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 OR CORPS: 2nd.Battalion AUCKLAND REGIMENT. N.Z.Expeditionary Force.

Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company:

Regimental No. 47253 Rank Private

Surname STEWART Christian Names John Sutherland.

Died — Date 24th. AUGUST 1918 Place In the field, FRANCE.

Cause of Death* KILLED IN ACTION.

Nature and Date of Report Burial Report - Undated.

By whom made Rev. C.Walls (CF) Attached 2nd.Bn. Wellington Regt.

* 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.

State whether he leaves a Will or not — (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) N° Pay-book received to date (b) in Small Book (if at Base) Not issued.

(c) as a separate document N° Will received to date

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.

Station and Date: ROUEN FRANCE. 20th. SEPT. 1918

Signature of Officer in charge of Section Adjutant-General's Office at the Base: Armstrong 2LT FOR MAJOR New Zealand Section G.H.Q. 3rd Echelon B.E.F.

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