

First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 1062

Name in full John Jos Rice Age 26

Address 17 Flemming St.

Married Single Height 55 Weight 120

Color Fair Hair Dark Brown Eyes Blue

Other distinguishing marks Cross

Nearest relative (Wife) Bridget

Address Flemming St.

Dependents Wife & 1 child

Occupation Expressman Present Wage \$35.00

Previous service _____

Decorations _____

General Remarks _____

Date of Enlistment Jan. 29/15

John Joseph Rice 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 condition of my service.

Recruited for Newfoundland
John Jos Rice

John Joseph Rice

Declared before me this 18 day

of February 1915

[Signature]

DESCRIPTION OF RECRUIT ONLY

(To correspond with entries on the Medical Certificate)
 Applicable to all ranks

Name John Joseph Rice
 Apparent age 25 years 00 months. Height 5 feet 5 inches.
 Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded inches.
 Range of expansion inches.
 Distinctive marks Complexion Fair, Hair Dark Brown, Eyes Blue

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin Bridget Rice, 17 Fleming St., St. Johns
 Relationship Maternal Wife

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) Initials of Officer verifying entry.

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

* 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>29/1/15</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>29th January '15</u>									
				<u>K.A. July 1916</u>					
<u>Embarked at St. John's 20th 15. Embarked at C.F. 20th 15. Disembarked Mex. and entrained for Cairo 31st 15. Embarked for Gallipoli 13th 15.</u> <u>Landed Suda Bay night of 19-20 September 1915. Wounded 30-12-15.</u> <u>Admitted to the Hosp. Mex. 3-1-16. First Casualties 7-2-16. Embarked Port Said 14-3-16.</u> <u>Quarried Cairo 16-3-16</u>									
<u>Killed in Action 7-7-16</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above									

Total Service towards Engagement to 1-7-16 (date of discharge) 7 years 124 days
 Pension

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Rice OF Christian Name John Joseph

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish..... County.....

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined	28	Jan		
	at St Johns.		at	
Declared Age	26	years		
Trade or Occupation	Expressman			
Height	5	feet	5	inches
Weight	120 lbs.			
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded... 29 inches			
	Range of expansion... 32 1/2 inches			
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Arm			
	Number			
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R. E.—V=		R. E.—V=	
	L. E.—V=		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>Clay Macpherson</i>			
(Rank)	Capt.			
	Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at	St Johns.	at	
	on	20 day of Jan	on	day of 191
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	1st Mill Bde	Corps.	
	Regtl. No.	1062	Regtl. No.	
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by				
	on	day of	on	day of
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

Table III.—Boards: Courts of Inquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, &c.: Examinations for Field or Foreign Service, Extension, Re-engagement, or Prolongation of Service; Issue of Surgical Appliances; Particulars of Dental Treatment, &c.

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
17.16	<i>Lined in Action House M.B.</i>

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
<i>St John Nfel</i>	<i>Jan. 20. 15</i>	<i>20 Mar 15</i>			
<i>T.S. " Stephens</i>	<i>20 Mar 15</i>	<i>22 Mar 15</i>			
<i>T.S. ORDUNA</i>	<i>22 Mar 15</i>	<i>30 Mar 15</i>			
<i>Edinburgh Castle</i>	<i>30 Mar 15</i>				

C.R. 1062

John J. Rice was attested for General service
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on January. 29th. 1915
Regimental No 1062 was allotted to Pte. J. J. Rice

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

C.R. 1062

Extract from Nominal Roll of Draft embarked for
Overseas per S.S. Stephens March 20th 1915.

No. 7. Platoon.

1062 Pte. J. Rice.

C.R. 1062

Extract from Personal Roll of "B" Co. 1st Bn. MFD.
Regt. Embarked Devonport for Active Service 28-8-15.

1062 Pte. J. Rice.

Disembarked Alexandria 31-8-15 Proceeded to Abbassia,
Cairo. Same date, Embarked Alexandria for Gallipoli
12-9-15.

