

FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

ATTESTATION OF

No. 1999 Name Edward J. Stuckland Corps _____

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

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| 1. What is your name? | 1. <u>Edward J. Stuckland</u> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>Barrow, Pangnaro</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. What is your Age? | 4. <u>24</u> Years <u>10</u> Months. |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>Salesman</u> |
| 6. Are you Married? | 6. <u>No</u> |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? | 7. <u>No</u> |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? | 8. <u>Yes</u> |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? | 9. <u>Yes</u> |
| 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? | 10. _____ { Name |
| 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. <u>Yes</u> { Corps |

I, Edward J. Stuckland 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.

Edward J. Stuckland SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

6. 20. 24th 1915 Gerald W. Greer Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Edward J. Stuckland 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, Nfld.
 on this 24th day of November 1915 Gerald W. Greer
 Signature of the Attesting Officer.

† 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 _____ 191 _____
 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, the 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) _____

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

Applicable to all ranks. To correspond with entries on the Medical History Sheet.

1999

Name Edward J. Strickland

Apparent age 24 years 10 months. Height 5 feet 8 inches.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 40 inches.
Range of expansion 4 inches.

Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin Philip Strickland, 1st Ave 130th St
Relationship Father

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.

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names.	Date and Place of Birth.

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Rgt. 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>24-11-15</u>									
Joined at <u>St Johns</u> on <u>November 24, 15</u>									
<u>Embarked</u>	<u>St Johns train to St Johns Mts</u>			<u>18-8-15</u>			<u>Embarked for B.C. 9-16</u>		
<u>Wined</u>	<u>Battalion 21-7-16</u>	<u>Wounded</u>		<u>12-8-16</u>			<u>Admitted 13th Hosp. Boulogne</u>		
<u>SN Head</u>	<u>13-8-16</u>								
		<u>Discharged</u>							
<u>Buried</u>	<u>Boulogne Eastern Cemetery</u>			<u>Nov 15 1916</u>					
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>18-8-16</u> (date of discharge) — years <u>268</u> days									
" " " Pension " " " " " " " " " " " "									

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Edward J. Strickland was attested for General
Service with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT ON Nov. 24th 1915.
Regimental No. 1999 was allotted to Ptes E.J. Strickland.

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger;

Dept. of Militia.

March 25th 1919

C.R. 1999

Extract from ... all retained for ... St. John's,
June, 19-1916. "H".

1999 Pte. Strickland Edwards J.

To be used only for Special Reserve Recruits, and for Special Reservists enlisted in the Regular Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Strickland

Christian Name Edward James

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish _____

County W. York

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <u>17</u> day of <u>Nov</u> 191 <u>5</u> at <u>5th Johns W. York</u>		on _____ day of _____ 191____ at _____	
Declared Age	<u>24</u> years _____ days		_____ years _____ days	
Trade or Occupation	_____		_____	
Height	<u>5</u> feet	<u>8</u> inches	_____ feet	_____ inches
Weight	<u>156</u> lbs.		_____ lbs.	
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded... <u>40</u> inches		_____ inches	
	Range of expansion... <u>4</u> inches		_____ inches	
Physical Development	_____		_____	
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
	_____	<u>1</u>	_____	_____
When Vaccinated	<u>1904</u>		_____	
Vision	R.E.—V=	<u>4/6</u>	R.E.—V=	_____
	L.E.—V=	<u>4/8</u>	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)	<u>L. Arnold Paterson</u>		_____	
(Rank)	<u>Capt.</u> Medical Officer.		_____ Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at <u>5th Johns</u> on <u>17</u> day of <u>Nov</u> 191 <u>5</u>		at _____ on _____ day of _____ 191____	
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
	<u>1st West Reg</u>	<u>1999</u>	_____	_____
Transferred to	_____		_____	
Became non-effective by	_____		_____	
(Signature)	on _____ day of _____ 191____		on _____ day of _____ 191____	
(Rank)	_____		_____	

Table III.—Boards: Courts of Inquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, &c.: Examination 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
24. 12. 15	Vacc.
24. 5. 16	1 st Inoculation D. M. McIntyre Capt. R. M. C.
26. 6. 16	T.N.B. H.F.L. <u>2</u>
18. 8. 16	Died of Wounds 13 th Army Hospital Boulogne, M.F.

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
56 John W. L. L.					

