

St. John's,

April 3rd/20

To :- The Paymaster & O. i/c Records.
From: + The Board of Pension Commissioners for Nfld.

4036 John Pynn, deceased.

Kindly continue the allotment in the above mentioned
case until Oct. 31st/20.


Asst. Secy.

LBD.

P.S. This Allot. was cancelled 30/1/19
LB

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

Claimant *Margaret Pynn* *Mother*

On account of *John Pynn* No. *4036* Rank. *Pte.*

Decision. *Refused*
husband not totally incapacitated

Date *April 23/1920*
W. R. Rowdelee, Lieut. Col.
M. Dowley, Major

Instructions.....
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Allotment of *70⁰⁰* per day payable to *Mrs Daniel Pynn*
his *Mother* from *1/11/17* to *still current*
Discontinued on account of

R. H. Guinness

May 4, 1920

Mrs. Margaret Lynn,
#329 Water St West,
City

Dear Madam:-

Referring to your application for Separation Allowance I beg to state that same cannot be granted to you, because your husband is not totally incapacitated, and consequently you cannot be considered to be totally dependent upon your son.

Yours truly

Major

Paymaster.

C.R. 4036

March 23rd. 1920

Dear Mr. Squires:- Re No. 4036 John Pynn

I have been making enquiries concerning the case of the above mentioned soldier who was killed in action on 1st October, 1918.

The balance of this soldier's estate was paid on July 7th, 1919 to Mrs. Margaret Pynn, 329 Water Street, the amount being £33.23. This man's allotment has been continued, and will be continued for two years from the date of decease, payable to Mrs. Margaret Pynn. The case will then be considered by the Board of Pension Commissioners with a view to deciding whether a pension is payable.

I am sending a claim form for Separation Allowance to Mrs. Pynn, and her case will be considered when she has returned it completed. So far she has not claimed Separation Allowance.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.-Col.,

Chief Staff Officer

Hon. R.A. Squires
Prime Minister