FEB 18 1916

Dear Madam,

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 the injury sustained by No. 1062, Private John J. Rice, of which you have already been notified, consists of a shrapnel wound in the right heel.

This information has been received by mail.

Yours faithfully,

**Mrs. Bridget Rice,
17 Fleming Street.**

Colonial Secretary.

APR 12 1916

Dear Madam,

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. 1062 Private J. J. Rice, who was previously reported at Alexandria, January 19th, suffering from shrapnel wound in heel, was discharged to Base on February 21st.

This information has been received by mail.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs. Bridget Rice,
17 Fleming Street.

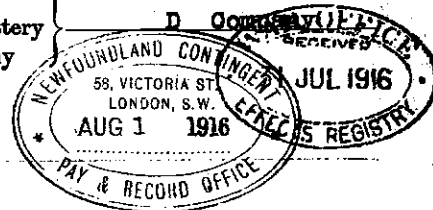
Colonial Secretary.

ORIGINAL. *EJ* *121054* *NE*
FIELD SERVICE.

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 } 1st. Newfoundland Regt. Squadron,
or } Troop, Battery
CORPS } or Company



Regtl. No. 1062 Rank Private

Name Rice, J.

Died { Date July 1st., 1916.
Place France.
Cause of Death* Killed in Action.

Nature and Date of Report B 213, 11/7/16.

* 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.

Burial { Place Not yet received.
Date do
By whom reported _____

State whether he leaves a will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) Not to hand.
(b) in Small Book (if at Base) do
(c) as a separate document do

All private documents and effects received from the front or hospital, as well as the Pay Book, should be examined, and if any will is found it should be at once 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.

Signature of Officer in charge
of Section Adjutant-General's
Office at the Base

A. Clerk
Capt. for Lt. Col.,
Officer i/c Infantry Section,
3rd. Echelon, B. E. F.

Station and Date 27/7/16.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

INVENTORY of EFFECTS of

No. 1062 The J. J. Rice deceased.

EXTRACT from A.F. B. 2090A, dated 27/1/16:

CAUSE of DEATH Killed in Action

DATE 1/1/16 PLACE France

WILL: (a) in Pay Book Yes Copy Attached

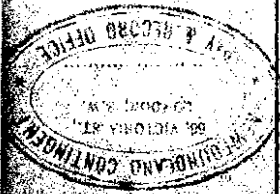
(b) in Small Book Yes

(c) Separate document _____

NEXT of KIN: Bridget Rice
Relationship Wife
Address 17 Fleming St
St John's
N.S.

Particulars

- 1 Pay Book in Case
- 1 Address Book
- 1 Parcel Small Parcel
- 1 Identity Card



PAY LIST.

NON-PAYABLE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps *1st New Zealand*
 No. *1067* Rank *Private* Name *J. H. Higgs*
 Died (a) *in action at France* on the *10th* of *July* 191*6*.
 Deserted at _____ on the _____ of _____ 191*6*.

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 <i>12 May 16</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>52</i>
	Cash issue (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay <i>50</i> days at <i>1/10</i> from <i>12/5</i> to <i>17/16</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>6</i>	
	<i>Egypt 13.3.1916</i> £ s. d. <i>15</i>				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at _____ to _____			
	<i>France 9.15.16</i> <i>106</i>				Messing allowance _____ days at _____ from _____ to _____			
	<i>12.6.16</i> <i>106</i>			<i>11 16</i>	Kit allowance			
	<i>Allotment 50 days @ 80.4/40 = 18 4 4</i>				Amount produced by the sale of Effects from Form 2			
	Consolidated stoppage				Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
	<i>Canteen supplies</i>			<i>9</i>	Deferred Pay or Gratuity			
	Balance due by the Paymaster	<i>19</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>52</i>	Balance due to the Paymaster	<i>19</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>52</i>

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ _____ is correctly chargeable against the Public (b).