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Extract from Home Office Roll of Mfld. Regt. Draft No.8.
from 2nd Bn. Depot to 1st Bn. B.E.F. Embarked Southampton
9-7-16.

1999 Pte, E. Strickland.

W. H. L. L.
O/c
Pay & Record Office
58 Victoria St
London S.W.

Aug. 11
29-8-16

Pte Edw. J. Strickland 1999
~~D. Coy. Newfoundland Regt.~~

Dear Sir,

Can you give me any
information regarding the
present position & condition
of above named soldier,
wounded in the head on
12th Aug. 1916.

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.
PAY & RECORD OFFICE
325

AUG 31 1916

I am,
Yours Truly,
Agnes M. Cook.

C.R. 1999

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&.R.O.
August 24th. 1916.

The following Casualty in the 1/1 Newfoundland Regiment
with the British Expeditionary Force is reported under
various date

1908, E.J. Strickland.

Died of Wounds,

Counter No. _____

FOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

Cable Connection with all the World

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 _____

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check
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Dated 19th August, 1916.

To Mr. Philip Strickland,
Port aux Basques.

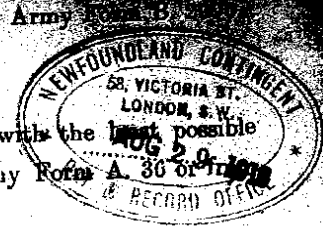
Regret to inform you that the Record Office, London, to-day reports No. 1999 Private Edward J. Strickland, died of wounds head, 13th Stationary Hospital, Boulogne, August 18th.

J. R. BENNETT,
Colonial secretary.

FOR TYPEWRITER

COPY

FIELD SERVICE.



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. 30 or from other official documentary sources.

REGIMENT } Newfoundland Regt. Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company } D. Comp.

Regtl. No. 1999 Rank Private Name Strickland E.

Died { Date Aug 18th/16 Place Belgium Cause of Death* Died of Wds received in Action Nature and Date of Report W 3034 18/8/16 By whom made O.C. 13th Station Hospital

* 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.

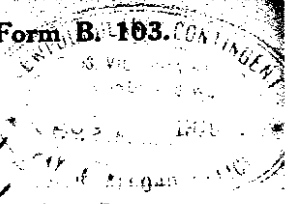
A duplicate of this Report is to be sent to the Fixed Centre Paymaster at Home, or to the D.F.A.G., Indian Expeditionary Force, or Field Disbursing Officer, as the case may require, together with the deceased's Pay Book (after withdrawal of any will from the latter). If the deceased's Small Book is at 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. E. Clerk Esq for Lt Col O/C Infantry Section 3rd Echelon B. E. F.

Station and Date 26/8/16

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 2/1 N/VA Regt
 Regimental No. X 1994 Rank Pte Name Strickland G. J.
 Enlisted (a) Nov 24/15 Terms of Service (a) Duration Service reckons from (a) July 4/16
 Date of promotion } Date of appointment } Numerical position on }
 to present rank } to lance rank } roll of N.C.Os. }
 Extended _____ Re-engaged July 4/16 Qualification (ii) _____



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				

		Embodied	J. Hampton	9.7.16	
		Disembodied	Rouen	10.7.16	
	Unit	joined Battalion	France	21.1.16	5213
12.6.16	"	Wounded in Action	Belgium	12.8.16	13213
18.8.16	13 Coy H	Head of H Co	France	18.8.16	142034

U E Black capt for Lt Col
O/1 Infantry records
3rd Echelon B.E.F.

G. H. 2
26/8/16

(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.
 (ii) e.g., Signaller, Shoeing Smith, etc., also, also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

22nd August, 1916.

Dear Sir,

It was with great regret that the Government received a cable from the Record Office London, intimating that your son, Private Edward J. Strickland, had Died of Wounds in the Head, at the 13th Stationary Hospital Boulogne, on the 18th instant.

On behalf of the Government, as well as for myself, I desire to express to you the sincerest sympathy in your time of sorrow. But though we feel the parting and though the heart is heavy with its loss, yet it is a glorious thing to think that your gallant boy early responded to the call of duty and made his stand for the establishment of Righteousness, Truth and Liberty upon the earth. We are all proud of our brave and noble boys but no less do we esteem the unselfish fathers and mothers who so willingly gave their boys when the call of duty came. Though your boy has laid down his earthly weapons he wears the soldier's Crown of Victory and his name is inscribed upon the Glorious Roll of Honour and will be held in fragrant memory by all his fellow countrymen. When the end of this war comes and an Honourable and abiding Peace will have been established, it will ~~be~~ be your proud thought that your dear boy did to the utmost of his ability to bring about such result. I trust that the Great Father may give you of his love and comfort at this time.

