

FINAL EXAMINATION

First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 204

Name in full Arthur James Rendell Age 19

Address 18 Kings Road, St Johns

Married Single Height Weight

Color White Hair Fair Eyes Brown

Other distinguishing marks Scar on forehead

Nearest relative Father James Rendell

Address 18 Kings Road

Dependents none

Occupation Machinist Present Wage \$5.00 per week

Previous service

Decorations

General Remarks

Date of Enlistment

I, Arthur James Rendell, 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.

Handwritten signatures and notes including 'Recd for Arthur James Rendell' and '1915'.

Arthur James Rendell

Declared before me this 14th day of October 1914

Robert H. Sait

per 3rd

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth	(d)
		Verified from certificate

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed 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>3/9/14</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>3rd September '14</u>									
		<u>Appointed to Asst Armour</u>		<u>18/12/14</u>					
		<u>Embarked S.S. Korriga for U.K. 3rd 1914</u>		<u>Embarked on G.F. 20th 1914</u>					
		<u>entrained for Cairo 3rd 1914</u>		<u>Embarked for Gallipoli 13th 1914</u>					
		<u>Evacuated & arrived Alexandria 15th 1914</u>		<u>Proceeded to Suez 16th 1914</u>					
		<u>Embarked Port Suez 14th 1914</u>		<u>Disembarked Marseille 22nd 1914</u>					
		<u>Burial reported by G.O.C. 5th Corps state not stated.</u>							
		<u>Place of Burial: Hawthorn Ridge</u>							
		<u>#2 British Cemetery</u>							
		<u>1st Corps Cemetery #12</u>							
		<u>4 1/2 miles N of Albert</u>							
		<u>Post Beaumont Hamel 1125c</u>							
		<u>Low B. Trench 15.</u>							
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>1-7-16</u> (date of discharge) <u>1</u> years <u>307</u> days									
" " " Pension " " " " " " " "									

Dept. of Militia,
St. John's.

St. John's
27
1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
Memorial ~~Plaque~~ issued in respect of services of
the late No. 204 Rank 2 Lt.
Name Arthur J. Rendell
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

James Rendell (Sgd.)
Father Relationship.

Address 16 Kings Rd.

16 Kings Rd

Feb 22/20

C.R. 704

Dear Sir

I wish to acknowledge receipt of the Memorial Scroll which was received by my Father in excellent condition.

I remain

Yours sincerely

To Minister of H
C

Harold Kendall

C.R. 204

RECEIPT.

I hereby certify that I have received the 1914-1915

STAR.

No. 204 Name Arthur G. Rendell

Witness. Harold E. Rendell

Date Dec. 30 1919

Place St. John's Field

am

May 14th, 1918.

Joseph Rendell Esq.,
18, King's Road,
U I T Y.

Sir:-

Notification has been received from the Record
Office, London, stating that the Gravesite of #204 L/Cpl.
A. Rendell is:-

Northern Ridge No. 2 British Cemetery V Corps
Cemetery No. 12., 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles N. of Albert.

Yours faithfully,

Major,
Chief Staff Officer.

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9th August, 1917.

Dear Sir,

I beg to inform you that a communication has this day been received from the Pay and Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, intimating that it has been reported by General Officer Commanding Fifth Army Corps that No. 204, Lance Corp. Arthur J. Rendell, previously presumed dead, was Killed in Action on July 1st, 1916, and buried - no date given.

Yours faithfully,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

Mr. Jas. Rendell,
18 King's Road.

23rd November, 1916.

Dear Sir,

For some time past the Imperial Government have been making enquiries in relation to those men of the First Newfoundland Regiment who have been reported missing since the action of the 1st July. I very much regret to state, however, that from the correspondence which has taken place, a copy of which I enclose, it is evident that none of them are Prisoners of War in Germany, and the authorities are, therefore, reluctantly forced to the conclusion that all these gallant men, whose names are given in the enclosed list, and one of whom was very dear to you, were killed in that fateful action on the 1st of July.

I desire to express to you on behalf of the Government, as well as for myself, the sincerest sympathy in this time of sorrow. We feel the loss of our loved ones, but it will, no doubt, be some consolation to you to think that he, for whom you now mourn, willingly answered the call of King and Country, did his part nobly, and fell, facing the foe, in defence of the principles of Righteousness, Truth and Liberty. Though he has laid down the earthly weapons of warfare, he now wears the Soldier's Crown of Victory, and his name will be inscribed upon the Glorious Roll of Honor, and be held in fragrant memory by all his fellow-countrymen. When the victory is won, and Peace again reigns upon the earth, it will be a comforting thought to you that in this glorious achievement he bore no small part.

I trust that you may have the Grace and consolation of the Great Father of us all at this time.

With sincere sympathy,

Believe me to be,

Your obedient servant,

Colonial Secretary.

Mr. James Rendell,
18 King's Road.

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31st July. 1916

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. 204

Lance Corporal Arthur J. Rendell

has been posted as Missing.

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

Yours faithfully,

Mr. James Rendell,
18 King's Road.

Colonial Secretary.

C.R. 204

Extract from Nominal Roll of ^A 60. 1st Bn. Nfld. Regt.
Embarked at Devenport for Active Service 20-8-15.

204 Pte. A. Rendell.

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

CR. 204

Abstract of Nominal Roll embarked St. John's per S. S. FLORISSA
4th October 1914.

204 Rendell Arthur J.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 1st Newfoundland

Res. No. 204 Rank Pte Name A. Rendell

Enlisted (a) Oct 2/14 Terms of Service (a) Duration of war Service reckons from (a) Oct 2/14

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. 218, 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. 218, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Embark'd St. John's, Nfld.		3.10.14	
				1.9.15	
				13.9.15	
		Embark'd Port Suez		14.3.16	
		Disembk'd MARSEILLES		22.5.16	
<u>7/11/16</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Missing</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>JUL 1916</u>	<u>B213</u>

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[Signature]
MAJOR FOR
Co. 1/c No. 1 Reg. Infantry Section
G.H.Q. 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. (P.T.O.)

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

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Forms
B. 121.
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Number of Sheet

Regiment of

Signature of O. C. Company

H. J. Carter

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay		
No.	<i>204</i>	<i>Rendell A</i>	Age on <i>19</i> years <i>0</i> months	<i>Machinist</i>			
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment		Religion			
Joined	Date	<i>St John's</i>	<i>3/9/14</i>	<i>Co of E</i>			
Joined	Date	Period of { with Colours <i>1 3/4</i> years. with Reserve <i>3 1/2</i> years.		Place of Birth			
Joined	Date			<i>St John's</i>			

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
				<i>Killed in Action 1/7/16.</i>					
				<i>To be carried over</i>					

ARMY FORM B. 121.