Dated at _____ this _____ day of _____ 191____ 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 sent to War 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.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

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Regiment or Corps Newfoundland
 Regimental No. 1062 Rank 1st Lt Name Rice, J.
 Enlisted (a) Jan 20/15 Terms of Service (a) 1 Year Service reckons from (a) Jan 20/15
 Date of promotion } Date of appointment } Numerical position on }
 to present rank } to lance rank } roll of N.C.O.s. }
 Extended Duration of War Re-engaged Aug 15/15 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. Johns, Nfld		20/3/15	
		Disembarked Alexandria		1/9/15	
		Embarked for Gallipoli		13/9/15	
5/1/16	Gentilly Castle	Admitted Shrapnell R. Heel	H.S. Gentilly Castle	30/12/15	E. 5454
10/1/16	21st Genl Alexandria	Admitted	21st Genl Hosp. Alex	3/1/16	R. 19
11/3/16	Unit with Battalion	Unit	Unit	7/3/16	B. 213
		Emboked Fort Suez		14.3.16	
		Disembked Marseilles		22.3.16	
11/7/16	Unit	Killed in Action	France	1/7/16	

Sgt. A. E. Clark Capt
 For O. I. Infantry Records
 Sgt. L. 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, Blowing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps section.

June 26th, 1918.

Mrs. Bridget Rice,
17 Floming Street,
City.

Dear Madam,-

I enclose herewith cheque for \$55.56,
being the balance of the Estate of late #1062 Pte. J.
Rice, payable to you as Administratrix. I also enclose
Letters of Administration.

 Yours faithfully,

Capt.
Paymaster & O.I/c Records.

1062
April 15, 1920

Mrs. Bridget Rice,
#17 Fleming St.,
City.

Dear Madam:-

You have no doubt failed to notice the publication which was made somewhat over a year ago, to the effect that the Government has authorized payment of Reparation Allowance to wives and other dependents of soldiers for the whole period of the war.

There is on this account a certain amount lying to your credit at this department, which you have not so far claimed. I shall be pleased to pay you any amount on production of your marriage certificate.

Yours truly

Major

Paymaster.

Copy of "Will" Pte. John Rice, No. 1062, 1st. Newfoundland Regt.

In the event of my death I give the whole of my property and effects to my wife:-

Mrs. John Rice.

(Sd) J. Rice.

No 1062 1st Newfoundland Regiment

7/6/16

Dept. of Militia,

St. John's.

June192*7*

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of
the late *1067* Rank *Plt.*
Name *John Jacob Rice*
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

E *Bridget Rice*(Sgd.)
Wife Relationship.

Address *17 Fleming St.*

Receipt for Army Book 64

No. 1062 Name J Rice

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

Gras Bridgel
Rice

Date July 26th 1945

Place St. Johns N.Y.S.

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

WJ

RECEIPT.

C.R. 1062

I hereby certify that I have received the 1914-1915

STAR.

of the Late Pte J J Rice (1862)

~~Mr~~ *Mrs* Name Rice

Witness *Dealing*

Date *2.3.20*

Place *St Johns*

m. B.

C.R. 1062

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&.R.O.

July 26th. 1916

1062, Pte J. Rice. ✓

Reported by O.C. Bn. d/11.7.16 as Killed in Action 1.7.16

July 26, 1916.

Dear Madam,

I regret to inform you that the Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, to-day reports that your husband No. 1062 Private John J. Rice, was killed in action on July 1st.

Yours sympathetically,

Colonial Secretary.

Mrs. Bridget Rice,

17 Flemming Street.

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

W. P. Griffith & Sons Ltd., Printers, Old Bailey, E.C. 4.
[33] W 9013/1196 10cm 1214a 93 86

Form B. 121.

Signature of O. C. Company

S. J. Mansfield
Company

Good Conduct Badges, Services Pay or Proficiency Pay

Regiment of *Newfoundland*

Trade

Explosives
Minion

Age on *26* years - months

Place and Date of Enlistment *St John's Jan 29 1915*

Period of *154* years with Reserve *365* years

Place of Birth *R. C.*

OFFENCE

Names of Witnesses

Punishment awarded

Days or order of order discharging with trial

By whom awarded

REMARKS

Case of Drunkenness

Rank

Date of Offence

Place

Plc.

Killed in Action 176

To be carried over