Believe me to be,

Yours sympathetically,

Colonial Secretary.

Mr. Philip Strickland,
Port aux Basques.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

INVENTORY of EFFECTS of

No. 1999 ~~St. Michael~~ deceased.

EXTRACT from A.F. B.2090A, dated _____:

CAUSE of DEATH Death of Wounds

DATE 18/8/16 PLACE B.D.H. Balogue

- WILL: (a) in Pay Book _____
 (b) in Small Book _____
 (c) Separate document _____

NEXT of KIN: Philip St. Michael
 Relationship Partner
 Address Port aux Basques

	Particulars
<u>1 packet</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <u>4 Coins</u> <u>2 Letters</u> <u>1 post Card</u> <u>1 photo</u> <u>1 prayer book</u> <u>metal watch (broken)</u> <u>Razor (without case)</u> <u>Tobacco Pipe</u> <u>1 per Memorials (1/10)</u> <u>1 Cap badge</u> <u>Shaving Brush (Old)</u> <u>Cotton Bag</u>

C.R. 1999

Extract of Daily Orders part 11 from Unit 1st Nfld.
Regiment, 3rd Echelon, B.E.F., October 31, 1916.

GRAVESITES.

#1999 Pte. E.J.Strickland.

Died 18/8/16. Buried Boulogne Cemetery, Grave No.
3787. Rep. by Graves Reg. Commission.

G.

23rd February, 1917.

Dear Sir,

I beg to inform you that information, with respect to the gravesite of Private E. J. Strickland, has now been received from the Pay and Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London.

Private Strickland was buried in Boulogne Eastern Cemetery.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary.

Mr. Philip Strickland,
Port aux Basques.

July 9th, 1917.

Mr. Philip Strickland,
Port aux Basques.

Dear Sir:-

I enclose herewith cheque for \$24.26,
being the balance of the estate of your late son,
No. 1999, R. J. Strickland.

Yours truly,

Lieut.
Deputy Paymaster.

J.V.H./V.H.

LM-

May 6, 1920

From: Paymaster
To: Board of Pension Commissioners for Wfld.

Re No. 1999, E. J. Strickland

The amount paid in continuance of the above
man's allotment is \$594.60

Major
Paymaster

CR. 1999

October 30th 1919.

Mr. Philip N. Trickland,
Port aux Basques.

Dear Sir:

The enclosed form has been forwarded
by the Rev. Major Wangle, who requests us to pass
it to you for completion.

You will note from page 2 of the form
what is required, and, the stone cutters in London
are awaiting the information asked for. I am to
request that you be good enough to fill in this as
soon as possible and return it to this Office.

Yours faithfully,

C. G. Byrne Capt.
for Chief Staff Officer

Enclosure.

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.

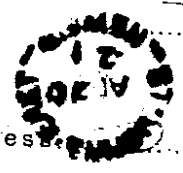
.....1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of
the late No. 1999 Rank SG
Name Edward J. Strickland
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Philip Strickland (Sgd.)

Son Relationship.

Address St. John's, Nfld





SEP 20 1921.

The accompanying **Victory Medal** and/or **British War Medal**
is/are forwarded herewith to

Mr. Philip Strickland (Father)

in respect of his service as No. 1999 Rank Pte.

Name Edward J. Strickland Royal Nfld. Regt.
~~Nfld. Regiment~~

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received October 4th 1921

Signature Mr. Philip Strickland

Date 1921

Address Channah. Nfld

[P.T.O.]

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Number of Sheet

W. P. Griffith & Sons Ltd., Printers, Old Bailey, E.C. 4.
 [ISS] W 11871/064 400m 1-1 53 56

Signature of O. C. Company

Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay

Regiment of

Trade

Enlistment

Age on

No.	1999	Regimental No.	6	Trade	Soleman
Joined		Age on	24 years 10 months	Religion	
Joined		Place and Date of Enlistment	St. John's, Nov. 24. 1918	Place of Birth	Port and Baguette
Joined		Period of	{ with Colours years. with Reserve years.	Names of Witnesses	

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Desertion	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award of order depriving with full	By whom awarded	REMARKS

To be carried over